

# Master of Global Project Management

## 1. About the Master of Global Project Management

The Master of Global Project Management (MGPM) course is designed to create work-ready graduates who will contribute to the ever-growing role of a project management professional in the global digital economy. They will develop the cognitive, technical and creative skills to make effective project management business decisions in a global context and develop the leadership and team-building skills necessary to project manage in dynamic 21st century organisations. Graduates will develop the breadth of knowledge in advanced project management skills, requirements management and specialised applications of agile delivery approaches and global project management which impacts on contemporary businesses.

Graduates in this course will also acquire research skills to equip them to interpret and evaluate theoretical propositions and project management business-related data. This will maintain and promote the currency of your MGPM and culminates in a business capstone project where research skills are consolidated and applied to a strategic business problem. Students are encouraged to complete an industry placement through the capstone core subject to enhance employability.

The MGPM course will be facilitated via on-campus and online classes to allow students increased flexibility to meet the needs of the working professional and be immediately applicable to their current job and/or future career.

### Graduate employment opportunities

The potential employment opportunities may include, but are not limited to, the following roles within organisations across various industries:

- Senior Project Officer
- Senior Project Controller
- Senior Project Scheduler
- Senior Project Manager
- Project Lead
- Business Analyst
- Project Management Analyst
- Quality Management Project Coordinator
- Master Scheduler
- Computer and Information Systems Manager
- Industrial Production Manager
- Sales Manager
- Business Planning Analyst
- Administrative Services Manager

## Course Overview

<b>Course Title</b>	Master of Global Project Management		
<b>Study Options – Domestic Australian students</b>	Face to Face delivery Online delivery Full-time and part-time options available.	<b>Study Options – International students</b>	International students on a student visa must not enrol into any more than a third or 33% of online subjects over their course and must study at least one subject that is face to face in each trimester.  International students on a student visa are required to study full time, i.e. the student must complete a minimum of 1.0 EFTSL of study per year.
<b>Start Dates</b>	February, June, September For specific dates visit the <a href="#">website</a> .	<b>Course Length</b>	1.7 years (5 trimesters full time) 3.4 years (10 trimesters part-time)
<b>Payment Options - Domestic Australian students</b>	<b>Upfront payment</b> This means tuition fees will be invoiced each semester and payment is required on or before the due date.  <b>FEE-HELP</b> FEE-HELP is Australian Government's loan scheme for higher education degree courses. It can assist you in paying for all, or part of, your course fees. Repayments commence via the tax system once your income rises above a minimum threshold. Just like with any other debt, a FEE-HELP debt is a real debt that impacts your credit rating.	<b>Payment Options – International students</b>	<b>Upfront payment</b> This means tuition fees will be invoiced each semester and payment is required on or before the due date.
<b>Course study requirements</b>	Each subject involves 10 hours of study per week, comprising 3 hours of facilitated study and 7 hours self-directed study.	<b>Assessment</b>	Subjects have a range of assessment options to suit the students' requirements and circumstances.  Methods of assessment may include time constrained, written examinations, individual assignments based on live briefs, group assignments, project reports, presentations, research reports, work integrated learning, scenarios and case studies, and reflexive logs.
<b>Locations</b>	Brisbane, Sydney, Melbourne, Adelaide Online	<b>Delivered by</b>	Torrens University Australia
<b>Provider</b>	Torrens University Australia Ltd is registered as a self-accrediting Australian university by the Tertiary Education Quality and Standards Agency (TEQSA).	<b>CRICOS Course Code</b>	095357G

<b>Provider obligations</b>	Torrens University is responsible for all aspects of the student experience, including the quality of course delivery, in compliance with the <a href="#">Higher Education Standards 2015</a>	<b>Accrediting body</b>	Torrens University Australia Limited ABN 99 154 937 005, CRICOS Provider Code: 03389E. RTO No. 41343
<b>Course Fees</b>	For details, refer to the <a href="#">website</a> .	<b>Any other fees</b>	For details, refer to the <a href="#">website</a> .

## 2. Essential requirements for admission

The general admission criteria that apply to Torrens University Australia courses can be located by visiting the Torrens University Australia website - <https://www.torrens.edu.au/general-admission-information-for-torrens-university-australia-ltd>.

