Since 1964, Macquarie has been doing things differently. Here’s a snapshot of where we are now.

Some fast facts

MACQUARIE AT A GLANCE

- We have two museums on campus: Australian History Museum, and Museum of Ancient Cultures
- We have the largest collection of ancient coins and papyri (original ancient documents) in the southern hemisphere
- Our Master of Indigenous Education degree is the first and only one of its kind in Australia
- One of our Egyptologists recently discovered the oldest boat preserved in Egypt
- Only Australian university with a licence to dig in the Nile Valley
- Top 10 in Australia and New Zealand for History and Sociology (QS World University Rankings 2015)
- More than 300 companies on campus or in the adjacent Macquarie Business Park, providing access to internship and job opportunities
- $1 billion invested in infrastructure and facilities in recent years
- The only Australian university with its own train station
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COVER: NILA SHARMA, ANTHROPOLOGY STUDENT
COVER PHOTO: PAUL WRIGHT
Our courses will give you the skills to shape the issues defining people, societies and cultures. So, pursue your passion and forge ahead into a rewarding career.

Take your knowledge beyond borders

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Learn from experts

Our students are mentored by leading academics and industry professionals.

**Professor Naren Chitty AM**
Prior to joining Macquarie, Professor Chitty had a distinguished career as a public diplomat in Washington DC, a policy planner in the area of national television, and as a deputy director of an NGO in community development. He teaches and researches in the area of soft power and public diplomacy. He was awarded the Order of Australia on Australia Day 2009 ‘for services to education particularly in the field of international communication as a researcher and academic to a range of professional associations.’

**Dr Peter Davies**
Dr Davies lectures in environmental and urban and regional planning. Prior to joining Macquarie University in 2012, he held senior management roles in state and local government and has worked as an environmental scientist, planner and manager for over 20 years. He completed his PhD in 2011 on urban water management and also holds a Master of Environmental and Local Government Law and Bachelor of Science degree.

**Dr Diana Perche**
Dr Perche has lectured in the Master of Politics and Public Policy at Macquarie University since 2005, and is the current convenor of the program. She has worked in a number of policy-related positions, including in the Australian Public Service, and has a keen interest in the interplay between policy research and policy practice. Her research interests are in public policy theory, the politics of evaluation, and the impact of intergovernmental relations on policy formulation and implementation, and she has published several articles in these areas. Her interest in Australian politics and public policy includes a particular focus on Indigenous affairs.
Dr Lavina Lee
Dr Lee is a lecturer in the Department of Modern History, Politics and International Relations. Prior to joining Macquarie, she was a political risk consultant with Control Risks Group, and held a research position with Chatham House, London. Dr Lee’s research interests include nuclear non-proliferation regime and nuclear disarmament, Indian foreign, security and nuclear policy, international law on the use of force, legitimacy and US hegemony and international security.

Dr Aaron Denham
Dr Denham is a medical, psychological, and sociocultural anthropologist concerned with the complexities of the human experience of illness, misfortune, and healing within their broader political-economic, biological, and historical contexts. Dr Denham’s previous experiences include being a mental health counsellor. He is a lecturer and researcher in the Department of Anthropology and is the Program Convenor for the Master of Development Studies and Global Health degree.

Dr Ben Spies-Butcher
Dr Spies-Butcher lectures in economy and society in the Department of Sociology and is convenor of the Master of Policy and Applied Social Research. Ben has a PhD in economics from the University of Sydney and his work centres on the political economy of social policy. He is a Research Associate of the Retirement Policy and Research Centre at the University of Auckland, a Board member of Shelter NSW and is on the Policy Advisory Group for the Council on the Ageing NSW. He is also a “policy whisperer” for the Power to Persuade research blog. He previously worked in the non-government sector in policy and project roles.

Dr Fiona Miller
Dr Miller is the Program Director for the postgraduate program in Social Impact Assessment program. Her research interests include: climate change vulnerability assessment and adaptation; social equity dimensions of adaptation; social vulnerability to extreme heat; social and cultural dimensions of water planning; and social impact assessment and forced resettlement. In her teaching, Dr Miller encourages her students to think critically about the social aspects of the environment.

