

Graduate Certificate of Spatial Science Technology (GCST) - GradCertSpScTech

CRICOS code (International applicants): 066078K

	On-campus#^	Online*
Start:	Semester 1 (February) Semester 2 (July)	Semester 1 (February) Semester 2 (July) Semester 3 (November)
Campus:	Toowoomba	-
Fees:	Commonwealth supported place Domestic full fee paying place International full fee paying place	Commonwealth supported place Domestic full fee paying place International full fee paying place
Standard duration:	1 semester full-time or 2 semesters part-time or by distance learning	
Program articulation:	To: Graduate Diploma of Spatial Science Technology ; Master of Spatial Science Technology	

Footnotes

- # The Graduate Certificate of Spatial Science Technology (Geographic Information Systems) is available full-time on-campus commencing in Semester 1 only. The Graduate Certificate of Spatial Science Technology (Surveying) is not available full-time on-campus and therefore is not available to international on-campus students.
- ^ The Graduate Certificate of Spatial Science Technology is not available full-time on-campus commencing in Semester 2.
- * Semester 3 commencement — only the Geographic Information Systems major is available for part-time commencement in Semester 3.

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Professional accreditation

The Graduate Certificate of Spatial Science Technology is not accredited by any professional bodies other than the University of Southern Queensland.

Program aims

The Graduate Certificate of Spatial Science Technology (GCST) program produces graduates who are skilled in the area of spatial science theory and ev

- acquire and demonstrate an integrated understanding of a relevant body of knowledge in a spatial science discipline or area of professional practice.

Australian Qualifications Framework

The Australian Qualifications Framework (AQF) is a single national, comprehensive system of qualifications offered by higher education institutions (including universities), vocational education and training institutions and secondary schools. Each AQF qualification has a set of descriptors which define the type and complexity of knowledge, skills and application of knowledge and skills that a graduate who has been awarded that qualification has attained, and the typical volume of learning associated with that qualification type.

This program is at AQF Qualification Level 08. Graduates at this level will have advanced knowledge and skills for professional or highly skilled work and/or further learning.

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

Admission requirements

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

- Completion of an Australian university three or four year Bachelor degree in the area of a discipline approved by the Faculty of Health, Engineering and Sciences, or equivalent
Or
A minimum of five (5) years' professional work experience equivalent to a qualification at AQF Level 7.
- English Language Proficiency requirements for Category 3.

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 a

Program structure

The Graduate Certificate of Spatial Science Technology consists of four units.

Students may commence their studies at the beginning of either Semester 1 or Semester 2 depending on the mode of offer. Students may select one of the two specialisations in the program, either Geographic Information Systems or Surveying. The courses offered in each specialisation are shown in the recommended enrolment

Footnotes

- * Unavailable in on-campus mode at Toowoomba campus in 2022
- § Unavailable in on-campus mode in S2 2022