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| Year 1 | Semester 1 Units  | СР | Semester 2 Units   | СР |
|--------|---|----|--|----|
|        | <b>ART100 Communication &amp; Persuasion</b> (BGS Core unit)        | 3  | ICT169 Foundations of Data Communications Major)           | 3  |
|        | POL108 Politics, Society and Technology (Major)                     | 3  | CRM100 Introduction to Criminology (Major)                 | 3  |
|        | ICT171 Introduction to Server Environments and Architecture (Major) | 3  | POL208 Security and Technology (Major)                     | 3  |
|        | Elective Unit (Second Major, Co-Major or Minor)                     | 3  | Elective Unit (Second Major, Co-Major or Minor)            | 3  |
|        | Winter Units  | СР | Summer Units   | СР |
|        |   |    |  |    |
|        | Total credit points Yr1 S1  | 12 | Total credit points Yr1 S2                                 | 12 |
| Year 2 | Semester 1 Units  | CP | Semester 2 Units   | СР |
|        | BGS Specified Core Elective Unit (100 or 200-level)                 | 3  | Elective Unit (Second Major, Co-Major or Minor)            | 3  |
|        | Cyberspace, Policy and Security Specified<br>Elective (Major)       | 3  | Elective Unit (Second Major or Co-Major)                   | 3  |
|        | Elective Unit (Second Major, Co-Major or Minor)                     | 3  | Elective Unit (Second Major or Co-Major)                   | 3  |
|        | Discovery Study Unit  | 3  | Elective Unit  | 3  |
|        | Winter Units  | СР | Summer Units   | СР |
|        |   |    |  |    |
|        | Total credit points Yr2 S1  | 12 | Total credit points Yr2 S2                                 | 12 |
| Year 3 | Semester 1 Units  | СР | Semester 2 Units   | СР |
|        | BGS Final Year Core Unit 300-level                                  | 3  | Cyberspace, Policy and Security Specified Elective (Major) | 3  |
|        | Cyberspace, Policy and Security Specified<br>Elective (Major)       | 3  | Elective Unit (Second Major)                               | 3  |
|        | Elective Unit (Second Major)  | 3  | Elective Unit  | 3  |
|        | Elective Unit   | 3  | Elective Unit  | 3  |
|        | Winter Units  | СР | Summer Units   | СР |
|        |   |    |  |    |
|        | Total credit points Yr3 S1  | 12 | Total credit points Yr3 S2                                 | 12 |

## **TOTAL COURSE CREDIT POINTS 72**

## **Course Notes**

Core Units: **ART100** should be taken in the first semester of enrolment. Other 100-level and 200-level Core Units may be taken at any time. 200-level Units require the prior completion of 12cp. A 300-level Core Unit should be completed in your final year of enrolment. For further information, please discuss with your Academic Chair.

The scheduling of listed units in this course plan may be subject to change. Please see the Handbook for scheduling and all requirements of the Cyberspace, Policy and Security Major and Co-Major.

This structure applies to students commencing their studies in 2026.

**Please note:** This course plan is a sample only and must be read in conjunction with the full course structure, unit prerequisites and enrolment options as outlined in the <u>Handbook</u>. Students should note that due to unit prerequisites, commencing study in Semester 2 may extend the duration of the course. This information is correct as at 26/11/25.

