Master of Nursing (MNSG) - MN

Program aims

Clinical Education

The Clinical Education specialisation aims to prepare students to advance knowledge and skills to develop and manage clinical education programs and facilitate professional dev

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.

Requirements for professional experience placements

There are no clinical requirements in this program unless candidates select an approved course that contains a clinical requirement. Courses with a clinical requirement are not available to International students.

Program fees

Commonwealth supported place

A Commonwealth supported place is where the Australian Government makes a contribution towards the cost of a students' higher education and students pay a student contribution amount, which varies depending on the courses undertaken. Students are able to calculate the fees for a particular course via the Course Fee Finder.

Commonwealth Supported students may be eligible to defer their fees through a Government loan called HECS-HELP.

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 program consists of 12 units comprised of:

- Four core courses (HSC8050 Research Methodology for the Human Sciences, HSC8060 Research Project Design, NUR8060 Health Policy Analysis and Review and HEA8001 Contexts of Practice); plus
- Four units from the relevant specialisation; plus
- Four units either from the specialisation or approved courses. Two of these are:

- research project courses for the Research Pathway (HSC8070 Health Masters Project A and HSC8080 Health Masters Project B); or
- courses for the Clinical Pathway (NUR8075 Research Implementation Project and approved specialisation course)

Program completion requirements

To qualify for the award of Master of Nursing, a candidate must complete or be exempted from courses with a total value of twelve units, subject to the following.

Of the units counted to qualify for the award:

(1) at least six units shall be for courses completed at USQ

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(2) Twelve units shall be for postgraduate (Level 5 or 8) courses, to be completed according to the compulsory courses listed for each specialisation and electives approved by the Program Director.

All courses listed under each specialisation must be successfully completed or exempted to successfully graduate with Master of Nursing.

Required time limits

Students have a maximum of 5 years to complete this program.

Clinical Education specialisation

Specialisation Courses	Semester(s) Offer	Mode
HEA8201 Introduction to Clinical Education	1	ONL
HEA8202 Innovative Learning Strategies for Healthcare Environment	2	ONL
NUR8340 The Law and Health Care Practice OR HEA8302 Culture as a Determinant of Health	1,2 ONL 1,2	ONL ONL

Footnotes

This course has a mandatory residential school

Leadership and Management in Health

Footnotes

This course has a mandatory residential school
+ This course will be offered from 2022

Rural and Remote Specialisation

ANP8003 Management in Health Care Practice	1	ONL
ANP8011 Clinical Leadership in Contemporary Health Care Practice	2	ONL
HEA8201 Introduction to Clinical Education	1	ONL
HEA8202 Innovative Learning Strategies for Healthcare Environment	2	ONL
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HEA8201 Introduction to Clinical Education					1	1	Pre-requisite: Students must be enrolled in one of the following Programs: BHEH or MNSG or GCNG or GDNG or PDEV or GCHH or GDHH or MOHH or GCHE and be employed as a practising health professional
HEA8202 Innovative Learning Strategies for Healthcare Environment					1	2	Pre-requisite: Students must be enrolled in one of the following Programs: BHEH or MNSG or GCNG or GDNG or PDEV or GCHH or MNRS or GDHH or MOHH or GCHE Co-requisite: HEA8001
Select one of the two following courses							
NUR8340 The Law and Health Care Practice					2	1,2	Pre-requisite: Students must be enrolled in one of the following Programs: GCNG or GDNG or MNSG or GCHH or GDHH or MOHH or GCHE
HEA8302 Culture as a Determinant of Health					2	1,2	Pre-requisite: Students must be enrolled in one of the following Programs: GCHH or GDHH or MOHH or GCNG or GDNG or MNSG or PDEV or GDPH or MPUH
HSC8050 Research Methodology for the Human Sciences					2	1,2	
HSC8060 Research Project Design					2	1,2	Pre-requisite: Students must be enrolled in one of the following Programs: DPHD or MNRS or MNSG or MOHH Pre-requisite or Co-requisite: HSC8050
Choose two of the following approved courses:							
EDU8114 Online Pedagogy in Practice						1	
EDU8606 Lifelong Career Development						1	
EDU8400 Mentoring and Coaching						1,2	
EDU8721 Professional Learning in Educational Organisations						2	
HSC8070 Health Masters Project A					3	1,2	Pre-requisite: HSC8050 and HSC8060 and Students must be enrolled in one of the following Programs: MOHH or MNSG or MPUH Pre-requisite: MPUH only - PUH8010 and PUH8020 and PUH8030 and PUH8040
NUR8550 Professional Studies 1					3	1,2	
HSC8080 Health Masters Project B					3	1,2	Pre-requisite: HSC8050 and HSC8060 and HSC8070 and Students must be enrolled in one of the following Programs: MOHH or MNSG or MPUH Pre-requisite: MPUH only - PUH8010 and PUH8020 and PUH8030 and PUH8040

