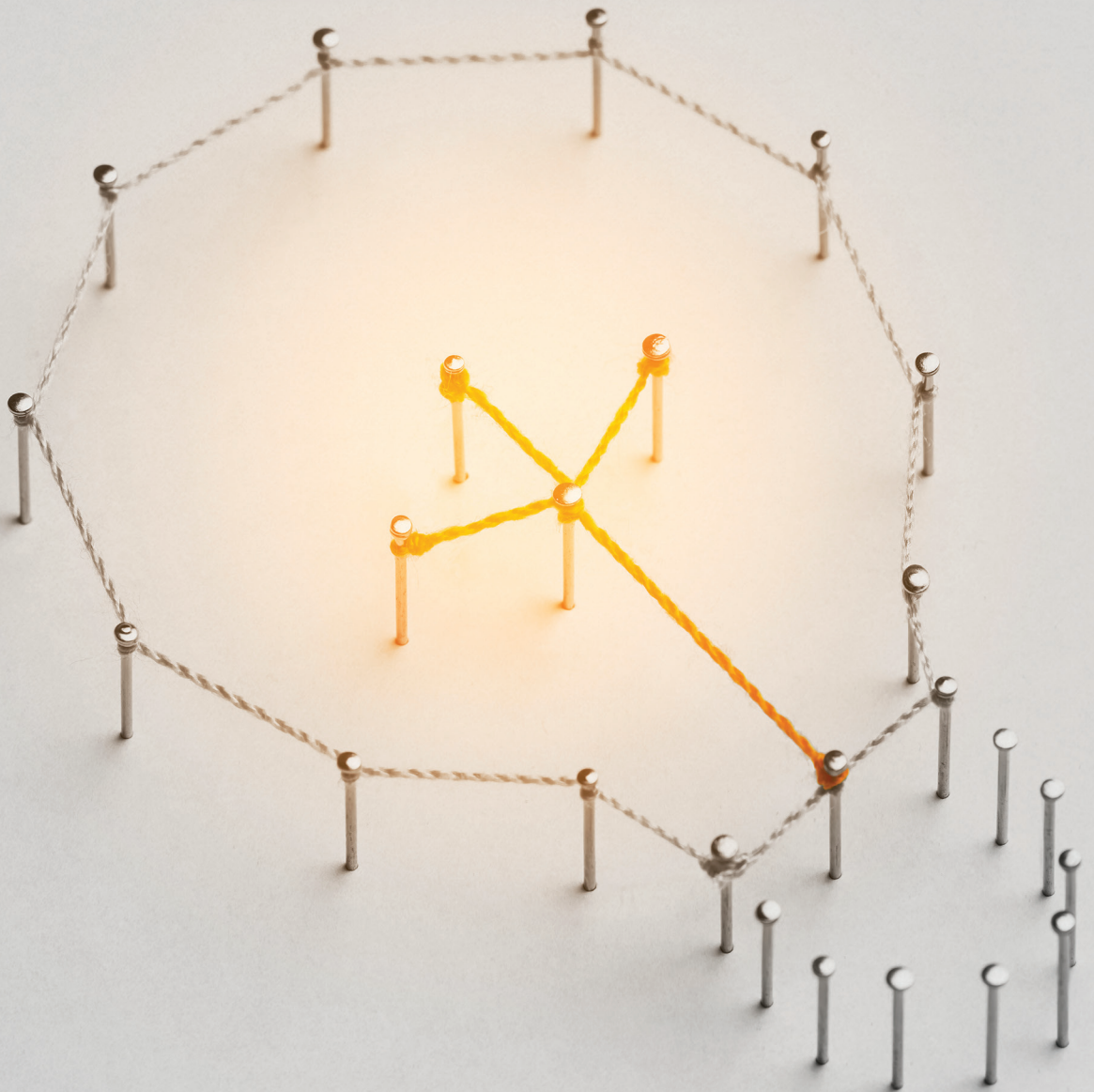




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SCHOOL OF LIBERAL STUDIES





WHAT IS LIBERAL STUDIES?

A Liberal Studies education trains students to think critically, creatively, and compassionately about the world and themselves. The most pressing issues of our time—climate change, artificial intelligence, cybersecurity, social inequality, public health, urban growth, rural development, and challenges to democratic institutions—cannot be addressed by any one discipline alone. That is why a Liberal Studies programme aims to equip students with disciplinary training as well as a rigorous, interdisciplinary foundation that spans the natural sciences, social sciences, arts, and humanities. This emphasis on depth and breadth prepares graduates to think creatively about real-world problems from multiple angles and to communicate their ideas effectively to diverse audiences. Technical skills and disciplinary knowledge are invaluable, but these alone will not prepare students for the material, social, and political realities of life after graduation.

