STUDY AT MONASH – AUSTRALIA’S LARGEST UNIVERSITY

Monash University is ranked in the top 1% of universities worldwide. It spans multiple campuses in Melbourne and is the largest university in Australia with more international campuses than any other Australian university. It’s dedicated to transcending traditional boundaries and achieving an impact on communities worldwide. Studying at Monash offers the opportunity to be a part of Australia’s largest university network with access to scholars at the forefront of their field around the world.

Based in Australia’s most culturally diverse city, you’ll meet people from more than 200 countries who call Melbourne home. Melbourne is a safe, vibrant and welcoming city with a proud multicultural history. Monash is also ranked as a UNESCO City of Literature and features a year-round program of celebrated festivals and events at its leading institutions and regional attractions.

Get ready to find your tribe within Australia’s largest student network and explore Melbourne’s ever expanding arts scene, packed with galleries, independent cinemas, cafes, bars and live music venues.

For full details on all our graduate study programs, visit monash.edu/arts/graduate-coursework

MELBOURNE RANKINGS

Ranked top 1% of best student cities in the world
QS World University Rankings 2022

Ranked #1 Australia’s most liveable city for over 10 years
QS Best Student Cities Ranking 2022

UNESCO City of Literature

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PROFESSIONAL ENHANCEMENT PROGRAM
Develop essential transferable professional skills with our tailor-made Professional Enhancement Program (PEP) units, a key component in all our coursework Master degrees.

LEARN FROM THE BEST
Our world-renowned academics, industry experts and Industry Advisory Boards are committed to providing you with the skills, experience and connections you need to succeed and thrive.

INDUSTRY ENGAGEMENT AND INTERNSHIPS
With over 400 partners in diverse industries and sectors, gain deeper insights and experience as you expand your professional networks.

STUDY TOURS AND FIELD TRIPS
Undertake interstate and international field trips and study tours to gain practical, real-world experience within your specialised field.

RESEARCH PATHWAYS
If you’re a high-achieving student, you may undertake a research thesis, and pave your way to a Higher Degree by Research such as a PhD.

INTERNATIONAL REPUTATION
Monash graduates are recognised and in demand across the world. Increase your global opportunities with a truly international university that is consistently ranked in the top 1% of universities worldwide for humanities and social sciences.

WORLD-CLASS FACILITIES
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**PROFESSIONAL ENHANCEMENT PROGRAM**

The Monash Arts Professional Enhancement Program (PEP), designed in association with industry experts, is tailor-made to equip graduate coursework students with career planning and professional skills development.

**Industry-informed modules**

Our graduate coursework students undertake specially designed units to hone essential transferable skills. These units have been developed in collaboration with the Monash Arts Industry Advisory Board, industry leaders and outstanding Monash Arts alumni, working across a range of fields and disciplines.

**Develop your career plan**

Each student undertaking the Professional Enhancement Program works with experts to create a professional development and career plan, including short and long term career goals and informed action steps.

**Learn from outstanding alumni**

Professional Enhancement Program participants have direct access to exceptional Monash Arts alumni through lectures and mentoring opportunities. You’ll gain advice and insight on career success from leaders in a diverse range of fields, helping you make strategic choices about your professional future.

**Shape your future professional profile**

Select from a range of modules to shape your professional profile, including:

- Advanced simulation
- Examine complex policy problems in extended problem-based simulations by working strategically within interdisciplinary teams.
- Leadership in intercultural environments
- Analyse the roles of cultural intelligence in supporting a more intercultural and inclusive leadership style.
- Managing multicultural teams
- Develop intercultural competence, gain skills and attitudes to successfully manage multicultural teams in a variety of professional settings.
- Presentation skills
- Learn vocal confidence and English pronunciation, expanding voice, refining voice and delivery.
- Professional internship
- Contribute to a workplace project for a domestic or international partner organisation. These can be self-sourced or university-sourced and approved by the Arts Work Integrated Learning (WIL) team.
- Strategic career planning
- Develop essential transferable skills in topics as diverse as communicating for impact, emotional intelligence, and project planning.

[monash.edu/arts/professional-enhancement](http://monash.edu/arts/professional-enhancement)

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**FLEXIBLE PROGRAMS**

All our master’s programs are available as 100 per cent coursework, or in combination with research and internship units. You can tailor your course to suit your interests and career needs, whether you come with some background in the field, or if you’re new to the area.

Depending on your previous experience, you may have the option to complete your course in one, one-and-a-half or two years if you’re studying full-time.

Most courses are made up of a series of different types of units:

- **Foundation units**
  You’ll take these if your previous qualification is not in a related field, or if you wish to take a longer program of study. These units provide you with an orientation to the field of studies at graduate level.
- **Core master units**
  Taken by all students, these will equip you with specialist knowledge related to the field.
- **Capstone units**
  Designed to allow you to demonstrate what you’ve learnt, and apply the skills you’ve acquired – for example, via an internship, research project or global field school.
- **Discipline elective units**
  You’ll have the opportunity to select from a range of units related to the field that best meets your own study interests and career aspirations.
- **Complementary elective units**
  Available to students completing the two-year option, these selected complementary elective units can be taken from any of the master’s by coursework degrees offered in the Faculty.
- **Professional Enhancement Program units**
  Designed in association with industry experts, select from this suite of professional enhancement offerings to build essential competencies for your career pathway – for example, the opportunity to be matched with an industry mentor.

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**WORLD-CLASS FACILITIES**

As Australia’s largest university, Monash offers students access to world-class facilities and alternative study opportunities.

- **Monash Media Lab**
  Featuring a large television studio, radio stations and editing suites, the Monash Media Lab at our Clayton campus offers Monash students unrivalled access to teaching and industry-standard production facilities that are among the most advanced in the world.
- **Virtual Reality technology**
  Monash is the first university to harness Virtual Reality (VR) technology to enhance interpreter training, offering virtual reality training for interpreters in family violence scenarios as part of the Master of Interpreting and Translation Studies.
- **Learning and Teaching Building**
  The impressive, award-winning Learning and Teaching Building at our Clayton campus comprises four levels and includes more than 60 formal and informal learning and teaching spaces. The innovative, contemporary design combines advanced technologies with spaces that have been designed to provide an outstanding student-centred learning experience.
- **Australia’s foremost libraries**
  Sir Louis Matheson Library at Clayton and Caulfield Library are home to flexible study and teaching spaces; contemporary collaborative discussion rooms equipped with media-scape tables, glass writing panels and whiteboards; advanced technologies; in-house cafes; and greater access to the university’s special collections.

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**INDUSTRY ENGAGEMENT AND INTERNSHIPS**

Engagement with industry is at the heart of all Monash courses, and we’re committed to delivering industry-relevant programs to ensure strong graduate outcomes for our students.

- **Course advisory panels**
  All of our graduate coursework programs are informed by industry-based advisory boards, where leaders from government, corporate, cultural and not-for-profit sectors contribute to our program content, ensuring we deliver cutting-edge programs that not only address the current needs of industry, but also look to solve future challenges.
- **Internships, fieldwork and experiential learning**
  Monash is committed to providing you with the best possible opportunity to apply academic theory to real-world situations through our accredited internship and fieldwork programs. These programs offer you the chance to either work within an organisation or carry out fieldwork and research both locally and internationally for a period of between four weeks and a full semester.
  We see this as a crucial component of a well-rounded education, which will enable you to better understand workplace culture, to actively engage in the application of concepts, and to develop networks and connections which can assist you in establishing your career.
- **Learn from leading practitioners**
  Our highly-regarded academic faculty comprises some of the world’s leading and most active arts and humanities minds. You’ll also have the opportunity to learn directly from industry experts and practitioners who've risen to the top of their own profession, and who are passionate about passing their knowledge and experience on to a new generation of leaders.
  Monash’s teaching staff are widely sought-after by industry, government and the media for their input into everything from bioethical questions to matters of international politics and diplomacy. They combine world-class research with robust industry networks to ensure you graduate with both the conceptual and practical skills necessary for a sustained and successful career.
GO GLOBAL

With campuses and partner organisations around the world, Monash offers a truly global study experience. Not only do you have the opportunity to undertake international exchanges and internships, but our community of world-class academic staff and our international student cohort ensure you’ll open your mind to a world of possibilities and perspectives through your studies.