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Clinical Education specialisation (clinical) recommended enrolment pattern – Semester 1 entry part time

Students are able to enrol in any offered mode of a course (on-campus, external or online), regardless of the program mode of study they enrolled in.

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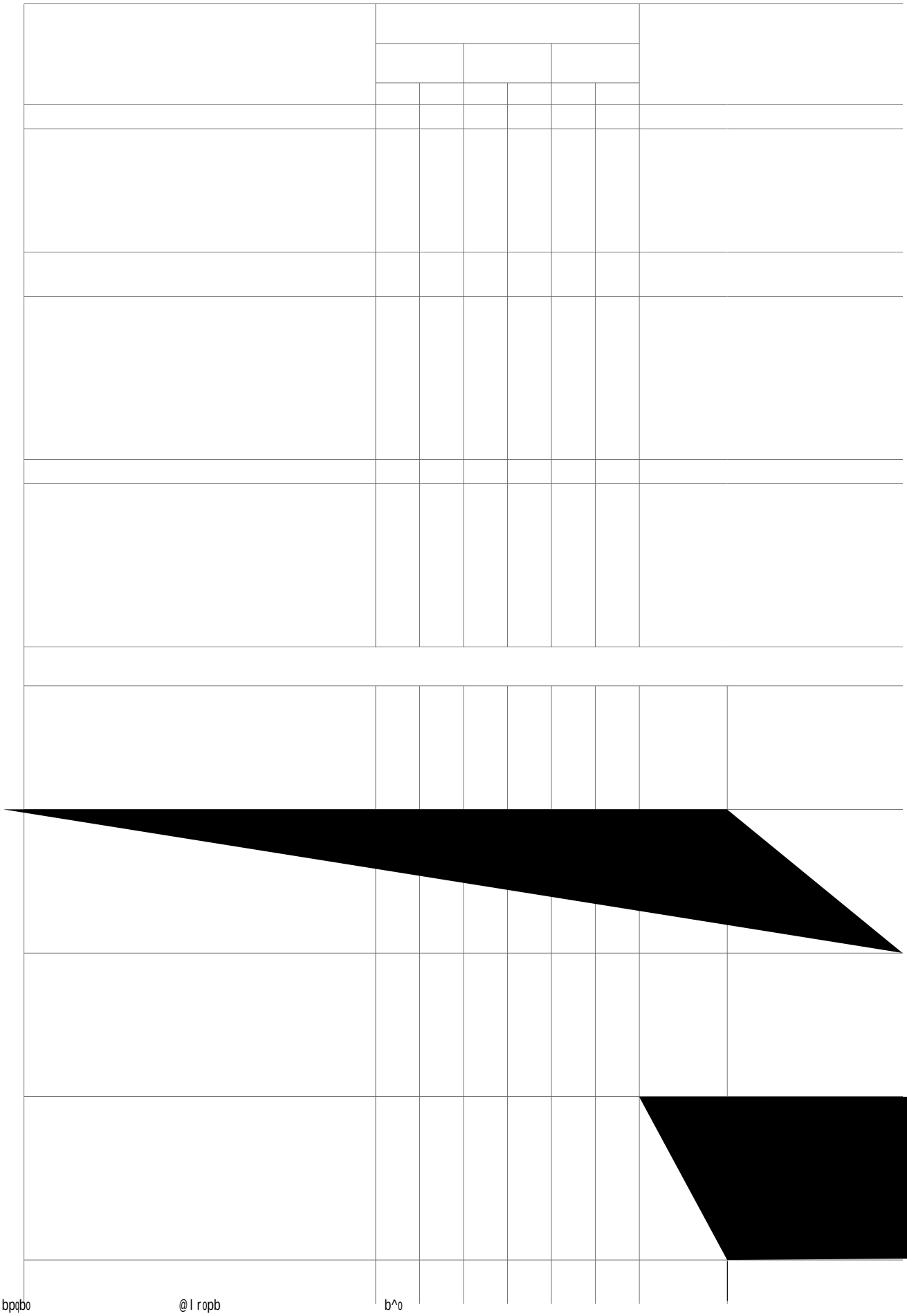

