Bachelor of Arts (Honours)

1 Definitions
In these rules—
approved combination means a combination of courses that is approved by the executive dean.

2 Enrolment requirements
2.1 Eligibility
(1) To enrol in the program, a person must—
(a) have both—
(i) completed the program requirements of the BA at the university including at least 16 units (or higher amount set by the executive dean) in courses from part A and part B which form an approved combination for the purposes of admission to honours; and
(ii) gained a GPA of 5 for an approved combination of courses; or
(b) satisfy the executive dean that the person is qualified to undertake the program—
(i) based on the person’s academic records; and
(ii) subject to completion of additional work, if set.
(2) For the purpose of subrule (1)(a)(ii), applicants may be required to meet a higher GPA set by the executive dean to be eligible for admission to specific fields of study.

2.2 Selection
(1) The head of school may limit places depended on supervisor availability.
(2) Once eligibility is established, entry is via a competitive selection process based on GPA.

3 Field of study
A student must undertake the program in an approved field.

4 Program requirements
To complete the program, a student must complete 16 units from the BA(Hons) course list, comprising an approved combination of courses.

5 Class of honours
The class of honours is calculated on the basis of the grade point average of the results obtained by a student in the first attempt at all courses that contribute to the program.

Note see PPL 3.50.12b of the Policy and Procedures Library

6 Special Rules
6.1 Maximum enrolment period
The maximum enrolment period for the BA(Hons) program is—
(a) for students enrolled full-time—two semesters, excluding summer semester; or
(b) for students enrolled part-time—four semesters, excluding summer semester.

7 Transitional
A pre-2014 student may complete the program under the rules in force at the time of enrolment.