



recognised potential for advanced managerial responsibility. This program focuses on those areas of modern management that develop judgement, skills and attitudes that are essential to managerial responsibility.

### **Program objectives**

The Master of Project Management aims to produce graduates who are able to:

- demonstrate underlying knowledge of the theoretical structure of project management as defined by the Project Management Body of Knowledge
- demonstrate essential skills in relation to identification and analysis of logistics management, and integrate logistics management into the overall operation of the organisation
- apply the theoretical principles of project management to a project environment in relation to project:
  - scheduling and time management
  - cost management
  - quality management
  - human resources management
  - communications management
  - risk management
  - procurement management
  - integration management
  - scope management
- apply management skills acquired through elective courses in the context of project management.

The Master of Business

Candidates who do not have a degree will be permitted to enrol in the [Postgraduate Certificate of Business \(Business Foundation\)](#) or the [Postgraduate Certificate of Business \(Project Management\)](#), provided that they have a minimum of three years' full-time equivalent work experience, which includes relevant experience as deemed sufficient and appropriate on application. Upon completion and achievement of a minimum GPA of 4.0, they will be eligible to articulate into the double-degree program.

Candidates who have a degree but do not have a minimum of three years' full-time relevant professional work experience will be permitted to enrol in the [Postgraduate Certificate of Business \(Early Career\)](#) only. Upon completion and achievement of a minimum GPA of 4.0, they will be eligible for entry into the double-degree program.

Domestic and International Applicants from a non-English speaking background are required to satisfy [English language requirements](#).

If you do not meet the English language requirements you may apply to study a University-approved [English language program](#). On successful completion of the English language program, Applicants may be admitted to an Award Program.

## **Program fees**

### **Domestic full fee paying place**

Domestic full fee paying places are funded entirely through the full fees paid by the student. Full fees vary depending on the courses that are taken. You are able to calculate the fees for a particular course via the [Course Fee Finder](#).

Domestic full fee paying students may be eligible to defer their fees through a Government loan called [FEE-HELP](#) provided they meet the residency and citizenship requirements.

Australian citizens, Permanent Humanitarian Visa holders, Permanent Resident visa holders and New Zealand citizens who will be resident outside Australia for the duration of their program pay full tuition fees and are not eligible for [FEE-Help](#).

### **International full fee paying place**

International students pay full fees. Full fees vary depending on the courses that are taken and whether they are studied on-campus, via distance education/online. You are able to calculate the fees for a particular course via the [Course Fee Finder](#).