Professor Naguib Kanawati
Professor Kanawati is an egyptologist with a special interest in the Old Kingdom. In 1981 he established the Rundle Foundation for Egyptian Archaeology and in 1989 he established the Australian Centre for Egyptology and remains its Director. In 1997 Professor Kanawati was elected Fellow of the Australian Academy of the Humanities and in 2003 he received the Centenary Medal ‘for services to the Australian society and the humanities in the study of archaeology.’
Master of Ancient History

ALSO OFFERED AS A GRADUATE CERTIFICATE

Gain an in-depth understanding of the ancient world and cultures, along with hands-on experience through our on-campus museum and archaeological excavations overseas.

KEY FEATURES

• Units are offered in a wide range of ancient cultures: Greece; Rome; Egypt; Israel; Early Christianity; Late Antiquity; and Coptic Studies
• Our on-campus Museum of Ancient Cultures allows for artefact study, and there are possibilities for participation in archaeological excavations overseas
• In addition to coursework, you will conduct research in your chosen field, which can provide a pathway to Higher Degree Research

WHAT YOU WILL STUDY

This degree includes subjects such as:
• Ancient Egyptian Architecture
• Ancient History Research Project
• Archaeological Practice
• Ptolemaic Egypt
• Women Writers of Ancient Greek and Rome
• Worlds of Late Antiquity

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Our graduates find employment in a variety of roles including: archivist; diplomat; heritage consultant, museum curator; policy adviser; publisher; researcher; and writer.

RECOGNITION FOR PRIOR LEARNING (RPL)

Macquarie recognises students’ prior learning experiences, whether through formal qualifications or through other types of non-formal and informal learning, for both entry into, and credit towards its degrees. For RPL details go to courses.mq.edu.au/MAncHist

Associate Professor Paul McKechnie, Academic

Associate Professor McKechnie is the program director for the Master of Ancient History. His teaching and research interests include the Hellenistic (especially Ptolemaic) world, early Christianity (before Constantine) and Classical Greece.

Prior to joining Macquarie in 2007, Associate Professor McKechnie was a senior lecturer in Classics and Ancient History at the University of Auckland, New Zealand. Other previous academic roles include Assistant Master in Classics and Religious Education, The Perse School, Cambridge University, and Head of Department of Classics at Kamuzu Academy, Malawi.

Course duration
1 - 1.5 years full-time/ equivalent part-time depending on RPL granted

Course structure
48CP = 4CP + 44CP
TOTAL 1 required documentary project

Study modes
Full-time, part-time

Attendance modes
internal, external

Commencing
Session 1 (February)
Session 2 (July)

UAC
860702 - on campus
860703 - by distance

CRICOS
084544F

Admission requirements
Australian level 7 bachelor’s qualification or recognised equivalent in ancient history, Egyptology, history, classics, or a related discipline; or Australian level 7 bachelor’s qualification or recognised equivalent and 18 months full-time equivalent relevant work experience

For the full degree structure and more information visit courses.mq.edu.au/MAncHist
Master of Development Studies and Global Health

ALSO OFFERED AS A GRADUATE CERTIFICATE

This degree is unique from other development studies and global health programs because of its attention to development and global health issues, and how it involves both comprehensive coursework and offers an opportunity to gain in-depth, applied research experience.

KEY FEATURES

- An applied anthropology focus and an opportunity to learn and apply ethnographic or social impact assessment methods
- Opportunity to undertake a supervised research-based project where you design and conduct your own independent project, practise newly acquired skills and put theory into action
- You will develop culturally relevant and professional leadership skills to work collaboratively to set priorities, identify issues and address the practical problems within a variety of contexts

WHAT YOU WILL STUDY

This degree includes the following specialisations:

**Development Studies**
This specialisation teaches the diverse theories, methods and relationships that seek, analyse and/or bring about targeted change in the lives of people around the world.

**Global Health**
This specialisation teaches the theories and methods for understanding the complex ways health and disease intersect with culture, society, history and political-economic forces.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Graduates are likely to gain employment in the government, non-governmental, humanitarian, research, social and health services, disaster relief and multilateral aid organisations, or other groups concerned with development, human rights, gender, health, Indigenous issues, and refugee, migration and immigration issues.

RECOGNITION FOR PRIOR LEARNING (RPL)

Macquarie recognises students’ prior learning experiences, whether through formal qualifications or through other types of non-formal and informal learning, for both entry into, and credit towards its degrees. For RPL details go to courses.mq.edu.au/MDevStudGlobalHlth

Associate Professor Chris Lyttleton, Academic

Associate Professor Lyttleton is a lecturer and researcher in the Department of Anthropology. His research interests include social consequences of economic development and modernisation in Southeast Asia; global health security; the social impact of HIV/AIDS and malaria; sexuality; social suffering and health vulnerability amongst migrants and minority groups.

