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**LAW &
BUSINESS**



EXECUTIVE DEAN'S

WELCOME

The Faculty of Law and Business provides a unique and inspiring educational journey, unlike any other offered in Australia. Our curriculum is ethical, global and practical, and we produce lawyers and business leaders who operate in a socially responsible manner.

Our curriculum is global in its content and practical in its outcomes, ensuring our graduates are ready to take their place as leaders in the professions of law and business management. When you're ready to expand your career options, ACU's Faculty of Law and Business is the smarter choice.

Our graduates are highly competent, sought-after professionals – critical thinkers who are guided by a fundamental concern for justice, equity, and the dignity of all human beings.

In 2015 the Faculty will introduce a Master of Laws* (mid-year) and consolidate our postgraduate degrees in business with industry-related specialties such as occupational health safety, environmental management and supply chain management, along with our popular Master of Business Administration programs.

Professor David Spencer
Executive Dean (Acting), Faculty of Law and Business

With today's time constraints and many of our students juggling work and family, we understand the need for a flexible approach to study. Even if you have not studied at a tertiary level before, we take into consideration professional development and work-related experience to offer mature-age students a range of courses to upgrade skills and facilitate entry to a master's degree.

Our teaching is inspired by a strong commitment to every student, with a shared passionate belief that all of us, together, can make a positive difference for self and society.



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Visit our website
For in depth course information, including fees, scholarships, support services and campus information.
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FRONT COVER | Nicole Bechaz
Master of Business Administration (Executive)

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THE ACU MBA GIVES YOU
AN UNDERSTANDING OF
MODERN-DAY CORPORATE
DYNAMICS, AND THE SKILLS
AND EXPERTISE TO MANAGE
COMPLEX ISSUES IN A
GLOBAL ENVIRONMENT.

RAJAN WIJEY
MASTER OF BUSINESS
ADMINISTRATION (EXECUTIVE)

THE ACU

DIFFERENCE

Our graduates are skilled in their chosen fields, ethical in their behaviour, with a developed critical habit of mind, an appreciation of the sacred in life and a commitment to serving the common good.

WE'RE UNIQUE

We empower our students to think critically, ethically and to bring about change in their communities and professions.

WE VALUE YOU

As a publicly-funded university, we welcome staff and students of all beliefs and backgrounds. We are committed to providing equal access to education for all people.

WE VALUE COMMUNITY

It is critical for Australia to seek ways to connect the marginalised, poor and disadvantaged citizens in our communities. ACU acknowledges that universities, as public sites for education and research, have a pivotal role to play in this regard. ACU recognises that through community engagement, we contribute to:

- the common good;
- promoting engaged citizenship; and
- enriching our learning, teaching and research endeavours.

WE ARE AUSTRALIA'S LEADING CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY

ACU is supported by more than 2,000 years of Catholic intellectual tradition. As a member of the International Federation of Catholic Universities, we are devoted to communicating truth in every field of knowledge through teaching and research, as well as promoting the dignity of all people and the common good.

MISSION & PROFILE

Our mission underpins everything that we do at ACU. The University engages the Catholic intellectual tradition to bring a distinct perspective to higher education. We explore cultural, social, ethical and religious issues through the lens of the Catholic intellectual tradition in our teaching, research and service. By fostering and advancing knowledge in education, health, commerce, the humanities, the sciences and technologies, law, and the creative arts, ACU contributes to its local, national and international communities.

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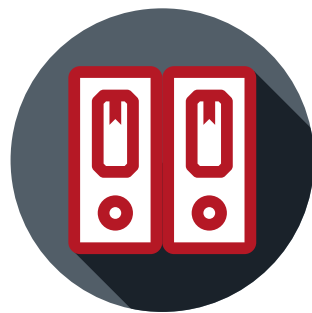
POSTGRADUATE

STUDY OPTIONS



COURSEWORK

Postgraduate coursework programs at ACU provide students with a structured learning format with set units of study and specific assessment tasks. These programs equip students with the flexibility to articulate through different course levels to masters or to exit early with an industry-relevant qualification.



MASTERS BY COURSEWORK

Offers students an intensive and in depth study that will enhance their professional and vocational skills in a specialised area.

Units of study: 12, 16 or 24



GRADUATE CERTIFICATE

For students who are looking to develop their skills and knowledge in a specialist area with a focus on professional development. A pathway to further postgraduate study.

Units of study: Four



SINGLE UNIT ENROLMENT

For those students who wish to commence study and gain a feel for a new career move or course area without committing to a full degree. Once complete may be used as credit towards further study.

Units of study: One



GRADUATE DIPLOMA

For students who are looking to develop their skills and knowledge in a professional vocational area. More in depth study.

Units of study: Eight



RESEARCH

A research degree provides thorough training in a particular discipline area through a process of original investigation in order to increase knowledge and make an important contribution to the development of new knowledge in society. Study is undertaken by work with one or more academics with specialist expertise in that area of study. ACU offers supervised research at either masters or doctoral level.

PhD: Three to four years

MPhil: Two years



IN AN INCREASINGLY COMPETITIVE WORKFORCE, AN HONOURS DEGREE PLACES ME IN A GOOD POSITION FOR FUTURE EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES.

PARIS TOUMA
BACHELOR OF MARKETING
(HONOURS)

FACULTY

PROFILE

THE FACULTY OF LAW AND BUSINESS PROVIDES UNDERGRADUATE AND POSTGRADUATE COURSES FOR APPROXIMATELY 3,000 STUDENTS ACROSS FOUR CAMPUSES LOCATED IN NORTH SYDNEY, STRATHFIELD, MELBOURNE AND BRISBANE. AROUND 1,000 STUDENTS COMMENCED IN LAW AND BUSINESS PROGRAMS IN 2014, INCLUDING INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS FROM 62 COUNTRIES.