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The School of Liberal Studies (SoLS) at BMU offers a four-year B.A. (Hons) degree with a third-year exit option. In our programme, students are expected to take charge of their own academic path, working with the support of faculty mentors and career counselors to choose a major that makes sense for their professional, personal, and civic goals. Successful applicants will be able to choose from any of the six majors we offer, and they will not be required to declare their major until the middle of their second year. During their first three semesters, they will complete required foundational courses while exploring their intellectual interests through electives. Their second and third years will be devoted to major and minor coursework, while their fourth and final year will focus on individual research, internships, and vocational training. All students, regardless of major, will have the option of pursuing electives through any of BMU's other four schools (Engineering and Technology, Commerce and Economics, Management, and Law).



FACULTY

Faculty at the School of Liberal Studies bring diverse national, international, and interdisciplinary backgrounds to the school. They share an equal commitment to holistic education and the prospects for liberal studies students in a South Asian context. As with the curriculum at the school, our faculty brings valuable disciplinary, interdisciplinary, and professional learning to the programme to weave together a liberal studies programme that is simultaneously deep-rooted, reflective, and pragmatic.



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UNIQUE FOUNDATIONS AND PATHWAYS

At BMU, undergraduates in the Liberal Studies programme choose their major in the middle of their second year. This allows you time to explore your intellectual interests through our unique foundational curriculum, all the while developing professional competencies in effective communication, critical thinking, and creative problem-solving.

FIRST YEAR CURRICULUM:

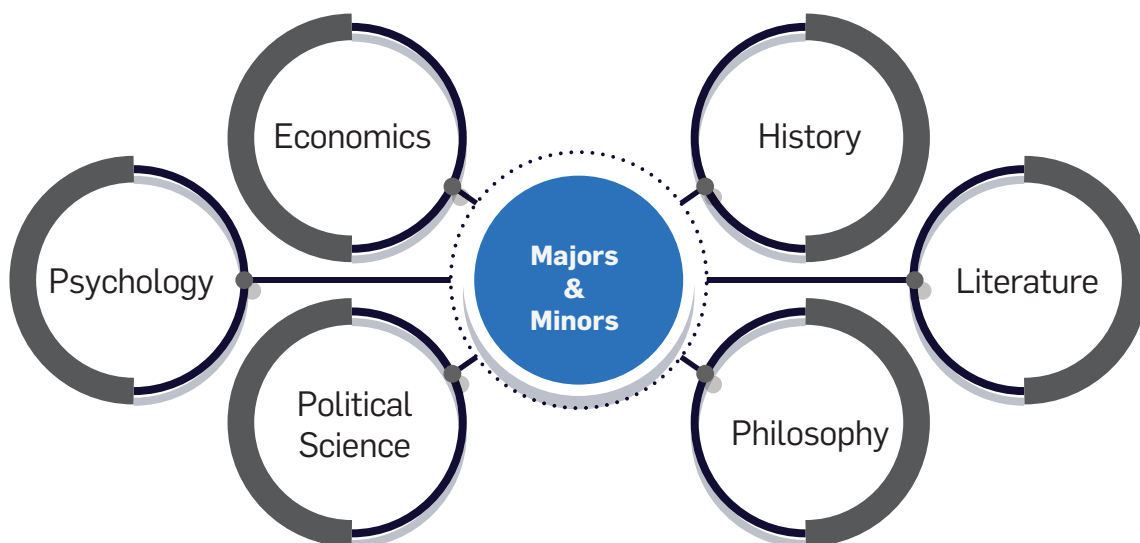
Semester 1

- Writing Seminar
- Reading Critically: Introduction to the Disciplines 1
- Paradigms in the History of Science
- South Asia in Global History
- Art, Aesthetics, and Expression

Semester 2

- Writing Collective
- Reading Critically: Introduction to the Disciplines 2
- Reason and Logic: The Anatomy of Thought
- Self and Identity
- Art, Aesthetics, and Expression
- Environmental Science

During your fourth semester, you will work closely with your faculty mentor to choose a major and up to two minors from the following disciplines**:



Additionally, all Liberal Studies students will be able and encouraged to take elective courses in any of BMU's other Schools: Engineering and Technology, Commerce, Management, and Law.

**Over the next five years, SoLS will be steadily expanding this list of majors and minors.

THE BMU DIFFERENCE

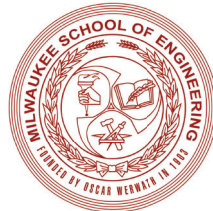
The Liberal Studies programme at BMU seeks to nurture in our students a lifelong love of autonomous learning that will guide them in their personal and professional pursuits. To this end, our programme offers:

- Generous need-based and merit-based scholarships and financial aid.
- A student-centric approach to curricular design and pedagogy.
- A practice-oriented fourth-year that prepares students for either professional placements or further studies.
- An authentic interdisciplinarity not limited to social and natural sciences, but extending to the professional disciplines. Students in our program will be able to take advantage of course offerings from BMU's four professional schools: Management, Law, Engineering and Technology, and Economics and Commerce.
- An excellent faculty from leading universities in India and abroad.



INTERNATIONAL COLLABORATIONS AT BMU

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