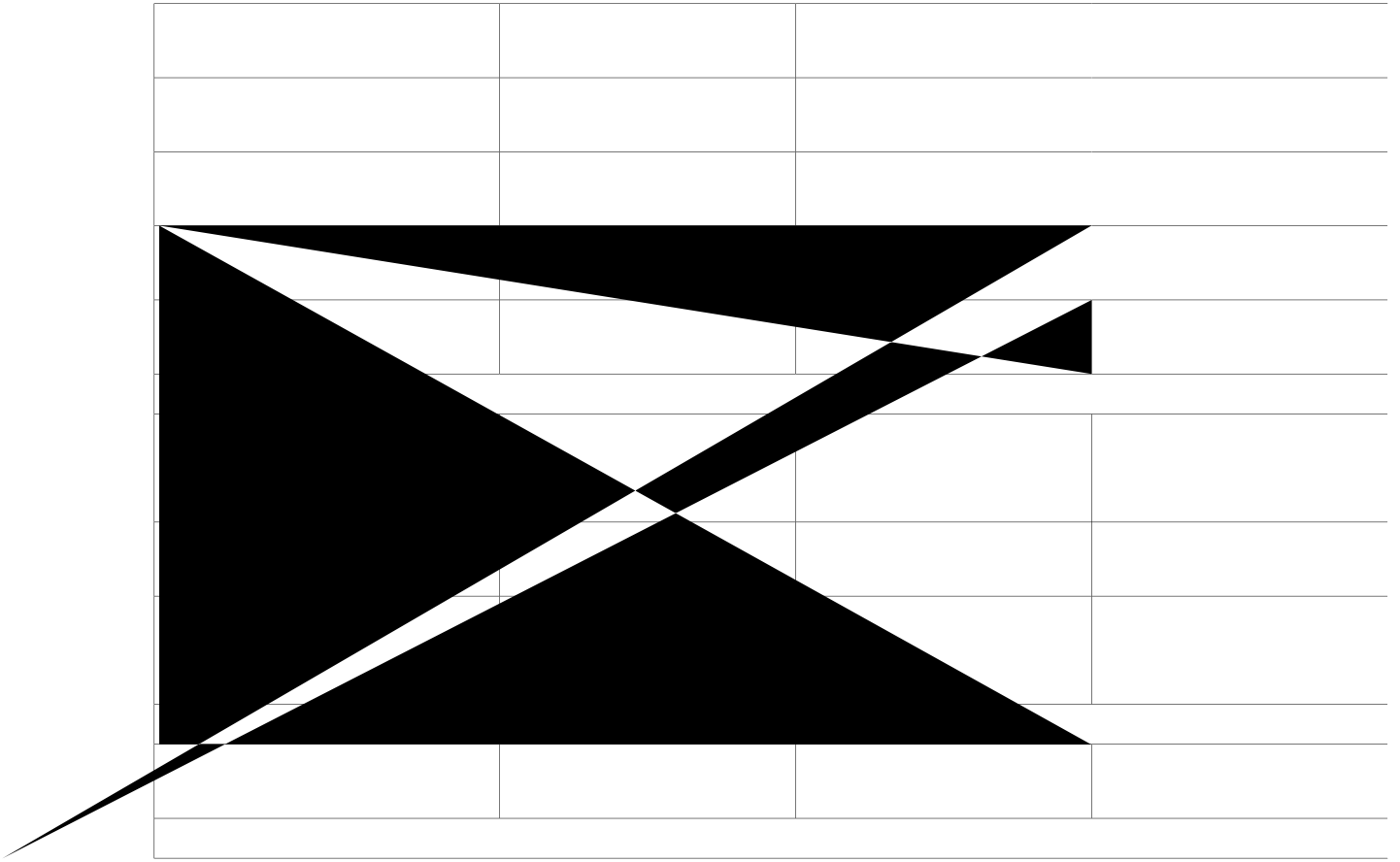
## **Program structure**

The Master of Project Management and Master of Business Administration double degree is made up of 14 courses:

- 8 [Master of Business Administration](#) core courses
- 3 [Master of Project Management \(ends 2014\)](#) core courses
- the capstone course [MGT8002 Strategic Management](#)
- 2 elective courses.

### **Core courses**

Students must complete the following core courses:



- A student who successfully completes eight units may, upon application, exit with a Postgraduate Diploma of Business. A student who has successfully completed all the requirements of at least one specialisation may have one specialisation shown on their testamur
- A student who successfully completes all requirements for the [Postgraduate Certificate of Business](#) may, upon application, exit with that qualification. A student who has successfully completed all the requirements of a four-unit specialisation may have that specialisation shown on their testamur.

## Credit

A double degree is required to meet the requirements of each degree studied with a maximum of 50% units of credit for each program studied individually.

This double degree meets the requirements of the eight-unit [Master of Project Management \(ends 2014\)](#) and the 12-unit [Master of Business Administration](#). The two programs together require the completion of 20 units, including the possibility of up to 10 units of credit with up to four units of credit from the [Master of Project Management \(ends 2014\)](#) and six from the [Master of Business Administration](#). The structure of this double degree, has been designed to include the cross allocation of six units of credit leaving students the possibility of a further four units of credit.

Credit may be granted on the basis of completed equivalent postgraduate or undergraduate study from a recognised university. In order for credit to be granted, the claim must meet the following specific requirements:

- the course was passed within five years prior to the application (courses up to 10 years old may be considered if evidence is provided that the applicant has been employed in that field)
- the course passed is equivalent in objectives, content and weightings to a course prescribed in the [Master of Business Administration](#) program, or alternatively, the course is suitable as an elective
- the maximum granted is no greater than six units of credit for the [Master of Business Administration](#)
- the maximum granted is no greater than four units of credit for the [Master of Project Management \(ends 2014\)](#)
- credit approved in this program will not automatically apply to other programs offered by USQ
- the maximum that will be considered on the basis of undergraduate study is four units of credit.

