

2009 INTERNATIONAL SCHEDULE OF PROGRAMS AND FEES

ON-CAMPUS AND DISTANCE EDUCATION



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ON-CAMPUS PROGRAM FEES

Fees in this schedule are for students applying to study on-campus at USQ or one of its affiliates in Australia.

| UNDERGRADUATE | FEES PER UNIT AUD \$ | FEE FOR 8 UNITS AUD \$ (BASED ON NORMAL YEARLY PROGRAM) |
|---|----------------------|--|
| ELICOS (10 weeks) | 3,200 (per program) | |
| ELICOS (15 weeks) | 4,800 (per program) | |
| Foundation (2 Semesters) | | 12,160 |
| UNIPREP (1 Semester) | 6,080 (per program) | |
| Accounting, Banking & Finance | 1,880 | 15,040 |
| Arts | 1,890 | 15,120 |
| • Creative Arts | 1,890 | 15,120 |
| • Humanities & Mass Communication | 1,890 | 15,120 |
| Business | 1,880 | 15,040 |
| Computer Based Information Science | 1,980 | 15,840 |
| Education, Teaching & Childcare | 1,890 | 15,120 |
| Engineering & Surveying | 2,500 | 20,000 |
| Nursing | 2,180 | 17,440 |
| Psychology | 2,060 | 16,480 |
| Sciences (other) | 2,060 | 16,480 |
| • Mathematics, Statistics & Computer Based Information Science | 1,980 | 15,840 |
| • Biology, Chemistry & Physics | 2,615 | 20,920 |
| General Studies (depending on area from which courses are chosen) | 1,880-2,615 | 15,040-20,920 |
| Combined Degrees (depending on area from which courses are chosen) | 1,880-2,615 | 15,040-20,920 |

| POSTGRADUATE | FEES PER UNIT AUD \$ | FEE FOR 8 UNITS AUD \$ (BASED ON NORMAL YEARLY PROGRAM) |
|---|----------------------|--|
| Arts | 2,170 | 17,360 |
| Business | 2,160 | 17,280 |
| Computer Based Information Science | 2,100 | 16,800 |
| Education, Teaching & Childcare | 1,900 | 15,200 |
| • Applied Linguistics | 1,600 | 12,800 |
| Engineering & Surveying | 2,650 | 21,200 |
| Nursing | 2,170 | 17,360 |
| Psychology | 2,170 | 17,360 |
| Sciences other | 2,170 | 17,360 |
| • Mathematics, Statistics & Computer Based Information Science | 2,100 | 16,800 |
| • Biology, Chemistry & Physics | 2,780 | 22,240 |
| Masters/Doctoral Research Programs (depending on area from which courses are chosen) | 1,600-2,780 | 12,800-22,240 |

Please note: A normal load per year is eight units (usually equal to eight courses) of study over semesters one and two. Therefore, to gain an idea of the cost per semester, multiply the fees per unit by four.

STUDY ABROAD

| | FEES PER SEMESTER AUD \$ |
|-----------------------------|--------------------------|
| Study Abroad (tuition only) | 7,725 |

DISTANCE EDUCATION PROGRAM FEES

Fees in this schedule are for students applying directly to study by distance education with USQ. In some countries students may be required to apply and/or study through a USQ Education Partner in which case the fees may vary.

| UNDERGRADUATE | FEES PER UNIT AUD \$ |
|---|----------------------|
| Tertiary Preparation Program | 840 |
| Accounting, Banking & Finance | 1,580 |
| Arts | 1,600 |
| Business | 1,580 |
| Computer Based Information Science | 1,680 |
| Education, Teaching & Childcare | 1,600 |
| Engineering & Surveying | 2,200 |
| Nursing | 1,780 |
| Psychology | 1,780 |
| Sciences (other) | 1,780 |
| • Mathematics, Statistics & Information Science | 1,680 |
| • Biology, Chemistry & Physics | 2,210 |
| General Studies (depending on area from which courses are chosen) | 1,580-2,210 |
| Combined Degrees (depending on area from which courses are chosen) | 1,580-2,210 |

| POSTGRADUATE | FEES PER UNIT AUD \$ |
|--|----------------------|
| Accounting, Banking & Finance | 1,750 |
| Arts | 1,930 |
| Business | 1,750 |
| Computer Based Information Science | 1,680 |
| Education, Teaching & Childcare | 1,800 |
| • Applied Linguistics | 1,755 |
| Engineering & Surveying | 2,350 |
| Nursing | 1,780 |
| Psychology | 1,780 |
| Sciences (other) | 1,780 |
| • Mathematics, Statistics & Computer Based Information Science | 1,680 |
| • Biology, Chemistry & Physics | 2,440 |
| Doctor of Business Administration | |
| • Single unit courses | 1,590 |
| • Two unit courses | 3,000 |

