Semester 2 2024 Orientation

Welcome to Postgraduate Educational Studies

With Dr Suraiya Hameed, Program Director

Friday 19 July 2.00 pm



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https://www.facebook.com/uqeducation

Acknowledgment of **Country**

The University of Queensland (UQ) acknowledges the Traditional Owners and their custodianship of the lands on which we meet.

We pay our respects to their Ancestors and their descendants, who continue cultural and spiritual connections to Country.

We recognise their valuable contributions to Australian and global society.





What's happening today?

- 1. Welcome
- 2. Clarifying key terminology
- 3. Studying at UQ in Semester 2, 2024
- 4. Understanding your program structure
- 5. Preparing for your courses
- 6. Updates on programme initiatives/ support programmes
- 7. Settling into university life



1. Welcome





Welcome to UQ



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UQ School of Education

- Began teaching education in 1945.
- Recognised in the QS World University
 Rankings by Subject 2023 as one of the top
 40 Schools of Education in the world.
- Vibrant research and postgraduate culture led by scholars of national and international status.
- UQ has been awarded more national teaching awards than any other university, many to academic staff within the School of Education.
- A very large group of former students and graduates have made significant contributions to education, both in Australia and overseas.





2. Terminology

UQ, HASS, & the School of Education!





Important terms



Your University

Central

Faculty School



Your Degree

Program

Plan

- Minor
- Major
- Extended major



Your Courses

Course

- Compulsory
- Elective

Unit

ECP

Blackboard

Course & Program Related Terminology

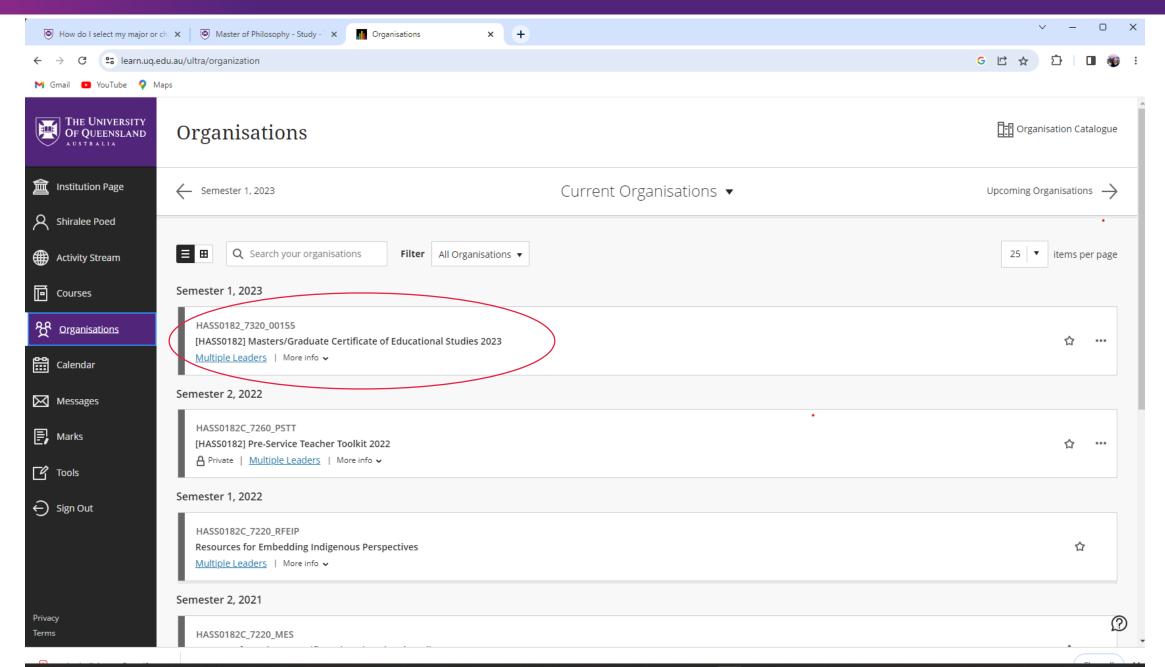


Term	Meaning	Example
Faculty	Home of related Schools	Humanities, Arts and Social Sciences
School	Home of related study areas	School of Education
Program	Degree or study area	Master of Educational Studies Graduate Certificate in Educational Studies
Course	Subject/Class	EDUC7001
Field of Study	Study Areas	Behaviour Management; Curriculum; Guidance, Counselling and Careers; Leadership; Psychology Education; Science of Learning; Supporting Diverse Learners
Unit (#)	Value of the course	#2
Semester	Duration of courses	approximately 16 weeks
ECP	Electronic Course Profiles	
Blackboard	The platform that hosts all course materials and lecture recordings	

3. Studying at UQ in Semester 1, 2024









Your Postgraduate Program

- Flexible delivery of programs (via on-campus evening classes or distance learning options)
- Ability to tailor individual programs to meet specific needs, with self-designed course options
- Research project options to facilitate progression to higher degree study
- A high standard of facilities and resources available to students
- High quality of research expertise and supervision
- Innovative research culture and community in one of the country's top research universities.