## 3. Admission Criteria

<b>Title of course of study</b>	Master of Global Project Management
<b>Applicants with higher education study</b>	Successful completion of a Bachelor's degree (AQF Level 7) <b>AND</b> At least two years of professional experience. <b>OR</b> Successful completion of the Graduate Certificate of Global Project Management.
<b>Applicants with vocational education and training (VET) study</b>	N/A
<b>Applicants with work and life experience</b>	Demonstrated ability to undertake study at the required level: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• broadly relevant work experience (documented e.g. CV), demonstrating a reasonable prospect of success; OR</li> <li>• formal, informal or non-formal study, completed or partially completed, demonstrating a reasonable prospect of success; OR</li> <li>• written submission to demonstrate reasonable prospect of success</li> </ul> <p>Applicants without formal qualifications are eligible to apply if they have seven (7) years of professional, administrative or managerial work experience. Applications will be assessed on a case by case basis</p>
<b>English Language Proficiency</b>	IELTS 6.5 (overall with no sub-scores less than 6.0 or equivalent)

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(applicable to international students, and in addition to academic or special entry requirements noted above)	

## Entry and Exit Pathways

### A. Entry Pathways

- Graduate Certificate of Global Project Management is an entry pathway into the Master of Global Project Management

### B. Exit pathways for:

- There are currently no pathway partners.

## 3. How to apply

Via direct application to the institution

- <https://apply.torrens.edu.au/>

## 4. Advanced standing/academic credit/recognition of prior learning (RPL)

You may be entitled to credit for prior learning, whether formal or informal. Formal learning can include previous study in higher education, vocational education, or adult and community education. Informal learning can include on the job learning or various kinds of work and life experience. Credit can reduce the amount of study needed to complete a degree.

Applicants admitted based on prior higher education study may be eligible for Advanced Standing in the form of credit and/or recognition of prior learning (RPL) under the Torrens University Australia [Credit Policy - \(https://www.torrens.edu.au/policies-and-forms\)](https://www.torrens.edu.au/policies-and-forms).

- Students with completed subjects may be eligible for specified credit and/or elective exemptions
- Students who have completed a qualification at AQF level 5 (diploma) or above may be eligible for block credit (where a block credit agreement exists)
- Students with a mix of formal study and informal and/or non-formal learning may be eligible for recognition of prior learning in addition to any credit approved.

Credit will not be applied automatically. Applicants must apply for credit and/or RPL as early as possible prior to each study period, with applications not accepted after week 2.

For further information about credit and recognition of prior learning please see <http://www.torrens.edu.au/apply-online/course-credits>.

## 5. Where to get further information

- Torrens University Australia (TUA) Website
  - <https://www.torrens.edu.au/>
- Universities Admissions Centre (UAC) Website
  - <http://www.uac.edu.au/>

- Quality Indicators for Learning and Teaching (QILT) Website
  - <https://www.qilt.edu.au/>

## 6. Additional Information

### Course Structure

The MGPM21 course structure comprises 12 subjects (120 credit points). The course of study is made up of:

- *Core subjects:* There are eight (8) core subjects (80 credit points)
- *Elective subjects:* There are four (4) elective subjects (40 credit points)

### Course Rules

To qualify for the award of Master of Global Project Management, the candidate must satisfactorily complete a course of study comprising eight (8) core subjects (80 credit points) and four (4) elective subjects (40 credit points). A combined total of 120 credit points is required. Electives can be taken from either of the approved Elective Banks below or any postgraduate subjects (AQF 8 and / or AQF 9) with prior approval from the Program Director.

### Subjects

#### 1. PROJ6000 – Principles of Project Management

This subject introduces you to the practice of contemporary project management and its relevance in industry. You will be introduced to fundamental concepts of project management, project definition and project delivery methods. Contemporary project management methodologies will be examined in the context of industry best practice. An overview of industry standard tools and techniques required to manage projects successfully throughout a project life cycle will be provided. This includes industry terminology and the rationale behind the commencement of a project.

#### 2. PROJ6002 – Project Planning and Budgeting

Understanding the relationships between operational factors and projects is a core skill to be effective in the project management landscape. In this subject, students learn about project management capabilities such as; stakeholder communication, scope, time and cost planning and developing a work breakdown structure (WBS) associated with global projects. The importance of risk management, quality and change are also addressed in this subject.

#### 3. PROJ6003 – Project Execution and Control

This subject will equip you with the knowledge and skills to manage projects and communicate objectives to diverse stakeholders. You will evaluate and apply a range of different tools, techniques and methods to monitor and control global projects. This includes managing changes, risks and quality, measuring project progress, and developing communication strategies to ensure that tasks are executed as planned for successful project completion.