OUR PROFILE



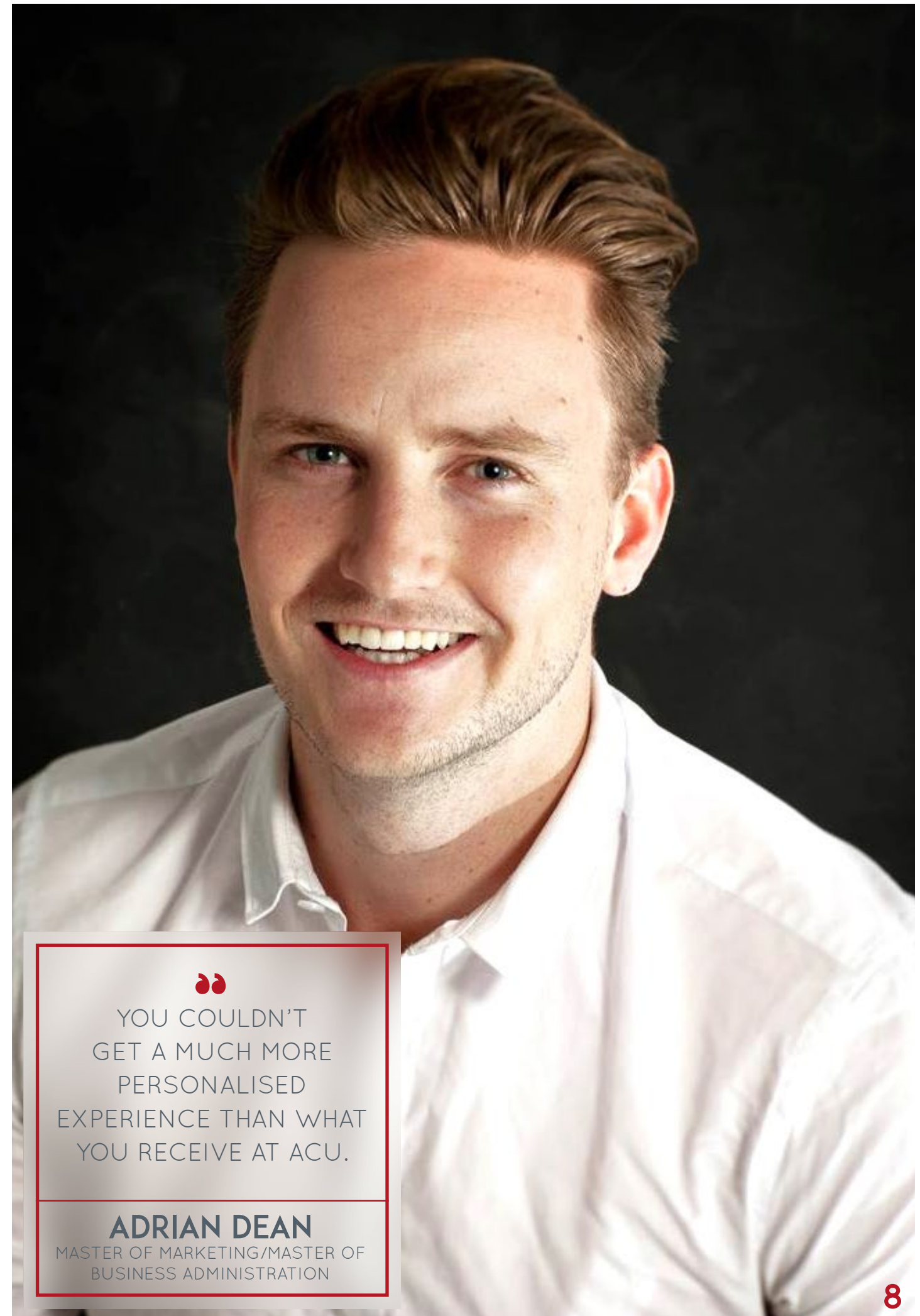
In a rapidly changing world, the ability to deal with complex and often unstructured problems is an essential skill, which all students should master. The Faculty offers high standards of law and business education and stresses a practical, problem-solving approach to learning. As members of the ACU community, students have the opportunity to develop personal values as well as professional skills. All subjects taught in the Faculty have a strong focus on social justice and ethical practices. Students are valued as individuals and teaching staff are directly involved with students' academic development.

THE MBA DIFFERENCE

ACU's Master of Business Administration (MBA) was awarded a four-star rating from the Graduate Management Association of Australia (GMAA), which places the University among the top institutions in the country for the program. The School of Business also achieved the highest possible rating of five stars in the Academic Qualifications category.

ACU is committed to delivering a quality MBA program – which provides an enriched learning experience and quality academic staff with a focus on responsible, ethical and sustainable business decision-making.

The MBA (Executive) weekend intensive program has proven to be very popular with professionals across all industries thanks to the small class sizes, highly interactive environment, wide range of industry experience among students and lecturers, excellent networking opportunities, flexibility in delivery mode and the friendly, collegial atmosphere.



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YOU COULDN'T
GET A MUCH MORE
PERSONALISED
EXPERIENCE THAN WHAT
YOU RECEIVE AT ACU.

ADRIAN DEAN
MASTER OF MARKETING/MASTER OF
BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

ACADEMIC

PROFILES



PROFESSOR LYNNE BENNINGTON

BAppSc(Psychology), BAppSc(SocWk), GradDipPsych(Curtin), MBA(Monash), PhD(LaTrobe)

Disciplinary expertise: Services, HRM, Public Sector, Sustainability, International Business, Organisational Psychology.