education.uq.edu.au/student-support/postgraduate-coursework







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Why study MEd studies & What's it like?

Why study a Master of Educational Studies?

Here are 5 good reasons.



What's it like to study education as a postgraduate?



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Enrolling, Tutorials & Sign-On

- First stop: https://my.uq.edu.au/starting-at-uq
- Tutorials: If you have options, mySI-net will tell you if sign-on is required. If not, go along to first lecture
 for instructions.
- If all else fails, myUQ has the answer
- If unsure about what to do for a course, ask the lecturer in your first lecture.
- If there is a problem with sign-on, e-mail the course coordinator (usually can be found through mySI-net)
- If you have a timetable clash, in the first instance you should try to swap your courses so that you take a different course this semester. If you absolutely cannot avoid a clash, email both course co-ordinators to see if they will permit you to access one of the classes externally, or alternative attendance each week.
- It is unlikely that attendance will be graded, but you need to check with each Course Co-ordinator. For international students, on campus attendance may be a requirement of your Visa conditions. For scholarship holders, attendance may be a requirement of your scholarship.



4. Understanding your Program Structure

And Options!





PROGRAMME HIGHLIGHTS

01

Strengthen your leadership expertise in educational practice, policy and theory.

02

Obtain the knowledge and skills required for specialised fields of work.

03

Gain qualifications that enhance career advancement and options.

04

Improve your research skills by engaging in an extended research-based project.

Our programs



Graduate Certificate in Educational Studies #8

- 6 months full time equivalent
- 8 units
- 4 courses

Master of Educational Studies (32 unit)

Master of Educational Studies #16

- 1 year full time equivalent
- 16 units
- 8 courses
- RPL 16 units

Master of Educational Studies #24

- 1.5 years full time equivalent
- 24 units
- 12 courses
- RPL 8 units

Master of Educational Studies #32

- 2 years full time equivalent
- 32 units
- 16 courses
- No RPL

A bachelor honours degree (or equivalent) in education, or a bachelor's degree (or equivalent) in education and 2 years full-time equivalent relevant work experience (see below).

A bachelor's degree (or equivalent) in education, or a graduate certificate or graduate diploma in education (or equivalent), or a bachelor's degree (or equivalent) in any discipline, plus 2 years full-time equivalent relevant work experience.

A bachelor's degree (or equivalent) in any discipline

https://my.uq.edu.au/starting-at-uq/plan/apply-for-credit



Graduate Certificate in Educational Studies #8

If you are enrolled in the Graduate Certificate in Educational Studies, you complete:

- 8 units from Foundational Courses or
- 8 units from Flexible Core Courses and/or Fields of Study or
- 8 units from Electives.

