Program aims

The Master of Project Management enables graduates to apply an advanced body of knowledge in project management in a range of contexts for scholarship, a pathway for further learning, or professional practice to manage small, medium and large-sized projects as a senior team leader, a project manager or project director.

Program objectives

Upon completion of the Master of Project Management, graduates will be able to:

- demonstrate mastery of theoretical knowledge and to reflect critically on theory, professional practice and scholarship in project management
- investigate, analyse, synthesise and apply complex information, problems, concepts and theories to a project management body of knowledge or practice
- demonstrate technical, communication and research skills to interpret and justify theoretical propositions, methodologies, conclusions and professional decisions to specialist and non-specialist audiences
- demonstrate the application of knowledge and skills with creativity and initiative to new situations in professional practice and/or for further learning, with high level personal autonomy and accountability
- plan and execute a substantial research-based project, capstone experience and/or piece of scholarship.

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 09. Graduates at this level will have specialised knowledge and skills for research, and/or professional practice and/or further learning.

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

Admission requirements

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

- English language proficiency requirements for Category 3 (see English language requirements).
- Completed an AQF level 7 (or higher) qualification (a recognised Australian Bachelor degree is commonly an AQF 7 qualification).
- More than two years' experience working in a business environment.

For candidates who do not meet the AQF level 7 entry requirement, UniSQ's Graduate Certificate of Business provides an alternative articulation pathway into the Master of Project Management.

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 Schedule

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, external or online. Students are able to calculate the fees for a particular course via the Course Fee Schedules.

Program structure

The Master of Project Management consists of 12 courses, each of one unit, and has the following structure:

- core (8 units) 4 foundation core courses of one unit, three advanced core courses of one unit each, and one advanced capstone course of one unit, plus
- a named (coursework or research) specialisation of four courses or a general specialisation of four courses.

When choosing a study plan, it is recommended that students complete the foundation core courses wherever possible prior to enrolling in the advanced core courses.

The specialisation of four courses may take the form of one of the following:

- a named coursework specialisation offered as part of this program:
 - Emergency and Disaster Communication
 - Project Leadership
- a named research specialisation offered as part of this program:
 - Research[^]
 - ^ This specialisation will not have the name shown on a testamur.
- a general specialisation *^ selected from a range of courses from across the university which support the learning outcomes of the program as indicated in the program aims
- a named specialisation from the Master of Business (ends 2022) comprising four named courses:
 - Applied Human Resource Management
 - Digital Transformation
 - Enterprise Leadership
 - Finance
 - Strategic Human Resource Management
- a named specialisation from other programs offered by UniSQ* which support the learning outcomes of the program as indicated in the program aims.

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Course	Semester of offer Online	Semester of offer Toowoomba campus	Semester of offer Springfield campus
Foundation core courses:		<u> </u>	
MGT8022 Project-Based ManagementOnline	2, 3		2

Recommended enrolment pattern for full-time study

Students should consider when electives are offered and adjust their enrolment pattern accordingly.

