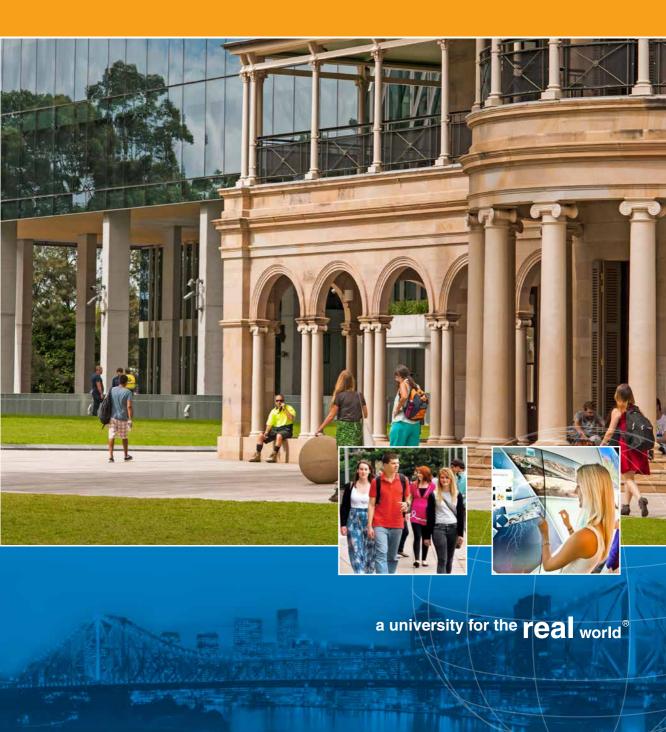


# Postgraduate courses 2014

English Language programs | Pathway courses | Building and planning | Business | Creative, design and performance Education | Engineering | Health and community | Information technology | Law and justice | Science and mathematics



### Welcome

In choosing QUT you will be joining a university community recognised for excellence in teaching, practical experience and dedicated career support.

Our academic staff maintain close connections with the corporate sector to enhance our students' learning and ensure you graduate with the latest knowledge and professional skills. We provide free career planning, work placement opportunities and have the largest Career Mentor Scheme of all Australian universities. These services ensure we deliver on our 'real-world' promise.

Your QUT experience will not be limited to the classroom. From arrival through to graduation you can rely on the friendly, professional support offered by our International Student Services (ISS) team.

QUT has outstanding facilities, from state-of-the-art lecture theatres and 24-hour computer labs, to modern student lounges and studios. Our latest development, the A\$230 million Science and Engineering Centre at our Gardens Point campus, has transformed teaching and research in the areas of science, technology, engineering and mathematics.

The centre is one of Brisbane's highest rated 'green' buildings and has enhanced the sense of community on campus with the addition of the retail and café precinct.

With two major campuses in the heart of Brisbane city, QUT offers the ideal environment for your study.

We look forward to welcoming you soon to QUT and Brisbane.

PROFESSOR PETER COALDRAKE AO

Vice-Chancellor, QUT



Highest rating in Queensland universities for 'getting a job'

\*Good Universities Guide 2012

Two inner-city Brisbane campuses with free shuttle bus transport between the campuses

Exceptional learning and research facilities with a half billion dollar investment in facilities over the past six years

# What QUT offers you

Opportunity to study on exchange at one of our 150 partners in 35 countries as part of your degree More than 650 undergraduate and postgraduate study options in a variety of study areas

Expert lecturers who are leaders in their profession and connected to industry



# Career and employment service

QUT provides employment assistance and free advice on career planning, and is the only university in Australia with an international career counsellor who works exclusively with international students and employers.

- · Career counselling
- · Resumé and job application assistance
- Access to CareerHub containing job listings, presentations, workshops and job-seeking help
- International Work Placement Scheme (vacation internships in home countries)
- Access to Going Global www.goingglobal.com with more than 35 000 country-specific career and employment resources









# Ellen Gibson International career counsellor

As a career adviser I help international students in their career development and the job-seeking process in Australia and students' home countries. Staff in our team travel to many countries to set up employment networks with major companies so that students have exciting opportunities and are supported when they return home.

# Real experience and mentoring

### QUT can help build your expertise through work experience, internships and the largest career mentor scheme of all Australian universities.

Linking with a mentor can prepare you for your career, increase your employment opportunities and help you develop a professional network.

Students who return home during the vacation period can also take advantage of the International Work Placement Scheme (IWPS) which runs throughout the university summer vacation, from mid November to mid February each year. Gain work experience with major international companies to get a head start in your career.

For more information visit www.careers.qut.edu.au







### **Hasitha Samaratunga**

# **Bachelor of Business/Bachelor of Information Technology**

QUT's Career Mentor Scheme gave me insight into the IT industry, a better understanding of what my employment options are, and how to approach them with confidence. I met with the QUT career counsellor to talk about my professional interests and was matched with Mr Nev Schefe, a Program Director in the Queensland government. We met once a week over a semester and talked about all the different specialisations within the industry and how I can identify my strengths in a particular area. One of the most important things I gained was a clear picture of what employers are looking for. I am now even more motivated in my academic work because I know what to focus on to give myself the edge in my career.

### Real research

# Whether you are beginning your research studies or continuing at a higher level, QUT offers a supportive research community and world-class facilities in which to undertake your research.

Our key ambition in research and innovation is to undertake high-impact research in targeted areas to secure significant public, commercial and practical benefits for the community and for our partners.

QUT recognises that innovative solutions are created by interdisciplinary teams that bring multiple perspectives to a problem.

# **Excellence in Research for Australia ratings**

QUT has performed strongly in the Australian Federal Government's 2012 Excellence in Research for Australia (ERA) assessment round, with 95 per cent of the university's research areas at the broad discipline level ranked world standard and above.

### Top-performing research areas include:

- · Materials Engineering
- · Communication and Media
- · Mathematics
- · Environmental sciences
- · Education
- · Law and Legal studies



### International research partnerships

Research is by its very nature global and today's challenges require input from multi-disciplinary teams within Australia and beyond. One of our key ambitions is to expand internationalisation of research including engagement with global research centres and in countries such as China, India and other emerging Asian economies.



Solar-powered nano-sensors
QUT is working with research partners
in Australia and Italy to create a new
class of solar-powered nano-sensors
capable of detecting pollution and
monitoring the environment in remote
areas. The technology has the potential
to revolutionise current farming and
environmental management techniques.



· Bananas for East Africa

After successfully adding Vitamin A to the East African Highland banana, Professor James Dale, director of QUT's Centre for Tropical Crops and Biocommodities, is working to add iron to the species of cooking banana that is the staple food of Ugandans. This large project is part of the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation's Grand Challenges in Global Health Program and has received close to A\$10 million in funding from the foundation.

## Applying research to help solve world problems

QUT prides itself as a selectively research-intensive university motivated to help solve the world's challenges and deliver research outcomes in partnership with end users.

QUT conducts research across a number of multi-disciplinary institutes and centres of excellence. QUT's flagship institutes are:

- Institute of Health and Biomedical Innovation (IHBI)—a collaborative institute dedicated to innovative health research
- Institute of Future Environments (IFE)—studies how our natural, built and virtual environments interact, change and converge, to find ways to make them more sustainable, secure and resilient

Research highlights from some of our centres of excellence are:

- QUT's International Laboratory for Air Quality and Health (ILAQH)—a World Health Organisation (WHO) Collaborating Centre on the global burden of disease due to air pollution. The ILAQH is the only research facility in Australia specialising in environmental aerosol science with an emphasis on fine and ultra-fine particles.
- We host a leading Australian group in research funding for building energy use and energy efficiency, and have received more than \$11 million in energy-specific research funding in the past three years.

### **Research support and facilities**

QUT's Research Students Centre assists postgraduate researchers in all research matters.

### Services include:

- help with research degree enrolment, candidature and thesis examination
- scholarship and grant advice and support to assist with tuition fees, living costs, conference and travel expenses, and publication write-up
- skill development programs including online and face-toface activities such as Teaching @ University, Maximising Your Career and Project Management
- access to group studio spaces and open offices for individual learning.

### **Research commercialisation**

If your research idea has commercial possibility, our qutbluebox company can help bring the benefits of your research discoveries to the global market. Bluebox works with QUT researchers to guide them through the commercialisation process by identifying and protecting intellectual property, and helping to develop commercial relationships. QUT innovations can attract financial support from a wide range of investors which may include QUT, qutbluebox through proof of concept investment, industry and private investors, and the federal and state governments.



### **Facilities investment**

Construction has commenced on QUT Creative Industries Precinct Stage Two which is due for completion in 2015. The precinct will be a state-of-the-art \$80 million facility for teaching and research in the visual and performing arts. The facility will combine a new six-storey structure with repurposed heritage buildings to enrich the precinct with a sense of history.

It will be a destination for events and exhibitions open to the public. It will inspire learning in and through the art forms, teaching excellence and cross-disciplinary experimentation, and will further help position the university as one of Australia's leading creative industries teaching and research institutions.

Features of the precinct will include:

- specialist teaching and performance venues for dance, drama and music
- · sound-recording studios
- · visual art and design studios
- · five star 'green' building rating



# **Gardens Point** campus

# The Gardens Point campus is located next to the Brisbane River and the Botanic Gardens in Brisbane's central business district.

Public transport, accommodation, shopping and dining options are all within walking distance.

The Gardens Point campus is also the site of the new \$230 million Science and Engineering Centre, creating a world-leading model for teaching and research in science, technology, engineering and mathematics. The development also includes food and retail spaces, and a swimming pool and gym.

Old Government House, recognised as one of Queensland's most important heritage sites, is located at Gardens Point campus, along with a theatre and art museum. Pedestrian and cycle bridges link the campus to South Bank Parklands, Queensland Museum, the Performing Arts Complex, State Library of Queensland and the Gallery of Modern Art.

#### Facilities and services at Gardens Point include:

- · library
- 24-hour computer labs
- · wireless internet zones
- · a cafeteria and cafés
- the Student Guild bar
- · student counselling
- · health services
- · childcare
- · fitness and aquatic centre.

### Study areas offered at Gardens Point are:

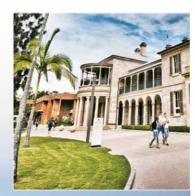
- business
- · building and planning
- information technology
- languages
- · law and justice
- · science and technology
- · design.

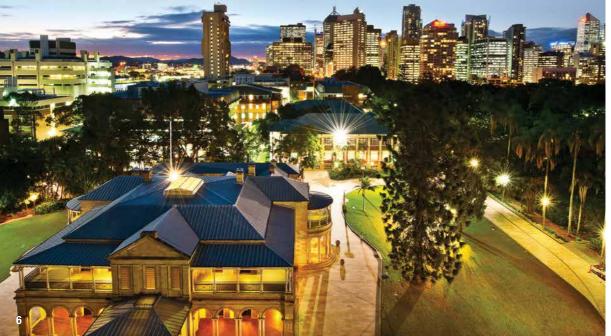
A free shuttle bus for QUT students and staff connects Gardens Point and Kelvin Grove campuses.











# Kelvin Grove campus

# The Kelvin Grove campus is an award-winning urban development, located only two kilometres north of the Brisbane city centre.

The campus is part of the Kelvin Grove Urban Village which includes student apartment complexes, a supermarket, shops and restaurants.

