Bachelor of Islamic Studies Articulated Set

includes:

Bachelor of Islamic Studies
Associate Degree in Islamic Studies *[Exit Point Only]*
Diploma of Islamic Studies *[Exit Point Only]*

The Bachelor of Islamic Studies provides students with an advanced knowledge of Islam which includes a highly developed comprehension of the theological, jurisprudential, historical, contemporary and spiritual aspects of Islam. Islamic sciences are studied from both a classical and contemporary perspective and students graduate with the ability to write in Arabic and read from the religious texts in Arabic, in addition to an understanding of Arabic grammar and vocabulary. The course prepares students with an advanced insight of the Islamic faith which can prove beneficial for further academic study, or for a range of professions such as teachers, public servants, companies or any individual or institution dealing with Muslims regularly.

The course includes the following awards:

Associate Degree in Islamic Studies *AssocDegIslStud*

Bachelor of Islamic Studies *BIslStud*

Diploma of Islamic Studies *DipIslStud*

Course Study Modes and Locations

Bachelor of Islamic Studies (1412IS)

Distance Education - United Theological College

Availability is subject to change, please verify prior to enrolment.

Normal course duration

Diploma of Islamic Studies *[Exit Point Only]*

Full-time 1.0 years (2.0 sessions)

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Full-time 3 years (6.0 sessions)

Associate Degree in Islamic Studies *[Exit Point Only]*

Full-time 2.0 years (4.0 sessions)

Normal course duration is the effective period of time taken to complete a course when studied Full-time (Full-time Equivalent: FTE). Students are advised to consult the Enrolment Pattern for the actual length of study. Not all courses are offered in Full-time mode.

Admission criteria

CSU Admission Policy

Bachelor of Islamic Studies

Admission is according to the standard CSU criteria for undergraduate courses.

Credit

CSU Credit Policy

Bachelor of Islamic Studies

Students that have completed the Diploma of Islamic Studies or Associate Degree in Islamic studies or its equivalent will gain credit into the Bachelor of Islamic Studies.

Articulation

The Bachelor, Associate Degree *[Exit Point Only]*and Diploma *[Exit Point Only]*make up an articulated set of courses and credit is given in each higher level course for the subjects completed in the lower.

Graduation requirements

Bachelor of Islamic Studies

To graduate students must satisfactorily complete 192 points.

Associate Degree in Islamic Studies *[Exit Point Only]*

To graduate students must satisfactorily complete 128 points.

Diploma of Islamic Studies *[Exit Point Only]*

To graduate students must satisfactorily complete 64 points.

Course Structure

Diploma of Islamic Studies [Exit Point Only] (64)
Students who satisfactorily complete the following subjects (64 points) may exit with a Diploma of Islamic Studies:
• 7 core subjects (56)
• 1 Arabic elective (8)

Core Subjects
ISL100 Islamic Worldview and Faith Essentials
ISL110 Fiqh (Islamic Law) of the Five Pillars
ISL170 Ihsan (Spirituality) Essentials
ISL181 Sirah (Life of Prophet Muhammad)
ISL202 Usul al-Din (Foundational Islamic Theology)
ISL211 Usul al-Fiqh (Methodology of Islamic Law)
ISL232 Usul al-Hadith (Methodology of Prophetic Traditions)

Arabic Electives
ISL260 Introduction to Arabic Reading
ISL261 Beginner Arabic Language 1
ISL262 Beginner Arabic Language 2
ISL263 Intermediate Arabic Grammar 1
ISL364 Intermediate Arabic Grammar 2
ISL365 Advanced Arabic Grammar

Associate Degree in Islamic Studies [Exit Point Only] (128)
Students who satisfactorily complete the following subjects (128 points) may exit with an Associate Degree in Islamic Studies:
• 8 core subjects (64)
• 8 elective subjects (64) comprising:
- 2 x Arabic elective subjects, chosen from the list below
- 4 x Islamic studies electives, chosen from the list below
- 2 x elective subjects, chosen from the Islamic Studies electives list below OR from another

discipline. (Prior approval from Course Director needed)

Core Subjects
ISL100Islamic Worldview and Faith Essentials
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ISL230Usul al-Tafsir (Methodology of Qur'anic Exegesis)
ISL232Usul al-Hadith (Methodology of Prophetic Traditions)

Arabic Electives
ISL260Introduction to Arabic Reading
ISL261Beginner Arabic Language 1
ISL262Beginner Arabic Language 2
ISL263Intermediate Arabic Grammar 1
ISL364Intermediate Arabic Grammar 2
ISL365Advanced Arabic Grammar

Islamic Studies Electives
ISL101Mantiq (Logic) and Critical Reasoning
ISL151Islam in the Modern World
ISL171Akhlaq (Morality) and Adab (Manners) in Islam
ISL271Purification of the Heart
ISL282History of Prophets: Adam to Jesus
ISL312Religious Service and Community Leadership
ISL313Islamic Family Law
ISL331Advanced Study of Tafsir (Qur'anic Exegesis) Literature
ISL333Advanced Study of Hadith Literature
ISL353World Religions in Australia
ISL355Women in Islam and Islamic Cultures
ISL383Islamic History: 632 to Present

Bachelor of Islamic Studies (192)
• 10 core subjects (80)
• 14 elective subjects (112) comprising
- 4 x Arabic electives, chosen from the list below
- 6 x Islamic studies electives, chosen from the list below
- 4 x elective subjects, chosen from the Islamic Studies electives list below OR from another discipline. (Prior approval from Course Director needed)

Core Subjects
ISL100Islamic Worldview and Faith Essentials

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ISL383Islamic History: 632 to Present
ISL399Guided Research

Enrolment Pattern

There is a degree of flexibility in the course structure, suitable to the large number of part time and distance education enrolments. Students are encouraged to complete the Core subjects first as they serve as a foundation to the discipline. Students will structure their progress through the degree according to the requirements in the degree and to availability of subjects in a given session.
Students must ensure that they meet the Exit Point award structure if they choose to exit with their chosen qualification before completion of the Bachelors program.

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