Over the past 25 years Associate Professor Lyttleton has worked with a large number of organisations including UN agencies, AusAID (now under DFAT), Asian Development Bank, and various NGOs on programs such as drug dependence (opium), lessening threats to infectious disease (sexual health and malaria) and assessing modernisation’s impact on livelihood choices (infrastructure development).
Master of Environmental Planning

ALSO OFFERED AS A GRADUATE CERTIFICATE

Develop professional skills and knowledge in matters important to planning practice, whilst pursuing your special interests such as environmental and resources management, sustainable development, urban and regional planning, environmental law, and policy and social impact assessment.

KEY FEATURES

• Gives you the opportunity to undertake an applied planning project to demonstrate your skills as an environmental planner
• Offers real-life environmental consultancy projects for real clients through the Environmental Management Practice unit
• Provides education and training in urban and regional planning with particular emphasis on the interdisciplinary study of the environment
• Balance of theoretical and practical learning opportunities and experiences
• A limited number of Commonwealth Supported Placements (CSP) are available

WHAT YOU WILL STUDY

This degree includes subjects such as:
• Attitudes to the Environment
• Environmental Law and Policy
• Environmental Management Practice
• Environmental Planning
• Gateway to the Planning Profession
• Local Government Approval Process
• Sustainable Urban Regions

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Our graduates find employment in government, particularly at local and state levels, and non-government organisations. In the private sector there are opportunities in specialist and multidisciplinary environmental management, planning and engineering consultancies.

ACCREDITATION

This degree is accredited by the Planning Institute of Australia (PIA) and thereby enables graduates of the program to take up membership of the PIA and pursue career opportunities in public and private sector positions which may require recognised professional PIA qualifications.

RECOGNITION FOR PRIOR LEARNING (RPL)

Macquarie recognises students’ prior learning experiences, whether through formal qualifications or through other types of non-formal and informal learning, for both entry into, and credit towards its degrees. For RPL details go to courses.mq.edu.au/MEnvPlan

Gemma Bennett, Graduate

“After working in local government for a number of years as an Environmental Strategist I discovered just how much planning influences local communities and environments. So I decided to do a Masters degree and Macquarie was at the top of my list as it has a great reputation for producing excellent planning practitioners. The degree allowed me to explore areas of research that I was passionate about. Consequently I was to co-author a journal publication. In the midst of my degree my daughter came along. The academic staff were fantastic, their patience and flexibility allowed me to continue my studies resulting in me receiving the Vice-Chancellor’s Commendation for Academic Excellence.”
Master of Indigenous Education

ALSO OFFERED AS A GRADUATE CERTIFICATE AND DIPLOMA

This degree will provide educators and policy advisers an in-depth understanding of the historical, contemporary and global issues faced by Indigenous Australia. Macquarie is the only university to offer such a degree in Australia.

KEY FEATURES

• Meets the NSW Institute of Teacher’s professional development requirements
• Offered online allowing you to study at your own pace
• Provides valuable knowledge to help close the gap in Indigenous education
• Provides global context by exploring other First Nation people’s experiences with education systems

WHAT YOU WILL STUDY

This program includes subjects such as:

• Contemporary Issues in Indigenous Education
• Education in Indigenous Communities
• Evaluation of Educational Programs
• Global Indigenous Education
• History of Indigenous Education
• Politics, Power and Indigenous Education
• Research Methods in Indigenous Education

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Careers available in a variety of areas including schools, early childhood services, universities, policy and government departments, NGOs and Indigenous organisations.

RECOGNITION FOR PRIOR LEARNING (RPL)

Macquarie recognises students’ prior learning experiences, whether through formal qualifications or through other types of non-formal and informal learning, for both entry into, and credit towards its degrees. For RPL details go to courses.mq.edu.au/MIndEd

Sharon Kerr, Graduate

“As a non-Indigenous person involved in serving Indigenous students, I realised that I had much to learn in order to serve effectively in my role. I enrolled in this degree to gain knowledge and appreciation of Indigenous history, cultures, languages, ways of knowing and ways of doing. The course changed my life and made me a much more effective practitioner. As a result of this course I will always be committed to cultural safety in both the workplace and learning environment.”