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NUR8060 Health Policy Analysis and Review					1	1,2	Pre-requisite: Students must be enrolled in one of the following Programs: BHEH or MNRS or PDEV or MNSG or GCHH or GDHH or MOHH or GCCO or MCCO or GDCN or GDNG or GCNG or GCHE
ANP8011 Clinical Leadership in Contemporary Health Care Practice					1	2	Pre-requisites: Students must be enrolled in one of the following Programs: BHEH or MNRS or PDEV or MNSG or GDHH or MOHH or GCCO or MCCO or GDCN or GCHH or GDNG or GCNG
Select one of the two following courses							
NUR8340 The Law and Health Care Practice					2	1,2	Pre-requisite: Students must be enrolled in one of the following Programs: GCNG or GDNG or MNSG or GCHH or GDHH or MOHH or GCHE
HEA8302 Culture as a Determinant of Health					2	1,2	Pre-requisite: Students must be enrolled in one of the following Programs: GCHH or GDHH or MOHH or GCNG or GDNG or MNSG or PDEV or GDPH or MPUH
HSC8050 Research Methodology for the Human Sciences					2	1,2	
NUR8550 Professional Studies 1					2	1,2	
HSC8060 Research Project Design					2	1,2	Pre-requisite: Students must be enrolled in one of the following Programs: DPHD or MNRS or MNSG or MOHH Pre-requisite or Co-requisite: HSC8050
Elective from Approved list							
HSC8070 Health Masters Project A					2	1,2	Pre-requisite: HSC8050 and HSC8060 and Students must be enrolled in one of the following Programs: MOHH or MNSG or MPUH Pre-requisite: MPUH only - PUH8010 and PUH8020 and PUH8030 and PUH8040
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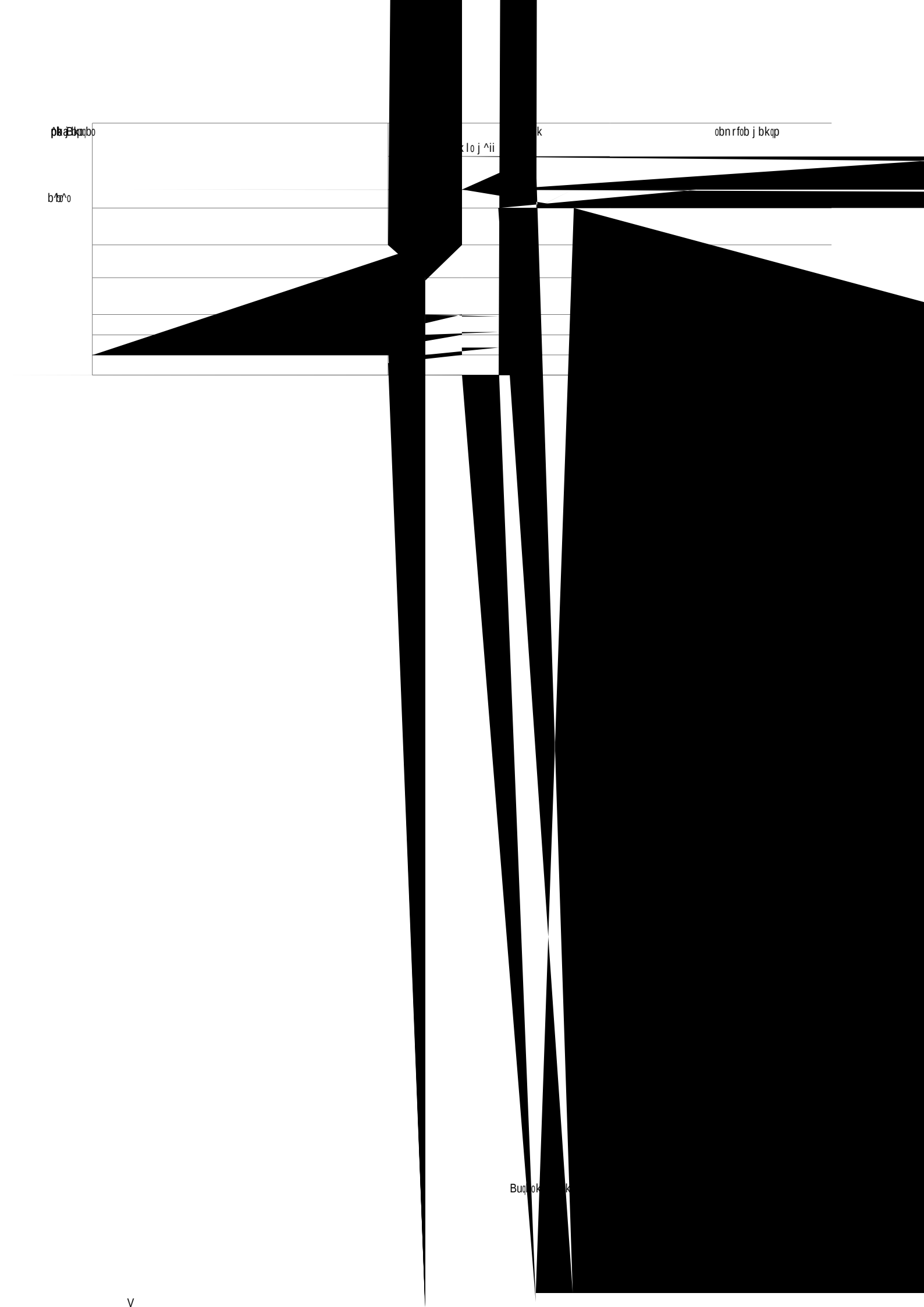

