

Master of Professional Accounting Extended (MPAE) - MPA Extended

CRICOS code (International applicants): 065019G

Program aims

The Master of Professional Accounting Extended will enable non-accounting university graduates and other approved applicants the opportunity to acquire an accounting quali

International students

This program is offered to international students. An international student is a person who is not an Australian or New Zealand citizen and not an Australian permanent resident. Please refer to [USQ International](#) for information about entry requirements, visa arrangements and how to apply.

Program fees

Domestic full fee paying place

Domestic full fee paying places are funded entirely through the full fees paid by the student. Full fees vary depending on the courses that are taken. You are able to calculate the fees for a particular course via the [Course Fee Finder](#).

Domestic full fee paying students may be eligible to defer their fees through a Government loan called [FEE-HELP](#) provided they meet the residency and citizenship requirements.

Australian citizens, Permanent Humanitarian Visa holders, Permanent Resident visa holders and New Zealand citizens who will be resident outside Australia for the duration of their program pay full tuition fees and are not eligible for [FEE-Help](#).

International full fee paying place

International students pay full fees. Full fees vary depending on the courses that are taken and whether they are studied on-campus, via distance education/online. You are able to calculate the fees for a particular course via the [Course Fee Finder](#).

Program structure

Footnotes

[^] This course is unavailable on-campus at Springfield in 2013.

^{*} These elective courses must be selected from either the [Master of Business](#) or the [Master of Business Administration](#) (with the exception of [ACC5502 Accounting and Financial Management](#)).

Program completion requirements

Students must maintain good standing in this program. Please refer to Section 2 of the [Academic Standing, Progression and Exclusion Policy](#).

Required time limits

Students have a maximum of 6 years to complete this program.

IT requirements

For information technology requirements please refer to the [minimum computing standards](#).

Exit points

A student who chooses not to complete or who does not maintain good standing in this program will be permitted to exit with a lesser qualification as set out below, provided they have met the requirements of that program.

- A student who completes all the requirements for the [Master of Professional Accounting](#) may, upon application, exit with that qualification.
- A student who successfully completes 8 Master of Professional Accounting courses may, upon application, exit with a [Graduate Diploma of Business](#).
- A student who successfully completes any 4 courses for the [Postgraduate Certificate in Business](#) may, upon application, exit with that qualification.

Exemptions

As the Master of Professional Accounting Extended is a graduate conversion program, exemptions approved in the program do not automatically apply to other postgraduate programs offered by the USQ Faculty of Business and Law.

Candidates for the Master of Professional Accounting Extended may be eligible for up to a maximum total of 8 courses of exemptions.

Exemptions may be granted on the basis of equivalent postgraduate or undergraduate study completed at a recognised university.

However, the maximum number of exemptions that will be considered on the basis of undergraduate study is 4 courses.

Recommended enrolment pattern - Toowoomba campus