#### 4. PROJ6004 – Contracts and Procurement

Procurement and contracts are integral to successful project management. In this subject, you will learn how to plan for purchases and acquisitions, requests for proposal, vendor selection, contract administration, and contract closure. You will learn how to approach key issues with regard to short and long-term contracts, and small and large contracts. Topics covered include the examination of procurement strategies, responsiveness, and supplier-client relationships. You will also examine tendering, bidding and order management processes,

relevant legal and commercial implications, as well as managing the relationship between buyer and seller, assessing vendor performance, contract change control, and conflict resolution.

#### **5. PROJ6017 – Integrated Project Management**

In this subject, you will demonstrate advanced knowledge founded on application of the integrative nature of project management. You will deepen your knowledge and develop your skills to coordinate and implement various project change management processes and activities.

You will apply advanced tools and techniques to holistically consolidate the project lifecycle within local and global contexts and evaluate enterprise environmental factors (EEF) influencing project outcomes and optimise project benefit realisation.

#### **6. PROJ6018 – Project, Portfolio and Program Management**

This subject introduces you to the nature and importance of concepts that go beyond The Triple Constraint of time, scope and cost. Specific topics include; portfolio management lifecycles; resource management; and change management. You will learn to assess and evaluate the performance of multiple projects and programs, and how to apply a range of tools and techniques when managing project portfolios, specifically considering strategic management, and benefits to the organisation.

#### **7. MGT600 - Management, People and Teams**

Understanding organisational behaviour, politics, dynamics and environments and how they impact on the role and legitimacy of management is the core of this subject. This subject introduces students to the constraints that managers and emerging leaders face in developing strategies to leverage advantages and overcome barriers in organisations and projects.

The subject focusses on developing advanced communication skills. Students will develop knowledge and skills to identify, analyse and make effective decisions to resolve people-related issues, facilitate employee development and sustain effective teams in complex and diverse global operating environments.

#### **8. PROJ6016 – Project Management Capstone**

The Project Management Capstone subject is the culmination of your learning and is designed to facilitate project-integrated practice to real world scenarios. This subject enables you to demonstrate your ability to think critically and strategically in order to apply contemporary project management methodologies within your chosen project. You will apply investigative and advanced concepts, theories and knowledge of project management practice to initiate a project that has real-world consequences, one that will make an impact on the profession in your chosen community or sphere of influence. The project is to be practical- or research based and to make a contribution to theory or practice.

Project Management Elective Bank							
Subject Code	Subject Title	Elective	Pre-requisite or Co-requisite	Credit Points	EFTSL	Mode of Delivery: (F2F and/or OL)	
1	PROJ6009	Business Process Management and Systems	Elective	Pre-requisite: PROJ6000	10	0.125	F2F or OL
2	PROJ6010	Project Management Application: Construction	Elective	Pre-requisite: PROJ6000	10	0.125	F2F or OL
3	PROJ6011	Integrated Infrastructure Project Management	Elective	Pre-requisite: PROJ6000	10	0.125	F2F or OL

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1	PROJ6009	Business Process Management and Systems	Elective	Pre-requisite: PROJ6000	10	0.125	F2F or OL
2	PROJ6010	Project Management Application: Construction	Elective	Pre-requisite: PROJ6000	10	0.125	F2F or OL
3	PROJ6011	Integrated Infrastructure Project Management	Elective	Pre-requisite: PROJ6000	10	0.125	F2F or OL
4	MIS500	Foundations of Information Systems	Elective	N/A	10	0.125	F2F or OL
5	MIS602	Data Modelling and Database Design	Elective	N/A	10	0.125	F2F or OL
6	MIS603	Micro services Architecture	Elective	N/A	10	0.125	F2F or OL
7	MIS604	Requirements Engineering	Elective	N/A	10	0.125	F2F or OL