Kelvin Grove also features the innovative Creative Industries Precinct, the Institute of Health and Biomedical Innovation (IHBI) and the QUT International College.

#### Facilities and services include:

- library
- · 24-hour computer labs
- · wireless internet zones
- · a cafeteria, shopping and dining
- · student counselling
- · health services
- · fitness and aquatic centre
- · child care
- · optometry, podiatry, and wound healing clinics
- dance, drama, music and visual arts studios and theatres
- · the Student Guild bar.

### Study areas offered at Kelvin Grove are:

- · education
- English language
- health
- · creative design and performance.



# Discover Brisbane and Australia

QUT is located in Brisbane, the capital of Queensland. Brisbane is renowned for its relaxed, outdoor lifestyle and offers a wide range of activities including sports, arts and entertainment, shopping, dining and great nightlife.

### A gateway to Queensland

Queensland is a state of many contrasts – from tropical coasts and green rainforests to desert and sand country.

It is home to many tourist destinations including the Great Barrier Reef, Cairns, the Gold Coast, the Whitsundays and the Sunshine Coast. All of these amazing locations are easily accessible from Brisbane.

Sydney and Melbourne are one hour and two hours away respectively by air.

### Working while studying in Australia

The current student visa entitles students to limited working hours a week during semester and full time during vacations.

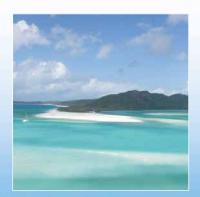
It is best to budget so you don't rely on part-time work to cover your expenses while studying. International Student Services can assist you with information and advice on finding part-time work. Visit www.student.qut.edu.au/international

### **Living in Brisbane**

Brisbane offers a wide range of accommodation options, including:

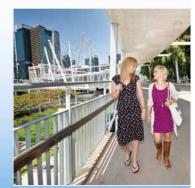
- · homestay with an Australian family
- shared living
- · independent living
- · limited on-campus accommodation.

Our campuses are close to major transport networks as well as business and entertainment, and opportunities for potential part-time work. Find out more about living in Brisbane at www.student.qut.edu.au/studying/student-life











### **Cost of living**

Brisbane is an affordable city but you still need to plan and budget carefully to make sure you have enough money for your living expenses.

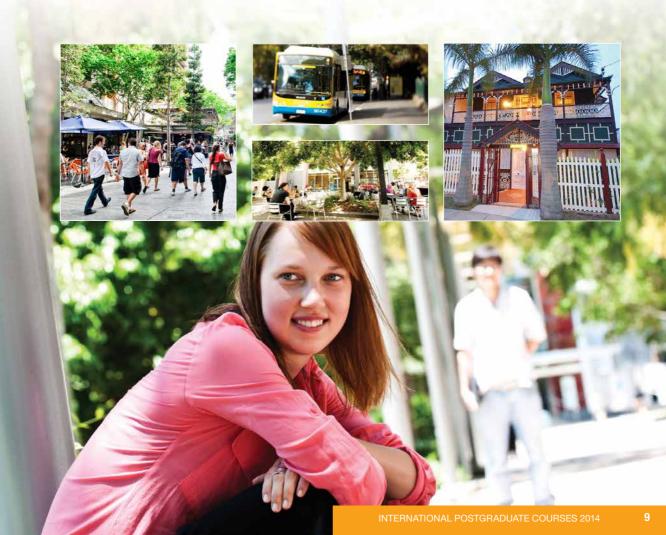
You will typically need approximately \$18000 a year (not including your tuition fees) to pay for accommodation, food, study materials, transport, entertainment and personal expenses.

Establishment costs for your first week					
Temporary accommodation					
Bond and rent for permanent					
accommodation \$1700					
Connection to telephone, electricity and	to				
gas, internet plan	\$2000				
Basic furniture and homewares					
Food and transport					

Ongoing weekly expenses	
Rent	
Food	
Transport	\$350 to
Electricity, internet and telephone bills	\$400
Photocopying and stationery	
Entertainment	

All prices are to be used as a guide only and are accurate as at March 2013.

For more information on living costs, visit www.student.qut.edu.au/studying/student-life/life-in-brisbane/cost-of-living



# **Student** support

At QUT we provide services that will support you in every aspect of your life as a university student.

### **Pre-departure briefings**

QUT holds pre-departure briefings in many cities. These are a great opportunity for you and your parents to meet a current QUT student from your home country and learn more about living in Brisbane and studying at QUT. Details of pre-departure briefings are available before each semester starts. Visit www.student.qut.edu.au/international/getting-started

### Free airport reception service

We offer a free airport reception service for new students, making it easy to get from the airport to your accommodation. Book this online at www.student.qut.edu.au/international/airport-reception

### **Accommodation service**

QUT's accommodation service helps you to arrange temporary accommodation before you arrive, and permanent accommodation that suits your needs. Our staff can:

- help choose the best type of accommodation and location for you
- · assist with renting information and forms
- put you in touch with other students looking for similar accommodation.

Visit www.student.qut.edu.au/international/accommodation-and-homestay

### **Orientation**

Orientation is the formal start of the academic year at QUT and it is compulsory to attend. Orientation will help you find your way around campus, organise your study and meet fellow students. You can also take part in the fun events like barbeques, concerts and competitions. Find out more and plan your program online at www.qut.edu.au/orientation



### Language and learning

QUT language and learning advisers can help you to improve your English and develop your study skills, including:

- · assignment help
- · study tips
- · learning skills
- · language development workshops
- · writing advice.

You can set up an individual appointment with an adviser, or attend one of the regular, free workshops on topics including academic writing, communication skills and time management. Visit www.student.qut.edu.au/studying/learning-support

### Student clubs

Meet other students by joining one of QUT's student clubs. There are more than 50 to choose from, including:

- · sporting
- international
- · political
- · professional interest
- · cultural and religious.

The East West program also offers fun activities, including:

- weekend trips
- · cultural celebrations
- · weekly café lunches
- · soccer matches
- · language exchange program
- · buddy schemes for academic and social support.

There is a club for everyone, or you can always start your own. See www.student.qut.edu.au/studying/student-life

### **Support for students under 18**

If you are under 18 years of age you need to have a parent or guardian in Australia and provide evidence of this. QUT has procedures in place if you do not have a guardian. They also arrange suitable accommodation for young students in QUT Homestay.

### Counselling

A free, professional counselling service is available to help you deal with personal issues such as stress, relationships and financial matters. They also provide advice and information about courses, careers and university procedures. You can talk to a counsellor in person, on the phone or by email. All sessions are private and confidential.

### **Religious facilities and support**

The university caters for the emotional and spiritual needs of students through the provision of chaplaincy services.

The chaplains are available on both campuses to help people of all faiths with personal needs, pastoral care and the services of the church. All religious groups are welcome to use the chaplaincy meeting room for quiet prayer or meetings. Muslim prayer rooms are located at both campuses and Jummaa, or community prayers, are held each Friday at Kelvin Grove.

Contacts for Bahai, Buddhist, Christian, Catholic, Jewish, Latter Day Saints and Muslim groups on campus are also available from the chaplaincy centre.

### **Security**

QUT has 24-hour security on both campuses, ensuring a safe and secure study environment. This includes night security escort services to car parks and nearby public transport.

For more information about any student support services, visit www.student.qut.edu.au/international



### **Facilities**

### **Science and Engineering Centre**

QUT has developed a new \$230 million Science and Engineering Centre and Community Hub on its Gardens Point campus.



The aim of the precinct is to create a world-leading centre for the development of science, technology, engineering and mathematics to research and develop solutions for climate change, global sustainability and Australia's emerging green workforce needs.

Features of the centre include:

- · stimulating work spaces for high-impact research
- a multi-screen visualisation and simulation facility to interact with researchers, assist teaching and connect with the wider community
- · exciting food and retail spaces
- a 50-metre swimming pool and 1000 square metre gymnasium.

The centre will become one of the highest rated 'green' buildings in the Brisbane central business district, Visit www.qut.edu.au/sci-eng-centre

### Library

QUT has a library on each campus, plus a specialist law library at Gardens Point. During semester the libraries are open seven days a week.



Each library has space designated for individual or group study. Copying and printing services are also available. All libraries have wireless laptop access.

Library staff can help you to find useful resources by phone, email, online chat and in person through our Ask-a-librarian service. Visit www.library.qut.edu.au

### Study areas

Whether you are looking for a quiet area to focus or a dynamic space for group work, QUT has many different study spaces on both campuses:



- · student lounges with big-screen computers
- · meeting rooms with couches
- · outdoor areas with tables.

Most areas are freely available or can be reserved in advance.

### **Student centres**

Student centres are located on both campuses and can help with:

- timetables
- ID cards
- · fee payments
- · enrolment assistance
- · other administrative services.

The centres have computing facilities to check timetables and personal details, and a range of university publications and guides.



Health and medical services are available on the Kelvin Grove and Gardens Point campuses. A number of university clinics are also open to the public and QUT community:



- · family therapy and counselling
- · optometry
- podiatry
- · psychology.

There are also human movement and exercise clinics, as well as nutrition, dietetics and wound healing clinics. Visit www. qut.edu.au/about/services-and-facilities/health-and-wellbeing

# Sporting and recreational facilities

As a student at QUT you can benefit from sporting facilities including:

- tennis
- · fitness centres
- · an indoor stadium
- athletics ovals
- indoor swimming pools.

## **IELTS Test Centre**

The QUT IELTS Test Centre is located at the QUT International College (QUTIC) at the Kelvin Grove campus.



The centre offers both general training and academic modules and is open to internal QUT students, as well as candidates external to the university. Visit www.qut.edu.au/qutic/ielts

# **Technology**

### **Online teaching and learning**

As a QUT student you will have access to:

- · free email and Internet
- · extensive wireless access
- · 24-hour computer labs
- · real-time library assistance
- · free iPhone app.

All student online services are available through QUT Virtual, including enrolment, class selection, exam information and fee payment services. As well as face-to-face teaching, QUT provides electronic access to unit outlines, the library database, interactive quizzes, lecture recordings and podcasts.

### **QUTube**

QUT has its own YouTube Channel, QUTube. It features more than 700 videos, including virtual campus tours, student testimonials, QUT News television reports and research stories. Visit www.youtube.com/TheQUTube



Scan with a QR reader on your mobile phone to visit QUTube.



# Study Abroad and Exchange

### Set yourself apart with global experience and make new friends from around the world as a Study Abroad or exchange student at QUT.

Students at QUT's partner institutions may be eligible to come to Brisbane to study for one or two semesters on an exchange program. Students from other universities are welcome to study at QUT in our Study Abroad program.

We have a dedicated Study Abroad and Exchange team that can help design a program to suit your interests and meet the requirements of your home university. The team will help you with your application and welcome you on campus.

You can select units from a wide range of QUT study areas including business, information technology, engineering, psychology, and performing arts. There may also be an opportunity to include research in your Study Abroad program.

For more information visit: www.qut.edu.au/international/study-abroad-and-exchange

### **Exchange as part of your QUT degree**

Students taking degree programs at QUT can also undertake an exchange as part of their study program. We have more than 150 partners in 35 countries across Asia, Europe, the Americas and Africa. A number of travel bursaries and scholarships are also available to assist you.