PROFESSOR ALAN BOWEN-JAMES

BA(Hons)(ANU), MBBS(UNSW), BA(Hons) (London), BLitt(Hons)(Deakin), CertDataAnalysis(UNSW), GradDipMgt (Deakin), MA(Murdoch), MA(STS)(Deakin), MCogSc(UNSW), MBA (Deakin), MScComms(CQU), MSc(ScEd)(Curtin), MPhil(Syd), MBEEnv(UTS), MJuris(Syd), MEnvLaw(Hons)(Syd), MSocSc(Hons)(CSU), MInfoTech(UOW), MPH(CFlinders), MSc(InfoSc)(ECU), PhD(ANU), ScEdD(Curtin)

Disciplinary expertise: Informatics and Knowledge Management, Supply Chain Management, Occupational Health, Safety and Environment, Corporate Governance and Social Responsibility.



PROFESSOR ROBIN KRAMAR

BCom(Hons)(UNSW), MCom(Hons)(UNSW), PhD(USyd)

Disciplinary expertise: Human Resource Management.



PROFESSOR GRANT JONES

BA DipEd(Macq), MPubPol(ANU), PhD(Canberra)

Disciplinary expertise: Organisational Behaviour, Sustainability in Organisations.

IN ADDITION TO THE PROFESSORiate, THERE ARE A LARGE NUMBER OF OTHER ACADEMICS, INCLUDING A RANGE OF SESSIONAL AND HONORARY TEACHING STAFF.



PROFESSOR TONY CIRO

BEcon/LLB(Hons)(Monash), BEcon(Acct&Fin) (Hons)(Monash), BCL(Oxon), PhD(Monash), CPA, Barrister-at-Law

Disciplinary expertise: Commercial Law, Accounting, Financial Markets Regulation.



PROFESSOR DON ROSS

BBA(Acadia), MBA(Dalhousie), PhD(Bradford)

Disciplinary expertise: Accounting and Finance, Financial Decision-Making for Accounting and Finance.



PROFESSOR PETER STEANE

BTheology(MCD), GradDipEd(ACU), MEd(UNE), PhD(Griff)

Disciplinary expertise: Strategy, Ethics, Leadership, Public Management, Non-Profits, Ethics and Spirituality .

GRADUATE

ATTRIBUTES

A postgraduate qualification from one of our seven campuses will be distinctive in its consideration of ethical and social responsibilities. ACU graduates are critical thinkers who have the skills to bring about change in their community, profession and industry.

INTELLECTUAL

- critical and analytical abilities
- enthusiasm to search for further knowledge and understanding
- open-mindedness and receptiveness to new ideas
- expertise in chosen academic field.

VALUES

- knowledge and skills to meet relevant professional requirements
- understanding of and commitment to professional ethical standards
- information literacy, communication and interpersonal skills.

PROFESSIONAL

- commitment to values consistent with the University's mission
- a spirit of service to the community
- commitment to good citizenship, including respect for individuals, empathy with persons of differing cultural and religious backgrounds, community responsibility and concern for the environment
- a high regard for equity and human rights in the context of a broad understanding of globalisation.



I WANTED A FACE-TO-FACE EXECUTIVE PROGRAM, WITH LECTURERS THAT HAD RECENT INDUSTRY EXPERIENCE AND A PROGRAM THAT WOULD FOCUS ON ETHICALLY RESPONSIBLE LEADERSHIP.

ERIN RYAN

MASTER OF BUSINESS
ADMINISTRATION (EXECUTIVE)

STUDENT

PROFILES



MICHAEL CURTIN

MASTER OF BUSINESS
ADMINISTRATION



ERICA HUTTER

MASTER OF BUSINESS
ADMINISTRATION (EXECUTIVE)



SIMONE CHETCUTI

MASTER OF BUSINESS
ADMINISTRATION

As business development manager at International SOS, a global health and logistics provider, Michael Curtin was eager to take the next step in his career.

"An MBA is a really good opportunity for me to get a better idea of what I want to do, and to also learn more about industries outside my own. If you really want to take that next step, it's become essential to have an MBA to break through to the next level.

"ACU is also really flexible, a lot of other courses insist on you being there a certain night of the week but because of the nature of my work, flexibility was very important.

"I'm already meeting some very interesting people and I'm learning a lot more about other industries."

Erica Hutter graduated from ACU with a Bachelor of Science (Environmental Science) and Master of Management, and returned to the University to commence an MBA in Sydney.

"The mode of study and location were major factors in choosing ACU for my MBA. The intense mode of study suits my circumstances – I was able to balance social and work commitments. I've studied at both North Sydney and Brisbane locations. This has been particularly convenient as on occasion I have been able to combine my work interstate with study.

"The classes and facilities are fantastic. There's the opportunity to meet wonderful people from a wide range of industries. The experience is well worth the effort."

"The intensive mode has suited me as it has enabled me to achieve my MBA in two years. You can elect to take up to six years, but I really wanted to put the effort in to finish quickly and have been well supported to do this. I have also enjoyed the flexibility of being able to undertake intensive weekends in Sydney or Brisbane.

"The lecturers have been fantastic, not only are they well experienced as lecturers, but they also have valid up-to-date knowledge of the subject matter.

The learning and relationships I have gained from my classmates has been invaluable. There have been many stories shared and problems solved, and I have really enjoyed this interaction."



THERE IS A SENSE OF CARE IN THE ATMOSPHERE AT ACU: EVERYTHING FROM LECTURERS GOING OUT OF THEIR WAY TO OFFER SUPPORT, TO THE OUTSTANDING SERVICE PROVIDED BY THE LIBRARY, RESEARCH AND ACADEMIC SUPPORT UNITS.

DR SEBASTIAN KROOK

MASTER OF BUSINESS
ADMINISTRATION

HOW

DO I APPLY?

Application to ACU postgraduate coursework programs, including graduate or postgraduate certificates and diplomas, master's degrees, professional doctorates and PhDs (Doctor of Philosophy), is by online application direct to ACU.

Look up your preferred course with our course search tool and view the application requirements specific to that program.



ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUIREMENTS

Application to some courses also requires the submission of supporting documentation and/or additional information forms.