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The tables below list the number of units required per program in order to complete the qualification shown, the duration of the program in normal load semesters, and the semester in which the programs begin.

SINGLE COURSES OF STUDY

| | NUMBER OF COURSES | DURATION IN SEMESTERS | SEMESTER STARTS |
|--------------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|--|
| Choose a single undergraduate course | 1 | 1 | March, July and November (depending on course) |
| Choose a single postgraduate course | 1 | 1 | March, July and November (depending on course) |

TERTIARY PREPARATION PROGRAM

| | NUMBER OF UNITS | DURATION IN SEMESTERS | SEMESTER STARTS |
|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------|--|
| Tertiary Preparation Program | Varies depending on choice of course | 1 | March, July and November (depending on course) |

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

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| 2009 Semester Start Dates | Semester 1: 2 March | Semester 2: 20 July | Semester 3: 16 November |
| Mode of study | The manner in which course materials are presented. There are three modes: on-campus, distance and online (WEB). | | |
| On-campus study | Refers to a study mode that requires students to attend regular classes within Australia at a USQ campus including: Toowoomba, Springfield, Fraser Coast and Sydney Education Centre | | |
| Distance education | Refers to any study undertaken by students externally outside of Australia or off-campus within Australia. The curriculum, text books and methods of assessment are the same as for on-campus students. However, contact with teaching staff is written or electronic rather than face-to-face. Study materials usually include a mailed package containing an introductory book, study book, selected readings, assignment labels and cover sheets. Students also have access to USQConnect, an email account, online library resources, online learning circles and support services. | | |
| Online study | Refers to study via the Internet. Courses in which the instruction, communication among academic staff and students, submission of assignments and feedback is offered mainly through the Internet. | | |
| Program | A combination of units, the successful completion of which, in accordance with the relevant requirements, will fulfil the prescribed elements for a particular award. For example, to complete the Master of Business Administration there are 12 units that need to be completed. These 12 units make up the degree's program of study. | | |
| Program load per semester | On-campus: A normal full-time program load is 4 units per semester during semesters 1 and 2. Distance: Most distance students study 2 units per semester. | | |
| Program load per year | On-campus: A normal on-campus study program load per year is equal to 8 units per year during Semesters 1 and 2. Students wishing to study additional courses in Semester 3* may apply to do so. Distance: A normal distance learning program load per year is equal to 4 units. Students wishing to study additional courses in Semester 3* may apply to do so. *Note: Not all programs offer courses in Semester 3. Students may wish to fast-track their program by studying extra units during this semester. | | |
| Unit | A measure of the workload for a student. Students must gain a set number of units to complete a program. Most courses are equal to 1 unit. | | |
| Estimated fee per unit | USQ's fees for international students are reviewed and adjusted on an annual basis. The revised fees apply from February of each year. Note: The unit tuition fee for programs with a duration longer than one year may therefore be subject to an increase dependent on the new revised annual fees following 2009. The estimated fee per course may also vary, dependent on the student's pattern of enrolment. For instance, a student may choose to enrol in electives or core courses offered by a different faculty with a different unit price to the courses offered by their own faculty. | | |
| Estimated total program tuition fee | To establish the approximate cost of an entire program, you can multiply the unit fees per course by the total number of units required to complete the program. For details on unit fee per course, please refer to the following web address www.usq.edu.au/international/fees/ . On-campus For example: Master of Business = Unit cost per course (AUD 2,160) x Number of units (12) = Total program cost (AUD 25,920) Distance For example: Master of Business = Unit cost per course (AUD 1,750) x Number of units (12) = Estimated total program tuition cost (AUD 21,000) | | |
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