For more information visit: www.student.qut.edu.au/studying/student-exchange





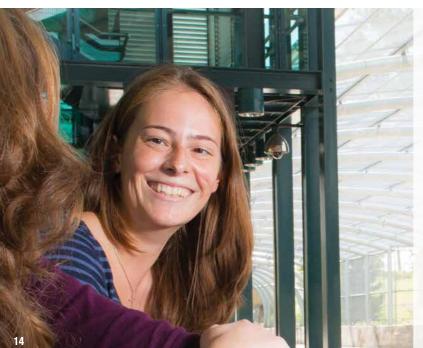












# **Hannah Schimmels**Germany

# **Exchange student from University of Stuttgart**

I wasn't sure what to expect of the Australian culture. I knew it would be completely different from back home. I settled in to the Brisbane lifestyle very quickly. The weather is good, the people are very friendly and the atmosphere is so relaxed. I found accommodation quickly in a beautiful 'old Queenslander' (heritage, timber house) I'm sharing with other students and it's been the best experience I've had yet.

# **Scholarships**

A range of scholarships is available from QUT and other organisations to make your study more affordable.

### **Faculty scholarships**

QUT's faculties and centres offer a range of different scholarships to complete postgraduate study including the International Postgraduate Research Scholarship (IPRS), as well as other living allowance scholarships and tuition fee waivers which are awarded annually in a major scholarship round.

For more information visit www.qut.edu.au/scholarships



### **Australian government scholarships**

The Australian Government provides postgraduate and coursework research scholarships to students from nominated countries under the Australia Awards program:

- Endeavour Awards
- AusAID Awards

All of these awards are part of the Australia Awards initiative and are comprised of two streams. The first is a competitive merit-based scholarship program providing opportunities for citizens of the Asia Pacific, Middle East, Europe and the Americas to undertake study, research and professional development in Australia and for Australians to do the same offshore. The second stream comprises development awards that build capacity in developing countries.

For more information visit www.australiaawards.gov.au

### **International government scholarships**

Many countries offer scholarships to their citizens to enable them to study coursework and research courses overseas. Some of the programs with which QUT is participating include:

- China Scholarship Council Award
- · Malaysian Australian Alumni Council Scholarship
- · Becas Chile Scholarship
- Sciencias Sem Frontieras- Science Without Borders (Brazil)
- Direktorat Jenderal Pendidikan Tinggi (DIKTI Indonesia)
- · Ministry of Education and Training Vietnam

For more information visit www.qut.edu.au/scholarships



Jane Pumai Awi Papua New Guinea

### PhD in Creative Industries Recipient of Ausaid scholarship – Papua New Guinea

I became interested in using drama to communicate HIV/AIDS education when QUT's Live Drama team visited the university I was teaching at, University of Goroka, in Papua New Guinea. Sex education is a compulsory course for all students at the University but the subject matter is a sensitive one because it is taboo and considered culturally inappropriate to talk about in public. Using my passion for dramatic arts, I decided to do my PhD on the use of drama and music as a way to harness native practices and beliefs to inform locals on HIV and AIDS. Drama creates a safe space for students to actively participate without fear of being scrutinised.

I started my studies as an external QUT student. The Ausaid scholarship I received allowed me to move to Queensland, connecting me with my supervisors and use the wonderful library and facilities at QUT that are so important for progressing my studies.

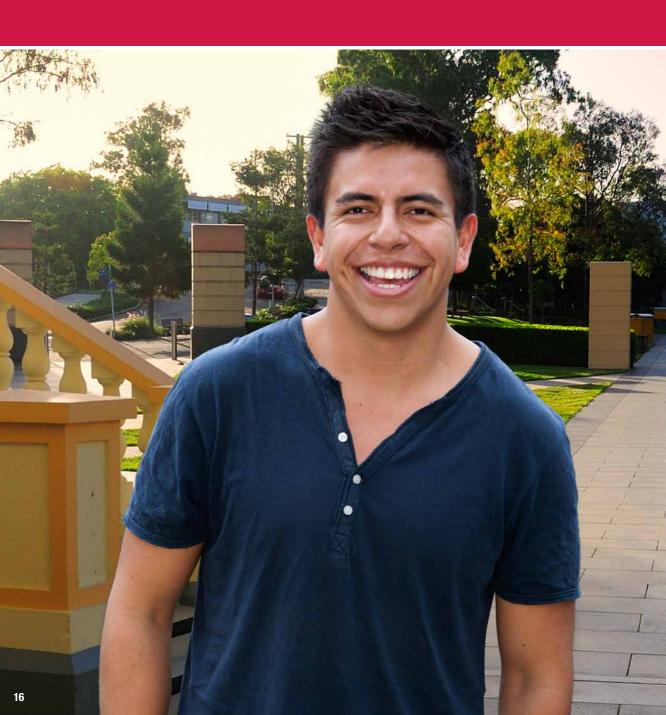
The application process was quite simple because I already had a great connection with my supervisor, Prof. Brad Haseman from when he had visited PNG and we collaborated together on a project. I look forward to completing my PhD so that I can take my knowledge home to help stop the epidemic of HIV/AIDS in my home country.

# **QUT** International College

### **RAFAEL ARTURO ARIAS TREJO Mexico**

### PG Business Pathway + Master of Business (Applied Finance)

The style of study in Latin America and Australia is different. In Australia we have to be more independent and the academic writing is more formal. In the multi-cultural environment at QUTIC, I not only learned how to work with other students overcoming cultural barriers, but also how to reference, cite other academic texts and take notes from lectures which has been a big help for me in my masters.





# Why choose QUT International College?

QUT International College (QUTIC) is an integral part of the university and offers English language and academic pathway programs.

The college provides a supportive introduction to life on campus, helping students settle in to university and meet new people. It is located on the QUT Kelvin Grove campus, two kilometres from the Brisbane city centre.

QUT International College students can access facilities across all QUT campuses including bookshops, libraries, computer rooms, sporting fields, gymnasiums, swimming pools, and health and medical services. If you are preparing for degree study, you will have the opportunity to visit the relevant QUT faculty and will also use the same online systems for study as in the degree program.

### **Class environment**

The college offers small class sizes for greater interaction with our staff, in a friendly environment. Our teaching and administrative staff are highly qualified and have extensive experience in teaching and assisting international students.

Our excellent programs, facilities and support services contribute to the high rate of our students progressing to their preferred QUT degrees.

# Language, learning and counselling support

Students in our university entry programs have access to Language and Learning Advisors, through individual and group sessions, to help improve their language and academic skills. The college Welfare Advisors also provide counselling support to all students.

### **Facilities**

- Six computer labs (two open 24 hours a day)
- · Language laboratory
- · Independent Learning Centre
- · Multimedia enabled lecture theatres
- · Dining room and common lounge

### **Orientation**

We offer all QUT International College students an orientation to both the college and the university. Staff can assist with everything from course enrolment to adjustment to life and study in Brisbane.

### **QUT IELTS Test Centre**

The QUT IELTS Test Centre provides the opportunity for current QUT students as well as students external to the university to sit an IELTS test on campus. Located at the college, the test centre offers both general training and academic modules.

Further information is available at www.qut.edu.au/qutic/ielts

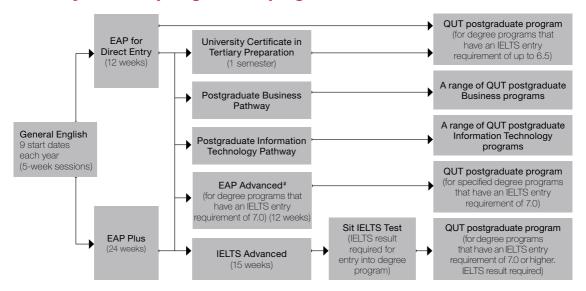
www.qut.edu.au/qutic

# **Course** information

### **QUT International College course list**

Course code	Course name	CRICOS code	2014 indicative fee (per study period)	Semester of entry	Additional information
QC20	General English Program (5 weeks)	062077K	\$1925	Approximately every 5 weeks	www.qutic.qut.edu.au/courses/english/ generaleng.jsp
QC10	English for Academic Purposes	011424G	\$4620	February, June and October	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ english-for-academic-purposes-for-degree- programs
QC24	English for Academic Purposes Plus	064814K	\$9240	March, July and November	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ english-for-academic-purposes-plus
QC12	English for Academic Purposes Advanced	078120C	\$4620	February, October	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ english-for-academic-purposes-advanced
QC15	IELTS Advanced	073922J	\$5775	March, July and October	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ielts-advanced
QC05	University Certificate in Tertiary Preparation	065044F	\$8188	February, July and October	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ university-certificate-in-tertiary-preparation
QC25	Cambridge First Certificate Preparation Course	053950D	\$4620	March, September	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/cambridge-first-certificate-in-english-preparation-course-international
as per chosen QUT postgraduate business program	Postgraduate Business Pathway	as per chosen QUT postgraduate business program	as per chosen QUT postgraduate business program	February, July	www.qutic.qut.edu.au/courses/pathways/ businesspost.jsp
as per chosen QUT postgraduate information technology program	Postgraduate Information Technology Pathway	as per chosen QUT postgraduate information technology program	as per chosen QUT postgraduate information technology program	February	www.qutic.qut.edu.au/courses/pathways/ itpost.jsp

### Pathways to QUT postgraduate programs\*^



- Students who wish to gain entry into specified QUT degree programs that require IELTS 7.0 may undertake the EAP Advanced or IELTS Advanced pathway.
- ${\bf ^{\Lambda}}$  Students must be academically qualified for the relevant degree program.



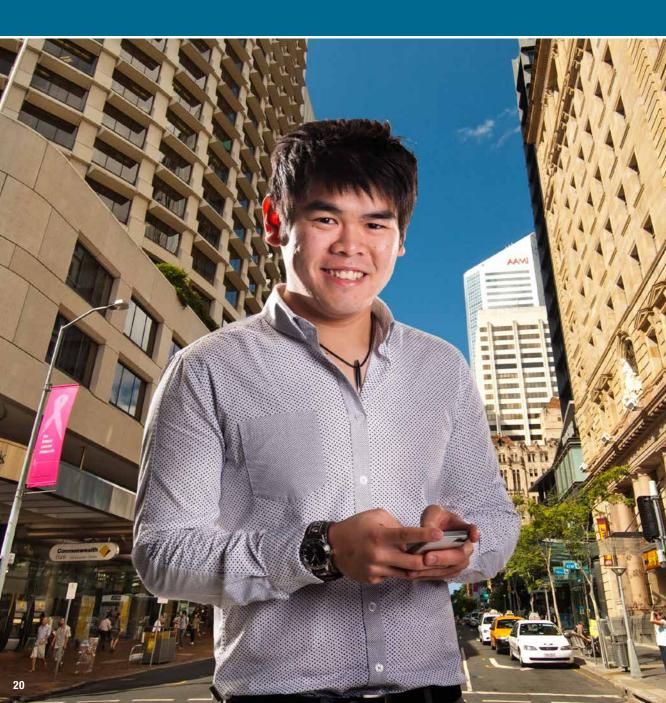


# **Business**

### JIN SHENG CHEN China

### **Master of Business (Finance)**

I'm studying a Master of Business in Applied Finance and my favourite subject is international finance, as it provides information about world markets and their risks. What's great about studying business at QUT is you get to meet and make friends with like-minded people from all around the world.





# Why choose business at QUT?

Australia's first **business school** with triple international accreditation







- We are Australia's only triple accredited business school.
   A distinction held by less than one per cent of business schools worldwide.
- Our global reputation is built on a commitment to internationalisation, and the practical opportunities available during and after your study mean your degree will be recognised worldwide.
- We partner with over 60 of the best universities around the world providing opportunities to undertake student exchange programs, participate in business case competitions or do an international double degree.
- You can gain professional recognition by choosing appropriate units within your coursework majors.