Course duration

1 - 1.5 years full-time/ equivalent part-time depending on RPL granted

Course structure

48CP = 24CP + 8CP
TOTAL 6 required units
+ 16CP choice of 4 units

Study modes

Full-time, part-time

Attendance modes

External

Commencing

Session 1 (February)
Session 2 (July)

UAC

860677 - by distance

Admission requirements

Australian level 7 bachelor’s qualification or recognised equivalent in education or Indigenous studies; or Australian level 7 bachelor’s qualification and 18 months full-time equivalent relevant work experience

For the full degree structure and more information visit courses.mq.edu.au/MIndEd
Master of International Public Diplomacy

This innovative degree is the first of its kind offered in Australia. It offers a multidisciplinary focus, helping you gain an in-depth understanding of strategy and policy development, public diplomacy practice, international law and security, intercultural communications, and international relations.

**KEY FEATURES**

- Network and learn from serving and retired diplomats through workshops
- Option to do an internship in your chosen field
- Students can do independent research projects in the context of international public diplomacy

**WHAT YOU WILL STUDY**

This degree includes subjects such as:
- Doing Social Survey Research
- Evaluation and the Policy Process
- Globalisation and Security
- Intercultural Communication
- International Communications Internship
- International Marketing
- Methods of Research and Writing
- Public Diplomacy and International Public Relations
- Research Project
- The Politics of International Human Rights Law

**CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

Graduates of this degree can go on to successful careers as public diplomats, corporate international relations specialists, international development consultants, international image analysts, strategists and advisers.

**RECOGNITION FOR PRIOR LEARNING (RPL)**

Macquarie recognises students’ prior learning experiences, whether through formal qualifications or through other types of non-formal and informal learning, for both entry into, and credit towards its degrees. For RPL details go to courses.mq.edu.au/MIntPubDip

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**Course duration**

1 - 1.5 years full-time/ equivalent part-time depending on RPL granted

**Course structure**

48 CP = 4 CP + 8 CP

TOTAL 1 required unit

+ 36 CP choice of 9 units

**Study modes**

Full-time, part-time

**Attendance modes**

Internal, external

**Commencing**

Session 1 (February)
Session 2 (July)

**UAC**

860671 - on campus
860681 - by distance

**CRICOS**

079199E

**Admission requirements**

Australian level 7 bachelor’s qualification or recognised equivalent in anthropology, cultural studies, diplomacy, media and communication, modern history, international relations, politics, international studies, law, psychology, security studies, sociology, linguistics, marketing, or a related discipline; or Australian level 7 bachelor’s qualification or recognised equivalent with relevant and significant work experience in a relevant field.

For the full degree structure and more information visit courses.mq.edu.au/MIntPubDip

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**Natalia Novozhilova, Current student from Russia**

“My sphere of professional interest is public diplomacy. As soft power and public diplomacy are relatively new areas in international relations studies and practices, I found there are few universities in the world offering a master degree in this field. I chose to study at Macquarie not only because it has such a program, but also the Soft Power Analysis and Resource Centre. The degree provides an opportunity to improve not only my research knowledge but also develops important practical skills in communication, politics, international law and business. There is also the option to do an internship or enrol in Macquarie’s extracurricular Global Leadership Program where you can experience think tanks, seminars with political, environmental and human rights activists, attend a distinguished speaker series, and opportunities to work and learn overseas.”
Master of International Relations

ALSO OFFERED AS A GRADUATE CERTIFICATE AND DIPLOMA

This flexible and real-world focused program examines the power-political, economic, cultural, legal and institutional forces that influence relations between the major players in the international system.

KEY FEATURES

• Learn from experts in the fields of Asian, European, American, African, Australian and Middle Eastern studies
• Eligible students have an opportunity to gain work experience through an internship in an approved institution and to credit this to their degree
• Take advantage of student exchange opportunities through our Global Leadership Program
• Includes a strong component of research study under specialised individual supervision
• Develop key skills in critical thinking, problem solving, research and writing, and oral communication
• Your choice of studying on campus or online, full-time or part-time
• Get a leading edge by taking advantage of our double degree programs by combining the Master of International Relations with International Business, Translating and Interpreting, or International Communication

WHAT YOU WILL STUDY

This degree includes subjects such as:
• International Law and Institutions
• International Political Economy
• International Relations Research Project
• International Relations Theory
• International Security
• Research Methods in Politics and International Relations

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Career paths for our graduates are varied and include employment within the civil service in departments dealing with foreign affairs, diplomacy, defence, foreign aid and intelligence, international organisations such as United Nations, NGOs, multinational corporations, trade focused businesses, journalism and consulting.