Course list: https://my.uq.edu.au/programs-courses/program.html?acad_prog=5448



Master of Educational Studies #16

If you are enrolled in the Master of Educational Studies (16 units), you complete:

- 4 units from Flexible Cores Courses (including 2 units from EDUC7111 or EDUC7112, and 2 units from EDUC7211 or EDUC7212),
- 8 units from Fields of Study, and
- 4 remaining units from Flexible Core, Fields of Study, or Electives

Course list: https://my.uq.edu.au/programs-courses/requirements/program/5596



Master of Educational Studies #24

If you are enrolled in the Master of Educational Studies (24 units), you complete:

- 6 units from Flexible Core,
- 8 units from Fields of Study, and
- 10 units from Flexible Core, Fields of Study, or Electives
- Note: It is possible for you to complete two fields of study.

Course list: https://my.uq.edu.au/programs-courses/requirements/program/5596



Master of Educational Studies #32

If you are enrolled in the Master of Educational Studies (32 units), you complete:

- 8 units from Foundational Courses,
- 8 units from Flexible Core Courses,
- 8 units from Fields of Study, and
- 8 units from Fields of Study, or Electives
- Note: It is possible for you to complete two Fields of Study

Course list: https://my.uq.edu.au/programs-courses/requirements/program/5596



Not sure what you should be studying or the order you should follow?

Email education@uq.edu.au and request a study plan

Want to change your Field of Study?

You can change this on mySI-net

To select your field of study (called a 'plan' in mySI-net):

- 1.Log in to mySI-net (student login required)..
- 2. Select the 'Enrolments' tile and then click the 'Plans' link.
- 3. Select your plan and click 'Save'.



Field	Co-ordinator	Office	Phone	Email
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Supporting Diverse Learners	Professor Rhonda Faragher	24-623	+61 7 3365 6481	r.faragher@uq.edu.au
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Enrolling in Projects

Project courses are not compulsory.

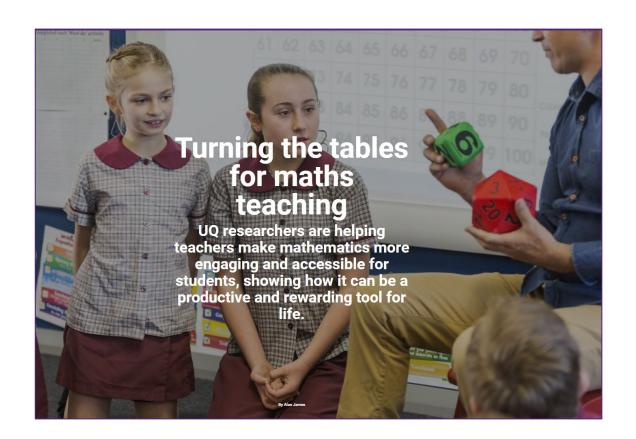
Projects can be used to prepare postgraduate coursework students for entry into a Higher degree by research (HDR) program, or to incorporate a specific area of interest into your program that is not covered by the Course List.

We recommend that students complete Research Methods course (EDUC7211 or EDUC7212) before undertaking research project.

Find out more here:

https://education.uq.edu.au/our-students/postgraduatecoursework

Application forms should be submitted **2 weeks prior** to the enrolment due date for the chosen semester