RESEARCH APPLICATIONS

Applications to ACU postgraduate research programs are by online application to the University through the Office of Research. The University administers all applications for higher degrees by research. Prior to applying to enter a higher degree by research, you will need to develop a topic for your research, and find a supervisor. In the first instance you should contact the Research Service Officers.



RESEARCH SERVICES OFFICER

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T: (07) 3623 7294

Ballarat and Melbourne
T: (03) 9953 3154

COURSE

LISTINGS
2015

ACCOUNTING						
COURSE	DURATION	CAMPUS/ MODE	INTAKE	FEES	CSP	FURTHER INFORMATION & REQUIREMENTS
GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN PROFESSIONAL ACCOUNTING On successful completion of this course, graduates will be eligible to progress into the Diploma of Professional Accounting.	6 months FT or equivalent PT	Sydney Melbourne	Sem 1 Sem 2	\$2,970/unit (INT) \$2,755/unit (DOM)	N	To be eligible for admission to the course, an applicant must comply with admission rules and have completed the following prerequisites: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Bachelor degree in any discipline; or ➤ at least two years professional experience in management/ leadership positions.
		On campus				
GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN PROFESSIONAL ACCOUNTING On successful completion of this course, graduates will be eligible to progress into the Master of Professional Accounting.	1 year FT or equivalent PT	Sydney Melbourne	Sem 1 Sem 2	\$2,970/unit (INT) \$2,755/unit (DOM)	N	To be eligible for admission to the course, an applicant must comply with admission rules and have completed the following prerequisites: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Bachelor degree in any discipline; or ➤ Graduate Certificate in Professional Accounting.
		On campus				
MASTER OF PROFESSIONAL ACCOUNTING This course is designed to provide the competencies necessary to pursue a rewarding and successful career in accounting. Students are taught essential accounting principles, practices and techniques and how to apply these to a variety of situations, including auditing, financial reporting, internal controls and management accounting. This course has been specifically designed for graduates of non-business or accounting degrees who aspire to become qualified accountants. The course is CPA Australia and ICAA accredited.	1.5 years FT or equivalent PT	Sydney Melbourne	Sem 1 Sem 2	\$2,970/unit (INT) \$2,755/unit (DOM)	Y	To be eligible for admission to the course, an applicant must comply with admission rules and have completed the following prerequisites: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Bachelor degree in any discipline; or ➤ Graduate Certificate in Professional Accounting.
		On campus				
MASTER OF PROFESSIONAL ACCOUNTING/ MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION This dual degree is designed for those seeking a professional qualification in accounting. In addition, students will gain an advanced understanding of the principles of management and the application of accounting methods to a broad range of commercial and organisational settings.	2 years FT or equivalent PT	Sydney Melbourne	Sem 1 Sem 2	\$2,970/unit (INT) \$2,755/unit (DOM)	N	To be eligible for admission to the course, an applicant must comply with admission rules and have completed the following prerequisites: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Bachelor degree in any discipline; ➤ Graduate Certificate in Professional Accounting; or ➤ Graduate Certificate in Business Administration.
		On campus				

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION						
COURSE	DURATION	CAMPUS/ MODE	INTAKE	FEES	CSP	FURTHER INFORMATION & REQUIREMENTS
GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION On successful completion of this course, students will be eligible to progress into the Diploma of Business Administration.	6 months FT or equivalent PT	Sydney Melbourne	Sem 1 Sem 2	\$2,970/unit (INT) \$2,755/unit (DOM)	N	To be eligible for admission to the course, an applicant must comply with admission rules and have completed the following prerequisites: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Bachelor degree in any discipline; or ➤ at least two years professional experience in management/ leadership positions.
		On campus				
GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION On successful completion of this course, students will be eligible to progress into the Master of Business Administration.	1 year FT or equivalent PT	Sydney Melbourne	Sem 1 Sem 2	\$2,970/unit (INT) \$2,755/unit (DOM)	N	To be eligible for admission to the course, an applicant must comply with admission rules and have completed the following prerequisites: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Bachelor degree in any discipline; or ➤ Graduate Certificate in Business Administration.
		On campus				
MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION Designed for practicing and aspiring business leaders, the MBA will enhance students' understanding of strategic management, organisational and operational business processes. The course provides analytical tools for decision making and leadership skills to further careers in commerce, government and a wide range of not for-profit organisations. The course is ideal for those for whom ethical, informed and sustainable decision-making choices will define their management style.	1.5 years FT or equivalent PT	Sydney Melbourne	Sem 1 Sem 2	\$2,970/unit (INT) \$2,755/unit (DOM)	Y	To be eligible for admission to the course, an applicant must comply with admission rules and have completed the following prerequisites: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Bachelor degree in any discipline; or ➤ Graduate Certificate in Business Administration.
		On campus				
GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (EXECUTIVE) On successful completion of this course, students will be eligible to progress into the Graduate Diploma in Business Administration or the Master of Business Administration (Executive).	1 year PT	Sydney Brisbane Melbourne* *not offered in 2014	Rolling intake	\$2,755/unit (DOM)	N	To be eligible for admission to the course, an applicant must comply with admission rules and have completed the following prerequisites: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Bachelor degree or higher level AQF qualification in any discipline; and ➤ at least three years managerial and/or professional experience; or ➤ full membership status of a professional organisation recognised by the Faculty as providing a valid assessment of professional competence in its membership entry/ acceptance process.
		Intensive				

