Bachelor of Counselling

The program is designed to give you the skills to become a professionally accredited counsellor. You will be equipped with a range of counselling knowledge and skills to work ethically with clients who seek help.

Explore counselling theories and skills, positive psychology, communication and relationships, family counselling and crisis intervention, grief and loss and cultural diversity. Choose electives to link with areas that will expand your career options.

Our counselling staff are registered counsellors and qualified clinical supervisors. You will have hands-on experience within the community in two placements approved by the University, working a total of 500 hours. A Blue Card (CCYPBC) is required — refer to Program requirements.

Career opportunities
Counselling individuals, families and groups, mental health, aged services, child protection, disability services and a range of human services.

Accreditation
The Bachelor of Counselling has been accredited by the Australian Counselling Association (ACA), Psychotherapy and Counselling Federation of Australia (PACFA). Following successful completion of the degree you can apply for membership to ACA and or PACFA.

Scholarships
Scholarships can give you money and other financial support to help you while you study. Find out more at usc.edu.au/scholarships.

LOCATIONS
Sunshine Coast
Moreton Bay
Fraser Coast
Gympie

QTAC CODE
011161
From 2021
019171
016161

MINIMUM SELECTION THRESHOLD
OP - 18 / Rank - 64

DURATION
3 years full time or equivalent part time

COMMENCE
Semester 1 or Semester 2

RECOMMENDED PRIOR STUDY
English

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