A world-leading university
Monash has achieved an enviable national and international reputation for research and teaching excellence in just over 60 years. According to the Times Higher Education World University Rankings 2022, we’re ranked:
• in the top one per cent of world universities
• 29th in the World’s Most International Universities.

A ‘Group of Eight’ University
Monash is a member of the Group of Eight, an alliance of leading Australian universities recognised for their excellence in teaching, learning, research and graduate outcomes. Group of Eight universities produce graduates who find full-time employment sooner and begin on higher salaries than graduates from other Australian universities. You can be assured you’re on the right path. Our research is helping to change the world, and that means when you study with us, you might change it too.

An internationally-respected qualification
Our global credentials, world-class research reputation and international connections ensure that your Monash degree can open doors the world over. Our graduates have been employed with government, non-government and private sector organisations worldwide.

EMBRACE IMMERSIVE LEARNING

All Monash Arts graduate coursework programs offer you the opportunity to undertake international internships or attend global field schools to give you practical, real-world experience within your specialised field.

We provide overseas study and international immersion experiences for more students than any other university in Australia.

Whether it’s understanding a new wave of cultural innovation through Shanghai’s city lab, helping to build sustainable tourism models in developing economies like Estonia or Fiji, or investigating the way traditional media outlets are adapting to change in New York City, our international study opportunities provide you with unique, once-in-a-lifetime experiences which will help to shape your worldview and your career.

Monash Abroad
The Monash Abroad travel grant has made studying overseas more accessible than ever. All Monash students are eligible to apply for a grant through which the University will contribute to the cost of international education experiences and exchanges.

monash.edu/study-abroad

Immersive international opportunities our students have engaged in:
Current opportunities include Fiji, Germany and Estonia. More locations will become available as we reactivate throughout 2023.

AMERICAS
Chile
• Public Policy
Washington
• International Relations
New York
• Communications and Media Studies
• Journalism
• Strategic Communications Management

EUROPE
Germany
• International Sustainable Tourism Management
Italy
• International Development Practice
• Interpreting and Translation Studies
Estonia
• International Sustainable Tourism Management
UK
• International Relations
France
• Interpreting and Translation Studies
Belgium
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ASIA
Shanghai
• Communications and Media Studies
• Cultural and Creative Industries
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Japan
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Sri Lanka
• International Development Practice
• Environment and Sustainability
India
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Indonesia
• Communications and Media Studies
Malaysia
• International Relations
• International Development Practice
• Communications and Media Studies
Fiji
• International Development Practice
• International Sustainable Tourism Management

INTERNATIONAL CAMPUSES
• Malaysia
• Prato Centre, Italy
• Suzhou
• Indonesia

It’s a really unique course where you are on the ground meeting industry professionals and tourism experts with internship and field study trip opportunities.

I went on a study tour to Latvia and Germany… One of the highlights was going to ITB Berlin, the world’s largest tourism trade fair. Tourism is a highly networked industry where actually meeting your stakeholders is crucial. We met agents, country reps, destination management companies, journalists, bloggers and key industries in the travel industry.

The degree has really enabled me to stand out in the industry, as it’s quite a niche industry to be in, especially in Southeast Asia. It’s how I got the job with EF Education Tours, one of the world’s largest private educational companies. The company’s vision is building travel sustainability, and my time at Monash certainly set me apart in this area.”

RACHA KERDSILP
Master of International Sustainable Tourism Management (2019)
Operations Manager Southeast Asia, EF Education Tours
My experience studying at Monash really paved the way for starting my career here in Australia. I found that Monash provides more practical courses with great units and internship programs. This is why I chose to study the Master of Communications and Media Studies at Monash.

One of my favourite units took us to different media outlets in Australia such as the ABC and SBS. It was a great way to explore and learn about the Australian media landscape.

DORY WANG
Master of Communications and Media Studies (2020)
Mandarin Producer, SBS
Master of APPLIED LINGUISTICS

As globalisation expands, so does the demand for people with linguistic and intercultural communication skills to reach wide audiences.

Applied Linguistics is recognised for its ability to solve language-related problems in an increasingly multilingual and globalised world. With globalisation and significant technological disruption in recent years, the demand for English language experts, teachers and intercultural communicators has significantly increased. As a professional at the forefront of this field, your knowledge of how language works and how it can be used across a broad range of scenarios will be highly valued in the workplace – opening doors to a successful and rewarding career.

Adapt the course to suit your needs

You’ll complete core units that explore how language variation comes to bear on communication across cultures, and how we use language differently according to context and across social groups. You’ll develop skills in language analysis and be able to apply small practice-based research projects within your own professional context as part of the assessment process.

Elective units give you the option of exploring areas such as discourse analysis, intercultural communication and teaching languages.

How will the course help advance your career?

The Master of Applied Linguistics will allow you to develop as a leader in your field. You’ll gain a critical understanding of theoretical and practical issues relating to applied linguistics, including foreign language acquisition, language teaching, language contact and intercultural communication and digital language. Throughout the course you’ll have opportunities to develop your own interests within applied linguistics and apply your knowledge to professional contexts.

Our Applied Linguistics program has a proud reputation for excellence in the field, and this is reflected in strong workplace opportunities for graduates. An understanding of linguistics in a global landscape is highly-regarded in industry, particularly where skills in solving language related problems are required to optimise communication. Monash graduates have found employment across government, non-government and private sector organisations both in Australia and internationally.

Our alumni hold positions across sectors in business, education, health, media and communications, government and NGOs.

Industry connections and internships

Our academic teaching staff members are innovative researchers and established industry professionals committed to creating a supportive learning environment for all students to thrive. You’ll have the opportunity to regularly engage with real-world case studies and practical problem-solving as part of your studies.

There’s also an extensive fortnightly seminar series where you can engage with guest lecturers from industry and other universities.

Our academic teaching staff members are also high-achieving students doing an internship as part of the course – giving you genuine hands-on experience within industry. High-achieving students may also have the freedom to devise their own internship or research project which may be undertaken locally or internationally.

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Further information:

monash.edu/study/course/A6001

Course structure and unit offerings: handbook.monash.edu/current/courses/A6001

CAREER OPTIONS

- Academia - research
- Editor
- Educator
- Languages other than English (LOTE) teacher
- Publisher
- Speech Pathologist
- Translator/Interpreter

PROGRAM CODE: A6001

COURSE STRUCTURE

1-YEAR

Entry with honours degree in a related field*

Option 1:
- Language and multilingual societies
- Language and intercultural communication
- Research methods in applied linguistics
- Second language acquisition; or
- English grammar, pedagogy and use

One discipline elective

One capstone unit

1.5-YEAR

Entry with a previous qualification in a related field*

Option 2:
- Language and multilingual societies
- Language and intercultural communication
- Research methods in applied linguistics
- Second language acquisition
- English grammar, pedagogy and use

One discipline elective

One capstone unit

Flexible online study available

The Master of Applied Linguistics is available entirely on-campus, entirely online, or as a combination of both study modes. This provides you with the flexibility to fit study around your work or life commitments, and also ensures that you can access the program from anywhere in the world.