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION						
COURSE	DURATION	CAMPUS/ MODE	INTAKE	FEES	CSP	FURTHER INFORMATION & REQUIREMENTS
GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (EXECUTIVE) On successful completion of this course, students will be eligible to progress into the Master of Business Administration (Executive).	1 year PT	Sydney Brisbane Melbourne* <small>*not offered in 2014</small>	Rolling intake	\$2,755/unit (DOM)	Y	To be eligible for admission to the course, an applicant must comply with admission rules and have completed the following prerequisites: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Bachelor degree or higher level AQF qualification in any discipline; and ➤ at least three years managerial and/or professional experience; or ➤ Graduate Certificate in Business Administration (Executive).
		Intensive				
MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (EXECUTIVE) This course is designed for experienced managers and professionals who aspire to executive roles - critical and creative thinkers for whom ethical, informed and sustainable decision-making choices will define their management style. The course is designed to accommodate professionals who may need to balance the competing pressures of family, work and lifestyle. The course is offered in intensive mode over 24 weekends and applications are welcomed year round.	2 years PT	Sydney Brisbane Melbourne* <small>*not offered in 2014</small>	Rolling intake	\$2,755/unit (DOM)	N	To be eligible for admission to the course, an applicant must comply with admission rules and have completed the following prerequisites: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Bachelor degree or higher level AQF qualification in any discipline; and ➤ at least three years managerial and/or professional experience; or ➤ Graduate Certificate in Business Administration (Executive) or its equivalent.
		Intensive				
GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (HEALTH) On successful completion of this course, students will be eligible to progress into the Diploma of Business Administration (Health).	6 months FT or equivalent PT	Sydney Brisbane Melbourne	Sem 1 Sem 2	\$2,755/unit (DOM)	N	To be eligible for admission to the course, an applicant must have completed the following prerequisites: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Bachelor degree in a cognate discipline; or ➤ a minimum three years experience in a managerial role.
		Multi-mode				
GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (HEALTH) On successful completion of this course, students will be eligible to progress into the Master of Business Administration (Health).	1 year FT or equivalent PT	Sydney Brisbane Melbourne	Sem 1 Sem 2	\$2,755/unit (DOM)	Y	To be eligible for admission to the course, an applicant must have completed the following prerequisites: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Bachelor degree in a cognate discipline; or ➤ a Graduate Certificate in Business Administration (Health) or equivalent award; and ➤ a minimum three years experience in a managerial role.
		Multi-mode				

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SIMONE CHETCUTI
MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (EXECUTIVE)

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION						
COURSE	DURATION	CAMPUS/ MODE	INTAKE	FEES	CSP	FURTHER INFORMATION & REQUIREMENTS
MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (HEALTH) This course is designed for senior managers with a health sector background who want to enhance their understanding of the strategic management processes in the health sector. Facing the challenges of high occupational risk, rapid technological change, tight budgets and the ongoing impacts of health reform, this course provides analytical tools for decision making and leadership skills. It is relevant to those working in management positions in hospitals, health departments, community health and primary healthcare organisations, medical practices, hospital networks and other health-focused organisations.	2 years PT	Sydney Brisbane Melbourne	Sem 1 Sem 2	\$2,755/unit (DOM)	N	To be eligible for admission to the course, an applicant must have completed the following prerequisites: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Bachelor degree in a cognate discipline; or ➤ a Graduate Certificate in Business Administration (Health), or a Graduate Certificate in Health Administration, or equivalent award; and ➤ a minimum of three years experience in management or leadership positions in healthcare organisations.
		Multi-mode				

COMMERCE						
COURSE	DURATION	CAMPUS/ MODE	INTAKE	FEES	CSP	FURTHER INFORMATION & REQUIREMENTS
GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN COMMERCE On successful completion of this course, students will be eligible to progress into the Graduate Diploma in Commerce.	6 months FT or equivalent PT	Brisbane Melbourne Sydney	Sem 1 Sem 2	\$2,970/unit (INT) \$2,755/unit (DOM)	N	To be eligible for admission to the course, an applicant must comply with admission rules and have completed the following prerequisites: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Bachelor degree in any discipline; or ➤ two years professional experience in a supervisory role.
		Multi-mode				
GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN COMMERCE On successful completion of this course, students will be eligible to progress into the Master of Commerce.	1 year FT or equivalent PT	Brisbane Melbourne Sydney	Sem 1 Sem 2	\$2,970/unit (INT) \$2,755/unit (DOM)	Y	To be eligible for admission to the course, an applicant must comply with admission rules and have completed the following prerequisites: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Bachelor degree in any discipline; or ➤ Graduate Certificate in Commerce.
		Multi-mode				

COMMERCE						
COURSE	DURATION	CAMPUS/ MODE	INTAKE	FEES	CSP	FURTHER INFORMATION & REQUIREMENTS
MASTER OF COMMERCE WITH MAJORS IN ACCOUNTING, BUSINESS INFORMATION SYSTEMS, HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT AND MARKETING This course, new for 2014, was developed in consultation with peak and industry bodies. As well as providing an advanced understanding of commerce and management, the program offers students the choice of four specialisations. This course is highly suitable for graduates with a non-business degree who want a senior management career in business or business graduates seeking a deeper knowledge of their field of practice. On successful completion of the course, students will be eligible to apply for senior membership of CPA Australia, the Institute of Chartered Accountants Australia, the Australian Marketing Institute, the Australian Human Resources Institute, the Australian Computer Society and other professional organisations. *Brisbane: Only majors in marketing and business information systems available for 2015. These courses consist of 12 subjects and entry is restricted to students who have a bachelor level qualification in any management or business discipline. The School of Business is happy to check student's current award to advise eligibility.	2 years FT or equivalent PT	Brisbane* Melbourne Sydney	Sem 1 Sem 2	\$2,970/unit (INT) \$2,755/unit (DOM)	Y	To be eligible for admission to the course, an applicant must comply with admission rules and have completed the following prerequisites: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Bachelor degree in any discipline; or ➤ master degree in any discipline; or ➤ postgraduate award of no less than eight units.
		Multi-mode				
MASTER OF COMMERCE/MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION This MBA dual degree will equip you for senior managerial roles across a broad spectrum of industries in the public and private sectors. You will graduate with both an MBA and a specialised masters for a career in accounting, business information systems, human resource management and marketing. The MCom/MBA majors will assist graduates in achieving senior membership of the Certified Practicing Accountants of Australia, the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Australia, the Institute of Public Accountants, the Australian Marketing Institute, the Australian Human Resources Institute, the Australian Computer Society and other peak and industry bodies. *Brisbane: Only majors in marketing and business information systems available for 2015.	3 years FT or equivalent PT	Sydney Melbourne Brisbane*	Sem 1 Sem 2	\$2,970/unit (INT) \$2,755/unit (DOM)	N	To be eligible for admission to the course, an applicant must comply with admission rules and have completed the following prerequisites: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Bachelor degree in any discipline; or ➤ postgraduate award of no less than four units, or ➤ relevant professional and/or managerial experience of no less than two years full-time or equivalent part-time.
		Multi-mode				

