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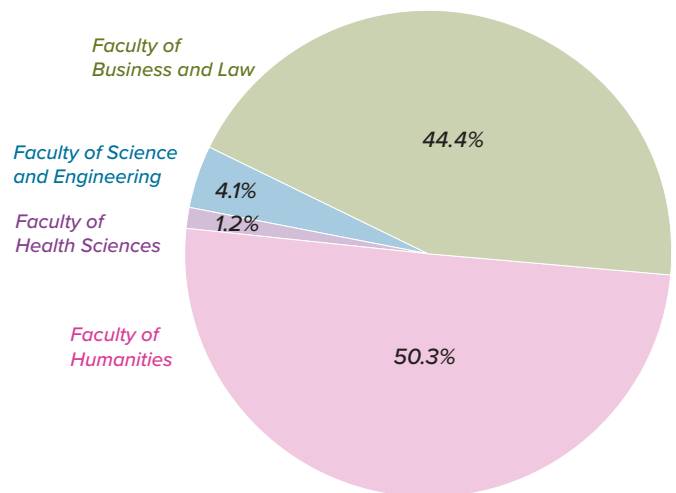
# Masters Qualifying Program (MQP) At A Glance

## Who is the MQP for?

- Students aiming to attain a Curtin University Master's degree
- Students seeking a more personalised learning experience
- Individuals who do not meet Curtin University's minimum entry requirements
- Graduates who have completed a bachelor's degree
- Mature students looking for an alternative pathway to university

The MQP is a one-semester non-award program designed for students with prior tertiary qualifications or work experience, who cannot gain direct entry to university. The program places emphasis on developing the skills necessary to succeed in post-graduate level studies.

## Division of students across faculties



## The MQP leads to qualifications in the following faculties:



Faculty of Business & Law



Faculty of Health Science



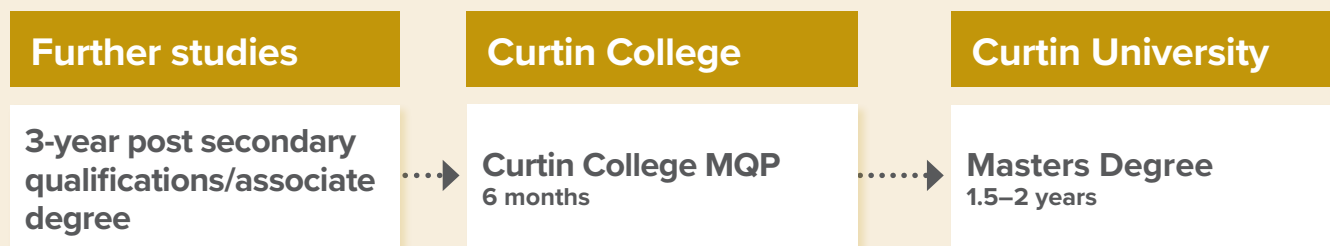
Faculty of Science & Engineering



Faculty of Humanities



## Master Qualifying Program pathway



### Faculty of Business and Law

- Master of Commerce
  - (Artificial Intelligence and Business Analytics)
  - (Finance)
  - (Human Resources)
  - (International Business)
  - (Marketing)
  - (Supply Chain Management)
  - (Sustainable Business Leadership)
- Master of Information Systems and Technology
- Master of Innovation and Entrepreneurship
- Master of Professional Accounting\*



### Faculty of Health Sciences

- Master of Health Administration\*
- Master of Public Health\*
- Master of Sexology (Professional)\*



### Faculty of Humanities

- Master of Arts
  - (Fine Arts)
  - (Screen Arts)
- Master of Environment and Climate Emergency
- Master of Human Rights and Global Engagement\*
- Master of Project Management
- Master of Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL)\*



### Faculty of Science and Engineering

- Master of Computing\*
- Master of Predictive Analytics\*



\*No unit exemptions granted upon completion of the MQP program.

# Program Structure

The MQP is made up of 4 (pre-postgraduate) units studied over 1 semester. Three (3) core units, and one (1) elective.