Successful completion can provide credit and entry into the Master degree. Find out more at monash.edu/study/course/A4016

LEARN FROM THE BEST

Dr Marc Xu
Program Director

Dr Xu is a senior lecturer in linguistics and applied linguistics, and an associate editor for English Today. His research areas include world Englishes, English as a lingua franca, cultural linguistics, and translation studies. His current research focuses on world Englishes in a transmediated world, and cultural schemas and metaphors.

Hear from our graduates

Rebecca Swain
Graduate Head of Learning – English, Carey Baptist Grammar School

‘The course has made me a better English teacher as I now have a better understanding of languages and how languages are learnt and developed in young people. It has also meant that I’m able to develop as a leader in the VCE English language curriculum. The flexible learning environment at Monash enabled me to continue teaching full-time whilst studying.’
Master of BIOETHICS

Revolutionary developments in biological and health sciences and technology are increasingly raising crucial ethical questions. The Master of Bioethics prepares students with the ability to provide well-informed analysis of these issues that are relevant to both individuals and society as a whole.

The program is especially designed for health professionals, scientists and those involved in public policy. Bioethics is something that Monash is famous for – and the Master of Bioethics is widely acknowledged to be one of the world’s most innovative and highly-respected programs. You’ll have the opportunity to learn from expert staff with international reputations for teaching and research in bioethics. As leaders in the field, our academics are active and prominent contributors to public debate and their industry insights will help you to navigate your own career path.

Industry connections

Our connections with industry at an international and local level include a wide variety of organisations such as Médecins Sans Frontières (Doctors Without Borders), The Alfred Hospital (Melbourne), International Association of Bioethics, Virtues Across the Continents Network, Murdoch Children’s Research Institute and Victorian Clinical Genetic Services.

Who is the program suited to?

The course attracts students from a wide range of backgrounds and professions. Knowledge of ethics or philosophy isn’t essential and the course is well-suited to the following groups:

- health care professionals, doctors and scientists who face complex ethical issues in their working lives
- those involved in the formulation of public policy
- legal professionals aiming to develop or refine specialised knowledge
- journalists, media commentators and public policy advocates
- philosophy graduates with an interest in further study of bioethics
- anyone interested in bioethical issues of public concern.

How will the course help advance your career?

A key strength of our program is its provision of a solid philosophical grounding, which is crucial to doing bioethics well. This means you’ll develop stronger analytical skills, be able to think through issues more clearly, and be confident that your decisions and views regarding ethical issues are well-informed.

The Master of Bioethics will help you to develop a deeper understanding of ethical frameworks and their application to real-world issues. You’ll also gain familiarity with newly-emerging controversies surrounding the latest developments in science and technology – and with current policies and practices in clinical and research ethics.

You’ll be taught by staff who are internationally renowned for their bioethics research and teaching, and who are active and prominent contributors to public debate on a wide variety of issues in bioethics.

Internships

Thanks to our exceptional industry connections with the World Health Organisation and other esteemed organisations it may also be possible via the Monash Arts Work Integrated Learning (WIL) team to undertake a professional internship in this course.

Where can the course take you?

Master of Bioethics graduates go on to influence policy development and ethical practices at a wide range of influential organisations such as leading teaching hospitals, professional associations, governmental bodies and NGOs.

NOT SURE WHETHER A MASTER’S DEGREE IS FOR YOU?

TRY SOME UNITS IN A GRADUATE CERTIFICATE FIRST

In as short as six months, the graduate certificate provides you with a foundation in bioethics by allowing you to sample several of the Master units on offer. Successful completion can provide credit and entry into the Master degree. Find out more at www.monash.edu/study/course/t4003

Flexible online study available

The Master of Bioethics is available either entirely in flexible mode, entirely online, or as a combination of both study modes. This provides you with the flexibility to fit study around your work or life commitments and also ensures that you can access the program from anywhere in the world.

LEARN FROM THE BEST

Professor Catherine Mills
Director, Monash Bioethics Centre

Professor Mills’ world-leading research addresses ethical issues in human reproduction, especially from the perspective of how new reproductive technologies impact on women. The author of several books, as well as numerous articles and book chapters, Professor Mills is recognised as an esteemed expert on debates in biopolitics, feminist philosophy and Continental philosophy.

As the leader of the Reproductive Biomedicine and Technology group, Professor Mills’ current research projects examine ethical, social and regulatory issues related to non-invasive prenatal testing and the use of genomics to prevent mitochondrial diseases. She is also part of a project on commercial influences within the IVF industry.

Professor Justin Oakley
Program Director, Master of Bioethics

Professor Oakley is a globally respected academic authority in bioethics. In addition to publishing two books, Morality and the Emotions and Virtue Ethics and Professionalism, he has published articles in international journals on topics including the ethics of clinical trials, informed consent, surrogate motherhood, surrogacy report cards, whistleblowing and reproductive cloning.

While conducting world-leading research, he also serves as the co-editor of the quarterly refereed journal Monash Bioethics Review.

How will the course help advance your career?

Your choice of additional discipline electives (1-2 units up to 12-credit points)

An additional capstone unit

CAREER OPTIONS

- Clinical ethics and research ethics within hospitals and health care facilities
- Disability advocacy
- Public policy development
- State guardianship boards
- Tertiary teaching of ethics
- Virtue Ethics and Professional Roles
- State guardianship boards
- Public policy development
- Dispute resolution
- Research ethics
- Disability advocacy
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COURSE STRUCTURE

1-YEAR

Entry with honours degree in a related field

Ethical theory

Ethics of life and death

Your choice of discipline elective (1-2 units up to 12-credit points)

One capstone unit from:

- Advanced simulation
- Bioethics, public policy, and the law
- Bioethics in action
- Professional internship
- Research project

1.5-YEAR

Entry with a previous qualification in a related field

Your choice of additional discipline electives (1-2 units up to 12-credit points)

An additional capstone unit

RESEARCH PATHWAY

Pursue your personal interests and career aspirations by taking advantage of the range of electives available to you, some including:

- Clinical ethics
- Ethical issues in human genomics
- Ethics of Human Reproduction
- Public health ethics
- Research ethics

*or equivalent qualification or experience approved by the Faculty. Refer to page 41 for admission requirements.

GRADUATE CERTIFICATE OPTION

- Clinical ethics
- Ethical issues in human genomics
- Ethics of Human Reproduction
- Public health ethics
- Research ethics

Graduate Certificate

Successful completion can provide credit and entry into the Master degree.

Further information:

monash.edu/study/course/A6002

Course structure and unit offerings:

handbook.monash.edu/current/courses/A6002

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Master of COMMUNICATIONS AND MEDIA STUDIES

The last decade has seen unprecedented changes in communications and media content, technology and policy – with wide-ranging implications for businesses, politics, public policy and everyday life. As the innovation agenda sweeps through our social, political and economic lives, this course provides you with the skills to take a leadership role in the new economy and converging media.