LEADERSHIP (RESILIENT ENTERPRISES)						
COURSE	DURATION	CAMPUS/ MODE	INTAKE	FEES	CSP	FURTHER INFORMATION & REQUIREMENTS
GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN LEADING RESILIENT ENTERPRISES This course is for those who are driven by a desire to create meaningful and lasting change within their workplace and society, yet face the challenges of balancing stakeholder expectations and securing the long term financial health of the organisation.	Available only to sponsored cohorts	Sydney Brisbane Melbourne	Rolling intake	\$2,755/unit (DOM)	Y	To be eligible for admission to the course, an applicant must comply with admission rules and have completed the following prerequisites: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Bachelor degree in any discipline; or ➤ two years experience in a supervisory role.
		Intensive				

MANAGEMENT (NOT-FOR-PROFIT)						
COURSE	DURATION	CAMPUS/ MODE	INTAKE	FEES	CSP	FURTHER INFORMATION & REQUIREMENTS
GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN MANAGEMENT OF NOT-FOR-PROFIT ORGANISATIONS For senior decision makers and aspiring managers in the not-for-profit sector, this program aims to create dynamic, capable leaders equipped to navigate the evolving NFP landscape to take their organisations to the next level. Areas of focus include money management, human resources, marketing and governance.	Available only to sponsored cohorts	Sydney Melbourne Brisbane	Rolling intake	\$2,755/unit (DOM)	Y	To be eligible for admission to the course, an applicant must comply with admission rules and have completed the following prerequisites: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Bachelor degree in any discipline; or ➤ at least two years professional experience in management/ leadership positions.
		Intensive				

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH SAFETY AND ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT						
COURSE	DURATION	CAMPUS/ MODE	INTAKE	FEES	CSP	FURTHER INFORMATION & REQUIREMENTS
MASTER OF OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH SAFETY AND ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT/MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION This MBA dual degree will equip you for senior managerial roles across a broad spectrum of industries in the public and private sectors. You will graduate with both an MBA and a specialised masters for a career in occupational health safety and environmental management. The MOHSEMgmt/MBA was designed for workplace and environmental health and safety practitioners to prepare for senior careers in these areas in accordance with the latest national regulations and professional standards.	3 years FT or equivalent PT	Sydney Melbourne Brisbane	Sem 1 Sem 2	\$2,970/unit (INT) \$2,755/unit (DOM)	Y	To be eligible for admission to the course, an applicant must comply with admission rules and have completed the following prerequisites: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Bachelor degree in any discipline; or ➤ postgraduate award of no less than four units; or ➤ relevant professional and/or managerial experience of no less than two years full-time or equivalent part-time.
		Multi-mode				

SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT						
COURSE	DURATION	CAMPUS/ MODE	INTAKE	FEES	CSP	FURTHER INFORMATION & REQUIREMENTS
GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT The Graduate Certificate in Supply Chain Management is for people who already have some knowledge of supply chain concepts and principles and want to develop it further by addressing issues such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ material and information flows; ➤ translating business goals into value chains; ➤ applying advanced project management principles to the implementation of supply chain strategies. 	6 months FT or equivalent PT	Online	Sem 1 Sem 2	\$2,755/unit (DOM)	Y	To be eligible for admission to the course, an applicant must have completed the following prerequisites: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Bachelor degree in any discipline; or ➤ at least two years professional experience in a relevant field of endeavour. Applicants admitted on the basis of professional experience alone may only be admitted into the graduate certificate. On successful completion of the graduate certificate, a graduate may apply for admission into the Graduate Diploma or Master of Supply Chain Management, with advanced standing for units completed in the graduate certificate.
		Online				



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SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT						
COURSE	DURATION	CAMPUS/ MODE	INTAKE	FEES	CSP	FURTHER INFORMATION & REQUIREMENTS
GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT On successful completion of this course, students will be eligible to progress into the Master of Supply Chain Management.	1 year FT or equivalent PT	Online	Sem 1 Sem 2	\$2,755/unit (DOM)	Y	To be eligible for admission to the course, an applicant must have completed the following prerequisites: <ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Bachelor degree in any discipline; or➤ Graduate Certificate in Supply Chain Management or comparable award.
		Online				
MASTER OF SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT This course is available to those who have no previous background in supply chain management or logistics who aspire to a career in this field, as well as to those with a background in logistics or supply chain management who intend to advance their career opportunities through gaining an advanced qualification.	1.5 years FT or equivalent PT	Online	Sem 1 Sem 2	\$2,755/unit (DOM)	Y	To be eligible for admission to the course, an applicant must comply with admission rules and have completed the following prerequisites: <ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Bachelor degree in any discipline; and➤ at least two years relevant managerial and/or professional experience; or➤ Graduate Diploma in Supply Chain Management or comparable award.
		Online				
MASTER OF SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT/MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION This MBA dual degree will equip you for senior managerial roles across a broad spectrum of industries in the public and private sectors. You will graduate with both an MBA and a specialised masters for a career in supply chain management. The MSCMgt/ MBA was developed in partnership with the Chartered Institute of Logistics and Transport and other supply chain peak bodies, and will prepare you for a senior role in supply chain management.	3 years FT or equivalent PT	Brisbane Melbourne Sydney	Sem 1 Sem 2	\$2,970/unit (INT) \$2,755/unit (DOM)	N	To be eligible for admission to the course, an applicant must comply with admission rules and have completed the following prerequisites: <ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Bachelor degree in any discipline; or➤ postgraduate award of no less than four units; or➤ relevant professional and/or managerial experience of no less than two years full-time or equivalent part-time.
		Multi-mode				

