## **PROGRAM RULES**



# **Bachelor of Communication (Honours)**

### 1 Definitions

In these rules—

advanced course means a course at level 2 or higher;

*approved combination* means a combination of courses that is approved by the executive dean.

### 2 Enrolment requirements

### 2.1 Eligibility

- (1) To be eligible for admission to the program, a person must—
  - (a) have both—
    - (i) completed the program requirements for the BCommun at the university; and
    - (ii) gained a GPA of 5.5 for an approved combination of courses, comprising—
      - (A) all advanced courses from part A of the BCommun course list; and
      - (B) 6 units of advanced courses from part B of the BCommun course list in the chosen field; 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 into specific fields of study.

### 2.2 Selection

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

### 3 Program requirements

To complete the program, a student must complete 16 units from the BCommun(Hons) course list.

#### 4 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.

### 5 Special rules

### 5.1 Maximum enrolment period

Unless approved by the executive dean, the maximum enrolment period for the BCommun(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.