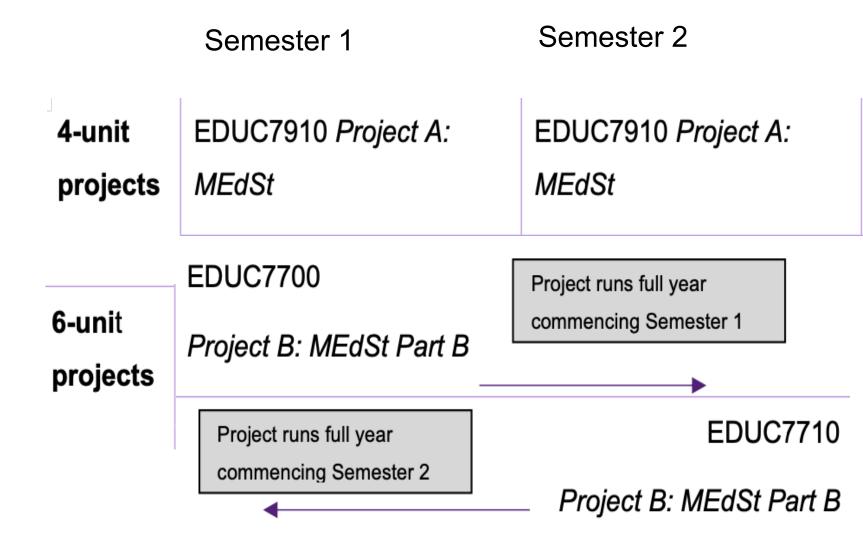
Current Project Work Model

Table 6: Available Research Project Courses

	Semester 1	Semester 2	Summer
2-unit projects	EDUC7026 Special Topics in Education EDUC7027 Guided Study: Educational Investigation	EDUC7026 Special Topics in Education EDUC7027 Guided Study: Educational Investigation	EDUC7026 Special Topics in Education EDUC7027 Guided Study: Educational Investigation
4-unit projects	EDUC7910 Project A: MEdSt	EDUC7910 Project A: MEdSt	EDUC7910 Project A: MEdSt
	EDUC7800 Project A: MEdSt Part B		
	Project runs full year commencing Semester 2	EDUC7801 Project A: MEdSt Part B	
6-unit projects	EDUC7915 Project B: MEdSt	EDUC7915 Project B: MEdSt	
	EDUC7700 Project B: MEdSt Part B	Project runs full year commencing Semester 1	
	Project runs full year commencing Semester 2	EDUC7710 Project B: MEdSt Part B	



Revisions to project work



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Academic Integrity Tutorial

All students **must** complete the module

- •Part A by 31 August 2024 (census date)
- •Part B by 25 October 2024 (end of week 13).

https://www.uq.edu.au/integrity



Enter your UQ student username and password Your student username is used to track completion of this module.

User Name:
Password:

Remember me next time.

Log In

Problems?

- Read the <u>Help page</u> (top right corner of your browser) this provides general information and support for the tutorial.
- Check out <u>Academic Integrity Resources and Support</u>
- E-mail: Technical Support. Every attempt will be made to respond to your questions within 24 hours (Mon-Friday).

5. Preparing for your courses





Important dates

Monday 15 July - Friday 19 July

Orientation Week for Semester 2, 2024

Monday 22 July

First day of classes for Semester 2, 2024

Friday 2 August

Last day to add a course for Semester 2, 2024

Saturday 31 August

Census Date

Last date to *drop* Semester 2, 2024 courses or cancel enrolment without *financial* liability

Monday 30 September

Last date to *drop* a course for Semester 2, 2024 or cancel enrolment without *academic* liability

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Course enrolment & tutorial sign-on

- Log into <u>Starting at UQ</u>. Go to mySI-net to enrol in courses.
- Once you are enrolled in a course, you should be able to see if tutorial sign-on is required. If not, this will be covered in your first lecture.
- If you have a problem with signon, email your school admin team.

Textbooks

Wait until Week 1 to work out what textbooks you should get

 Buy: <u>The School Locker</u> or <u>Second-hand Texts &</u> <u>Stationary</u>

• Print: UQ Print

Borrow: UQ Library



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UQ Program Planner

The Program Planner is a tool that allows you to plan courses for your program and ensure that the plan meets the program's completion rules and chosen structure.





