Master of Information Systems and Master of Project Management (ends 2014) (MSPM) - MIS and MPM

This program is offered only to continuing students. No new admissions will be accepted. Students who are interested in this study area should consider the Master of Information Systems and Master of Project Management which will be offered from semester 1, 2015.

	External			
Semester intake:	No new admissions			
Fees:	Domestic full fee paying place International full fee paying place			
Standard duration:	2 years full-time, up to 8 years part-time			
Program articulation:	From: Graduate Diploma of Business (ends S3 2014)			

Notes:

There are limited courses available in semester 3.

Contact us

Current students

Ask a question

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Professional accreditation

The Master of Information Systems program is accredited at professional level by the Australian Computer Society.

USQ is registered with the Project Management Institute (PMI)® as a Global Registered Education Provider (R.E.P.). A study of project management at USQ earns professional development units towards certification with PMI including towards the Project Management Professional (PMP)®.

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Program aims

The Master of Information Systems is a vocationally and academically oriented program which allows graduates from programs other than computing to gain skills and knowledge in key areas of computing which relate to their needs and the needs of their profession or industry. It aims to produce graduates who are managers in IT departments. The Master of Project Management aims to produce graduates who have the appropriate skills and knowledge to be capable of managing small, medium and large-sized projects as either a senior team leader, a project manager or project director.

Program objectives

The Master of Information Systems aims to produce graduates who are able to:

- acquire specific knowledge and skills in information technology which are relevant to their disciplines and careers
- understand a broad range of topics in information technology
- design, manage and develop software systems in an effective manner
- lead discussions relating to the computing aspects of their workplace

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

The Master of Information Systems and the Master of Project Management double degree is made up of 16 courses:

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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 that they have met the requirements of that program.

- A student who successfully completes 8 units may, upon application, exit with a Graduate Diploma of Business (ends S3 2014). A student who successfully completes all requirements for the Graduate Certificate of Business (ends S3 2014) may, upon application, exit with that qualification.
- A student who successfully completes 12 courses from the Master of Information Systems may, upon application, exit with a Master of Information Systems (ends 2014).

Credit

Credit may be granted on the basis of equivalent courses undertaken at postgraduate level. A double degree is required to meet the requirements of each degree studied with a maximum of 50% credit for each program studied individually.

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