



University of
South Australia

Graduate Diploma in Professional Practice (Various Specialisations) + Master Program (Various Specialisations)

Two degrees completed in two years

Experience. The Difference.



Up to 100, A\$3,000 tuition fee scholarships are available on entry into the chosen Master degree in the second year of study.

Internationally and nationally employers have expressed a preference for university graduates with proven experience in a professional work environment. This double degree package is designed to meet this need by providing flexible opportunities for students to enhance their graduate professional practice skills together with extended core knowledge in their chosen profession.

Each of the specialisations in the Graduate Diploma in Professional Practice are directly linked to a corresponding specialisation in a wide range of 1.5 year Master programs offered by UniSA's Division of Information Technology, Engineering and the Environment. Students can choose from a range of core professional practice courses and tailor their program of study to suit their needs.

On completion of the Graduate Diploma students will receive credit for 4 courses on enrolling in the corresponding Master program. This provides a unique double degree package which will be completed in 2 years of full time study. Students will graduate with both degrees, which combined will demonstrate clearly to employers that they have the professional skills they value.

Graduate Diploma in Professional Practice + Master Double Degree Tuition Scholarships

Up to 100 scholarships to the value of A\$3,000 each will be awarded to international students who have successfully completed the Graduate Diploma in Professional Practice upon entry to their chosen Master Program specialisation. These scholarships will be awarded on the basis of academic achievement in the Graduate Diploma.

Graduate Diploma in Professional Practice (Specialisations listed on the next page)

The Graduate Diploma in Professional Practice gives students the opportunity to acquire the following skills and attributes that directly prepare them for employment and further postgraduate study in the Master program relevant to their chosen profession:

- An awareness and understanding of the structure and organisation, workplace attitudes and culture, work methods, and the role and responsibilities of professional practitioners in their chosen career and industry
- Career planning and management
- Culture and leadership in innovative organisations
- Practices in research and development organisations in high technology industries
- Understanding global and cultural diversity and team dynamics
- Principles and techniques in systems engineering and project management
- Professional practice, workplace learning and projects
- Language and communication skills

Studying a Master Degree at UniSA

A Master Degree from UniSA equips graduates with advanced, in-depth knowledge and expertise to be leaders in their chosen profession. UniSA's Master Degrees are developed by academic staff and researchers who are recognised leaders in industry for new developments, innovation and achievements in research.

Research outcomes and developments are integrated into UniSA's Master Degrees to ensure that students are learning the latest and most relevant knowledge and skills that will position them above the norm. All UniSA programs and courses are designed around a unique set of Graduate Qualities outlining the knowledge, skills and personal attributes that professionals need in a constantly changing international economic environment. Students develop as lifelong learners, equipped to excel within their chosen profession.

Graduate Diploma in Professional Practice (Specialisations listed below)

Program Code: LGPP

CRICOS Code: 066997D

Program Duration: 1 year x 36 units

Tuition Fee: 2009 – A\$19,800

Tuition Fee: 2010 – A\$22,000

Campuses:

CE – City East Campus

CW – City West Campus

ML – Mawson Lakes Campus

Study Periods:

Study Period 2 – Commences end of February

Study Period 5 – Commences end of July

Actual Study Period dates for each year are on our website or contact UniSA.