## Core Units

### Academic Communication for Postgraduate Studies

The unit aims to develop the productive and receptive skills required for communicating at a post-graduate level. Practical in nature, it focuses on academic conventions related to the different modes of academic communication. The unit encompasses the use of strategies to develop the academic voice by honing in on analytical and critical thinking skills. Through tasks that will enhance intrapersonal and interpersonal skills, this unit assists in the application of communication skills and knowledge in both the academic and professional contexts.

### Intercultural Perspectives for Postgraduate Studies

This unit aims to provide intercultural perspectives within a cross-cultural context to develop post-graduate communication, writing and research skills. Through the application of cross-cultural theory and multicultural frameworks, employability competencies such as interpersonal skills, cultural awareness and analytical skills will be explored. The unit facilitates how to effectively manage transitions between different cultural contexts through a process of self-awareness, peer review and reflection.

### Research Skills for Postgraduate Studies

The unit aims to develop knowledge and skills for conducting research at a post-graduate level. This includes an introduction to the principles of human inquiry and a selection of quantitative and qualitative research methodologies. Research design, methods, analysis, ethics and outcomes to advance critical and analytical thinking, information processing and evidence-based interpretation that build the foundational support for future research undertakings will be explored. The unit develops knowledge and skill in locating and evaluating evidence and information sources for research purposes.

## Electives

### Project Management for Postgraduates\*

The unit explores a framework for project management, its context, tools and processes at a post-graduate level. Utilising the Project Management Body of Knowledge (PMBOK® Guide) methodology, necessary skills and strategies to manage various types of projects efficiently, including creating a project plan, preparing relevant reports, and leading a successful team to strong project completion will be developed. Focus includes communication, reporting, collaborative and leadership skills. The unit delves into project lifecycle – initiation, planning, execution, monitoring & controlling and closure.

*\*This unit is required for entry into the Master of Commerce, Master of Professional Accounting and Master of Innovation and Entrepreneurship, Master of Information Systems and Technology Master of Arts, Master of Environment and Climate Emergency, Master of Project Management, Master of Public Administration, Master of Public Health and Master of Sexology (Professional).*

### Fundamentals of Analytical Programming#

This unit introduces fundamental concepts in programming and mathematics for post-graduate study in data science and related fields. The unit employs a unified outlook of programming and mathematics to solve problems. Students will be introduced to linear algebra, relevant notation, data analysis and statistical inference by engaging with modern programming languages and graphical environments.

*#This unit is required for entry into the Master of Computing or the Master of Predictive Analytics.*

## Academic Support

### Academic Success Program

This unit is a dedicated two hours per week support at no additional cost. The unit aims to develop academic skills and language proficiency required to participate fully and succeed in MQP. It focuses on identifying and understanding the academic demands and conventions in completing assignments. This is accomplished by developing an awareness of discipline discourse for clarity and impact.



**Master Qualifying Program Bursary**

Maximum of AUD \$1,500 for new international students from Bhutan, Cambodia, and Sri Lanka enrolling in the Master Qualifying Program.



# Why choose Curtin University?

## RANKED IN THE TOP 1% OF UNIVERSITIES WORLDWIDE

ACADEMIC RANKING OF WORLD UNIVERSITIES 2023



With campuses around the world and a strong international outlook you'll graduate with a global education



Technology-rich learning environments that recreates real workplaces, ensuring industry ready and highly employable graduates



Vibrant, active, inclusive and diverse community on campus for a rewarding student experience



Rated 5 stars for student demand, teaching quality and learning resources (Good Universities Guides 2022)



A strong reputation for research excellence

## Entry Requirements

Completion of 3 year post-secondary (post Year 12 equivalent) qualification OR hold a Bachelor degree (or equivalent) from a recognised University which is comparable to an AQF Associate Degree; and IELTS 6.0 (no band below 5.5).

*\*\*For the Master of TESOL 6.0 (no band less than 6.0)*

### Full Academic Entry Requirements

Scan the QR code or find out more at [curtincollege.edu.au/how-apply/international/journey/academic-entry-requirements/](http://curtincollege.edu.au/how-apply/international/journey/academic-entry-requirements/)



### Full English Entry Requirements

Scan the QR code or find out more at [curtincollege.edu.au/how-apply/international/journey/english-requirements/](http://curtincollege.edu.au/how-apply/international/journey/english-requirements/)



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