Master of Educational Studies Program Planner

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Name:	Student No:	Date:		STLUC/	
Field of Study: BEHAVIOUR SUPPORT (1-year)					
https://my.uq	m Structure: .edu.au/programs- ents/program/5596/2023	Units	Cours Status		Semester
To be awarded the degree, successfully complete 16 Units of coursework, including:					
4 Units from MEdSt Flexible C 8 Units from MEdSt Fields of S 4 Units from MEdSt Flexible C		and/or N	MEdSt Pro	ogran	n Elective
Courses					
MEdSt Flexible Core Course	s (Section 1) – complete exactly 2	units fr	om the fo	ollow	ring:
	cational Policy and Change OR				S,Yr
EDUC7112 Teachers as Lead					S,Yr
MEdSt Flexible Core Course	s (Section 2) – complete exactly 2	units fr	om the fo	ollow	ring:
EDUC7211 Educational Inquir Policies and Practices OR	y and Research: Evidence for				S,Yr
EDUC7212 Educational Research Methods				S,Yr	
MEdSt Fields of Study, Behaviour Support – complete ALL 8 units from the following:					
EDUC7000 Dilemmas of Deve					S,Yr
EDUC7001 On the Edge: Iden Risk	tifying and Assisting Students at				S,Yr
EDUC7002 Promoting Positive Contexts	e Student Behaviour in Educational				S,Yr
EDUC7230 Working with Stud	ents with Challenging Behaviours				S,Yr
Elective Courses – Complete 4 units:					
	he MEdSt Flexible Core Courses any of the other six MEdSt Fields of				
	t Program Elective Courses (click				
	link above to view your options).				
Elective #1:	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,			\dashv	S,Yr
Elective #2:				$\neg \dagger$	S,Yr
TOTAL UNITS COMPLETED				$\neg \dagger$	
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Field of Study: GUIDANCE, COUNSELLING & CAREERS					
Program	Structure:	Units	Course	Semester	
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EDUC7047 Language in Education P		 		S1, S2.	
EDUC7610 Global Indigenous Knowledge EDUC7603 Contemporary Theories of		 		S1.	
MEdSt Foundational Courses – cor				31,	
following:	inplote exactly & tilles if the				
EDUC7053 Foundations in Global Ed	ucation for International Students OR			S1,	
2 Units approved by the Program Dire				,	
MEdSt Core Courses - complete A	LL 8 units from the following:				
EDUC7111 Globalisation, Educationa	l Policy and Change			S1,	
EDUC7112 Teachers as Leaders and				S2,	
EDUC7211 Educational Inquiry and F	Research: Evidence for Policies and			S1.	
Practices				. ,	
EDUC7212 Educational Research Me MEdSt Field of Study, Guidance, Co		<u> </u>		S2,	
complete ALL 6 units from the folio					
EDUC7008 Counselling in Profession		Г			
Individuals	an a contained the same			S1,	
EDUC7009 Career Guidance: Counse	elling for Life Planning			S2,	
EDUC7010 Proactive Interventions in				S2,	
MEdSt Field of Study, Guidance, Counselling and Careers –					
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	he other six MEdSt Fields of Study, or		ompiete o uni		
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Structure link above to view your option					
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Elective #2				S, Yr	
Elective #3				S, Yr	
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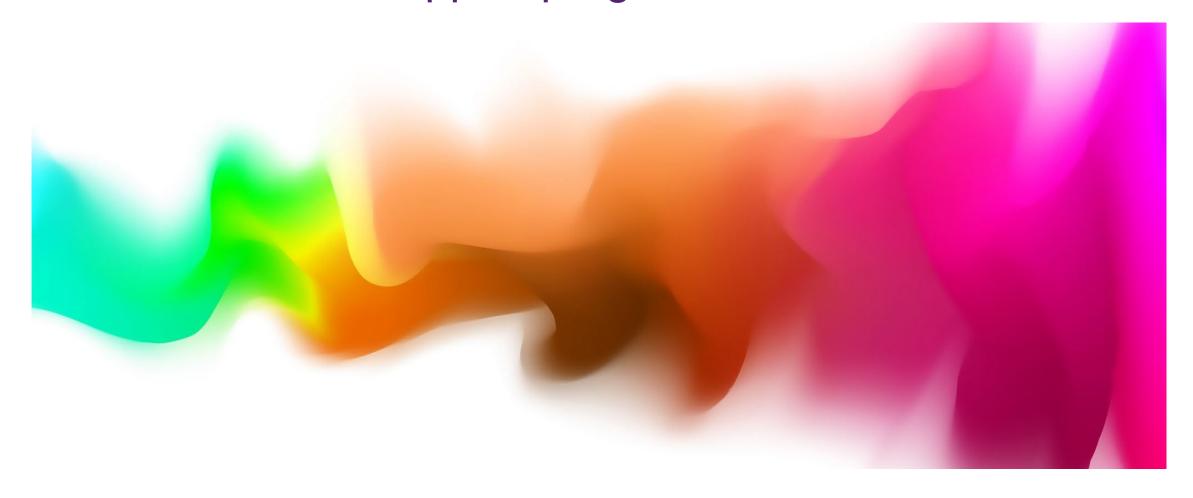