Graduate Diploma Specialisation	Master Program & Specialisation	Master Program Code	Master CRICOS Code	Master Fee for 36 units – 2009	Total 1+1 Double Degree Package Fees – 2009	Master Fee for 36 units – 2010	Total 1+1 Double Degree Package Fees – 2010	Study Period Intakes	Campus	Entry Requirements
Computing and Information Technology										
Computer and Information Science	Master of Science (Computer & Information Science)	LMCP	048093E	18,000	37,800	20,000	42,000	2 & 5	ML	<p>Applicants would normally have one of the following qualifications or equivalent for entry to the program:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. A recognised bachelor degree in Computer & Information Science or Information Technology, or a related discipline, or equivalent qualification, with normally a Grade Point Average (GPA) of 5.0 or above (on a 7 point scale), or equivalent; or 2. A recognised honours degree in Computer & Information Science or Information Technology or a related discipline; or 3. A recognised master degree or graduate diploma in a computing related discipline where: (a) there is an appropriate amount of advanced-level coursework as per the list below; and/or (b) the candidate has appropriate relevant experience in the Computing industry; <p>Applicants must have passed coursework with the following content:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Intermediate programming in Java, C or C++ • Data structures in Java, C or C++ • Database Technology – SQL, ER modelling or UML • Systems analysis & design • Basic networking skills • Computer systems architecture or Operating systems
Computer and Information Science	Master of Professional Computing	LMPR	052349G	18,000	37,800	19,500	41,500	2 & 5	ML	<p>A recognised bachelor degree in Computer & Information Science or Information Technology, or equivalent qualification. Applicants must have passed coursework covering at least 6 areas which contain the following content (or have equivalent industrial experience):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Intermediate programming in Java, C, C++ • Data structures in Java, C, or C++ • Database Technology – SQL, ER modelling or UML • Systems analysis & design • Basic networking skills • Computer systems architecture • Systems development & project management methods • Information management & database design • Use of Information Systems in contemporary organisations • Strategic management of Information Systems
Computer and Information Science, or Information Technology	Master of E Commerce	DMEC	041699J	17,800	37,600	19,500	41,500	2 & 5	CW	A recognised bachelor degree in any discipline or equivalent qualification.
Information Technology	Master of Information Technology	LMIF	048092F	18,000	37,800	19,500	41,500	2 & 5	ML	A recognised bachelor degree in a non-computing discipline or equivalent qualification.
Information Technology	Master of Information & Communications Technology Management	LMCT	048097A	18,000	37,800	20,000	42,000	2 & 5	ML	A recognised bachelor degree in any discipline or equivalent qualification.
Engineering										
Advanced Manufacturing Technology	Master of Engineering (Advanced Manufacturing Technology)	LMEN	048506M	18,800	38,600	21,000	43,000	2 & 5	ML	A recognised bachelor degree in a relevant discipline, or equivalent qualification. Normally, this qualification will be an engineering degree.
Manufacturing Management	Master of Engineering (Manufacturing Management)	LMEN	048506M	18,800	38,600	21,000	43,000	2 & 5	ML	A recognised bachelor degree in a relevant discipline, or equivalent qualification. Normally, this qualification will be an engineering degree.
Computer Systems Engineering	Master of Engineering (Computer Systems Engineering)	LMEE	048095C	19,800	39,600	22,000	44,000	2 & 5	ML	A recognised bachelor degree in a relevant discipline, or equivalent qualification. Normally, this qualification will be an engineering degree.
Electrical Power Engineering	Master of Engineering (Electrical Power Engineering)	LMEE	048095C	19,800	39,600	22,000	44,000	2 & 5	ML	A recognised bachelor degree in a relevant discipline, or equivalent qualification. Normally, this qualification will be an engineering degree.
Microsystems Technology	Master of Engineering (Microsystems Engineering)	LMEE	048095C	19,800	39,600	22,000	44,000	2 & 5	ML	A recognised bachelor degree in a relevant discipline, or equivalent qualification. Normally, this qualification will be an engineering degree.
Telecommunications	Master of Engineering (Telecommunications)	LMEE	048095C	19,800	39,600	22,000	44,000	2 & 5	ML	A recognised bachelor degree in a relevant discipline, or equivalent qualification. Normally, this qualification will be an engineering degree.
Transport Systems Engineering	Master of Engineering (Transport Systems Engineering)	IMEN	051833C	19,800	39,600	22,000	44,000	2 & 5	CE	A recognised bachelor degree in a relevant discipline, or equivalent qualification. Normally, this qualification will be an engineering degree.
Natural & Built Environments										
Environmental Management & Sustainability	Master of Environmental Management & Sustainability (Natural Resource Management)	LMES	058635G	18,720	38,520	20,000	42,000	2 & 5	ML	A recognised bachelor degree or equivalent qualification.
	Master of Environmental Management & Sustainability (Water Management)	LMES	058635G	18,720	38,520	20,000	42,000	2 & 5	ML	A recognised bachelor degree or equivalent qualification.
	Master of Environmental Management & Sustainability (Geospatial Science)	LMES	058635G	18,720	38,520	20,000	42,000	2 & 5	ML-CE	A recognised bachelor degree or equivalent qualification.
	Master of Environmental Management & Sustainability (Urban Ecology)	LMES	058635G	18,720	38,520	20,000	42,000	2 & 5	ML-CE	A recognised bachelor degree or equivalent qualification.
Urban & Regional Planning	Master of Urban & Regional Planning	IMUR	048094D	18,000	37,800	19,500	41,500	2 & 5	CE	A recognised bachelor degree, or equivalent qualification.
Project Management										
Project Management	Master of Project Management	IMPJ	024075E	19,000	38,800	21,000	43,000	2 & 5	CE	A recognised honours or four year bachelor degree.
	Master of Project Management (Assets & Facilities)	IMPJ	065402M	19,000	38,800	21,000	43,000	2 & 5	CE	A recognised honours or four year bachelor degree.
Logistics & Supply Chain Management										
Logistics & Supply Chain Management	Master of Logistics & Supply Chain Management	LMSU	057808M	18,000	37,800	19,500	41,500	2 & 5	ML	A recognised bachelor degree in a relevant discipline or equivalent qualification.
Quantitative Finance										
Quantitative Finance	Master of Quantitative Finance	DMQF	067558G	17,100	36,900	18,750	40,750	2	CW	A recognised bachelor degree or equivalent qualification. A mathematical background equivalent to Calculus and Linear Algebra and a statistical background equivalent to Statistical Methods are assumed knowledge for this program. Students without this assumed knowledge are counselled to formulate a plan with the program director to acquire the appropriate background during the first study period of the program.