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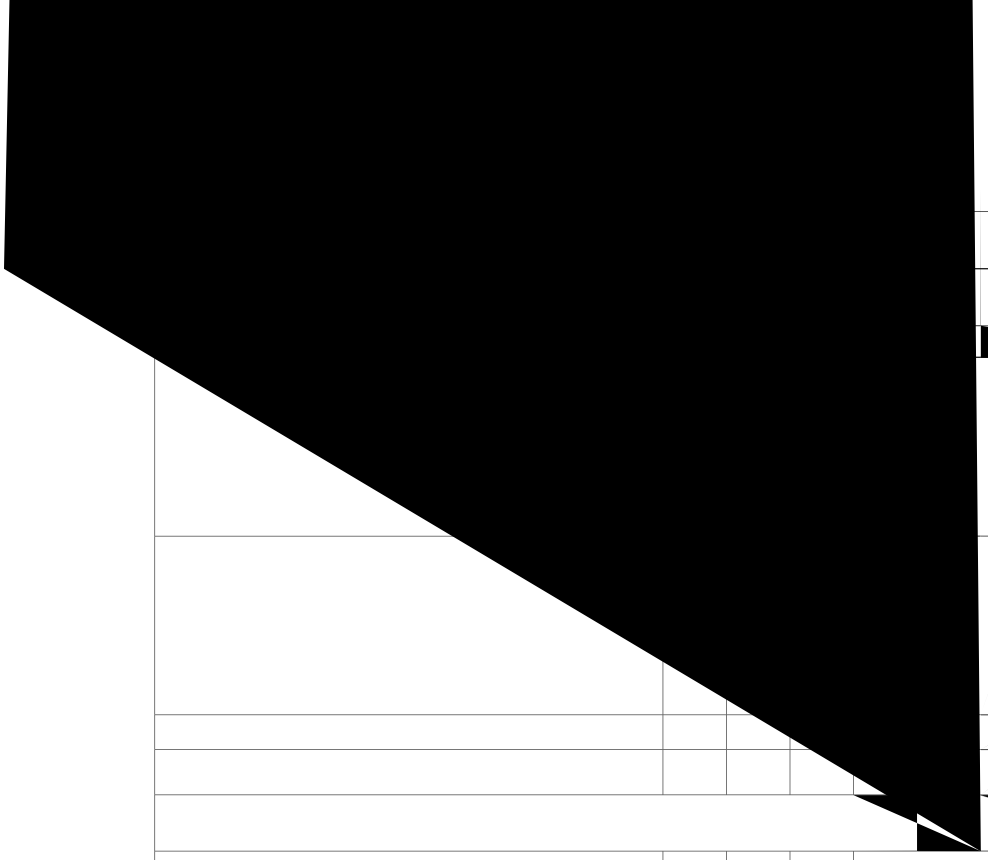
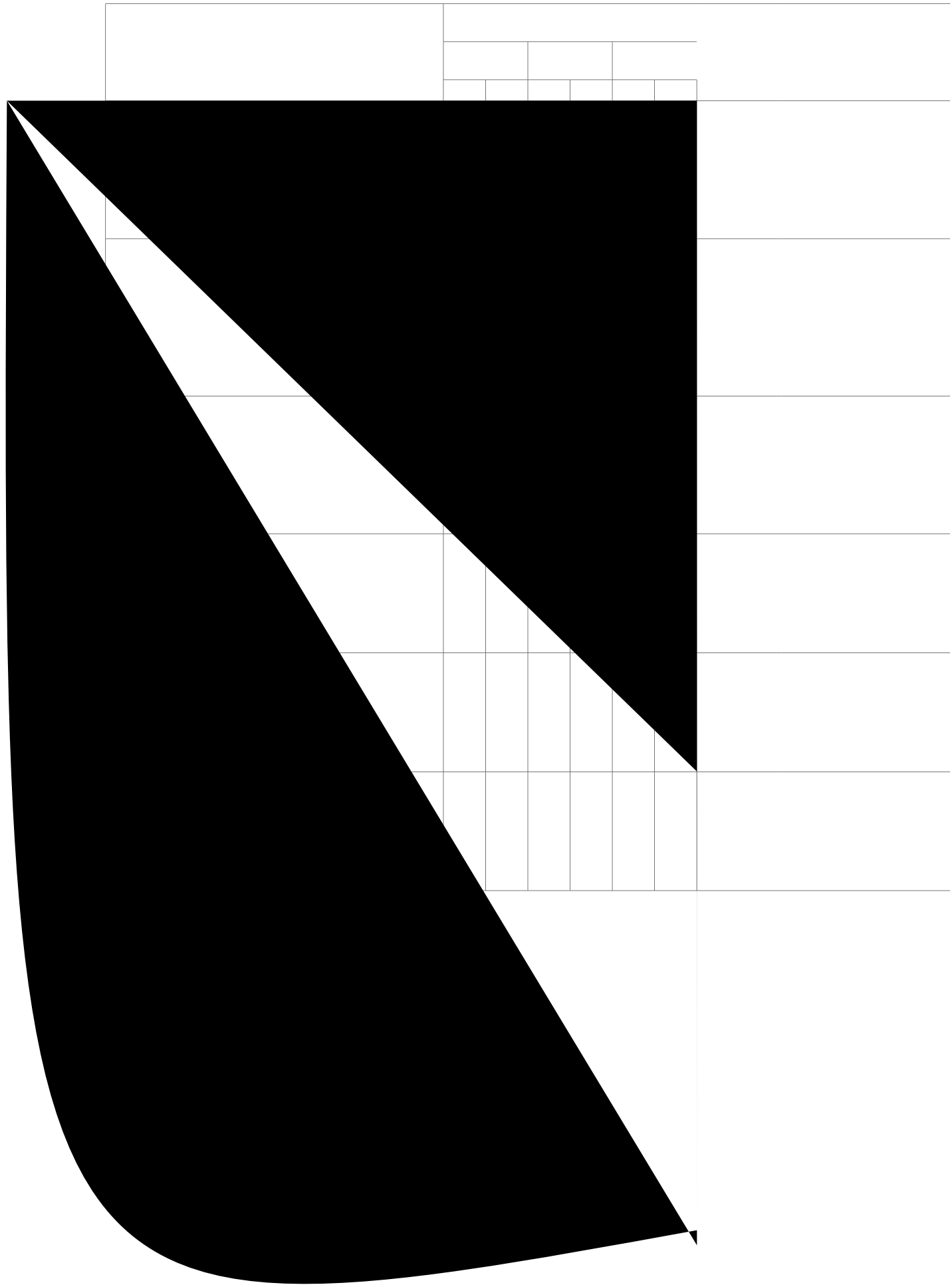
COU8101 Counselling Skills and Applications				1			M	Pre-requisite: Students must be enrolled in one of the fol