6. Updates on programme initiatives/ support programmes





New initiatives & support programme for MEd



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STUDENT INITIATED PROGRAMME

Faculty of Humanities, Arts and Social Sciences

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HASS Together: A Peer Mentoring Group for Mandarin Speakers

Join our student-led peer support group tailored for Mandarin-speaking international students. These workshops are designed and run by current HASS undergraduate and postgraduate students with psychology, education, and social work backgrounds.

Unleash your potential and embrace diversity at HASS! We offer enriching workshops, academic assistance, and cultural exchange opportunities, creating a comfortable, welcoming space that nurtures success. Let's thrive together, cultivating a richer, diverse academic community. Voice your needs, and shape your experience. Your journey starts here!

Light refreshments and snacks are provided in each workshop.

If you have any questions, please complete this form.



The group's main target audience includes all Mandarin-speaking students within the Masters in Educational Studies program.

Workshop series for Semester 1, 2024:

1. **Adapting to UQ's campus culture**

- Date: 28 Feb (this session was finished with 29 students attending)

2. **Adapting to UQ's academic culture

- Date: 18 March -About 50 students attended the workshop.

3. **Planning for your career

- Date: 8 April

4. **Stress relief

- Date: 15 April

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Workshops for Semester 2

Below are the details of the workshops:

How to Survive in Australia

30th July 2024- 18:00 - 20:00

Career Guidance

20th August 2024 18:00 - 20:00

Stress Relief

8th October 2024 18:00 - 20:00

Faculty of Humanities, Arts and Social Sciences

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Master's Series classes

Navigating Research project

17 June

Writing a Critical Literature review

15 August

6 August

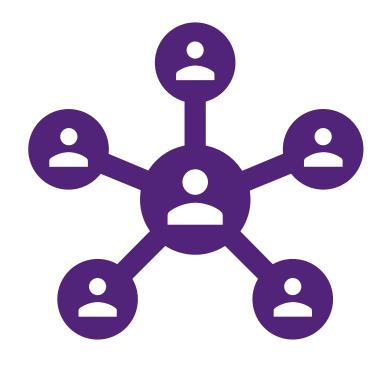
Research skills & Advanced Literature Searching

(217 in Duhig Tower (bldg. 2))

17 September

Elevating your Academic Voice-Research Essay Writing Techniques





Peer support programme



Peer Mentoring Program for MEd Students

Are you studying/planning to start a postgraduate program at UQ School of Education? Are you seeking support and advice on your learning journey? Feel free to drop by for a session with Scott and Joyce. You are also welcome to pre-book a session by connecting via email. Please check out the following key supporting areas to target your specific support needs.

What supports do we provide?



Academic

Learning in MEd program, Assessment, Academic writing



Research

Inquiry about research project, Prepare for a HDR Program(MPhil/PhD)



Career

Job search and application



Life

Cross-cultural connectedness, Campus life

Peer mentors



Yifei (Scott) Liang yifei.liang@uq.edu.au

Dr Yifei Liang is a researcher and a casual academic at the School of Education, The University of Queensland.

Siyu (Joyce) Liu siyu.liu3@uq.edu.au



Ms Siyu Liu is a PhD scholar and casual academic at the School of Education, The University of Queensland.

Session time: 1 pm - 2 pm, every Wednesday
Location: Room 638, Building 24 (Social Science Building)

We look forward to hearing from you!