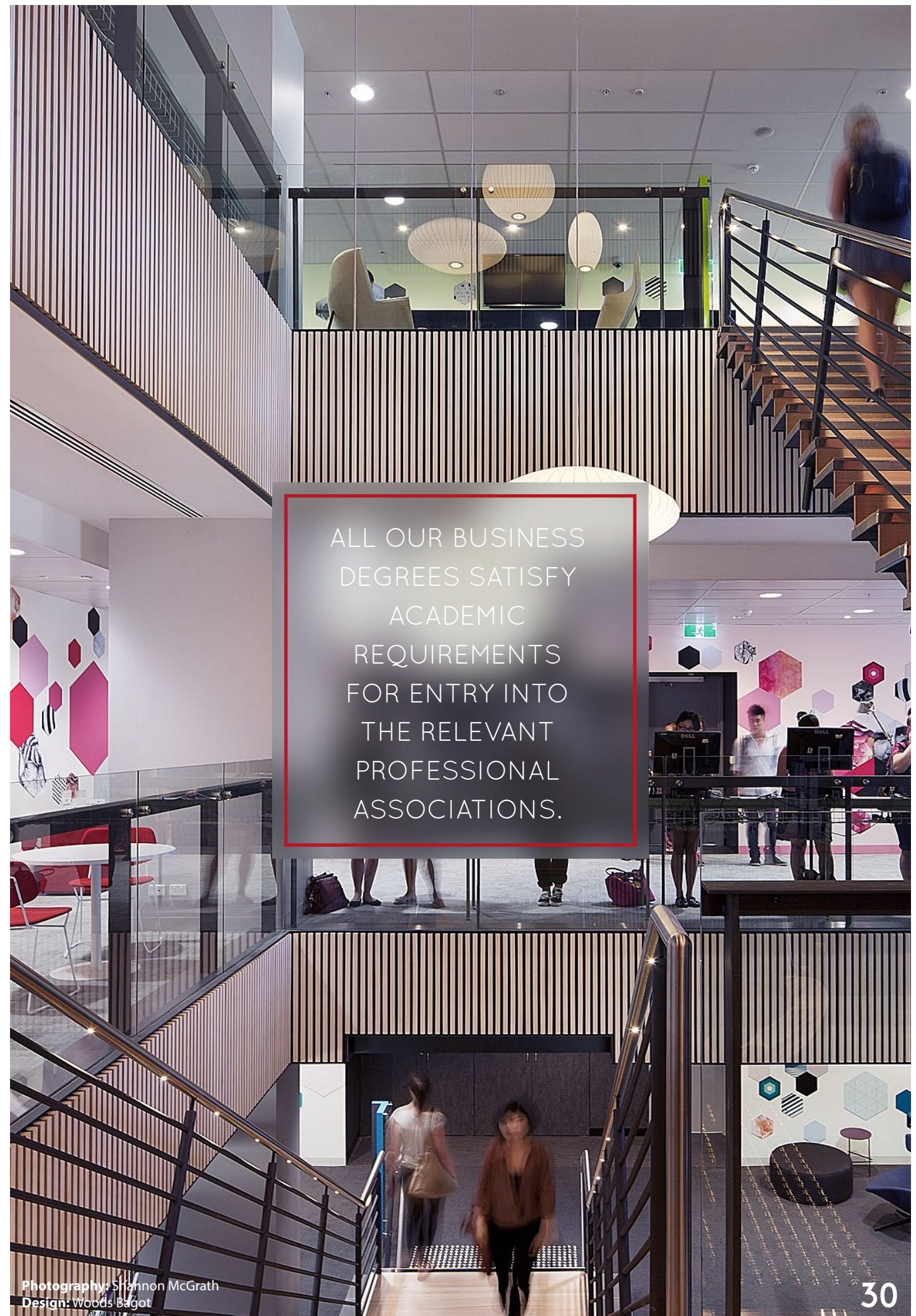
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY						
COURSE	DURATION	CAMPUS/ MODE	INTAKE	FEES	CSP	FURTHER INFORMATION & REQUIREMENTS
GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY On successful completion of this course, students will be eligible to progress into the Graduate Diploma in Information Technology.	6 months FT or equivalent PT	Brisbane Melbourne Sydney	Sem 1 Sem 2	\$2,970/unit (INT) \$2,755/unit (DOM)	N	To be eligible for admission to the course, an applicant must comply with admission rules and have completed the following prerequisites: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Bachelor degree in any discipline; or ➤ two years experience in a relevant professional ICT position.
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GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY On successful completion of this course, students will be eligible to progress into the Master of Information Technology.	1 year FT or equivalent PT	Brisbane Melbourne Sydney	Sem 1 Sem 2	\$2,970/unit (INT) \$2,755/unit (DOM)	N	To be eligible for admission to the course, an applicant must comply with admission rules and have completed the following prerequisites: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Bachelor degree in any discipline; or ➤ Graduate Certificate in Information Technology
		Multi-mode				
MASTER OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY This course equips students to apply appropriate technologies in the analysis and design of business systems, as well as reflect on, and respond to, related ethical, legal, and social issues. Students are able to select an area of specialisation from applications development, business analysis or database administration.	2 years FT or equivalent PT	Brisbane Melbourne Sydney	Sem 1 Sem 2	\$2,970/unit (INT) \$2,755/unit (DOM)	Y	To be eligible for admission to the course, an applicant must comply with admission rules and have completed the following prerequisites: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Bachelor degree in any discipline; or ➤ Graduate Certificate in Information Technology.
		Multi-mode				
MASTER OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY/MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION This dual degree is designed for those seeking to develop their technical competencies along with gaining strategic management skills to advance a career in information and communications technology and management. The course provides students with analytical decision-making and leadership skills and the opportunity to select an area of specialisation from applications development, business analysis or database administration. Graduates will be eligible for full professional membership of the Australian Computer Society.	3 years FT or equivalent PT	Sydney Melbourne	Sem 1 Sem 2	\$2,970/unit (INT) \$2,755/unit (DOM)	Y	To be eligible for admission to the course, an applicant must have completed the following prerequisites: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Bachelor degree in any discipline; or ➤ Graduate Certificate in Information Technology; or ➤ master degree in any discipline; or ➤ postgraduate award of no less than four units; or ➤ an overseas qualification equivalent to at least a bachelor degree recognised in the AEINOOSR Guidelines.
		Multi-mode				