Rural and Remote specialisation (Research Pathway) Recommended enrolment Pattern Semester 1 entry part time

Students are able to enrol in any offered mode of a course (on-campus, external or online), regardless of the program mode of study the

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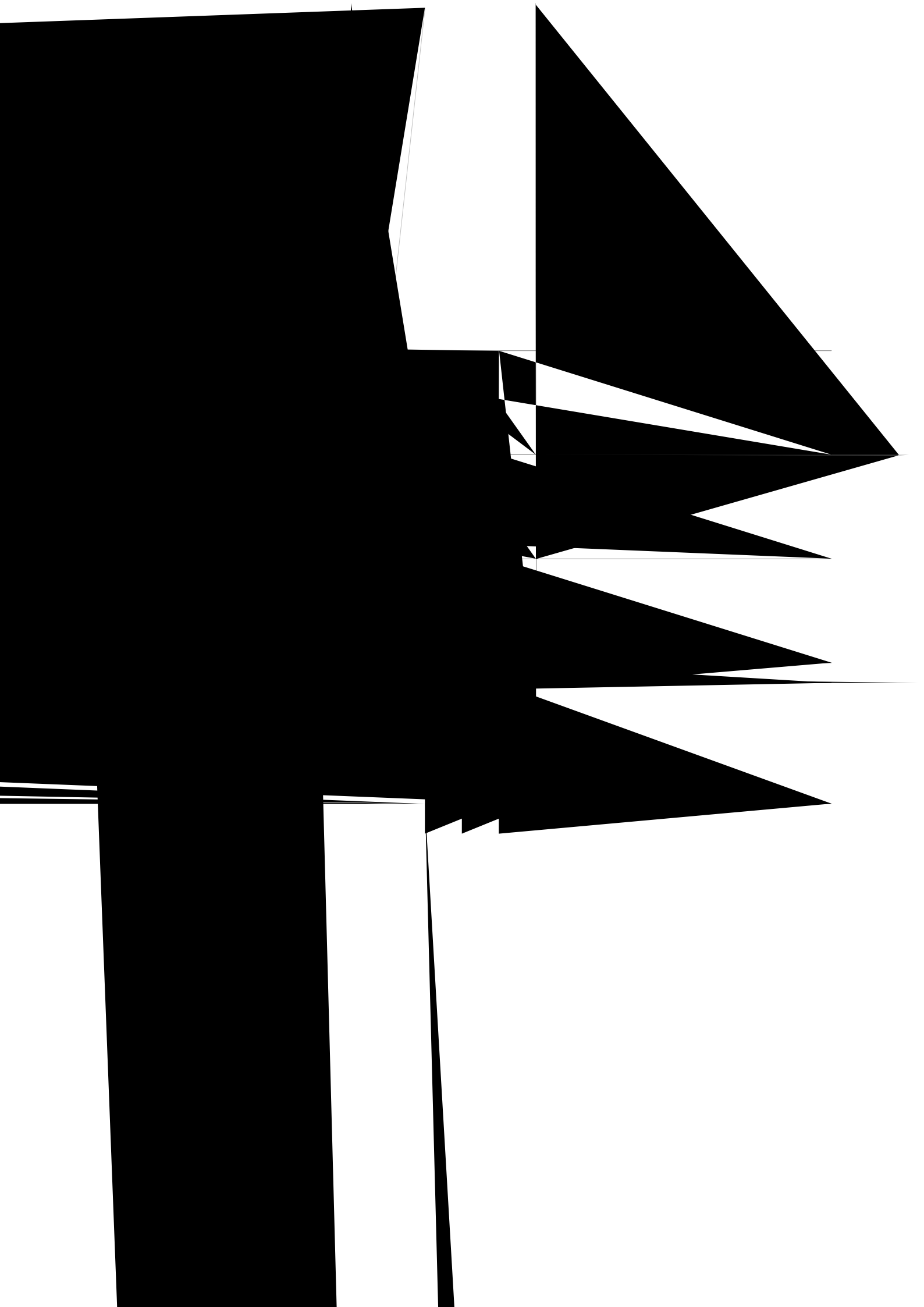

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General specialisation (Clinical) Recommended enrolment Pattern Semester 1 & 2 entry part time

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