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8	MIS605	Systems Analysis and Design	Elective	N/A	10	0.125	F2F or OL
9	MIS607	Cybersecurity	Elective	N/A	10	0.125	F2F or OL
10	MIS608	Agile Project Management	Elective	Pre-requisite: PROJ6000	10	0.125	F2F or OL
11	MIS609	Data Management and Analytics	Elective	Pre-requisites: MIS602 MIS605	10	0.125	F2F or OL
12	MKT600	Marketing	Elective	N/A	10	0.125	F2F or OL
13	FIN600	Financial Management	Elective	N/A	10	0.125	F2F or OL
14	MGT601	Dynamic Leadership	Elective	N/A	10	0.125	F2F or OL
15	MGT602	Business Decision Analytics	Elective	N/A	10	0.125	F2F or OL
16	MGT603	Systems Thinking	Elective	N/A	10	0.125	F2F or OL
17	MGT604	Strategic Management	Elective	N/A	10	0.125	F2F or OL
18	MGT606	Employer-based Project	Elective	Program Director Approval	10	0.125	F2F or OL
19	MGT608	Business Law and International Contexts -	Elective	N/A	10	0.125	F2F or OL
20	MGT609	Managing Information Systems	Elective	N/A	10	0.125	F2F or OL
21	MGT610	Organisational Best Practice	Elective	N/A	10	0.125	F2F or OL
22	MGT611	International Business Strategy	Elective	N/A	10	0.125	F2F or OL
23	MGT612	Risk Management	Elective	N/A	10	0.125	F2F or OL
24	MGT613	Corporate Sustainability	Elective	N/A	10	0.125	F2F or OL
25	MGT614	Technology Strategy	Elective	Pre-requisite: MGT609	10	0.125	F2F or OL



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26	ACCT6001	Accounting Information Systems	Elective	N/A	10	0.125	F2F or OL
27	ECON6000	Economic Principles	Elective	N/A	10	0.125	F2F or OL
28	STAT6003	Statistics for Decision Making	Elective	N/A	10	0.125	F2F or OL
29	MGMT6012	Management Perspectives	Elective	N/A	10	0.125	F2F or OL
30	MEM601	Engineering Sustainability	Elective	N/A	10	0.125	F2F or OL
31	MEM602	Engineering Risk Management	Elective	N/A	10	0.125	F2F or OL
32	MEM603	Engineering Strategy	Elective	N/A	10	0.125	F2F or OL
33	BDA601	Big Data & Analytics	Elective	Pre-requisite: CCF501	10	0.125	F2F or OL
34	DID602A	User Experience Design	Elective	N/A	10	0.125	F2F or OL
35	DSGN6028	Design Futures	Elective	N/A	10	0.125	F2F or OL

## Locations

The Master of Global Project Management can be studied fully online or at the below Torrens University Campuses:

- Queensland (Brisbane)
- New South Wales (Sydney)
- Victoria (Melbourne)
- South Australia (Adelaide)
- TUA Online Campus

## Campus Facilities and Services

All campuses are designed to provide students with professional spaces in which to learn and work. They have been planned with student study needs in mind with well-equipped accessible learning spaces as well as student breakout areas for group work and spending time with friends.

## A positive student experience

Torrens University Australia values the importance of a positive student experience, and therefore has robust processes to resolve student complaints. The Student Complaints Policy, and associated procedures, can be accessed from the [website](https://www.torrens.edu.au/policies-and-forms) (<https://www.torrens.edu.au/policies-and-forms>).

## Paying for your qualification

We offer two payment options for this course:

- **Upfront payment**  
If you want to complete your qualification debt-free you can choose to pay as you go. This means tuition fees will be invoiced each semester and payment is required on or before the due date using EFTPOS, credit card or direct transfer.
- **FEE-HELP (Domestic students only)**  
FEE-HELP is Australian Government's loan scheme for higher education degree courses. It can assist you in paying for all, or part of, your course fees. Repayments commence via the tax system once your income rises above a minimum threshold (\$45, 881 in 2019-20). Just like with any other debt, a FEE-HELP debt is a real debt that impacts your credit rating.

Further information about FEE-HELP, including eligibility, is available at:

- [FEE-HELP website:](http://studyassist.gov.au/sites/studyassist/help-payingmyfees/fee-help/pages/fee-help)  
[http://studyassist.gov.au/sites/studyassist/help-payingmyfees/fee-help/pages/fee-help-](http://studyassist.gov.au/sites/studyassist/help-payingmyfees/fee-help/pages/fee-help)
- [FEE-HELP booklets:](http://studyassist.gov.au/sites/studyassist/helpfulresources/pages/publications)  
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## Austudy and Abstudy

Students enrolled in this course may be eligible for government assistance, such as [Austudy](#) or [Abstudy](#).