RESEARCH DEGREES						
COURSE	DURATION	CAMPUS/ MODE	INTAKE	FEES	CSP	FURTHER INFORMATION & REQUIREMENTS
MASTER OF PHILOSOPHY The Master of Philosophy degree is awarded without classification on the basis of examination of a major thesis. The requirements for the degree shall be completed by submission of a thesis, which demonstrates the ability of a student to conduct a research program, a command of the knowledge and skills pertinent to the area of investigation, and a critical appreciation and understanding of the relationship of the student's work to the work of others within the subject area. Students are admitted in fields in which there exists a demonstrated capacity for research supervision. Research degree students are accepted and enrolled in a faculty, and may also be associated with a research centre or institute.	Min 1 year (max 2 years) FT or equivalent PT	Ballarat Brisbane Canberra Melbourne North Sydney Strathfield	Jan Mar Jun Sep	See further information under Financial Assistance & Scholarships	Y	Appropriate undergraduate honours degree or equivalent; or masters degree with appropriate research training in a relevant field; or masters preliminary program; or equivalent qualification or experience.
		Multi-mode				
DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY The degree of Doctor of Philosophy is awarded without classification on the basis of examination of a major thesis. The requirements for the degree shall be completed by submission of a thesis which demonstrates that the student has made a substantial contribution to learning and appreciates and understands the relationship of the student's own investigations to a wider field of knowledge.	Min 3 years (max 4 years) FT or equivalent PT	Ballarat Brisbane Canberra Melbourne North Sydney Strathfield	Jan Mar Jun Sep	See further information under Financial Assistance & Scholarships	Y	An appropriate undergraduate degree with honours at a minimum level of Second Class Division A or equivalent; or a masters degree with appropriate research training in a relevant field; or a masters preliminary program with results at distinction level; or an equivalent qualification or experience.
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MASTER OF LAWS

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SUPPORT

SERVICES



Each of our seven campuses is equipped with the latest technology and dedicated computer labs accessible to students.



Our library resources are extensive with both print and online collections available; you can order library resources from any one of our campuses across Australia.



A confidential counselling service is available to support students in university life and beyond, available to any student with personal, study or work-related issues.



Campus Ministry offers pastoral support and spiritual mentoring to students and staff.



Careers counselling offers students the opportunity to explore their career options, develop job applications and sharpen interview skills.



Academic skills advice provides resources and assistance to students in writing, time management, exam preparation and oral presentations.



Disability services support students to overcome barriers that could hinder their university education. ACU is committed to ensuring that every student's experience is free from discrimination and harassment.

STUDY MODES

& LOCATIONS

Study mode is the way in which a course or unit is delivered. ACU offers a number of flexible delivery options to suit your family and work commitments.

FULL-TIME

To be regarded as full-time, a student must be undertaking a load of at least 0.75 EFTSL. For example, in a course with the standard annual credit point load of 80 credit points, to be enrolled full-time a student must undertake at least 30 credit points per semester.

PART-TIME

A part-time student is one who undertakes a load of less than 0.75 EFTSL. For example, in a course with the standard annual credit point load of 80 credit points, a part-time student would undertake less than 30 credit points per semester.

ONSHORE

Delivered at an ACU campus.

OFF-CAMPUS

Delivered at another location.

OFFSHORE

Delivered at an overseas location.

ONLINE

Delivered online from an ACU campus.

ATTENDANCE

Primarily attendance, either face-to-face or via video conference, at an ACU campus or another location.

MULTI-MODE

Some online with a compulsory attendance component (including examinations etc).

INTENSIVE

Units are delivered in a block over consecutive weekdays and/or weekends.

ONLINE

Fully online (including assessments).

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

& SCHOLARSHIPS



FULL FEE PAYING

Students can nominate to pay their fees upfront without any government subsidy. There are no eligibility requirements to pay in this way. Contact the ACU Student Centre for more information.



COMMONWEALTH SUPPORTED PLACE (CSP)

Commonwealth supported places are subsidised by the Australian Government, with the student paying the remainder of the fees through a 'student contribution' amount. Not all postgraduate courses offer CSP places, and eligibility requirements apply.



FEE-HELP

FEE-HELP is a government loan scheme that assists eligible domestic fee paying students to defer payment of all or part of their tuition fees. Repayment of the loan occurs through the tax system once your income exceeds the minimum threshold. Lump sum payments can also be made.

www.studyassist.gov.au



RESEARCH TRAINING SCHEME/ACU FEE-WAIVER

Commencing domestic students enrolling in a doctorate or masters by research at ACU will be granted a Research Training Scheme entitlement under the Commonwealth Government's Research Training Scheme (RTS). This means candidates are provided with an exemption from course fees.



POSTGRADUATE COURSEWORK SCHOLARSHIPS

A number of university scholarships are available to commencing and continuing postgraduate coursework students providing assistance with education, living and/or travel costs. For scholarship eligibility criteria and application information visit

www.acu.edu.au/scholarships



POSTGRADUATE RESEARCH SCHOLARSHIPS & FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

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