# Master of Public Relations (MPRL) - MPubRel

This program is offered only to continuing students. No new admissions will be accepted. Students who are interested in this study area should contact us.

	External			
Semester intake:	No new admissions			
Fees:	Domestic full fee paying place International full fee paying place			
Standard duration:	3 semesters full-time, 6 semesters part-time			
Program articulation:	From:			

## Contact us

### **Current students**

Ask a question

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#### Professional accreditation

Accreditation with PRIA is pending.

## **Program aims**

The Master of Public Relations degree aims to prepare students to:

- demonstrate an informed and rational understanding of salient contemporary issues in corporate communication
- pursue a scholarly and informed study, to a publishable standard, of the relevance of corporate communication to aspects of organisational communication including strategic planning, risk management and management behaviour
- employ public relations communication theory to design and implement field research in a range of contemporary issues and problems in all aspects of corporate communication
- select and apply appropriate and professionally sound communication principles into the design and practice of corporate communication
- provide best practices in planning and organisation to corporate public relations.

## **Program objectives**

On successful completion of the Master of Public Relations degree students should be able to:

- display an informed awareness of the central role of the agencies, technical discourses and production processes of corporate communication in societal and political contexts
- apply communication and public relations theory to publishable analyses of organisational communication practices
- make appropriate and ethically justified applications of research methodology to the study and investigation of public relations practices
- initiate, plan and execute campaign and program tasks to a high professional level in a selected area of organisational communication.

- the course passed was taken at least at Masters or equivalent level
- the course was passed within five years prior to the application (courses up to 10 years old may be considered if evidence is provided that the applicant has been employed in that field)
- the course passed is equivalent in objectives, content and weightings to a course prescribed in the Master of Pubrib2e Relnnsaster