### **Research strengths**

Join a community of internationally recognised business researchers who will help you develop your skills and set you on a path to your research career.

- In 2012 QUT was one of a select group of eight Australian universities whose business and economics research was consistently rated at world standard or above.\*
- \* Eight universities achieved a score of 3 or above across all of the four digit discipline codes (FOR14 Economics and FOR15 Commerce Management, Tourism and Services) for which they were evaluated in the federal government's 2012 Excellence in Research Australia assessment.

Find out more about our research at www.qut.edu.au/business/research

### Study areas

- Accounting
- · Applied finance
- Marketina
- · Integrated marketing communication
- · Strategic advertising
- Public relations
- · International business
- Human resource management
- Philanthropy and nonprofit studies

# **Enhancing your student experience**

- Student clubs and groups provide opportunities for you to socialise, network and participate in activities with fellow students.
- Language Learning Advisors and Student Learning Advisors provide advice and support to help you succeed in your study.
- Join the award-winning Business
   Advantage Program and enrich your
   studies by participating in a series
   of free professional development
   modules
- Receive personalised assistance with admission, enrolment and administrative enquiries through our dedicated student centre.

# International double masters

Our partnerships with prestigious overseas universities allow you the opportunity to combine study and travel, and gain a masters degree from another university along with your QUT degree. Visit www.qut.edu.au/business/courses-and-study/global-opportunities/international-double-degrees

# Recognition of prior studies

If you have prior studies directly relevant to your major, you may be able to apply for advanced standing (credit).

If eligible, this may shorten the length of your studies at QUT.

www.qut.edu.au/business

# **Course** information

### Which program is right for me?

Our postgraduate programs are designed to improve your professional knowledge in your chosen area and help you take the next step in your career. You can study a Master of Business even if you have not studied business before.

	Master of Business Administration (MBA)	Master of Business (MBus)
Course focus	Develop breadth of knowledge across a range of business fields	Develop depth of knowledge in one of 10 study areas
You:	<ul> <li>are seeking broad-based knowledge of business together with management skills</li> <li>are a working professional wanting to advance your management skills</li> <li>are working at a level where you need to make complex managerial decisions including strategic financial and resourcing decisions</li> <li>have at least three years full-time professional or management experience</li> </ul>	want to gain specialist knowledge and skills in your chosen business discipline to progress faster in your career     want to gain expert experience so you can lead within a particular field     want to change careers and/or gain professional recognition in your chosen area     may have recently completed your undergraduate degree and would like to further develop your business studies

### **Program entry requirements**

Program	Entry requirements	Notes
MBA MBA/Master of Business Graduate Certificate of Business Administration	Demonstrate proficiency in the English language Hold a bachelor degree in any field from a recognised university with a minimum GPA of 4.5 on QUT's 7-point scale Have a GMAT score of at least 550 Have a minimum three years full-time equivalent relevant managerial or professional work experience post degree Provide two referee reports	Exceptional career accomplishments may be considered in place of a degree – in this instance you will be admitted into the Graduate Certificate in Business Administration, then go on to the MBA program subject to achieving a GPA of 4.5 or greater     Applicants for the accounting major (undertaken in the MBA/Master of Business double degree) must have an appropriate degree in accountancy
Master of Business Master of Business (Advanced) Master of Business/Master of Business Graduate Diploma of Business (Professional Accounting) Graduate Certificate of Business	Demonstrate proficiency in the English language     Hold an undergraduate degree in any field from a recognised university with a minimum GPA of 4.0 on QUT's 7-point scale	Applicants for the accounting major must have an appropriate degree in accountancy     The professional accounting major requires an undergraduate degree in a different discipline area
Bachelor of Business (Honours) Graduate Diploma in Business (Research)	Demonstrate proficiency in the English language     Hold a Bachelor of Business from a recognised university with a major in the area of intended study or a qualification deemed equivalent     Have achieved a grade point average (GPA) of 5.5 or better on a 7-point scale in the three years of undergraduate study, or other qualifications and experience which is considered by the Executive Dean to qualify for admission	Students would normally apply for admission to the BBus (Honours) at the end of the final year of the degree, or within 18 months of completing the pass degree     This program offers a pathway to a PhD     The Graduate Diploma in Business (Research) is for students who have completed their pass degree more than 18 months prior to admission. Applicants are required to have contact with a supervisor and find a topic prior to submitting a formal application.
Master of Business (Research)	Demonstrate proficiency in the English language Hold a Bachelor of Business from a recognised university with a major in the area of intended honours level study or a qualification deemed equivalent Have achieved a grade point average (GPA) of 5.5 or better on a 7-point scale in the three years of undergraduate study, or other qualifications and experience which is considered by the Executive Dean to qualify for admission	In addition to assessing qualifications, QUT Business School must also be satisfied that adequate supervision and resources are available to support the applicant's proposed research and that the project is aligned with the school's research effort.
Doctor of Philosophy	Demonstrate proficiency in the English language     Hold a Bachelor degree with at least 2A     Honours (or equivalent) or a masters degree by research or a masters degree by coursework that includes substantial research	In addition to assessing qualifications, the QUT Business School must also be satisfied that adequate supervision and resources are available to support the applicant's proposed research and that the project is aligned with the school's research effort.

### 2014 postgraduate course list

Course code	Course name	CRICOS code	2014 indicative fee (per study period)	Semester of entry	Additional information
BS39	Graduate Certificate in Business	031769E	\$13000	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/study-areas/ business-courses#postgraduate
BS79	Graduate Diploma in Business	069962B	\$13000	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/study-areas/ business-courses#postgraduate
BS16	Master of Business	059599K	\$13000	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/study-areas/ business-courses#postgraduate
BS17	Master of Business Advanced	059600M	\$13000	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/study-areas/ business-courses#postgraduate
GS75	Master of Business Administration	045502F	\$19500	March	www.qut.edu.au/study/study-areas/ business-courses#postgraduate
BS18	Master of Business/Master of Business	069780G	\$13000	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/study-areas/ business-courses#postgraduate
BS24	Master of Business/Master of Business Administration	069779A	\$16200	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/study-areas/ business-courses#postgraduate
BS63	Bachelor of Business (Honours)	009038B	\$13000	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/study-areas/ business-courses#postgraduate
BS69	Graduate Diploma in Business (Research)	072979M	\$13000	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/study-areas/ business-courses#postgraduate
BS92	Master of Business (Research)	054092M	\$13300	Anytime	www.qut.edu.au/study/study-areas/ business-courses#postgraduate
IF49*	Doctor of Philosophy	006367J	\$14600	Anytime	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/doctor-of-philosophy-business

<sup>\*</sup> University wide

Please note: QUT is undergoing a review of all postgraduate courses for 2014. This listing is correct at time of printing (April 2013).













# **Creative** industries

### 'ARIFAH 'ATIQH RAHMAT Singapore

### **Master of Creative Industries**

I have learnt so much in the Master of Creative Industries because the teaching staff is straight from industry so they always have advice to students to help us produce industry-standard work. I was attracted to QUT because of its real-world learning, and with the amount of projects and case studies that form part of the course it has certainly lived up to its reputation.





# Why choose creative industries at QUT?

QUT's Creative Industries Faculty is pioneering international research initiatives in creative industries policy, applied creative industries research, digital media design, and the creative and performing arts.

QUT's Creative Industries Faculty is recognised as a leader in practice-led research, which is research initiated in creative practice and then pursued through the production of creative work.

The 2012 Excellence in Research for Australia initiative results rated our research in language, communication and culture as Australia's best and well above world standard.

### **Industry connections**

Research within the faculty is enhanced through association with leading federally funded and industrysupported research centres:

- Australian Research Council Centre of Excellence for Creative Industries and Innovation (CCI)
- Institute for Creative Industries and Innovation (iCi)

### **Research themes**

- · Global and Asian media
- · Political and digital journalism
- Social media issues and analyticsApplied performance in developing
- and corporate contexts

  Practice-led research in music and
- Practice-led research in music and media arts
- Studies in modern and contemporary art
- People and systems—intuitive interaction, experience and expertise, context of use
- Complex urban system design, urban informatics and building modelling
- Environmental design, social change and socio-design
- · Design-led innovation

### Study areas

- Animation
- Architecture
- · Creative advertising
- Creative production and arts management
- · Creative writing
- Dance
- · Interactive and visual design
- Journalism
- · Music and sound
- · Music industry professions
- · Professional communication
- Research management and commercialisation
- · Urban design

### **Facilities**

The faculty is located at the Gardens Point and Kelvin Grove campuses. The Kelvin Grove campus includes the Creative Industries Precinct—Australia's first site dedicated to creative experimentation and commercial development.

- Design fabrication labs for designing models and prototypes
- Tools and technologies including power tools, foam cutters and 3D solid model printers
- Interactive exhibition spaces for multimedia displays
- Wired black box performance space for live experimental work
- Specialist design studios for design, drawing, drafting, fashion and textile design
- Film and television studios and postproduction facilities
- Professional music recording studios

www.qut.edu.au/creative-industries

# **Course** information

### 2014 postgraduate course list

Course code	Course name	CRICOS code	2014 indicative fee (per study period);	Semester of entry	Additional information
IF94	Graduate Certificate in Advertising	048325E	\$12400	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ graduate-certificate-in-advertising
KK86	Graduate Certificate in Creative Industries	064899M	\$12700	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ graduate-certificate-in-creative-industries
KJ35	Graduate Certificate in Journalism	040323E	\$11 800	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ graduate-certificate-in-journalism
IX96	Master of Advertising (Creative Advertising)	048322G	\$12300	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ master-of-advertising-creative-advertising
DE80	Master of Architecture	056390G	\$11 900	February	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ master-of-architecture
KK88	Master of Creative Industries	064900A	\$12400	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ master-of-creative-industries
DE50	Master of Design (Urban Design)	060812M	\$12,800	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ master-of-design-urban-design
KK42	Master of Fine Arts (Dance)	016349F	\$12000	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ master-of-fine-arts-dance
KK42	Master of Fine Arts (Music Industry Professions)	016349F	\$12000	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/international- courses/master-of-fine-arts-music-industry- professions







Course code	Course name	CRICOS code	2014 indicative fee (per study period);	Semester of entry	Additional information
KJ42	Master of Journalism	053491D	\$12000	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ master-of-journalism
KK52	Bachelor of Creative Industries (Honours)	051401E	\$11,900	February	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/bachelor-of-creative-industries-honours
KK53	Bachelor of Fine Arts (Honours)	040320G	\$11,900	February	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/bachelor-of-fine-arts-honours
KK54	Bachelor of Journalism (Honours)	040326B	\$11,900	February	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/bachelor-of-journalism-honours
KK56	Bachelor of Media and Communication (Honours)	072978A	\$11,900	February	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/bachelor-of-media-and-communication-honours
KK55	Bachelor of Music (Honours)	031574E	\$11,900	February	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/bachelor-of-music-honours
KK51	Master of Arts (Research)	046055E	\$12,000	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ master-of-arts-research
KK60	Master of Design (Research)	077690K	\$12,100	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ master-of-design-research
KK59	Doctor of Creative Industries (Research)	069963A	\$12,000	February	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/doctor-of-creative-industries-research
IF49*	Doctor of Philosophy	006367J	\$14,600	Anytime	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/doctor-of-philosophy-creative-industries

<sup>\*</sup> University wide

Please note: QUT is undergoing a review of all postgraduate courses for 2014. This listing is correct at time of printing (April 2013).







