

## Master of Business Administration - International Business (MBAI) - MBA-IntlBus

CRICOS code (International applicants): 066851M

**This program is offered only to continuing students. No new admissions will be accepted. Students who are interested in this study area should consider the [Postgraduate Certificate in Business](#).**

|                           | On-campus   | Distance education  |
|---------------------------|---|---|
| <b>Semester intake:</b>   | No new admissions   |   |
| <b>Campus:</b>            | Toowoomba   | -   |
| <b>Fees:</b>              | Domestic full fee paying place<br>International full fee paying place | Domestic full fee paying place<br>International full fee paying place |
| <b>Standard duration:</b> | 1.5 years full-time, up to 6 years part-time                          |   |

### Notes:

Some elective courses might not be offered on-campus.

### Contact us

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### Program focus

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### Program objectives

Upon completion of the Master of Business Administration - International Business students will be able to:

- apply appropriate theories and skills in the international business environment
- demonstrate competence in a range of areas relevant to management practice at senior levels in internationally-focused businesses
- communicate effectively with other people within an organisation
- comprehend, analyse and evaluate internal and external environmental forces, and develop strategy for the management of change.

### Admission requirements

Candidates for entry into the Master of Business Administration - International Business must hold a tertiary qualification at bachelor degree or equivalent level from a recognised institution.

International applicants must have met the [University's English language requirements](#) or have completed the [University's ELICOS/EAP programs](#).

## 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](#).

Permanent Humanitarian Visa holders, Permanent Resident visa holders and New Zealand citizens who reside outside Australia pay full tuition fees.

Domestic full fee paying students may be eligible to defer their fees through a Government loan called [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 Business Administration - International Business comprises 12 single-unit courses with 10 units of core courses and two units of elective courses.

**Note:** It is recommended that [MGT8002 Strategic Management](#) is one of the final courses studied because it is a capstone course.

## Required time limits

Students have a maximum of 6 years to complete this program.

## Core courses

Students must complete the following core courses:

| Course  | Semester/mode of offer<br>Toowoomba campus | Semester/mode of offer<br>Springfield campus |
|---|--|--|
| <a href="#">ACC5502 Accounting and Financial Management</a>                       | S1 (ONC, EXT, WEB), S3 (EXT, WEB)          | S1 (ONC)                                     |
| <a href="#">CIS8000 Global Information Systems Strategy</a>                       | S1 (ONC, EXT), S2 (ONC, EXT)               | S1 (ONC)                                     |
| <a href="#">ECO5000 Economics for Managers</a>                                    | S2 (ONC, EXT, WEB), S3 (EXT, WEB)          | S2 (ONC)                                     |
| <a href="#">ECO8060 Business in the International Economy (Formerly MGT8060).</a> | S2 (ONC, EXT, WEB)                         |  |
| <a href="#">FIN5000 Financial Management</a>                                      | S1 (ONC, EXT, WEB), S3 (ONC, EXT, WEB)     | S1 (ONC)                                     |
| <a href="#">FIN5003 Decision Support Tools (Formerly MGT5001).</a>                | S1 (ONC, EXT, WEB), S3 (EXT, WEB)          | S1 (ONC)                                     |
| <a href="#">MGT5000 Managing Organisational Behaviour</a>                         | S1 (ONC, EXT, WEB), S3 (EXT, WEB)          | S1 (ONC)                                     |
| <a href="#">MGT8002 Strategic Management</a>                                      | S2 (EXT, WEB), S3 (ONC, EXT, WEB)          |  |
| <a href="#">MKT5000 Marketing Management</a>                                      | S2 (ONC, EXT, WEB), S3 (EXT, WEB)          | S2 (ONC)                                     |

| <b>Select one of the following two courses:</b>      |                              |          |
|--|------------------------------|----------|
| LAW5503 Australian Law and Business* <b>or</b>       | S2 (EXT, WEB)                | S2 (ONC) |
| <a href="#">LAW5504 Comparative Law and Business</a> | S2 (ONC, EXT, WEB), S3 (EXT) |          |

#### Footnotes

\* Not available from 2012.

