Diploma of University Studies (DOUS) - DipUS

QTAC code (Australian and New Zealand applicants): Online: 902999						

skills, so that they are then able to participate successfully in their Australian university discipline activities conducted in English.

Program objectives

On successful completion of the Diploma of University Studies graduates should be able to:

- (1) apply knowledge, skills and competencies in a series of generic first year award-level undergraduate courses
- (2) use foundation knowledge, skills and competencies in an area of specialisation from a first year undergraduate discipline area
- (3) apply enhanced awareness of the nature of award-level study in the Faculty of Business, Education, Law and Arts, or the Faculty of Health, Engineering, and Sciences
- (4) use effective communication and interpersonal skills and an ability to successfully pursue an undergraduate program of study in either the Faculty of Business, Education, Law and Arts, or the Faculty of Health, Engineering, and Sciences.

Australian Qualifications Framework

The Australian Qualifications Framework (AQF) is a single national, comprehensive system of qualifications offered by higher education institutions (including universities), vocational education and training institutions and secondary schools. Each AQF qualification has a set of descriptors which define the type and complexity of knowledge, skills and application of knowledge and skills that a graduate who has been awarded that qualification has attained, and the typical volume of learning associated with that qualification type.

This program is at AQF Qualification Level 05. Graduates at this level will have specialised knowledge and skills for skilled/paraprofessional work and/or further learning.

The full set of levels criteria and qualification type descriptors can be found by visiting www.aqf.edu.au.

Program Information Set

View UniSQ's admission criteria, student profiles and a summary of all offers made under Course Admission Information Set via the QTAC website.

Admission requirements

To be eligible for admission, applicants must satisfy the following requirements:

International applicants must hav

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 Schedules.

Commonwealth Supported students may be eligible to defer their fees through a Gov

Students who want to progress to the specialisations in Construction, Engineering, Spatial Science, or Science need to take DIP1003 Essential Mathematics. All other students need to take DIP1004 Mathematical Literacy.

Students can progress their studies in either part-time or full-time mode. All four core courses can be taken in a single semester for those pursuing full-time studies.

Core courses: International strand

There are four compulsory courses for international students:

- DIP1006 Academic and Professional Writing
- DIP1007 Academic and Professional Speaking and Listening
- DIP1008 Academic and Professional Numerical Literacy B
- DIP1009 Academic and Professional Reading
- DIP1010 Academic and Professional Numerical Literacy A

Students who want to progress to the specialisations in Construction, Engineering, Spatial Science, or Science need to take DIP1008 Academic and Professional Numerical Literacy B. All other students need to take DIP1010 Academic and Professional Numerical Literacy A.

Students can progress their studies in either part-time or full-time mode. It is recommended part-time students take DIP1009 and DIP1007 first, and then DIP1008 or DIP1010 and DIP1006. All four core courses can be taken in a single semester for those pursuing full-time studies.

Indigenous Community Development

After completing the four compulsory courses students must select four courses from the following selection:

- ISE1000 Introduction to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Island Australia
- ISE1001 First Nations Literature and Writings
- ISE1002 Comparative and Contemporary Indigenous Cultures
- ISE1003 Contexts of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Art and Representation
- One elective from the following list of courses, or an alternative elective approved by the Program Co-ordinator:
- CDS1000 Community Welfare and Development
- PSY1030 Cross-Cultural and Indigenous Psychology
- CDS1001 Human Relations and Communications
- CDS2000 Ethical Issues and Human Rights in the Human Services
- HIS1001 Australian Colonies to Federation, 1788-1901
- HMT1000 A History of Ideas
- ANT1001 Cultural Diversity: an Introduction to Anthropology

Students who successfully complete the Diploma of University Studies (Indigenous Community Development) are able to articulate into the Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Social Science or the Bachelor of General Studies. The number of units of credit towards these undergraduate programs will depend on the major and courses studied with a maximum of eight credits being available.

Business and Commerce

After completing the four compulsory courses students can select four Business and Commerce courses from the following selection:

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• MKT1001 Introduction to Marketing

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Construction

After completing the four compulsory courses students can select four courses from the following selection:

- CMG1001 Introduction to Construction Management and the Built Environment
- CMG1002 Residential Construction: Methods, Materials and Management
- ENG1002 Introduction to Engineering and Built Environment Applications
- ENG1100 Introduction to Engineering Design
- ENG1003 Problem Solving in Engineering and the Built Environment
- ENM1500 Introductory Engineering Mathematics

Students who successfully complete the Diploma of University Studies (Construction) are able to articulate into the Associate Degree of Engineering, Associate Degree of Construction or the Associate Degree of Spatial Science. The number of units of credit towards these undergraduate programs will depend on the major and courses studied with a maximum of eight credits being available.

Creative Arts

After completing the four compulsory courses students can select four courses from the following:

- VIS1101 Perspectives in Visual Arts: Movements, Moments and Events
- VIS1302 Innovation in Art, Architecture, New Media and Design
- THT1001 Making Theatre History 1: Classic Plays in Context
- THT1002 Making Theatre History 2
- MUI1013 Decoding Music
- MUI1010 Guitar Skills
- FSP1004 Graphic Design and Digital Art Practice OR
- DIT1001 Aesthetics for Interactive Systems
- FSP2004 Scriptwriting

Students who successfully complete the Diploma of University Studies (Creative Arts) are able to articulate into the (Film, Television and Radio only) Theatre, Music and Visual Arts requires an audition and/or interview for entry or the Bachelor of Arts. The number of units of credit towards these undergraduate programs will depend on the major and courses studied with a maximum of eight credits being available.

Engineering

After completing the four compulsory courses students can select four courses from the following selection:

- ENG1002 Introduction to Engineering and Built Environment Applications
- ENG1100 Introduction to Engineering Design
- ENG1003 Problem Solving in Engineering and the Built Environment
- ENM1500 Introductory Engineering Mathematics
- CIV1500 Applied Mechanics
- ELE1301 Computer Engineering
- ELE1502 Electronic Circuits
- MEC1201 Engineering Materials

Students who successfully complete the Diploma of University Studies (Engineering) are able to articulate into the Associate Degree of Engineering or the Associate Degree of Spatial Science. The number of units of

credit towards these undergraduate programs will depend on the major and courses studied with a maximum of eight credits being available.

Science

- ENG1003 Problem Solving in Engineering and the Built Environment
- ENM1500 Introductory Engineering Mathematics
- GIS1401 Geographic Data Presentation
- GIS1402 Geographic Information Systems
- SVY1102 Surveying A
- SVY1110 Introduction to Global Positioning System
- URP1001 Introduction to Urban and Regional Planning

Students who successfully complete the Diploma of University Studies (Spatial Science) are able to articulate into the Associate Degree of Engineering or the Associate Degree of Spatial Science. The number of units of credit towards these undergraduate programs will depend on the major and courses studied with a maximum of eight credits being available.

IT requirements

Students must have reliable and ready access to email and the Internet. For information technology requirements, please see the minimum computing standards.

Enrolment

Recommended enrolment pattern - Domestic students

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.

Students undertaking the Diploma of University Studies must complete the four compulsory courses first.

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