RECOGNITION FOR PRIOR LEARNING (RPL)

Macquarie recognises students’ prior learning experiences, whether through formal qualifications or through other types of non-formal and informal learning, for both entry into, and credit towards its degrees. For RPL details go to courses.mq.edu.au/MIntRel

Jessica Alice Garcia, Graduate from Canada

“After studying my masters program at Macquarie, I gained the academic and practical skills to attain the type of job that I wanted – project work at an NGO that deals with international issues. Personally, I think I really grew up during my time at Macquarie from the whole experience of living so far away from home and being exposed to so many new places and people.”

Course duration
1 - 1.5 years full-time/ equivalent part-time depending on RPL granted

Course structure

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48CP = 24CP + 24CP
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TOTAL 6 required units
choice of 6 units

Study modes
Full-time, part-time

Attendance modes
Internal, external

Commencing
Session 1 (February)
Session 2 (July)

UAC
860740 - on campus
860741 - by distance

CRICOS
083797D

Admission requirements

Australian level 7 bachelor’s qualification or recognised equivalent in social sciences; or Australian level 7 bachelor’s qualification with relevant work experience; GPA of 2.50 (out of 4.00)

For the full degree structure and more information visit
courses.mq.edu.au/MIntRel
Master of Policy and Applied Social Research

ALSO OFFERED AS A GRADUATE CERTIFICATE AND DIPLOMA

Learn how to design, conduct and evaluate applied research and analyse social, environmental and human services policy. This degree will train you in both quantitative and qualitative methodologies including: analysing statistical data, running focus groups, conducting surveys and analysing survey data.

KEY FEATURES

• Offers an interdisciplinary focus with opportunities to study in diverse disciplines including politics, human geography, and anthropology, comparative social policy and the politics of climate change
• Equips you with policy and social research skills that are widely sought after in the government, non-government and private sectors
• A flexible degree structure allows you to develop study plans tailored to your personal interests
• Opportunity for a professional internship in social research

WHAT YOU WILL STUDY

This degree includes subjects such as:
• Activism and Policy Design
• Developing Social Policy
• Doing Social Survey Research
• Evaluation and the Policy Process
• Professional Internships in Social Research
• Qualitative Methods

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Some of the options open to graduates include: social research; policy analysis and planning; careers in social and community services; human services; climate change and development; public opinion and market research; teaching in the field of social science; activism and advocacy. These may be within community-based organisations, trade unions, local government, marketing and social research organisations, private consultancies or government policy agencies.

RECOGNITION FOR PRIOR LEARNING (RPL)

Macquarie recognises students’ prior learning experiences, whether through formal qualifications or through other types of non-formal and informal learning, for both entry into, and credit towards its degrees. For RPL details go to courses.mq.edu.au/MPASR

Brigit Busicchia, Graduate

“The thing I liked best about studying this degree was that I would leave any lecture having learnt something new and useful, thanks to the freshness of approach and the dynamism of the teaching staff. From my experience, this degree attracts quality students from different horizons, and it has made my learning experience exciting as well as extremely rewarding.”

Course duration
1 - 1.5 years full-time/ equivalent part-time depending on RPL granted

Course structure
48CP = 20CP + 12CP choice of 3 policy and research units
+ 16CP choice of 4 elective units

Study modes
Full-time, part-time

Attendance modes
Internal

Commencing
Session 1 (February)
Session 2 (July)

UAC
860750 - on campus

CRICOS
083805J

Admission requirements
Australian level 7 bachelor’s qualification or recognised equivalent in social sciences and a GPA of 2.50 (out of 4.00)

For the full degree structure and more information visit courses.mq.edu.au/MPASR
The Master of Politics and Public Policy develops your understanding of policy formulation, implementation and evaluation from an Australian perspective. The units of this degree are offered within the context of political science.

**KEY FEATURES**

- Emphasises the politics surrounding public policy, the changing landscape of policy making and Australian public policy
- Develops a comprehensive understanding of current debates in public policy including evidence-based policy, accountability, federal-state relations, globalisation, policy transfer, political parties and citizen engagement
- Flexible delivery with evening classes for internal students, and online delivery plus on-campus sessions for external students, allowing you to fit your studies around your other commitments

**CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

Current students and graduates include members of parliament, ministerial policy advisers, media advisers, public servants, parliamentary and electorate office staff, lobbyists, consultants, researchers, journalists, lawyers and community organisation workers.