English Language Entry Requirements

International students must have obtained one of the following standards prior to admission:

- Minimum score of 6.0 in Reading and Writing subscores and minimum overall score of 6.5 obtained within the last two years or corresponding results from an equivalent test such as TOEFL or the appropriate Academic English language level delivered at CELUSA; or
- Successful completion of a tertiary qualification at diploma level or above completed in Australia within the last two years; or
- Successful completion of at least two years of tertiary study at diploma level or above conducted and completed in English within the last five years in a country in which English is commonly used, as determined by the University

Where the study in English was more than five years ago, this requirement may be satisfied by subsequent and recent work experience of at least two years duration in a setting where English is the language of business subject to satisfactory evidence as determined by the University.

Academic Entry Requirements

Applicants should normally hold a completed bachelors degree from a recognised higher education institution or equivalent. The academic entry requirements vary for some Master programs depending on the chosen specialisation, please refer to the entry requirements listed on the previous page.

How to apply

International students can apply for admission into their chosen Graduate Diploma in Professional Practice and Master program either by applying through one of UniSA's appointed representatives in their country listed on our website at www.unisa.edu.au/international/your-country/ or by applying direct to UniSA via Apply Online at www.unisa.edu.au/international/apply

Flexible two year options

Applicants can either:

- apply concurrently for both the Graduate Diploma and linked Master program of their choice and receive an offer for both programs and 2 years of study, or

- apply for the 1 year Graduate Diploma of their choice, then subsequently apply for an offer in the linked Master program to receive 4 courses credit and 1 year of additional study, or
- apply for the 1.5 year Master program of their choice, then subsequently apply for an offer in the linked Graduate Diploma program to receive 4 courses credit and 0.5 years (one study period) of additional study. Note that the scholarships are not available with this third option.

Applicants are advised to make sure they understand the student visa application requirements and fees before making a decision about which option best suits them by going to the Department of Immigration and Citizenship website at www.immi.gov.au

Useful Websites

The following websites may be useful for prospective students:

University of South Australia – www.unisa.edu.au

South Australian Tourism Commission – www.southaustralia.com

Adelaide City Search – www.adelaide.citysearch.com.au

Department of Immigration and Citizenship – www.immi.gov.au

Further information

www.unisa.edu.au/inthome

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China (Southern): 10 800 261 0245

Indonesia: 001 803 61 269

Japan: 0053 161 0011

Taiwan: 00801 611 343

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