The course you choose will give you a dynamic understanding of the technological, cultural, economic and social changes sweeping our world. Our breadth of subject offerings is indicative of the broad employment opportunities available. This diversity is further reflected in our graduates’ employment destinations, with our alumni holding roles in influential global organisations such as:

- BBC Worldwide
- CNN International Ltd, London
- Pacific Brands
- SCTV, Jakarta, Indonesia
- Telsia
- Time Out Beijing
- Victorian Department of Human Services

Industry connections and internships

The course provides you with the option of undertaking a Communications Industry Internship subject where you can apply your skills in real-world situations. Recent partners with whom Monash has internships include Shandong Television (SDTV), the United Nations in New York (Department of Public Information), Getra Donaldson Publicity, Shatter Media, Mango Communications and the Department of Broadband, Communications and the Digital Economy. The program also offers structured, assessed field trips to media industries, with some previous destinations including Melbourne, Sydney and Shanghai.

Excursions and guest lectures help to provide further industry-based learning opportunities – where you’ll hear directly from leading practitioners in the field. In previous years, these organisations have included the AudioBoom, Seek, Southern Cross Austereo, Channel 10, Australian Broadcasting Corporation, Fairfax Media, News Ltd, Essential Screen Media, polyMedia, FoX Studios, GetUp, and the Department of Broadband, Communications and the Digital Economy.

Further information: monash.edu/study/course/A4007

COURSE STRUCTURE

1-YEAR

Entry with honours degree in a related field*

Complete your choice of four units from the following:
- Digital cultures and platforms
- Digital technology, policy and governance
- Global media industries
- Media and social change
- Understanding media audiences

Your choice of discipline electives (1-2 units up to 12 points)

One Capstone unit from:
- Advanced simulation
- Industry communications field school
- Industry project
- Media and communications field trip
- Professional internship
- Research portfolio
- Research project

*an equivalent qualification or experience approved by the Faculty.

1.5-YEAR

Entry with a previous qualification in a related field*

Complete all 1-year units

- Your choice of additional electives (2-3 units up to 18 points)
- One Professional Enhancement Program unit (6 points)

DISCIPLINE ELECTIVE UNITS

Taker your studies to your career direction by selecting elective units from across specialist disciplines in:

- Data automation and AI
- Design and creative practice for media and communication
- Governance, policy and leadership
- Journalism practice
- Screen and cultural industries
- Social change and impact.

RESEARCH PATHWAY

High achieving students interested in pursuing a graduate research degree (PhD), may apply to undertake a research thesis.

GRADUATE CERTIFICATE OPTION

In as short as six months, the graduate certificate provides you with a foundation in communications and media studies by allowing you to sample several of the Master units on offer.

NOT SURE WHETHER A MASTER’S DEGREE IS FOR YOU?

TRY SOME UNITS IN A GRADUATE CERTIFICATE FIRST

In as short as six months, the graduate certificate provides you with a foundation in communications and media studies by allowing you to sample several of the Master units on offer.

Successful completion can provide credit and entry into the Master degree. Find out more at: monash.edu/study/course/A4007

LEARN FROM THE BEST

Your program is led by teachers with substantial industry experience in journalism, radio, public relations and film, in addition to their academic credentials and cutting-edge research into rapidly transforming media and communications. They teach topics that are reflective of this contemporary, dynamic industry, and will introduce you to the latest developments and research in communications and media.

Our industry connections can advance your career

Monash has strong connections with influential organisations such as News Ltd, Fairfax, Channel 9 News, the ABC’s Q&A, The Drum, Lateline, Triple J and Radio National, Essential Media Communications, Foxtel, Nova radio, GetUp, Centre for Policy Development Channel 10 and Southern Cross Austereo. These connections not only provide internship opportunities, they also help to increase the visibility of our graduates within industry and contribute to strong employability after graduation.

OUR INDUSTRY CONNECTIONS

Dr Maura Edmond Program Director

Dr Maura Edmond is a Lecturer in Media Studies at Monash University and the Program Director of the Master of Communication and Media Studies (MCMS). Her research explores the sociology of creative scenes and media subcultures, and has examined music, art, podcasting, fashion, film and fandom from this perspective. Maura has also worked as a programmer, writer and editor for a wide range of cultural organisations and publications. Her work has been published in New Media and Society, Television and New Media, The Routledge Handbook of Global Cultural Policy (2018) and in digital outlets, magazines and newspapers around the country.

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Master of CULTURAL AND CREATIVE INDUSTRIES

Become a leading voice in one of the most exciting and innovative sectors of the contemporary world with Monash’s groundbreaking Master of Cultural and Creative Industries.

Key to the future of developed and developing countries, this interdisciplinary program provides you with a critical overview of a rapidly-growing sector and its many employment opportunities. You’ll get a detailed understanding of this dynamic sector through learning from a passionate team of cultural researchers and innovators, as well as a range of industry professionals and real-world projects from Australia and overseas. Whether exploring creative clusters in Melbourne and Shanghai, or understanding the business models of global digital industries, our agile content will prepare you for a career in the expanding sector.

Who is the program suited to?
This course is intended for all who work or want to work in the arts, cultural and creative industries; in the public, independent or commercial sectors; in cultural policy and industry governance; in urban cultural regeneration and branding; or in culture and development projects. It provides project-workers and creative entrepreneurs with the big picture and informed insight they need to turn their passion into a successful self-directed career.

How will the course help advance your career?
The Master of Cultural and Creative Industries will give you a clear grasp of the structures and dynamics of this fast-moving sector and how you can make a real difference within it. Our program involves practitioners and industry experts, field trips and concrete case studies, capped by the kind of analytical and empirical research required for contemporary employment in policy, arts, business and social enterprise. The course will help you develop an advanced understanding of the distinctiveness of cultural and creative industries business models, and of the economic, cultural and urban policy settings in which they operate. You’ll gain insight into how to initiate and manage projects, and how to evaluate their success. As a program closely tuned to the specific character of this sector, it’ll equip you with skills of independent problem-solving and entrepreneurship, report writing and analysis which will allow you to forge a rewarding career in this rapidly evolving field.

Industry connections and internships
The program benefits from strong industry engagement, including an industry advisory panel and an impressive list of international guest lecturers from the field, including:

- **Industry**
  - Australian Centre for the Moving Image (ACMI)
  - BOP Cultural Consultancy, China
  - Collingwood Arts Precinct
  - Creative Economy Australia
  - Creative Victoria
  - Renew Australia
  - Shenzhen and Shanghai Maker Space
  - Tasmanian Department of State Growth.

- **Guest Lecturers**
  - Anti Jayfe, lead policy advisor to South African government
  - Ben Etham, journalist and cultural policy expert
  - Dan Baron Cohen, Culture and Development expert from Amazonia, Brazil
  - Dan Hill, Arup Digital Lab, London
  - Helen George, Indigenous cultural development expert
  - Marcus Westbury, Renew Newcastle and Collingwood Arts Precinct
  - P.J. Barr, UNESCO expert, American University Paris.

- **Melbourne**
  - Melbourne is Australia’s cultural capital, and Victoria is the leader in creative industries strategy and investment. You’ll have the opportunity to get up close to many of the existing projects in the city, region and across Australia through our field trips and site visits.

- **Global**
  - Our city lab in Shanghai, and our intensive culture and development workshops, add a strong international dimension to the course. Building on our strong links to UNESCO and the policy agencies, our international network of cultural creative industry leaders, and research collaborations in China, the UK and South Africa, this master’s can link you to researchers and policy makers across the globe. You’ll be able to leverage this global network to undertake international internships.