**RECOGNITION FOR PRIOR LEARNING (RPL)**

Macquarie recognises students’ prior learning experiences, whether through formal qualifications or through other types of non-formal and informal learning, for both entry into, and credit towards its degrees. For RPL details go to courses.mq.edu.au/MPP

**WHAT YOU WILL STUDY**

This degree includes subjects such as:
- Accountability
- Comparative Public Policy
- Evidence and Expertise in Policy
- Health Policy
- Internship Project
- Political Parties and Policy
- Politics of Communications Policy
- Policy Design and Practice

**Charlotte Boyer, Graduate**

“I chose Macquarie University because I wanted to complete the masters to further my career prospects and improve my knowledge of Australian politics and public policy. This degree has helped me secure my current professional position and provided me with a foundation upon which to build my knowledge of public policy and politics, which I use daily at work. I have been very pleased with the quality of the course, lecturers and class engagement.”

Charlotte has worked in the Department of Premier and Cabinet, New South Wales as a Policy Officer and as a Consultant at UNICEF Pacific and Fiji Ministry of Women, Social Welfare, and Poverty Alleviation.
Graduate Certificate and Graduate Diploma of Social Impact Assessment

The Graduate Certificate and Graduate Diploma of Social Impact Assessment offer skills development, research training and theoretical concept development required of professionals appropriate in the field of social impact assessment. They are suitable for those whose work requires an understanding of the methods and implications of social impact assessment, including planning, government, community and industry interests in urban planning, community, infrastructure and resource development, and organisational development.

KEY FEATURES
- Incorporates an international understanding of social impact assessment experience and approaches
- Develop credible research design skills for social impact assessment study
- Access to professionals in the field through lectures

WHAT YOU WILL STUDY
- Research Methods for Sustainable Development
- Social Impact Assessment and Cross Cultural Negotiation
- Special Topic in Environment and Geography
- Urban Social Impact Assessment

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES
Our graduates find employment in government, particularly in departments responsible for social planning, urban planning, community engagement, strategic planning, resource management, climate change adaptation, emergency management, and Indigenous communities. Career opportunities are also available in private sector consultancies, international development agencies, humanitarian agencies, engineering firms and mining or resource companies.

GRADUATE DIPLOMA ADMISSION
- Course duration: 0.5 - 1 year full-time/equivalent part-time
- Credit points required: 32
- Study modes: Full-time, part-time
- Attendance modes: Internal, external
- Commencing: Session 1 (February), Session 2 (July)
- UAC: 860868 - on campus, 860870 - by distance
- CRICOS: 083767K

GRADUATE CERTIFICATE ADMISSION
- Course duration: 1 year part-time
- Credit points required: 16
- Study modes: Part-time
- Attendance modes: Internal, external
- Commencing: Session 1 (February), Session 2 (July)
- UAC: 860872 - on campus, 860874 - by distance
- CRICOS: Not available to international students

Admission requirements
- Australian level 7 bachelor's qualification or recognised equivalent in a social science, community engagement, community development, planning, or a related discipline

For the full degree structure and more information visit courses.mq.edu.au/GradDipSIA

For the full degree structure and more information visit courses.mq.edu.au/GradCerSIA
Research Training Pathway

Facing page image: Khety, wife of Khnumhotep II at the offering table
PHOTO: EFFY ALEXAKIS, PHOTOWRITE
Bachelor of Philosophy/Master of Research

Gain advanced coursework and research training that is recognised internationally. Completing this two year program will enable you to complete a PhD in three years, well short of the national average.

