# Master of Project Management and Master of Business Administration (ends 2014) (MBAP) - MPM and MBA

CRICOS code (International applicants): 067690D

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 Project Management and Master of Business Administration. which will be offered from semester 1, 2015.

|                       | On-campus   | External  |  |  |
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| Semester intake:      | No new admissions   | No new admissions   |  |  |
| Campus:               | Springfield   | -   |  |  |
| Fees:                 | Domestic full fee paying place<br>International full fee paying place | Domestic full fee paying place<br>International full fee paying place |  |  |
| Standard duration:    | 2 years full-time, up to 8 years part-time                            |   |  |  |
| Program articulation: | From: To: Doctor of Business Administration                           |   |  |  |

#### Notes:

Not all specialisation courses are available on-campus at Springfield.

There are limited courses available in semester 3.

The Master of Project Management component is not offered on-campus at Toowoomba.

#### Contact us

#### **Current students**

Ask a question

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## **Professional accreditation**

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 Project Management and Master of Business Administration (MBAP) encapsulates the aims of each program. The Master of Project Management aims to produce graduates who have 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. The Master of Business Administration is an advanced academic program for graduates from any discipline who have considerable business experience, and who have a recognised potential for advanced managerial responsibility. This program focuses on those areas of modern management that develop judgement, skills and attitudes that are essential to managerial responsibility.

# Program objectives

The Master of Project Management aims to produce graduates who are able to:

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Candidates who have a degree but do not have a minimum of three years' full-time relevant professional work experience will be permitted to enrol in the (Early Career) only. Upon completion and achievement of a minimum GPA of 4.0, they will be eligible for entry into the double-degree program.

All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements.

If students do not meet the English language requirements they may apply to study a University-approved English language program. On successful completion of the English language program, students may be admitted to an award program.

# **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. Students 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. Students are able to calculate the fees for a particular course via the Course Fee Finder.

# **Program structure**

The Master of Project Management and Master of Business Administration double degree is made up of 14 courses:

- 8 Master of Business Administration . core courses
- 3 Master of Project Management (ends 2014) core courses
- the capstone course MGT8002 Strategic Management
- 2 elective courses.

#### Core courses

Students must complete the following core courses:

## Credit

A double degree is required to meet the requirements of each degree studied with a maximum of 50% units of credit for each program studied individually.

This double degree meets the requirements of the eight-unit Master of Project Management (ends 2014) and the 12-unit Master of Business Administration .. The two programs together require the completion of 20 units, including the possibility of up to 10 units of credit with up to four units of credit from the Master of Project Management (ends 2014) and six from the Master of Business Administration .. The structure of this double degree, has been designed to include the cross allocation of six units of credit leaving students the possibility of a further four units of credit.

Credit may be granted on the basis of completed equivalent postgraduate or undergraduate study from a recognised university. In order for credit to be granted, the claim must meet the following specific requirements:

- 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 Business Administration . program, or alternatively, the course is suitable as an elective
- the maximum granted is no greater than six units of credit for the Master of Business Administration.
- the maximum granted is no greater than four units of credit for the Master of Project Management (ends 2014)
- credit approved in this program will not automatically apply to other programs offered by USQ
- the maximum that will be considered on the basis of undergraduate study is four units of credit.

Claims for credit should be submitted prior to or at the time of enrolment in a course. Each claim will be assessed on individual merit in line with USQ policy. Credit approved in this program will not automatically apply to other programs offered by USQ. Please contact the Faculty of Business, Education, Law and Arts for further information.

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