Course Transfer – Applying for Double Degrees

Getting advice
Double degrees have changed in the 2020 curriculum. For most double degrees, students will study the core zones of the combined two single degrees. This may mean that you have no flexible zone in your new degree. Therefore, it is recommended that you seek academic advice about the impact of your transfer prior to making an application.

Please note that Education degrees can only be combined with certain other degrees, and offer a restricted set of majors to meet accreditation requirements. For more information please review the "Overview" information in the Handbook for the Bachelor of Education (Primary) or Bachelor of Education (Secondary).

Meeting criteria
When applying for a double degree you must meet the entry criteria for any component of the course you are not admitted to. For example, if you are currently studying a Bachelor of Science and you want to transfer to a Bachelor of Marine Science with a Bachelor of Economics you would need to meet the criteria for both courses. If you are studying a Bachelor of Commerce and wish to transfer to a Bachelor of Commerce with Bachelor of Laws, you would just need to meet entry requirements for the Bachelor of Laws.

Not all degree combinations are permitted, the combination you choose will be assessed for eligibility after you submit your application.

Transfer conditions
When you transfer you will be admitted to the new curriculum for the course you are entering. This includes students who are adding a second degree to their current degree. For example, for a Bachelor of Archaeology student who started that course in 2018 requesting to add a Bachelor of Information Technology, both courses would be updated to the 2020 curriculum.

How to make an application
To apply for a double degree, whether you are changing direction completely or adding a second degree to your existing course, you must enter the two degrees that you wish to be studying.

In the “New Course” section of the application form, enter the first degree you wish to take and click the search icon:

You will see two options. To apply for a double degree, you must select the “with ANOTHER COURSE” option.

Then you will be prompted to add your second degree:

Once you have selected both degrees, you will be able to enter your chosen major or specialisation (where required):