

2025 Program Planner

Masters of International Relations / Peace and Conflict Studies (MIR/MPaCS))



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Program Overview

Program Code: 5688

Total Units: 32

Please refer to [MIR/MPaCS](#) for further information about this program.

UQ Terminology

General Terminology	UQ Terminology
Degree (e.g. Masters Degree)	Program
Subject	Course
Major or Minor	Also sometimes called a Plan
Term	Semester
Credits / Credit Points	Units (weighting of the course)

Important Information

- This is an AQF Level 9 program.
- Most UQ courses have a value of 2 units.
- If you are a full-time student, you will undertake 8 units (4 courses) each semester.

Program Requirements

The MIR/MPaCS program consists of 32 units comprising –

- 18 units for all MIR/MPaCS Core Courses, and
- 8 units for MIR/MPaCS Flexible Core Courses, and
- 6 units from MIR/MPaCS Program Elective Courses

Additional Rules

Your program has additional rules, please refer to your [program here](#).

How to use this planner

All courses that must be taken in sequence are pre-filled. You should plan your Flexible Core Courses first, noting semester offerings and prerequisites. Program Elective Courses should be planned last.

Important Notes

The information contained in this document is intended as general advice only.

You must follow the program requirements, including any additional rules, listed on the [Programs and Courses website](#). This study planner must be used in conjunction with your program requirements.

You need to check the prerequisites, incompatible courses, restrictions and semester offerings for all courses you choose in your study plan. You are advised to check the scheduling for the current year and contact your faculty for planning advice if course scheduling has changed in a future year.

This document is not intended as a progression or graduation check. For further information on progression or graduation checks, please contact the Faculty of Humanities, Arts and Social Sciences.

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Further Assistance

If you need more help or have any questions, please contact:

[Faculty of Humanities, Arts and Social Sciences](#)

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Semester 1 Commencement

Year 1				
1 st Semester (Feb – Jun)		Semester 1		
POLS7211	Core Course	2 units	POLS7211	2 units
POLS7251	Core Course	2 units	POLS7251	2 units
POLS7325	Core Course	2 units	POLS7325	2 units
POLS7502	Core Course	2 units	POLS7502	2 units
2 nd Semester (Jul – Nov)		Semester 2		
POLS7107	Core Course	2 units	POLS7107	2 units
POLS7216	Core Course	2 units	POLS7216	2 units
POLS7505	Core Course	2 units	POLS7505	2 units
POLS7514	Core Course	2 units	POLS7514	2 units

Year 2				
3 rd Semester (Feb – Jun)		Semester 1		
POLS7523	Core Course	2 units	POLS7523	2 units
Option	Flexible Core Course (Section 1) *	2 units		2 units
Option	Flexible Core Course (Section 2) *	2 units		2 units
Option	Program Elective Course	2 units		2 units
4 th Semester (Jul – Nov)		Semester 2		
Option	Flexible Core Course (Section 2) *	2 units		2 units
Option	Flexible Core Course (Section 3)	2 units		2 units
Option	Program Elective Course	2 units		2 units
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Semester 2 Commencement

Year 1			
1 st Semester (Jul – Nov)		Semester 2	
POLS7107	Core Course	2 units	POLS7107 2 units
POLS7216	Core Course	2 units	POLS7216 2 units
POLS7505	Core Course	2 units	POLS7505 2 units
POLS7514	Core Course	2 units	POLS7514 2 units
2 nd Semester (Feb – Jun)		Semester 1	
POLS7211	Core Course	2 units	POLS7211 2 units
POLS7251	Core Course	2 units	POLS7251 2 units
POLS7325	Core Course	2 units	POLS7325 2 units
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