**KEY FEATURES**

- Macquarie is the first Australian university to fully align with European, North American and Asian research training qualifications by offering this program. It is consistent with the well-known ‘Bologna model’
- The BPhil/MRes is a two year program and replaces most honours programs as the main pathway to Macquarie’s Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) and Master of Philosophy (MPhil)
- Domestic BPhil (year 1) students are eligible to apply for a Commonwealth Supported Place (HECS scheme). In MRes (year 2), your tuition fees will be funded by the Australian Government’s Research Training Scheme. Domestic year 2 candidates will not have to pay tuition fees
- You can pursue joint PhD opportunities with Macquarie’s partner universities. For example, we have partnerships with universities in China, UK, France and many others

**WHAT YOU WILL STUDY**

This degree includes subjects such as:
- Research communications (eg conference presentations)
- Research frontiers (ie cutting-edge research in chosen discipline)
- Research planning
- Research methods
- Literature review

Faculty of Arts disciplines include:
- Ancient History
- Anthropology
- English
- Geography
- Indigenous Studies
- International Studies
- Modern History
- Philosophy
- Politics and International Relations
- Sociology

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**Tasmin Dilworth, Graduate**

“Undertaking an MRes has helped equip me for any future research opportunities. It has exposed me to a range of new ideas and research methodologies and allowed me to expand my research skillset and experience base. I’d like to undertake a PhD in the future and I now feel much better prepared to do so. I think it’s a great springboard. I would highly recommend it to any students interested in research!”

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**Course duration**
2 years full-time/equivalent part-time

**Study modes**
Full-time, part-time

**Attendance modes**
Internal

**Commencing**
Session 1 (February)

**CRICOS**
076986B

**Admission requirements**
Australian level 7 bachelor’s qualification or recognised equivalent, at a specified level of performance, usually an overall degree at credit point average of 2.5 out of 4.0 with at least 3.0 out of 4.0 in the final year. Some disciplines may have extra admission requirements such as a portfolio of work or a higher level of performance of bachelor study.

For the full degree structure and more information visit courses.mq.edu.au/MRes
CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Internationally recognised, this degree offers graduates opportunities in:
• higher degree research
• research and policy development roles in industry, education, government or NGOs

FEES AND SCHOLARSHIPS

All domestic full-time students entering year 1 of the Bachelor of Philosophy/Master of Research (BPhil/MRes) will receive a scholarship stipend in session 1 of $4,000. To receive a scholarship stipend payment of $4,000 in session 2, students will require an outcome of a weighted average of 65 or above in their session 1 results. Eligibility for a year 2 scholarship stipend will be determined through a competitive ranking process, and will be based on the performance of all year 1 units. MRes year 2 scholarship stipend will be at the rate of the Australian Postgraduate Award, which in 2015 was an annual amount of $25,849 tax free.

COURSE STRUCTURE = 64CP

1st year (BPhil)
comprises 8 units building discipline’s knowledge and research practice skills

2nd year (MRes)
comprises research training in chosen discipline + 20,000 word thesis
Fees and scholarships

FEES AND FEE-HELP FOR DOMESTIC STUDENTS

Most of our postgraduate degrees require domestic students to meet the full cost of their course by paying the tuition fee upfront each session. Tuition fee assistance is available via FEE-HELP, an Australian Government loan scheme for eligible higher education students.

There are also Commonwealth Supported Placements (CSP) available in the Master of Environmental Planning, Master of Indigenous Education, Graduate Diploma of Indigenous Education, and Graduate Certificate of Indigenous Education which means there would not be a requirement to pay upfront for these courses.

For further details about fees and FEE-HELP visit arts.mq.edu.au/domestic-fees

SCHOLARSHIPS

The following scholarships are available to postgraduate coursework students:

The Macquarie University Higher Study Scholarship is designed to support recipients who can demonstrate financial hardship, to continue their studies to a Postgraduate Coursework or Honours level. It does not include research courses. The scholarship generously rewards students who have demonstrated not only academic excellence but also an equally strong commitment to equity. The scholarship is valued at up to $10,174 per annum for the normal duration of an applicant's program of study.

The Macquarie University Alumni Garrawi Indigenous Scholarship has a purpose of encouraging Indigenous students to enrol in or undertake postgraduate university studies at Macquarie University. This scholarship is valued at $2,500 tenable for one year. It is awarded to an Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander person on the basis of academic merit and demonstrated commitment to Indigenous community advancement.

For further details about scholarships visit arts.mq.edu.au/pg-scholarships
Important dates

- **Applications Open**
  - 03 Sep
  - [uac.edu.au](http://uac.edu.au)

- **Open Day**
  - 12 Sep
  - [openday.mq.edu.au](http://openday.mq.edu.au)

- **Arts Postgraduate Online Chats**
  - Nov
  - [mq.edu.au/pg-events](http://mq.edu.au/pg-events)

- **Applications Close**
  - Jan 2016
  - [uac.edu.au](http://uac.edu.au)

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