**COURSE STRUCTURE**

**1-YEAR**

- Entry with honours degree in a related field
- Complete the following two units:
  - Creative cities
  - Cultural and creative industries

**1.5-YEAR**

- Entry with a previous qualification in a related field
- Your choice of two units from:
  - Cultural economy in practice
  - Cultural events, festivals and exhibitions
  - Cultural policy
  - Sustainable cultural development

**2-YEAR**

- Entry with a previous qualification in any field
- Your choice of three units from:
  - Cultural economy in practice
  - Cultural events, festivals and exhibitions
  - Cultural policy
  - Sustainable cultural development

**GRADUATE CERTIFICATE OPTION**

In as short as six months, the graduate certificate provides you with a foundation in cultural and creative industries by allowing you to sample several of the Master units on offer. Successful completion can provide credit and entry into the Master degree. Find out more at monash.edu/study/course/a4017

**LEARN FROM THE BEST**

Dr Xin Gu
Program Director

Dr Gu’s research concerns the digital creative economy, looking at the democratisation of creativity through vast transformative digital media ecosystems. Her work focuses on the transformation of creative cities and the creative economy under different social, economic and political conditions. In 2019 she was appointed an Expert by UNESCO 2005 Convention on the Protection and Promotion of Expression of Cultural Diversity.

**DISCIPLINE ELECTIVE UNITS**

Tailor your course to your career direction by selecting elective units from across specialist disciplines in:

- Cultural markets and audiences
- Digital cultures
- Media and creative practice
- Public policy and cultural change
- Urban cultures

**RESEARCH PATHWAY**

High achieving students interested in pursuing a graduate research degree (PhD), may apply to undertake a research thesis.

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Further information:
monash.edu/study/course/A6004
Course structure and unit offerings: handbook.monash.edu/current/courses/A6004

**CAULFIELD, ON CAMPUS**

- 1 to 2 years full-time
- 2 to 4 years part-time
- If you’re eligible to enrol in the 1.5-year entry point, you have the option of completing the course over a 2-year period following an intensive course progression map.

February and July
Humanity is developing at a speed which is causing widespread environmental, economic and social challenges for sustaining life on Earth, making it vital for us to change and adapt in all aspects of how we work and live.

We’ve developed a master’s degree that draws on the cross-disciplinary expertise of Monash Arts, Monash Science, the Monash Business School and the Monash Sustainable Development Institute to build on your passion to transform society through sustainable solutions.

It’ll give you the training, language and tools to be a leader in a rapidly-growing field. You’ll explore trends, issues and the science underlying global sustainability problems, and learn how to evaluate, analyse and collaborate across sectors to effect change.

As a student in the Master of Environment and Sustainability you’ll be learning from global and professional experts from multiple disciplines and sectors. Our people are leading the agenda in Australia and internationally.

**Tailor your program to suit your interests**

The program has core units that allow you to analyse how nature, society and the economy interact and depend on each other, practical skill development through project work, internships and optional research, as well as your choice of one of the following five specialisations:

- **Environment and governance**
  - Governments, markets and civil society play important and interrelated roles in the governance of the environment.
  - This specialisation will develop your understanding of policy and governance to enable change and responsible action to support sustainability. It’ll also enable you to understand how change occurs from the scale of the individual through to the broader society, and from local to national and international scales of governance.

- **Corporate environmental and sustainability management**
  - This specialisation explores the complex mix of social, environmental and economic sustainability challenges and opportunities faced by organisations. You’ll learn how to design, implement and facilitate strategies and solutions in corporate management for sustainable and accountable development.

- **International development and environment**
  - Developing nations are often the hardest hit by environmental changes. To achieve sustainable development these communities need tailored, transdisciplinary solutions beyond simple environmental protection.
  - This specialisation will develop your knowledge and skills to analyse the causes of poverty, disadvantage and environmental change, and to work effectively with a wide range of groups to plan and implement development that’s environmentally sustainable.

- **Environmental security**
  - There’s a global need for scientifically literate professionals to interpret and translate reliable scientific evidence about environmental security for groups as diverse as local communities and international corporations.
  - This specialisation gives you the knowledge and understanding to guide the sustainable use of resources, protect the natural environment and integrate this into policy and management.

- **Leadership for sustainable development**
  - Globally there’s an increasing demand for professionals from a range of disciplines, organisations and sectors who are able to collaborate, lead and deliver change for sustainability.
  - This master’s equips you with holistic theoretical insights, analytical skills and practical capacities to guide, influence and lead processes aimed at creating positive social, environmental and economic outcomes.

**COURSE STRUCTURE**

**1-YEAR**

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**1.5-YEAR**

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**RESEARCH PATHWAY**

High achieving students interested in pursuing a graduate research degree (PhD), may apply to undertake a research thesis.

**How will the course help advance your career?**

Over the past two decades the sustainability job market has been rapidly rising. Corporations including Siemens, Unilever, Google and General Motors have created chief sustainability office positions. There has also been growth in sustainability roles in all sectors of government, national and international NGOs, in universities, research centres, think tanks and consulting.

Global transitions to sustainable pathways will open new opportunities for well-prepared, creative and ambitious individuals. You’ll learn how to analyse change to identify and take opportunities as they emerge.

You can use your new skills to advance sustainability solutions in your current sector or move into a new career. It might be in governance and regulatory advice, capacity building, public education, environmental security or human rights. The opportunities are growing each day.

**Industry connections and internships**

All specialisations offer you the chance to work in an interdisciplinary real-world context through our internship program. You’ll have the opportunity to combine theory and practice, build industry networks and gain valuable on-the-ground experience in responding to local and global issues across a range of sectors.

The program also incorporates regular industry presentations from a range of corporations, government departments and NGOs. This high level of industry engagement throughout the course will give you cutting-edge insights into how academic concepts are being applied on the ground to create more innovative and sustainable communities.

**Master of ENVIRONMENT AND SUSTAINABILITY**

**FEE ASSISTANCE**

The course is approved by the Australian Government for Centrelink benefits for domestic students. These include Youth Allowance, Austudy, Abstudy and the Pensioner Education Supplement. For more information, visit the Department of Social Services and Centrelink websites.

**CAREER OPTIONS**

- Environmental or sustainability consultant
- Environmental security or human rights officer
- Governance and regulatory advisor
- Policy advisor within government
- Public educator

**LEARN FROM THE BEST**

**Associate Professor Wendy Stubbs Program Coordinator**

Associate Professor Stubbs is committed to exploring how business can more holistically address its environmental, social and economic responsibilities. She has developed a pioneering ‘sustainability business model’ that integrates sustainability into the core business model. Associate Professor Stubbs has strong industry connections and experience - prior to embarking on a career in academia, she was a senior executive in the telecommunications and IT industries.

**HEAR FROM OUR GRADUATES**

**Thomas Kennett**

Master of Environment and Sustainability (2019) Project Officer, Regenerative Australian Farmers

“*My master’s journey was full of exciting learnings, conversations and experiences that gave me the foundation I need to contribute to sustainable change. Some of my best experiences included completing an internship at ClimateWorks and producing an academic thesis that resulted in a presentation of my findings to government, as well as consulting work.*

*I never would have accessed these opportunities without the course – it has made me a sustainability professional for life and I couldn’t be happier.*
Graduate Certificate of FAMILY VIOLENCE PREVENTION

Build skills in a range of practice areas, including understanding social patterns, criminal justice responses, health aspects and databases covering gendered family violence.

About the course
Globally and nationally, Family Violence Prevention (FVP) is recognised as a critical area for social change and transformation. There is increasing recognition among local and international governments and other bodies of the need for high-level skills in family violence prevention to address this global social problem and achieve sustained change.

This course is suitable for working professionals who encounter family violence issues in their workplaces, including medical professionals, social workers, lawyers, community support groups, and those who would like to provide support based on experience.

