

reflection. The program focuses on how to demonstrate leadership in global sustainability and how to understand the nature of ethical decisions across contemporary business practice. The USQ MBA program will enable graduates to work in virtual and non-traditional work environments and increase personal mastery in oral and written communication.

Program objectives

The MBA graduate will be able to:

- demonstrate applied knowledge of people, markets, finances, technology and management skills in practice
- identify and solve complex organisational problems, creatively, and practically to increase the effectiveness of management processes
- communicate professionally and effectively in a range of modes to various audiences to achieve targeted outcomes
- demonstrate an understanding of organisations in the global environment and the impact of these on organisational systems
- evaluate, synthesise and critically review theoretical frameworks with other evidence to provide solutions to real-world problems
- demonstrate reflective practice and apply learning to different contexts
- demonstrate an understanding of the impact of interpersonal communication on specific management processes and outcomes using relevant theories and concepts

Candidates with a Graduate Certificate (AQF level 8) or higher qualification in any discipline, with two years' professional work experience in the area of business may apply for entry into the Master of Business Administration. Eligibility for entry will be determined on a case-by-case basis.

All students are required to satisfy the applicable [English language requirements](#).

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

Program fees

Domestic full fee paying place

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

Program structure

The Master of Business Administration consists of 12 courses, each of one unit, comprising 8 core courses **plus** 4 discipline specialisation courses or 4 general specialisation courses.

- The core of 8 units comprises 4 foundation core courses and 4 non-foundation core courses.
- The discipline specialisation comprises 3 discipline-specific courses plus the capstone course [MGT8002 Strategic Management](#).
- The General specialisation comprises any 3 related courses plus the capstone course [MGT8002 Strategic Management](#). The selection of the three elective courses is subject to the approval of the Program Coordinator in the Faculty of Business, Education, Law and Arts or a nominee. To discuss which courses to study within the General specialisation, please [contact USQ](#). All course pre-requisites must be met.

Students will normally be required to complete the 4 foundation core courses before progressing to the other courses.

Required time limits

Students have a maximum of six years to complete this program.

Core courses

Course	Semester of offer Distance/Online	Semester of offer Toowoomba campus	Semester of offer Springfield campus
Foundation core courses			
ACC5502 Accounting and Financial Management	1, 3	1	1
ECO5000 Economics for Managers	2, 3	2	2