# **Education**

### **ANDERS KLETTHAGEN Norway**

### **Master of Education (Leadership and Management)**

My first encounter with QUT was in 2010 as an exchange student. I enjoyed studying at QUT so much that after I finished the exchange program, I started a Master of Education in Leadership and Management. I was still in Australia studying when I started applying for jobs back home in Norway. Being thousands of miles away obviously had its difficulties but, undoubtedly, the course I did at QUT made me stand out in the large crowd of job applicants. Even with the disadvantage of being overseas at the time of the job interview, I got the job I was dreaming of—as a teacher at Olsvik Secondary School.





# Why choose education at QUT?

QUT's Faculty of Education is the top-performing education faculty in Australia, offering practical training and strong industry connections that make our graduates highly sought after in the workplace.

In 1991, the Faculty of Education was formed as part of the newly structured QUT. Prior to this it had a long history of teacher training going back to when it was first established as a specialised teachers' college in 1914.

Over the past 20 years, more than 40000 QUT students have become registered teachers, childcare specialists, educators in community and industry, and government trainers upon completing our programs.

### International reputation

- Rated as "above world standard" in education research according to the 2012 Excellence in Research for Australia (ERA) results in all four aspects of research: Education, Education Systems, Curriculum and Pedagogy and Specialist Studies in Education.
- We have internationally recognised teachers and researchers in Early Childhood Education, Educational Leadership and Management, Inclusive Education, Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL), Information and Communication Technology (ICT) for Education, and Indigenous Education.

 We have important partnerships with overseas universities and governments, including the Ministry of Education Malaysia, Jiangsu Provincial Education Department in China and Beijing Normal University, in the areas of teacher education, professional development and research capacity building.

## **Graduate Diploma in Education**

For those seeking teacher registration **Study areas** 

- · Early Years
- · Primary
- Secondary

### **Master of Education**

Professional development for educators and administrators

#### Study areas

- · Education (no major)
- · Leadership and Management
- · Early Years
- · Inclusive Education
- \* Each semester, international students commencing their education coursework program have the opportunity to apply for a \$2000 Faculty of Education International Student Scholarship.
- \* Students seeking advanced standing for Faculty of Education courses will be assessed for credit under the 2013 AQF guidelines.

### Research

- Master of Education (Research)
- · Doctor of Education
- · Doctor of Philosophy

# Learning support and facilities

The Office of Education Research provides workshops and specialised support to research students.

The Academic Language and Learning Support team runs workshops and offers individual assistance to coursework students.

Specialist curriculum rooms are fully equipped and utilised for those studying Early Years.

### **Research strengths**

### Curriculum and pedagogy

- Mathematics, science and literacy education
- · Assessment and learning

#### Early childhood

- Early Years' literacy and numeracy
- Role of child care and playgroup programs
- · Sustainability education
- Early childhood education policy and practice

### Inclusive and global education

- · Diversity and social inclusion
- Effective child sexual abuse prevention programs

### Tertiary, vocational and work-based learning

 Issues affecting learning in tertiary, vocational and workplace education

www.qut.edu.au/education

### **Course** information

### 2014 postgraduate course list

Course Code	Course Name	CRICOS code	2014 indicative fee (per study period)	Semester of entry	Additional Information
ED61	Graduate Certificate in Education	014019G	\$12200	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ graduate-certificate-in-education
ED38	Graduate Diploma in Education	055903F	\$12200	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ graduate-diploma-in-education
ED79	Master of Education	064908D	\$12200	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ master-of-education
ED12	Master of Education (Research)	002501G	\$12100	Anytime	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ master-of-education-research
ED11	Doctor of Education	015023C	\$12100	January	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/doctor-of-education
IF49*	Doctor of Philosophy	006367J	\$14600	Anytime	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/doctor-of-philosophy-education

<sup>\*</sup> University wide

Please note: QUT is undergoing a review of all postgraduate courses for 2014. This listing is correct at time of printing (April 2013).





### Blue card

As required by the Commission for Children and Young People and Child Guardian Act (2000) students must undergo a criminal history check and be issued with a blue card before commencing field experience/ practicum in an organisation where they may work with children or young people (under 18 years). This is a mandatory requirement that must be met prior to undertaking any field experience/practicum program throughout your course. If you wish to undertake education programs at QUT, you must submit your original blue card application form at the time of submission of your Acceptance of Offer form. It is recommended that your acceptance is submitted at least three months prior to the commencement of classes for this program. See www.qut.edu.au/bluecard





## Which course is right for me?

# I have an undergraduate degree in something else and I want to become a teacher

Our one-year Graduate Diploma in Education will prepare you to teach in school settings. You must have a three-year minimum degree in a subject other than education or family studies. Your course will include educational and curriculum studies in your chosen study area.

www.qut.edu.au/study/internationalcourses/graduate-diploma-ineducation.

### I'm an education or learning professional and I want to enhance or change my career

QUT offers a variety of innovative and exciting postgraduate courses that will keep you at the forefront of ever-changing education practice. You don't need to be a registered teacher to apply for some of our postgraduate courses.

www.qut.edu.au/education/coursesand-study/postgraduate-courses

# What is the difference between the Graduate Diploma and the Masters in Education?

The Graduate Diploma in Education provides a pathway for graduates of non-teaching degrees to become a qualified teacher.

Many of the majors in our Master of Education are relevant to non-teaching careers and provide useful skills to enhance or change your career. You don't need to be a registered teacher to gain entry to most of the majors. Completing the Master of Education does not lead to teacher registration.

# So why study the Master of Education if it doesn't lead to teacher registration?

The Master of Education is ideal for educators who want to enhance their competitiveness, or those looking for a career change. It also provides a framework for professional development, and can contribute to current teachers' professional development requirements.

Typically people undertake the Master of Education program to build their knowledge and expertise. Graduates also work in allied education areas as corporate trainers or nurse educators.

www.qut.edu.au/study/internationalcourses/master-of-education



# **Health**

### MACH MAJOK ANYUAT Sudan

### **Master of Health Management**

With the Master of Health Management I have been able to develop relevant leadership and managerial skills suitable for multidisciplinary healthcare settings and advanced healthcare practice. The environment is conducive to learning and offers generous flexibility and support. Some units are completed in intensive week-long sessions and all units are delivered by engaging professionals. The opportunity to learn through their accumulated knowledge gives me the technical know-how to apply new skills in my work practice.





### Why choose health at QUT?

QUT's Faculty of Health supports and delivers programs that focus on improving the health of individuals and communities, treat and prevent disease, and make a difference in the lives of others.

Our programs are integrated with hands-on professional placements to give you real-world experience and the opportunity to develop valuable industry contacts.

### **Global connections**

- The School of Public Health and Social Work is working with institutions in Vietnam to improve the health and public health education systems.
- The School of Psychology and Counselling has strong research links with prominent institutions in the United States, UK, Africa, and South-East Asia.
- The School of Nursing designs and delivers professional development for nurses from Japan and other countries.
- The Faculty of Health has strong links with the National Ministry in China as well as the national and provincial Centres for Disease Control, provincial health bureau, the Emergency Branch of the Chinese Hospital Association and universities in areas such as emergency and disaster management and health services management.

### Study areas

- · Behavioural science
- · Biomedical science
- Biotechnology
- · Environmental health

- Emergency and disaster management
- · Exercise science
- · Health promotion
- · Health management
- Health science
- · Human services
- Nursing
- · Nutrition science
- · Occupational health and safety
- · Optometry
- Pharmacy
- Podiatry
- Psychology
- · Public health
- Road safety
- · Social work

### **Research strengths**

- Cancer
- Chronic disease, supportive and palliative care
- · Environmental health
- · Equity and health
- · Exercise, nutrition and metabolism
- · Health services
- · Infectious disease
- · Injury prevention
- Mental health and wellbeing
- · Vision improvement
- · Wound and tissue restoration

Research is conducted through a number of collaborative research centres including:

Institute of Health and Biomedical Innovation (IHBI)—a progressive A\$70 million research facility which focuses on research in cells and tissue, vision improvement, medical device, human health and wellbeing, and injury prevention and rehabilitation.

### The Cooperative Research Centre for Wound Management Innovation—a

A\$100 million initiative that brings together 22 partners to undertake fundamental genetic, biochemical, and modelling research and directly link it to clinical practice and wound care products development.

The Centre for Accident Research and Road Safety (CARRS-Q)—aims to strengthen research and intervention development in the areas of vulnerable road users, regulation and enforcement, school and community injury prevention, occupational road safety, and safety systems and technology.

The Centre for Research Excellence in Sun and Health (CRESH)—focussed on understanding the affects of ultraviolet radiation from the sun, to create guidelines for Australians to accommodate the need for exposure to Vitamin D without increasing cancer risk.

### **Facilities**

- The QUT Health clinics are located on campus and offer students state-ofthe-art training facilities. The clinics are fully equipped to deliver professional services in human movement and exercise, nutrition and dietetics, optometry, podiatry, psychology and counselling, and wound healing
- 24-hour computing laboratories and campus-wide wireless access
- Library with individual and group study spaces

www.qut.edu.au/health

# **Course** information

### 2014 postgraduate course list

Course code	Course name	CRICOS code	2014 indicative fee (per study period)	Semester of entry	Additional information
PU67	Graduate Diploma in Environmental Health	061302C	\$12 200	February	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ graduate-diploma-in-environmental-health
PU63	Graduate Diploma in Health Management	065614K	\$12700	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ graduate-diploma-in-health-management
HL68	Graduate Diploma in Health Science	020308C	\$12800	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ graduate-diploma-in-health-science
PU65	Graduate Diploma in Occupational Health and Safety	061160A	\$12200	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/international- courses/graduate-diploma-in-occupational- health-and-safety
PU60	Graduate Diploma in Public Health	020306E	\$12600	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ graduate-diploma-in-public-health
PY41	Graduate Diploma in Road Safety	040335A	\$12 200	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ graduate-diploma-in-road-safety
PU83	Master of Health Management	065613M	\$12700	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/international- courses/master-of-health-management
HL88	Master of Health Science	009030K	\$12900	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/international- courses/master-of-health-science
NS85	Master of Nursing	012644J	\$12000	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/master-of-nursing
PY18	Master of Clinical Psychology	052769J	\$11 900	February	www.qut.edu.au/study/international- courses/master-of-clinical-psychology
IX20	Master of Psychology (Educational and Developmental)	053489J	\$11 900	February	www.qut.edu.au/study/international- courses/master-of-psychology-educational- and-developmental
PU85	Master of Public Health	009029C	\$12600	February	www.qut.edu.au/study/international- courses/master-of-public-health







Course code	Course name	CRICOS code	2014 indicative fee (per study period)	Semester of entry	Additional information
SW80	Master of Social Work	075076D	\$12200	February	www.qut.edu.au/study/international- courses/master-of-social-work
HL52	Bachelor of Applied Science (Honours)	009041G	\$12300	February	www.qut.edu.au/study/international- courses/bachelor-of-applied-science- honours
PY09	Bachelor of Behavioural Science (Honours Psychology)	061159E	\$11 700	February	www.qut.edu.au/study/international- courses/bachelor-of-behavioural-science- honours-psychology
HL53	Bachelor of Biomedical Science (Honours)	075798C	\$12700	February	www.qut.edu.au/study/international- courses/bachelor-of-biomedical-science- honours
HL55	Bachelor of Health Science (Honours)	027284E	\$12300	February	www.qut.edu.au/study/international- courses/bachelor-of-health-science-honours
HL51	Bachelor of Human Services (Honours)	058289K	\$12300	February	www.qut.edu.au/study/international- courses/bachelor-of-human-services- honours
HL50	Bachelor of Nursing (Honours)	016355G	\$12300	February	www.qut.edu.au/study/international- courses/bachelor-of-nursing-honours
HL84	Master of Applied Science (Research)	007897G	\$13900	Anytime	www.qut.edu.au/study/international- courses/master-of-applied-science- research2
HL90	Doctor of Health Science	037680K	\$12700	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/international- courses/doctor-of-health-science
PY50	Doctor of Psychology (Clinical)	059989G	\$11 900	February	www.qut.edu.au/study/international- courses/doctor-of-psychology-clinical
IF49*	Doctor of Philosophy	006367J	\$14600	Anytime	www.qut.edu.au/study/international- courses/doctor-of-philosophy-health

<sup>\*</sup> University wide

Please note: QUT is undergoing a review of all postgraduate courses for 2014. This listing is correct at time of printing (April 2013).