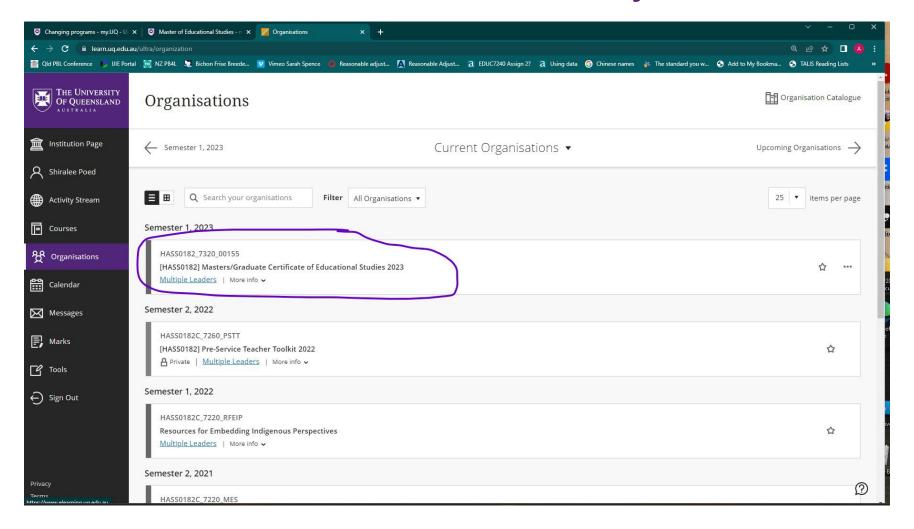


7. Settling into university life





Check out our Blackboard Community





Considering Research?

Admission to Higher degree by research (HDR) programs (MPhil or PhD) at UQ can be made on the basis of:

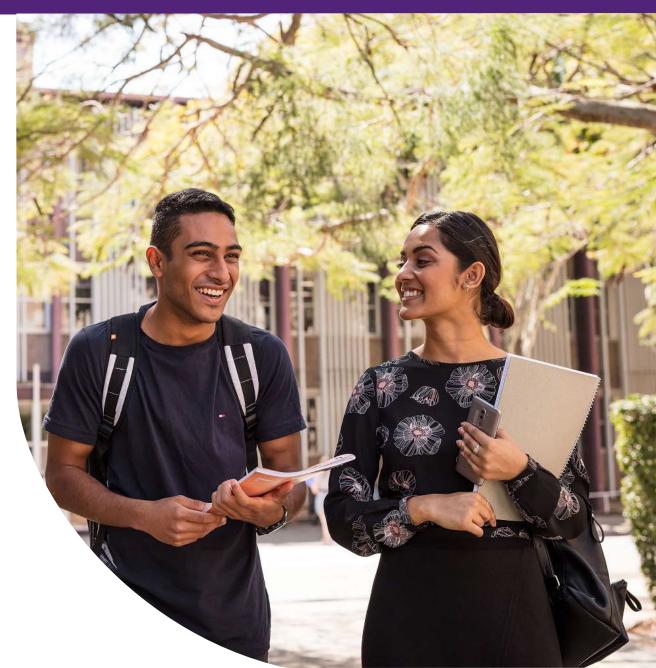
Appropriate Grade Point Average (5.65 PhD, 5.0 MPhil on a 7-point scale) **and** Inclusion of relevant research component in your coursework program.

More information can be found on the UQ Graduate School website: https://graduate-school.uq.edu.au/uq-research-degrees

If you want to discuss entry into a Higher degree by research (HDR) program, or you just want to keep the option open for the future, please make an appointment with **UQ Graduate School**:

Email: graduateschool@uq.edu.au Level 6, John Hines Building (62) (07) 3346 0503







Get support

HASS Student Administration Team

- Degree questions
- Credit requests
- Academic progress
- Overseas study approval

School Student Administration Team

- Course questions
- Timetables
- Assessment

HASS Student Futures Team

- Extra-curricular opportunities
- Career mentoring and seminars
- Leadership development

UQ Student Services

- Learning assistance
- Disability support
- Counselling
- International student services
- Accommodation
- Multi-faith chaplaincy

Contact

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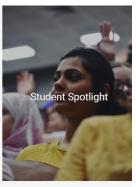
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We really value your feedback as it allows us to improve for the future. Please complete this 3 minute survey.