### Elective courses

Students may choose elective courses from the following schedule:

| Course  | Semester/mode of offer<br>Toowoomba campus | Semester/mode of offer<br>Springfield campus |
|---|--|--|
| <a href="#">CIS8100 Digital Enterprise</a>                    | S1 (ONC, EXT), S3 (EXT)                    |  |
| FIN8102   | S1 (ONC, EXT)                              |  |
| <a href="#">FIN8104 International Financial Management</a>    | S2 (ONC, EXT)                              |  |
| <a href="#">LAW8118 International Business Law</a>            | S1 (EXT)                                   |  |
| <a href="#">MGT8031 Global Issues in Employment Relations</a> | S2 (EXT, WEB)                              |  |
| <a href="#">MGT8032 International Management</a>              | S1 (EXT)                                   |  |
| <a href="#">MKT8002 International Marketing</a>               | S1 (EXT, WEB)                              |  |

### IT requirements

For information technology requirements please refer to the [computer requirements section](#).

### Other program requirements

Students must maintain good standing in this program. Please refer to Section 2 of the [Academic Standing, Progression and Exclusion Policy](#).

### Articulation

It is not possible to articulate from this program into any other program.

### Exit points

Students must maintain good standing in this program. Please refer to Section 2 of the [Academic Standing, Progression and Exclusion Policy](#).

Students who do not maintain good standing in the Master of Business Administration - International Business program will be permitted to exit with a lesser qualification as set out below, provided that they have met the requirements of the relevant program:

- a student who successfully completes four courses may exit with the [Postgraduate Certificate in Business](#)
- a student who successfully completes eight courses may exit with the Postgraduate Diploma of Business.

### Exemptions

Candidates for admission to the Master of Business Administration - International Business degree may be eligible for up to six units of exemption on the basis of successful completion of relevant, equivalent postgraduate study from a recognised institution. Exemptions approved in this program will not automatically apply to other programs offered by USQ.

**Note:** Where exemptions are granted, maximum and minimum durations will be adjusted in the same proportion as exemptions, for example, where the maximum of six exemptions is granted, maximum time will be three years and minimum time will be two terms.

## Recommended enrolment pattern

| Course  | Year of program and semester in which course is normally studied |     |                |     |              |     | Enrolment requirements   | Comments          |
|---|--|-----|----------------|-----|--------------|-----|--|-------------------|
|   | On-campus (ONC)  |     | External (EXT) |     | Online (WEB) |     |  |                   |
|   | Year   | Sem | Year           | Sem | Year         | Sem |  |                   |
| <a href="#">ACC5502 Accounting and Financial Management</a>   | 1  | 1   | 1              | 1   |              |     |  |                   |
| <a href="#">MGT5000 Managing Organisational Behaviour</a>     | 1  | 1   | 1              | 1   |              |     |  |                   |
| <a href="#">CIS8000 Global Information Systems Strategy</a>   | 1  | 1   | 2              | 1   |              |     |  |                   |
| <a href="#">FIN5003 Decision Support Tools</a>                | 1  | 1   | 2              | 1   |              |     |  | Formerly MGT5001. |
| <a href="#">ECO5000 Economics for Managers</a>                | 1  | 2   | 1              | 2   |              |     |  |                   |
| <b>Select one of the following two courses</b>                |  |     |                |     |              |     |  |                   |
| <a href="#">LAW5503 Australian Law and Business*</a>          | 1  | 2   | 1              | 2   |              |     |  |                   |
| <a href="#">LAW5504 Comparative Law and Business</a>          |  |     |                |     |              |     |  |                   |
| <a href="#">MKT5000 Marketing Management</a>                  | 1  | 2   | 2              | 2   |              |     |  |                   |
| <a href="#">ECO8060 Business in the International Economy</a> | 1  | 2   | 2              | 2   |              |     |  | Formerly MGT8060. |
| Elective course   | 1  | 3   | 2              | 3   |              |     |  |                   |
| <a href="#">MGT8002 Strategic Management</a>                  | 1  | 3   | 2              | 3   |              |     |  |                   |
| Elective course   | 2  | 1   | 3              | 1   |              |     |  |                   |
| <a href="#">FIN5000 Financial Management</a>                  | 2  | 1   | 3              | 1   |              |     | Co-requisite: <a href="#">ACC5202</a> or <a href="#">ECO5000</a> |                   |

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