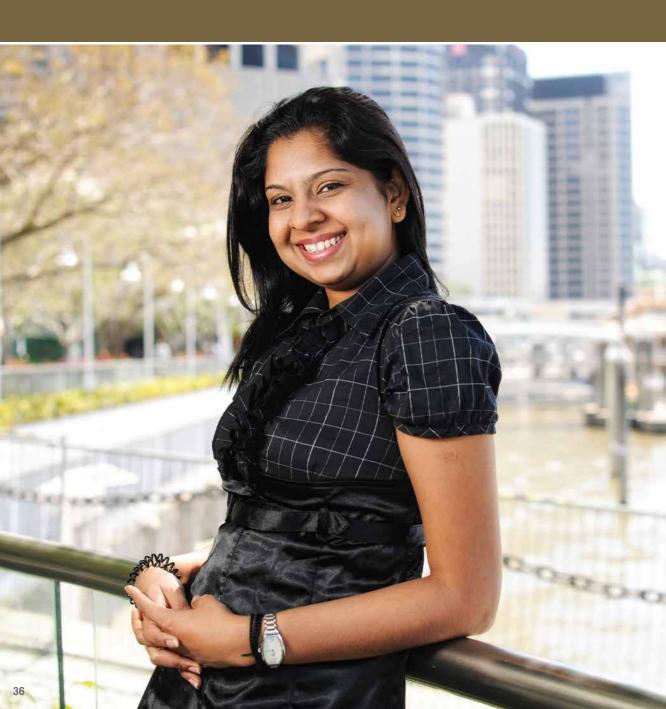


# Law and justice

## SANGEETHA RAJAMANIKAM Malaysia

# **Master of Intellectual Property Law**

QUT's Intellectual Property Law program got my attention as it was linked with the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO). There are not many universities in the world with this collaboration. Our lectures are given by world-renowned professors, and professionals share their experience on intellectual property in their workplace. I have worked in many legal firms and private educational institutions since first graduating with an economics degree. This masters has helped me gain more in-depth knowledge in intellectual property and I'm more confident about my career opportunities.





# Why choose law or justice at QUT?

QUT's Faculty of Law is one of Australia's leading law faculties, recognised for its focus on advancing the law and justice professions, and specialised academic expertise and research.

- We maintain close links with the law and justice professions in Australia and students have the opportunity to learn from practising professionals, visiting professors and leading experts from around the world.
- The WIPO-QUT Master of Intellectual Property Law is unique to the Asia-Pacific region, offered jointly by the United Nations' World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) and QUT.
- QUT is the only Australian university to offer a practical hands-on course component (i.e. Analyst's Notebook software), used by various government and law enforcement agencies worldwide.

## **Facilities**

- Electronic Moot Court, one of Australia's most advanced electronic courtrooms
- 24-hour computer labs with free high-speed internet
- Clayton Utz Law Library
- Online study facilities including podcasts, cyber-tutorials, online quizzes and chat rooms

## **Research strengths**

- · Commercial and property law
- · Crime and justice
- Environment and natural resource law
- · Health law
- Intellectual property and innovation law

## Study areas

- · Competition law
- Consumer law
- Criminal justiceCriminal law
- Cyber law
- · Dispute resolution
- Environmental law
- · Ethics
- Health law
- · Intellectual property law
- · Intelligence and security
- · International and comparative law
- Policing
- Property law
- · Public law
- Technology law
- Violence

www.qut.edu.au/law





# Course information

# 2014 postgraduate course list

Course code	Course name	CRICOS code	2014 indicative fee (per study period)	Semester of entry	Additional information
JS29	Graduate Certificate in Intelligence	External	\$12500	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ graduate-certificate-in-intelligence
LP41	Graduate Diploma in Legal Practice	009034F	\$12200	January, June	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ graduate-diploma-in-legal-practice
JS54	Master of Justice	External	\$12500	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ master-of-justice-intelligencecriminology
LW53	Master of Intellectual Property Law	067376C	\$12800	February	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ master-of-intellectual-property-law
LW51	Master of Laws	006380A	\$12800	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ master-of-laws
JS40	Bachelor of Justice (Honours)	020313F	\$11 900	February	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ bachelor-of-justice-honours
JS52	Master of Justice (Research)	020310J	\$12000	Anytime	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ master-of-justice-research
LW52	Master of Laws (Research)	012654G	\$12000	Anytime	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ master-of-laws-research
LW50	Doctor of Juridical Science	012652J	\$12 100	Anytime	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/doctor-of-juridical-science
IF49*	Doctor of Philosophy	006367J	\$14600	Anytime	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/doctor-of-philosophy-law

<sup>\*</sup> University wide

Please note: QUT is undergoing a review of all postgraduate courses for 2014. This listing is correct at time of printing (April 2013).

## Process to become an Australian registered solicitor

If you do not have a law degree You will need to study an Australian Bachelor of Laws degree such as QUT's Bachelor of Laws. www.qut.edu.au/study/courses/ bachelor-of-laws

At the end of your law degree you will have completed the necessary units for admission to legal practice in Australia.

If you want to become a practising lawyer you will need to complete a practical legal training (PLT) program such as QUT's Graduate before applying for admission.

# If you have a law degree from a country other than Australia

You will first need to have that law degree assessed by the Queensland Legal Practitioners Admissions Board.

Visit www.qls.com.au or email admissions@qls.com.au to find out more.

#### **Further information**

## QUT's Bachelor of Laws Email askqut@qut.edu.au Phone +61 7 3138 2000

QUT's Graduate Diploma in Legal Practice

Email Ms Liz Clark at ea.clark@qut.edu.au Phone +61 7 3138 2211









# Science and engineering

## **DHANESHWAR LA BATHEJA** Pakistan

## **Master of IT**

I have been working in the IT industry as a software engineer for a few years now and I wanted to progress my career and gain an edge in the field. What I was looking for in postgraduate study was subject variety and flexibility in subject selection and I found that at QUT. My knowledge of software development has broadened greatly so far and I am looking forward to expanding my career opportunities once I finish my studies.





# Why choose science and engineering at QUT?

QUT's Science and Engineering Faculty is key to QUT's strategy to be a leader in the development of courses and research in the fields of science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM).

The faculty delivers a range of postgraduate coursework and research programs across information communications technology, engineering, built environment and the sciences, designed to enable you to cross disciplinary boundaries and expand your career possibilities.

### **Global links**

- QUT was the only Australian university appointed as a learning partner by Shell in a consortium (four universities) to support its global project academy.
- Collaborative research arrangement with Boeing and CSIRO.
- We are the Area Academy Training Centre, Australia and New Zealand, for the Cisco Networking Academy Program (CNAP) and we maintain strong linkages with global companies such as Microsoft, SAP, Oracle and Infosys.
- Internship opportunities including BMW in Grmany and UK.
- Collaborative linkages with leading organisations including Schlumberger, Thales and Fraunhofe.

## **Facilities**

Students have access to world-class facilities at our CBD campus and across distributed research precincts. Our labs and workshops feature the latest high-tech equipment and computer software to provide students with the ultimate hands-on learning experience. QUT's new \$230 million Science and Engineering Centre will further integrate teaching and research in the STEM disciplines.

Other world-class facilities include:

- Aerospace flight simulator
- Architectural science and lighting laboratory
- · Computer visualisation laboratory
- Human centred design and usability laboratory
- Mechatronics and robotics library
- Lighting and colour laboratory
- · Mechanical workshop
- Research resources laboratory
- · Student experiential learning centre
- Synthetic environment laboratory
- Timber, metals and plastics workshops



## **Research strengths**

# Chemistry, physics and mechanical engineering

- Nanotechnology and molecular sciences
- · Energy and process engineering
- Biomedical engineering and medical physics
- Mechanical sciences and asset management

# Electrical engineering and computer science

- Computational intelligence and signal processing
- · Computer human interaction
- · Information security
- · Networks and communications
- · Power engineering
- Robotics and aerospace systems

### Information systems

- Business process management
- · Information ecology
- · Service sciences

# Civil engineering and the built environment

- Construction and project management
- Planning and property
- Civil engineering

#### Mathematical sciences

- Applied and computational mathematics
- · Decision science
- · Statistical science

# Earth, environmental and biological sciences

- · Bioscience
- · Earth systems

www.qut.edu.au/scienceengineering

# **Course** information

# 2014 postgraduate course list

Course code	Course name	CRICOS code	2014 indicative fee (per study period)	Semester of entry	Additional information
SC71	Graduate Diploma in Applied Science	020314E	\$12800	February	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ graduate-diploma-in-applied-science
PH71	Graduate Diploma in Applied Science (Medical Physics)	020315D	\$12600	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ graduate-diploma-in-applied-science- medical-physics
PH80	Master of Applied Science (Medical Physics)	043548G	\$12600	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ master-of-applied-science-medical-physics
IT53	Master of Business Process Management	062622A	\$12200	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ master-of-business-process-management
EN50	Master of Engineering	060811A	\$13300	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ master-of-engineering
BN87	Master of Engineering Management	006368G	\$13300	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ master-of-engineering-management
IT43	Master of Information Technology	003776E	\$12600	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ master-of-information-technology/master-of- information-technology
IT44	Master of Information Technology (Advanced)	053123F	\$12600	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ master-of-information-technology-advanced/ master-of-information-technology-advanced
PH82	Master of Lighting	058287A	\$12800	February	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/master-of-lighting-on-shore





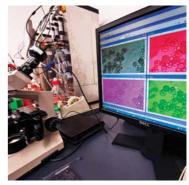
Course code	Course name	CRICOS code	2014 indicative fee (per study period)	Semester of entry	Additional information
BN89	Master of Project Management	060815G	\$13300	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/international- courses/master-of-project-management
SC60	Bachelor of Applied Science (Honours)	009041G	\$13700	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/international- courses/bachelor-of-applied-science- honours2
IT28	Bachelor of Information Technology (Honours)	017323G	\$12200	February, July	www.qut.edu.au/study/international- courses/bachelor-of-information-technology- honours
BN71	Master of Applied Science – Built Environment (Research)	007897G	\$14500	Anytime	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ master-of-applied-science-research
SC80	Master of Applied Science (Research)	007897G	\$14100	Anytime	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ master-of-applied-science-research3
BN72	Master of Engineering (Research)	003465J	\$14500	Anytime	www.qut.edu.au/study/international- courses/master-of-engineering-research
IT60	Master of Information Technology (Research)	020309B	\$12100	Anytime	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/ master-of-information-technology-research
IT81	Doctor of Information Technology	063035A	\$12200	Anytime	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/doctor-of-information-technology
IF49*	Doctor of Philosophy	006367J	\$14600	Anytime	www.qut.edu.au/study/international-courses/doctor-of-philosophy-science-engineering

<sup>\*</sup> University wide

Please note: QUT is undergoing a review of all postgraduate courses for 2014. This listing is correct at time of printing (April 2013).