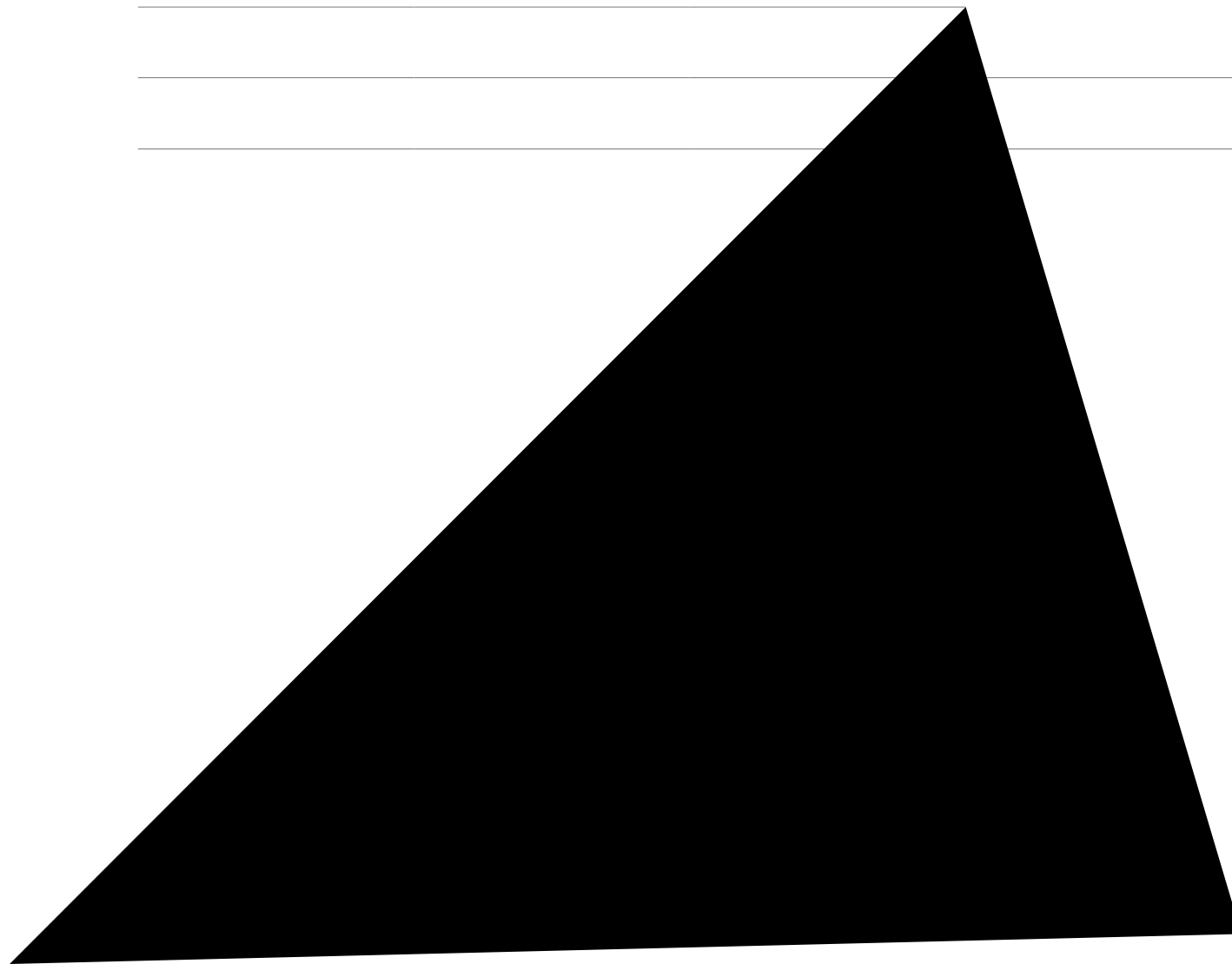
Specialisations

There are named specialisations and a general specialisation available in the Master of Business Administration. Students will be able to choose ONE specialisation only to make up the 12 courses. Alternatively, you may choose three courses from any specialisation plus [MGT8002 Strategic Management](#) to make up a General specialisation. Students may enrol in a project course/s as part of the General specialisation. This is dependent upon permission from the Faculty of Business, Education, Law and Arts and the availability of a supervisor. Students may also be able to choose courses from across the University subject to the approval of the Faculty of Business, Education, Law and Arts and may involve pre-requisites.

Project courses

Course	Semester of offer Distance/Online
BUS8101 Business Project A	1, 2
BUS8102 Business Project B	1, 2

Business Leadership specialisation



Project Management specialisation

Course	Semester of offer Distance/Online	Semester of offer Toowoomba campus	Semester of offer Springfield campus
MGT8002 Strategic Management	1, 2, 3	1	2
MGT8073 Project Processes and Systems	1		1
MGT8075 Project Delivery	2		2
MGT8077 Project Risk Management	1		1

Strategic Human Resource Management specialisation



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Digital Transformation specialisation recommended enrolment pattern (semester 2

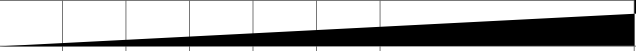
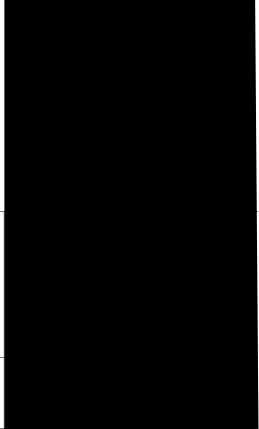
Footnotes

- § This course is not offered at Springfield campus in semester 1.
- * This course is not offered at Toowoomba campus.
- ‡ Not all specialisation courses are offered in on-campus mode.

General specialisation recommended enrolment pattern - Toowoomba campus and online (semester 2 intake)

Students are able to enrol in any offered mode of a course (on-campus, external or online), regardless of the program mode of study they enrolled in.

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