The course is designed to support social transformation for a violence free future, and will build your skills in a range of practice areas including gender equality for primary prevention, child safety, men’s behaviour change, health impacts of family violence, family violence in the criminal justice system and working with those affected by family violence.

Progression to further studies
On successful completion of the Graduate Certificate you may be eligible for admission into the Graduate Diploma of Family Violence Prevention, with credit.

Graduate Certificate of Family Violence Prevention
1 year part-time / 24 points

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Graduate Diploma of FAMILY VIOLENCE PREVENTION
2 years part-time / 48 points

About the course
Family Violence Prevention (FVP) is recognised as one of the most pressing issues of our time. Learn from academic experts who are true change-makers in this field as you develop the skills needed to make a real impact in ongoing efforts to create a violence free future.

This course will help you develop your skills in a range of practice areas including gender equality for primary prevention, child safety, men’s behaviour change, health impacts of family violence, family violence in the criminal justice system and working with those affected by family violence. You will have the opportunity to apply your skills via practical professional and a practicum.

What will you study?
Guided by academic and industry experts, the course is delivered through a multi-faceted approach including problem-solving, peer and team learning and blended learning platforms.

Progression to further studies
On completion of the Graduate Diploma you may be eligible for admission into the Graduate Program in Psychology, with credit.

Further information:
monash.edu/study/course/A4005
monash.edu/study/course/A5005

Flexible study options
The four core units are delivered in intensive 6-week blocks during the year.
Optional synchronous online workshops are delivered during each of these units.

To learn more, visit: monash.edu/arts/gender-and-family-violence

Learn from the best
As a student in the Graduate Certificate or Graduate Diploma of Family Violence Prevention you’ll be taught by key researchers from across the university working on family violence reform and prevention with state and national organisations. Supporting your studies are practitioner experts and a range of visiting international experts.

Further information:
monash.edu/study/course/A4005
monash.edu/study/course/A5005

CAREER OPTIONS
The knowledge and skills you will gain are transferable across a wide range of professions and occupations where workers encounter domestic and family violence issues.

You will focus on a range of practice areas in gendered family violence prevention, gaining knowledge of social structures and the roles of the criminal justice and health systems, and engaging with data on family violence.

Associate Professor Bridget Harris
Program Director
Dr Harris is an Associate Professor of Criminology, Deputy Director of the Monash Gender and Family Violence Prevention Centre and Australian Research Council DECRA Fellow. Her research focuses on domestic and family violence, technology-mediated/digital coercive control, violence against women, technology-mediated responses to violence, violence and spatiality, violence against women and rural domestic and family violence.

Professor Kate Fitz-Gibbon
Director, Monash Gender and Family Violence Centre Chair, Respect Victoria
Professor Fitz-Gibbon conducts research in the area of domestic and family violence, femicide, responses to all forms of violence against women, and the impacts of law reform in Australia and internationally. She has advised on homicide law reform, family violence and youth justice reviews in several Australian jurisdictions.

Professor Janemaree Maher
Associate Dean, Graduate Research, Faculty of Arts
Professor Janemaree Maher is Professor of Women's Studies and Gender Research, Sociology, School of Social Sciences

Professor Maher's research is focused in two key areas of gendered social science: women's work and family, and gendered violence. Her research critically examines how social institutions such as families and the criminal justice system create inequalities and inequities.
Graduate Certificate of GENDER, PEACE AND SECURITY

Be a part of change and make an impact on the future of your region.

Drawing on the expertise of Monash University’s internationally acclaimed Gender Peace and Security Centre (Monash GPS), and backed by the strongest international research in the field, the Graduate Certificate of Gender, Peace and Security will enable leaders to better integrate gender perspectives into peace and security policymaking at all levels – local, national, regional and global.

About the course
With a focus on considering current peace and security challenges, and balancing scholarly background together with technical skills, you will develop an enhanced understanding of the gendered politics of conflict, security and peace processes. You’ll gain training on the facilitation of women’s participation in peacebuilding and the prevention of conflict, violent extremism and insecurity. You’ll also have access to industry partners through guest lectures and informal meetings to develop your networks, hear about recent developments in the field, and to understand the relationship between research and its application in the field.

Upon graduation you’ll be equipped with the requisite gender-sensitive, gender-responsive and gender-inclusive knowledge and tools in order to significantly contribute to the development of equitable, inclusive and peaceful societies.

Course delivery and structure
Adopting a participatory and industry applied philosophy of teaching and learning, the course is offered via a blended learning model, allowing for face-to-face interactions, networking and experiences, with online pre- and post-unit learning.

The course comprises 24 points structured into two core units:
• Gender, security and conflict
• Gender-based policy and planning.
Each unit is taken via an intensive several day delivery. You’ll also complete pre- and post-unit online delivery components.

Progression to further studies
For those interested in further study, the Graduate Certificate also provides a pathway with credit into the Master of International Relations or the Master of International Development Practice.

LEARN FROM THE BEST
Dr Alexandra Phelan
Program Director
Director of the Graduate Certificate of Gender, Peace and Security and Deputy Director of the Monash Gender, Peace and Security Centre, Dr Phelan’s work focuses on gendered approaches to understanding terrorism and violent extremism. Her work also examines insurgent governance, insurgent women and non-state actor governance, with particular focus on Latin America.

HEAR FROM OUR STUDENTS
Yasmin Chilmeran
PhD Candidate in Gender, Peace and Security
“I’m lucky to study in an environment with a number of experts in a range of areas related to gender, peace and security here at Monash, so there are many people to learn from, hear from and engage with who come from diverse backgrounds as well as focus areas. The Centre has a strong policy focus and has many research projects on the go – it turns research into policy outcomes and has a real world impact.”

PROFESSOR JACQUI TRUE
Director, Monash Gender, Peace and Security Centre

The Monash Gender, Peace and Security Centre exists to bring gender perspectives into peace and security policymaking. We are striving to build a network of women and men committed to gender inclusive peace and security in our region. True change will only eventuate when women’s perspectives and insights are valued and championed at all levels of decision making.”
**Master of INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT PRACTICE**

By closely aligning with the United Nations 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, this industry-integrated degree gives students the experience, tools and connections to help shape and lead meaningful transformation.

The Master of International Development Practice focuses on understanding and tackling the political, economic, cultural and ecological issues that can lead to extreme poverty, poor health, fragile governance, inequality and environmental vulnerability. Delivered by specialists and industry experts, the course combines a multi-disciplinary approach to the theory and practice of sustainable development, and offers opportunities to learn through international field trips and internships. You’ll graduate equipped to respond to crises as they unfold.

**Tailor your program to suit your interests**

Our six streams help meet the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals.

- **Democracy, justice and governance**
  - Gain an understanding of policy-making and issues of conflict and post-conflict transition, governance, human migration, human rights, and international trade. Analyse and evaluate policy, regulations, institutions and normative arguments.

- **Crisis, change management and leadership**
  - Engage with the complexity and challenges of crisis situations and the aftermath, including humanitarian, disaster, social, political and security issues. Understand organisational problem-solving, disaster preparedness and community resilience.

- **Gender, peace and security**
  - Build your knowledge of debates and discourses on conflict, security and gender as they pertain to war, conflict, peace, human rights and the global political economy. Reflect on the gender implications in contemporary international politics, policy and programming.

- **Global migration**
  - Understand and learn to manage key challenges related to human migration, mobility and international development. You will explore how human migration and mobility are managed at different levels, as well as studying key issues related to global migration.