# **Entry requirements** and admissions information

## **Entry requirements**

Minimum academic and English entry requirements must be met in order to gain admission to QUT courses. These requirements can be found at www.qut.edu.au/international/find-a-course

The eligibility of a student to attend QUT cannot be confirmed until an application has been received and assessed by QUT Admissions.

## **Credit for prior learning**

QUT has arrangements with a number of overseas tertiary institutions where your prior studies may count as credit towards your QUT course. To be considered for credit please indicate on your application form and include your course information with your application for individual assessment.

## **Application procedures**

An international student is any student who is not a citizen of Australia or New Zealand, has not been granted permanent residency in Australia or does not hold an Australian permanent humanitarian visa at the commencement date of the course.

To apply please complete a QUT F Form and lodge it with QUT Admissions (see back cover for contact details). Certified copies of award certificates and academic transcripts, including English translations where necessary, must be provided. If you require English language study please complete and submit the form available at www.qut. edu.au/qutic. Some courses require additional entry requirements including work experience, folios or auditions. Please refer to the specific course entry requirements.

A non-refundable application fee of A\$55 (\$50 + 10% GST) must also be included. If you are successful and subsequently accept a place at QUT, the A\$55 will be deducted from your first semester's tuition fees.

# **How** to apply

#### Step 1

Find a course www.qut.edu.au/international/find-a-course. Check you meet the academic and English entry requirements, and also make sure to check any key entry dates, course costs, and whether you may be eligible for credit for prior learning.

#### Step 2

Submit your application, including the application fee and all certified supporting documents, to QUT or your agent.

### Step 3

If your application is successful, we'll send you an offer letter and an Acceptance of Offer form. Ensure you meet all conditions (if any) and return your signed Acceptance of Offer form, student declaration and first payment to QUT Admissions or your QUT agent.

## Step 4

We will issue you an electronic confirmation of enrolment (eCoE) once you've returned your Acceptance of Offer form and paid your fees. Use your eCoE to organise your student visa through an Australian embassy or consulate.

#### Step 4

You will then need to prepare to come to Brisbane. We recommend that you arrive two weeks before your course starts so that you have enough time to find accommodation and settle in. International Student Services provide information regarding pre-departure, organising accommodation and airport reception at www.student.qut.edu.au/international

When you arrive, you must attend international orientation, where you will find out more about enrolment and your classes.

## **Research higher degrees**

To apply for a research program at QUT you will need to:

- Choose a research area and find a supervisor. For details visit www.qut.edu.au/research
- Complete an FR form and research proposal. Section 3 of the application form provides details of what is required in your proposal.

Once your completed application is received it will be forwarded to the appropriate research area within the faculty where a decision will be made on whether your proposal can be supported and a supervisor is available. We will inform you of the outcome.

Application forms can also be downloaded from www.qut.edu.au/international/apply

# Minimum English language requirements\*

			LTS	TOE	FL iBT
		Aca	demic	Interne	et based
	POSTGRADUATE	Overall	No sub- score less than	Overall	No sub- score less thar
	All coursework degrees	6.5	6	90	20
Business	Postgraduate Business Communication Pathway is available for BS16 & BS17 majors: Integrated marketing communication, international business, marketing, public relations, applied finance and strategic advertising	6	5	80	18
Creative, design and performance	All coursework degrees	6.5	6	90	20
Education	ED38 Graduate Diploma in Education	7.5	8.0 LS 7.0 RW	105	28 LS 24 RW
Lucation	All coursework degrees except for ED38	6.5	6	90	20
Engineering, building and planning	BN87 Master of Engineering Management EN50 Master of Engineering (Systems) BN88 Master of Infrastructure Management BN89 Master of Project Management UD50 Master of Urban Development (Urban and Regional Planning) BN85 Graduate Certificate of Built Environment and Engineering	6	6	80	20
Health and community	PY18 Master of Clinical Psychology PY50 Doctor of Psychology (Clinical) OP85 Master of Optometry	7	7	100	24
Community	IX20 Master of Psychology (Educational and Developmental)	7.5	7	105	24
	All other coursework degrees	6.5	6	90	20
Information	All coursework degrees	6.5	6	90	20
technology	Postgraduate Information Technology Communication Pathway is available for all majors of IT43, IT44 and IT53	6	5	80	18
Law and justice	All coursework degrees	6.5	6	90	20
Science and mathematics	All coursework degrees	6.5	6	90	20
Research programs	All research programs including doctorate by research, doctorate by coursework, masters by research  Coursework research and commercialisation programs	6.5	6	90	20
Non-award programs	Visiting and study abroad	6.5	6	90	20
	QC05 University Tertiary Preparation Program — Stream A	6	5	80	18
QUTIC University Entry Programs and English Language Programs	QC05 University Tertiary Preparation Program—Stream B	6.5	6	90	18 WR 17 LS
	QC10 English for Academic Purposes for degrees requiring IELTS 6.5 (6.0)	5.5	5.5 WR 5 LS	69	18 WR 17 LS
	QC10 English for Academic Purposes for degrees requiring IELTS 6 (6.0) (e.g. engineering programs)	5.5	5	69	18 WR
	QC24 English for Academic Purposes EAP Plus	5	5 WR	60	18 WR
	QC12 English for Academic Purposes Advanced	6.5	6	90	20
	QC15 IELTS Advanced	6.5	6	90	20

Test scores must be undertaken within two years of the commencement date of the course at QUT.

L - Listening; R - Reading; S - Speaking; W - Writing

<sup>\*</sup>QUT now also accepts the Pearson Test of English(PTE) Academic, Cambridge English: Advanced (CAE) and Cambridge English: Proficiency (CPE) test results. The schedules can be found at www.qut.edu.au/international/applying/step-3-check-you-meet-the-entry-requirements

# International student fee and refund policy

### 1. Overview

- 1.1 This policy outlines QUT's principles and guidelines for the payment of international student fees and refunds. The policy complies with the requirements of the Education Services for Overseas Students (ESOS) Act 2000¹, the ESOS National Code of Practice, and observes the principles of the Universities Australia Code of Practice in the Provision of Education to International Students², and the National English Language Teaching Accreditation Scheme (NEAS)³.
- 1.2 All international students commencing and continuing their enrolment in any teaching period are required to pay tuition fees on a full fee paying basis, including those holding Australian bridging and temporary visas. An international student is defined as a student who does not hold citizenship of Australia or New Zealand, or an Australian permanent visa.

## 2. Application fee

- 2.1 There is an application fee payable on all international applications (F/FR forms). Exceptions include study abroad (SE form) and exchange applications, and those applications received by QUT staff or their delegates at promotional events, exhibitions, seminars and current QUT students. Applications from visiting students (V form) which are submitted by the published due date are not liable for an application fee, however a fee is payable for late lodgement.
- 2.2 This section is currently under review.
  - The application fee paid will be deducted from the first teaching period's tuition fee when accepting an offer of a place at QUT.

2.3 There is a non refundable registration fee for English Language Program applications.

### 3. Fee calculation

- 3.1 International tuition fees are set in accordance with QUT Student Rule 24(4), reviewed annually, published in QUT international publications, and in Table C on the QUT student services website, www.student. qut.edu.au/fees-and-finances/study-costs/fee-schedule/table-c-international-student-tuition-fee
- 3.2 International tuition fees are determined at a unit level and normally increase each year. The total amount payable for each teaching period is the sum of fees for individual units. International course fees are published in Table C on the QUT student services website, www.student.qut.edu.au/fees-and-finances/study-costs/fee-schedule/table-c-international-student-tuition-fee
- 3.3 Transitional arrangements exist for certain students offered prior to 2008 and are charged on a pro rata basis according to the course fees for a standard course load in the applicable year.
- 3.4 International student tuition fees include course tuition fee, laboratory deposits (if applicable), airport reception upon arrival<sup>4</sup>, accommodation service (excluding homestay)<sup>4</sup>, and English language support<sup>4</sup>.
- 3.5 International student tuition fees do not include textbooks, Student Guild fees, Overseas Student Health Cover (OSHC), additional compulsory course costs<sup>5</sup>, computer costs, stationery, photocopying, food, accommodation, transportation, or leisure activities.

- 3.6 The finalisation of the number of credit points in which a student is enrolled takes place at Census date of each teaching period.
- 3.7 If students withdraw from subjects after the Census date of the teaching period in which they are enrolled, they will still be liable to pay the tuition fee for those subjects.
- 3.8 If students enrol in additional credit points they will be required to pay additional tuition fees at the equivalent rate per credit point or the published unit rate.
- 3.9 If students withdraw from units, they will be required to pay tuition fees for the remaining enrolled units at the equivalent rate per credit point or the aggregate of the published unit rates.
- 3.10 If students undertake subjects during a summer program they will be required to pay tuition fees for those subjects at the same credit point rate that would normally be charged or the published unit rate.
- 3.11 If students fail a subject and are required to repeat that subject, they will be charged the full equivalent rate per credit point or the published unit rate for that subject.
- 3.12 If a student withdraws from a double degree, or exits early (graduates) with one of the single degrees, and continues their enrolment in the remaining single degree, the fee payable will be as described in Section 3.2.
- 3.13 If students cancel/withdraw from their course for any period and re-enrol in a later session, they must pay the fees as described in Section 3.2.

- 1 The ESOS Act and National Code of Practice can be viewed online at https://aei.gov. au/Regulatory-Information/Education-Services-for-Overseas-Students-ESOS-Legislative-Framework/ESOS-Act/ Pages/default.aspx
- 2 The Universities Australia Code of Practice in the Provision of Education to International Students can be viewed online at www.universitiesaustralia.edu. au/page/policy---advocacy/international/ code-of-practice/
- 3 Information about the National English Language Teaching Accreditation Scheme (NEAS) can be viewed online at www.neas.org.au/home/

## Research higher degree students (PhD, professional doctorate and research masters)

4.1 Most research students are able to commence their studies at any time in the year. Tuition fees are time based and will be pro-rated for the first and last teaching periods based on the student's commencement and completion dates. Fees are charged in accordance with the published international tuition fee rates.

# 5. International students on US FFEL Financial Aid Program

5.1 From December 2012 QUT will be a Deferment Only institution. This means that QUT will no longer be able to award any new or commencing student William D. Ford Direct Loan funds.
While QUT cannot award funds under this program, it can defer the repayment of existing direct loans if you are attending QUT on a full-

time or more than half-time basis.