- **Sustainable resource management**
  - Develop an understanding of the key environmental challenges of our times, analyse the theoretical and empirical basis of resource management issues, and examine issues of governance, urbanisation, and corporate social responsibility.

- **Sustainable economies**
  - Explore the challenges and alternatives put forward in generating sustainable, resilient, and equitable economic outcomes from a multidisciplinary lens. Learn about key concepts in economic and corporate sustainability and accountability, as well as livelihoods and economic sectors.

**How will the course help advance your career?**

Guided by world-class, industry-leading teaching staff, you’ll use an appreciation of best practice approaches within the field to identify complex development challenges across diverse cultural and geopolitical contexts. You’ll combine academic insight and academic and practitioner mentoring with a high level of industry integration to gain practical experience and give yourself a competitive advantage in the workforce.

**Industry connections, field work and internships**

Become a leader through your membership to industry-integrated degree. By closely aligning with the United Nations 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, this industry-integrated degree gives students the experience, tools and connections they need to create an impact in international development practice.

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**Course Structure**

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## Graduate Certificate Option

**Reasoning Pathway**

High achieving students interested in pursuing a graduate research degree (PhD), may apply to undertake a research thesis.

**Capstone Opportunities**

- Advanced dissertation
- Professional internship
- Research project

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**Learn from the Best**

**Dr Souvik Chakraborty**

Program Director

Dr Souvik Lal Chakraborty has worked as a student, researcher and an educator in India, Germany and Australia over the past decade. Dr Chakraborty’s research and teaching focus on studies of nature-society relationships. More specifically, his research interests include studies of politics of mining and resource extraction, interactions between indigenous geographies and political ecology, contentious politics, and critical development studies. Besides being an academic, Dr Chakraborty is actively involved with several NGOs and activist organisations.

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**Hear from our graduates**

**Danya Salinas**

Master of International Development Practice (2019)
Senior Program Officer, CARE Australia

“At attending the different conferences and development workshops an offer was a great way to meet practitioners. The units often include guest speakers, so I was able to get to know working professionals who are doing incredibly interesting things and have heaps of experience in the field.”

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**Further information**

monash.edu/study/course/A6006

Course structure and unit offerings: handbook.monash.edu/current/courses/A6006

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**Flexible Study Options**

On-campus and selected flexible online options available. Complete the course in as short as one year, or study part-time (domestic only). Choose from early evening classes and intensive several week block units - we have multiple options to suit you.
Master of INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

This course offers you a window into the diverse and dynamic world of politics in the 21st century. The program is defined by the big questions shaping our world – from global justice to war, peace, social movements and interstate relations.

Graduate with the skills to confidently analyse key global issues in a conceptual context, with a focus on the concepts of power, security, sovereignty, risk and uncertainty. This program will provide you with an internationally-recognised qualification which will open doors within both the public and private sector.

Tailor your program to suit your interests

The Master of International Relations enables you to tailor your program to suit your area of interest while also addressing the fundamental debates framing global politics. You can choose from one of the following four specialisations, or select units that suit your interests across these areas via the Advanced international relations specialisation:

- Gender, peace and security
- International diplomacy and trade
- Global migration
- Internships and international opportunities

Advanced international relations

You can tailor your unit choices to suit your own interests or needs. You’ll be able to examine key issues in foreign policy, global governance, world order and security, human rights, crisis management, diplomacy and trade, or terrorism.

How will the course help advance your career?

The Master of International Relations encompasses analysis of complex political, social and strategic problems, as well as the development of the skills needed to communicate this analysis – providing you with the basis for an intellectually engaging and rewarding career. This highly-regarded program combines rigorous engagement with industry and the best of academic theory and critical thought. Upon graduation you’ll enter the industry with a highly-regarded and relevant qualification which will prepare you for leadership in a diverse range of career paths – from all levels of government to NGOs, academia and public and private sector organisations in both Australia and around the world.

Global migration

As migration issues rise to the top of the international agenda, demand is growing for expertise from city, state, and federal governments, NGOs, and inter-governmental organisations. Explore the drivers of migration and how networks of state and non-state actors govern peoples’ movement and (mis)regulation through norms, law, socio-economic policy, and force.

International diplomacy and trade

Advance your knowledge across international trade, diplomacy and international law – whether you’re at the beginning of your career or working in the field and wanting to develop your career in international public policy, NGOs and government departments.

Political violence and counter-terrorism

Engage with the ideologies and conditions which give rise to political violence. You’ll focus on understanding terrorism and political extremism, how these are combatied, and the democratic and civil impacts on preventing political violence.

Global connections

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COURSE STRUCTURE

1-YEAR

Entry with honours degree in a related field*

- Complete the following combination of units:
  - Contemporary security topics
  - International political economy
  - Researching international relations
  - Reading and writing international relations OR
  - Foreign policy of emerging powers

- Your choice of specialisation units (2-4 units up to 24 points)

1.5-YEAR

Entry with a previous qualification in any field

- Complete all 1-year units

- Your choice of discipline electives (6 points)
- One Professional Enhancement Program unit (6 points)
- One capstone unit

2-YEAR

Entry with a previous qualification in any field

- Complete all 1.5-year units

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*An equivalent qualification or experience approved by the Faculty.

RESEARCH PATHWAY

Double master’s with a Master of Journalism

This double degree is designed to optimise the contribution you can make as a journalist, using a full range of media technologies and insights into approaches to international relations. Complete a double master’s with Shanghai Jiao Tong University.

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Complete a double master’s with Shanghai Jiao Tong University

This double degree course immerses you in two cultures. It combines the Master of International Relations at Monash with the Master of Arts in Chinese Politics and Economy from Shanghai Jiao Tong University. Completed entirely in English, you’ll study one year at Monash University in Australia and one year in Shanghai. On successful completion, you’ll be eligible to graduate with degrees from both institutions.

monash.edu/study/course/A6013

LEARN FROM THE BEST

Dr Bill Flanik
Program Director
Dr Flanik specialises in international relations, peace and conflict studies, and U.S. foreign policy. He has published in Foreign Policy Analysis, the Oxford Handbook of Foreign Policy Analysis, and SAGE Research Cases in Politics and International Relations.

In addition to his work questioning how the US national missile defense policy was revised, he’s also working on studies involving metaphors of teaching and learning, cross-cultural perceptions of active learning, and presentation design.

HEAR FROM OUR STUDENTS

James Massola
South-East Asia Correspondent, Sydney Morning Herald and The Age, Master of International Relations (2008)

“‘My master’s taught me how to write, and how to think critically. In terms of critical thinking, rather than simply trusting what a media release or a government minister tells you, it’s crucial to go further and probe for the story behind the story. Studying a Master of International Relations at Monash, without question, made me a better journalist.’

There are amazing job opportunities around the world in this area. My Master of International Relations gave me the foundational knowledge to be able to work in these contexts.”

SHANDON HARRIS-HOGAN
Master of International Relations (2010)
Chicago, UK/Indonesia Internship

Discover how Shandon turned his Master of International Relations into a rewarding career by scouring the code or scan this QR code now PD3420-07_Wellness007

GRADUATE CERTIFICATE OPTION

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In as short as six months, the graduate certificate provides you with a foundation in international relations by allowing you to sample several of the Master units on offer. Successful completion can provide credit and entry into the Master degree. Find out more at monash.edu/study/course/A4006

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Engaging with the international community and the experience of attending international field schools is an integral part of becoming a future leader in global affairs. Our field unit and internship program enables you to build practical experience as well as valuable networks both here and abroad. We offer opportunities to observe policy-making first-hand in the heart of the Western security complex in Washington, D.C. Our internship program lets you gain academic credit while working for key employers in the public and private sectors, including foreign consulates, development NGOs, national media outlets, and state-level government agencies.