## 6. Fee payment

- 6.1 Fees must be paid in Australian dollars, either in the form of a cheque or bank draft made payable to QUT, and drawn on an Australian branch of a recognised international bank or by telegraphic transfer or credit card (MasterCard, Visa and American Express accepted). Continuing international students can use BPay to pay their fees.
- 6.2 Commencing tuition fees are payable in advance. Fees payable for continuing teaching periods are due by the date stated on the Tax Invoice accessed via eStudent. Email notification is forwarded to the student email account when the Tax Invoice is available on-line. A late fee applies to payments received after the due date.

6.3 QUT can only accept payment for tuition fees and other associated course costs. QUT cannot accept payment for living or personal expenses.

## 7. Non payment of fees

- 7.1 Fees must be paid by the due date in order for enrolment in the current teaching period to be confirmed.
- 7.2 Failure to pay the required fees on time will result in an encumbrance against the student's record and suspension of access to all University Services. A late penalty fee will be levied on the outstanding amount. The student may be provided additional time to pay any outstanding fees, after which time the enrolment in the current and any future semesters will be cancelled. International student visa holders whose enrolment is cancelled for non payment of fees will be reported to the Department of Industry, Innovation Science, Research and Tertiary Education in accordance with the National Code. This may have implications on the student's visa.
- 7.3 If a student's enrolment is cancelled for non payment of fees, a fee liability will remain in accordance with section 9. Re-instatement of enrolment will only be possible after payment of all outstanding debts and approval from the Director, SBS. Readmission in a subsequent teaching period is subject to payment of all outstanding debts and meeting all admission requirements. If a student is readmitted, the tuition fees will be initially charged at the fee rate applicable for the year of their return to the course and thereafter as described in Section 3.
- 7.4 If students are experiencing difficulties in making fee payments, special payment arrangements can be made in exceptional circumstances.

#### 8. Leave of absence

- 8.1 Leave of absence will only be approved for international student visa holders under exceptional medical or compassionate (bereavement) grounds (The National Code Standard 13). Leave of absence is not normally available to commencing students. Tuition fees will not be charged if Leave of Absence is requested and approved prior to the start of the teaching period.
- 8.2 When returning from approved leave of absence international students will be charged as described in Section 3, unless they had accepted an offer to the course (for which leave of absence was granted) before 31 December 2007.

#### 9. Refunds

# 9.1 Course not commenced

Students commencing a new course who withdraw from that course before the commencement date of the teaching period:

### 9.1.1 English language courses:

- More than 28 days before the teaching period commences, will receive a full refund of all tuition fees paid for that course.
- Twenty-eight days or less before the teaching period commences, 20 per cent of the total unused tuition fees paid for that course will be retained.
- If students have accepted a package program of English language course(s) and non English language courses, 10 per cent of the non-English course tuition fee deposit paid is retained.

#### 9.1.2 All other students

All fees refunded, except 10 per cent of the first teaching period's published tuition fee for that year.

- 4 For all courses other than English language courses. Students undertaking English language courses pay a separate charge for airport reception and accommodation services. Service charges are nonrefundable.
- 5 Information on the compulsory courses costs is available at www.student.qut. edu.au/fees-and-finances/study-costs/ additional-compulsory-course-costs

# 9.2 Course not commenced (exceptional circumstances)

- 9.2.1 Exceptional circumstances may be accepted as grounds for a full or partial refund of fees for students who are unable to commence or cancel their course, subject to the provision of acceptable documentary evidence in support of the refund application. Exceptional circumstances may include: illness or disability, death of the student or a close family member (parent, sibling, spouse or child), or political, civil or natural event which prevents full payment of fees
- 92.2 Students who are unable to obtain a visa for studying in Australia, or are unable to meet all of the conditions stated in the letter of offer, will receive a full refund of tuition fees on supply of appropriate documentation (eg. letter of visa rejection from Australian Diplomatic Mission).

# 9.3 Cancel course/leave of absence after commencement (including continuing students)

Students who cancel their course, or successfully apply for Leave of Absence on or after commencement in the following teaching periods:

#### 9.3.1 English language courses

- After commencement of the teaching period, will not receive a refund of tuition fees for that teaching period. Will receive the balance of any unused tuition fees, less 20 per cent paid for other teaching periods in that course.
- · If students have accepted a package program of English language course(s) and non English language courses, 10 per cent of the non English course tuition fee for the first teaching period published for that year

# 9.32 Teaching periods of six weeks duration or less (except English language courses)

- Within first two weeks of teaching period commencement date, will be charged 50 per cent of the tuition fee invoiced for that teaching period. Any remaining fees will be refunded.
- After first two weeks of the teaching period commencement date, will not receive a refund of fees for that teaching period.

## 9.3.3 Teaching periods of 12 weeks duration or more (except English language courses)

- Within first 4 weeks of teaching period commencement date, will be charged 50% of the tuition fee invoiced for that teaching period. Any remaining fees will be refunded. Continuing research higher degree students (students undertaking a PhD (Doctor of Philosophy), Professional Doctorate or Research Master degree) will receive a full refund of fees.
- •After first 4 weeks of the teaching period, will not receive a refund of fees for that teaching period.

# 9.4 Cancel unit(s) after commencement (excluding English language courses)

Students who withdraw from a unit on or after commencement in one of the following teaching periods:

# 9.4.1 Teaching periods of six weeks duration or less

- Within first 2 weeks of teaching period commencement date, will receive a full tuition fee refund for that unit
- After 2 weeks of the teaching period commencement date, will not receive a tuition fee refund for that unit.

# 9.4.2 Teaching period of 12 weeks duration or more

- Within first four weeks of teaching period commencement date, will receive a full refund of tuition fees for that unit.
- •After four weeks of the teaching period, will not receive a tuition fee refund for that unit.

# 9.4.3 Unit withdrawal leading to no unit enrolment

·If withdrawal from unit(s) results in no unit enrolment in a course, clause 9.3 applies.

#### 9.5 Offer withdrawn by QUT

9.5.1 If an offer of a place is withdrawn by QUT on the basis of incorrect or incomplete information being supplied by the applicant/student, QUT reserves the right to retain 10% of the first teaching period's published tuition fee for that year.

#### 9.6 Academic exclusion

9.6.1 Students who are not eligible to continue their course of study due to academic exclusion at the end of a teaching period, will be eligible for a full refund of any tuition fees paid for any future teaching periods, subject to any outstanding debts being paid.

#### 9.7 Australian permanent residency

9.7.1 If Australian Permanent Resident status is obtained before the start of teaching in the offered course, the offer of a place as an international student will be withdrawn. Students will be considered for admission as a domestic (local) student in either a Commonwealth Supported Place, or full-fee paying domestic place in the same course, subject to course quotas, meeting all admission requirements for an Australian applicant, and the requirements stated in clause 9.7.3.

- 9.7.2 If Australian Permanent Resident status is obtained after enrolment and prior to the Census date for the teaching period in which enrolled, students will be considered for a Commonwealth Supported Place (subject to availability) or full fee paying domestic place in the same course subject to course quotas and the requirements stated in clause 9.7.3.
- 9.7.3 Students must provide original/certified documentary evidence of their Australian Permanent Resident status (visa date stamp in passport) and pay fees up front by the census date for the teaching period. Any remaining fees held in their QUT account can be refunded upon application. Students who are offered a Commonwealth Supported Place must also complete a Request for Commonwealth Assistance form by the census date of their first teaching period.
- 9.7.4 If students fail to successfully complete all necessary requirements detailed in clause 9.7.3 by the Census date of the relevant teaching period, they will remain an international student liable for international student tuition fees, until the next teaching period.

#### 9.8 Provider default

9.8.1 Refunds in the circumstance where QUT defaults on providing the course are covered by the provisions of the ESOS Act 2000 and the ESOS Regulations 2001.

### 10 Payment of refunds

10.1 Request for tuition fee refunds must be made on an International Refund (IR) Form, with appropriate supporting documentation and submitted to Student Business Services. The IR Form can be downloaded here www.student. qut.edu.au/forms#h2-6

- 10.2 A refund can only be paid if QUT has received the money and it has been entered into its accounts, and all debts to QUT have been paid.
- 10.3 Refunds are normally paid in Australian dollars, and can be refunded offshore by telegraphic transfer, or transferred to another Australian education institution. Students requesting funds to be transferred to another Australian institution, must include full bank details for that institution.
- 10.4 Refund payments will be made within 28 days of submitting the completed IR Form and all required supporting documentation. If QUT is unable to provide the accepted course of study, or withdraws the offer of a place, a refund will be made within 2 weeks of that notification.
- 10.5 All refunds will be made payable to the student, except formally approved sponsored students. All refunds for sponsored students will be paid to the sponsoring body and not individually to the student.
- 10.6 Students who have paid extra fees may keep the credit balance in their account to offset tuition fees payable for the next teaching period.
- 10.7 English language program students with package offers who meet the English language entry score for their principal course at QUT but who have paid for more ELP classes, can have that extra payment transferred to their principal course.
- 10.8 Requests for refunds of Overseas Student Health Cover (OSHC) must be made directly to the student's OSHC provider.

## 11 Appeal process

- 11.1 If a student is dissatisfied with the outcome of a refund request, or Cancellation for Non Payment of Fees, a written appeal can be made to the Director, Student Business Services, or if an English Language student, to the Director of Studies, English Language Programs.
- 11.2 If you are not satisfied with any decision made by QUT, or if you have any complaints about the services provided by staff of QUT, the University has a grievance resolution policy. Details can be accessed through the web based QUT Manual of Policy and Procedures -Grievance resolution procedures for student related grievances, at www.mopp.gut.edu. au/E/E\_09\_02.jsp If you continue to be unhappy with these processes, you can use an external agency, such as the Queensland Ombudsman, to obtain an independent assessment.
- 11.3 In the event of a disputed refund amount, students have the right to pursue other legal remedies. QUT's student grievance procedure does not remove their right to take further action under Australia's consumer protection laws (ESOS Act 2000-Sections 27-32, National Code sections 43-441).

# **Notes**

# Notes

# **Contact us**

## **QUT International**

Queensland University of Technology 2 George Street GPO Box 2434 Brisbane Queensland 4001 Australia Phone +61 3 9627 4853 Fax +61 3 9627 4863 Australia Freecall 1800 181 848 Visit www.qut.edu.au/international

CRICOS No. 00213J

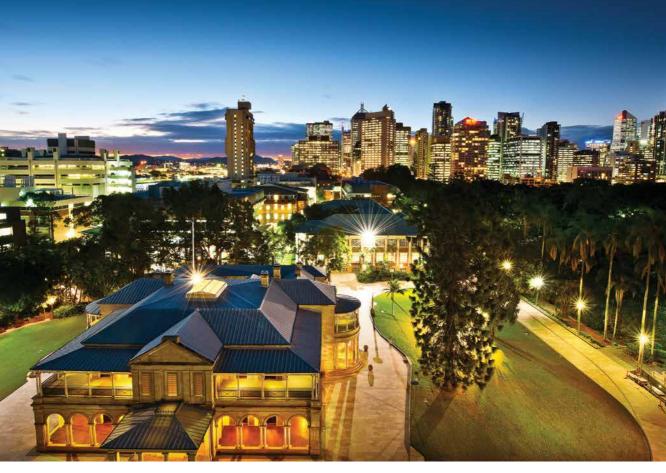


Australia's first **business school** with triple international accreditation









The information contained in this publication is correct at the time of printing (April 2013) but is subject to change. For up-to-date course information visit www.qut.edu.au/courses

© QUT 2013 19063