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Prepare yourself for an international career in tourism management with Australia’s leading and most innovative industry-focused specialist tourism program.

The current era of rapid global change is increasing demand for highly skilled managers in the international tourism industry. As a State, regional and national tourism

Strategy and management consultant,

cultural studies and development, special events and planning.

This truly global program will see you undertake international field trips, investigate best practice in domestic and international marketing, environmental studies, information technology, cultural heritage studies and development, special events and planning.

About the course Sustainable Tourism prepares you for leadership in this fast-growing industry by equipping you with the planning and policy expertise to manage the environmental, socio-cultural and economic impacts of international tourism. The course will give you a broad and deep understanding of global business activity, and of the conceptual and applied issues involving tourism and sustainability.

For further information please refer to the MONASH ARTS ENHANCEMENT FUND. The MONASH ARTS ENHANCEMENT FUND is a financial support scheme available to all students for certain costs related to their studies. For more information please refer to the MONASH ARTS ENHANCEMENT FUND website.

You’ll benefit from the combined insights of an innovative curriculum, expert teaching staff, on-the-ground international perspectives and active industry engagement – which will ensure you graduate with both the theoretical framework and practical skills to make a significant impact through your career.

Where can this course take you? Monash graduates have gone on to achieve remarkable success globally at organisations such as:

- Abu Dhabi Tourism Authority
- Federal Department of Immigration
- Lonely Planet
- Melbourne Airport
- Melbourne Convention and Exhibition Centre
- Melbourne Museum
- Ministry of Tourism (Tanzania)
- Rey Morgan Research
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CAREER OPPORTUNITIES
- Adventure tourism
- Advertising and marketing
- Airlines, airports/tourism agencies
- Cultural institutions
- Events management
- Local government tourism agencies
- Management consultancy
- State, regional and national tourism

Field trips and field schools

Through the Monash Abroad travel grant you’ll be able to participate in our international industry engagement program. Spend a semester on an industry research internship in Estonia and Latvia; attend the world’s largest tourism fair at ITB Berlin; or participate in a tourism development field-school in Fiji.

You’ll also learn about latest industry trends with our field schools in Sydney, Hobart, and the Great Ocean Road (partially subsidised for all students undertaking the core unit).

Industry connections

This course is supported by an international industry advisory board with representatives from government, international universities, the private sector, management consultants, operators and media companies.

Throughout your studies, you’ll also hear directly from workplace leaders through our industry seminar series.

COURSE STRUCTURE

1-YEAR

Entry with honours degree in a related field

- Sustainable tourism development
- Strategic communications
- and data analysis

YOU CAN COMBINE THIS COURSE WITH ANOTHER CERTIFICATE OR DIPLOMA

1.5-YEAR

Entry with a previous qualification or experience approved by the Faculty.

- Your choice of elective units (up to 15 points)
- Your choice of a Professional Enhancement Program unit (6 points)
- Your choice of capstone unit

2-YEAR

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LEARN FROM THE BEST

Dr Jeff Jarvis Program Director

Dr Jarvis has extensive research and consultancy experience in tourism development, and has undertaken research projects in association with professional tourism organisations in Australasia, Sweden, Vietnam, Cambodia, Fiji, Estonia, the United Kingdom, Kenya and the United Nations World Tourism Organisation (UNWTO). He has an industry background in international marketing and advertising, and has developed an international research reputation in the high yielding segment of independent travellers and backpcker tourism following the publication of his report *The Billion Dollar Backpackers.*

Hear FROM our graduates

Nikolaos Gkolfinopoulos

Master of International Sustainable Tourism Management (2016), Senior Project Specialist, United Nations World Tourism Organisation

*“Studying with Monash Arts gave me real-world experience, including through the international field trip to the Fiji Islands, where we explored how Polynesian developing destinations manage tourism growth and the opportunities that come with it. Throughout my master’s, I was motivated and inspired by the well-structured and challenging courses, and the exposure to Australian and international environments eventually guided me toward an international career.”*

Graduate Certificate Option

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in as short as six months, the graduate certificate provides you with a foundation in international sustainable tourism management by allowing you to sample several of the Master units on offer.

Successful completion can provide credit and entry into the Master degree. Find out more at monash.edu/study/course/A4009

Further information:

monash.edu/study/course/A40012

courses/A40012

TRAVEL, EDUCATION, AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

- Environmental, economic and social sustainability
- Marketing and management
- International decision-making
- Design and planning
- Tourism development
- Environmental, socio-cultural and economic impacts of international tourism
- The role of tourism in development
- The role of tourism in the planning and policy expertise to manage

Students have gone on to achieve remarkable success globally at organisations such as:

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International tourism marketing research project
- Research project

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Future info:

monash.edu/study/course/A4012

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Master of INTERPRETING AND TRANSLATION STUDIES

Enhance your international career as you gain the highest level of industry accreditation available in Australia.

 Equip yourself with the credentials to instantly engage with industry and graduate with the advanced technical and analytical skills required for success across a range of industries requiring translation and interpreting expertise.

How will the course help me to advance my career?
The Master of Interpreting and Translation Studies combines practical internships with rigorous academic foundations to give you both the conceptual skills and industry experience for a successful career. You’ll be able to articulate and apply knowledge of global best practice, and will be able to implement advanced reading, analytical and communication skills throughout your working life. You’ll also graduate with a thorough understanding of research methodology and the ability to undertake independent research.

As a Monash graduate, you will be perfectly placed to gain employment as a freelance, contract or in house interpreter or translator, or as a project manager in either the private or public sector.

Industry connections, student placements and internships

This course incorporates a minimum of 50 hours of professional internship to give you real-world experience which will be transferable to the workplace. By working alongside professionals in the field, you’ll develop work relevant skills and a clearer understanding of the way in which theory relates to practice. The experience will give you the opportunity to build networks and will significantly improve your graduate employability prospects.

Some of our partners include:
- Chn Communications
- Emerging Writers’ Festival
- Northern Health
- OnCall
- TIS National
- Victorian Department of Premier and Cabinet
- VITS Language, Inc.

Further information: monash.edu/study/course/A6007
Course structure and unit offerings: handbook.monash.edu/current/courses/A6007

DOUGLAS MASTERS’ DEGREES

This degree can be taken as part of a double degree course with the following universities:
- France: Jean Moulin Lyon III
- Japan: Kobe City University of Foreign Studies
- Italy: Università di Siena

In each cases you’ll study one year at Monash in Australia and one year at the partner university. You’ll receive two master’s degrees, one from each university. monash.edu/study/course/A6007

INDUSTRY ENDORSEMENT

Our course is endorsed by the Certified Translator, Certified Advanced Translator, Certified Interpreter, Certified Specialist Interpreter (Health), and Certified Conference Interpreter levels by the National Accreditation Authority for Translators and Interpreters (NAATI).

Monash was the first university in Australia to be a member of the Conference Internationale Permanente d’Instituts Universitaires de Traducteurs et Interprètes (CIUTI), the world’s oldest and most prestigious international association of tertiary institutions offering degrees in translation and interpreting.

COURSE STRUCTURE

1.75 - 2 YEAR Translation specialisation*

Complete all of the following:
- Introduction to translation studies
- Legal and financial translation
- Medical and scientific translation
- Professional ethics
- Professional translation practices

Your choice of 2 units from:
- Online collaborative translation practices
- Screen translation
- Translating literary and cultural narratives

Your choice of Professional Enhancement Program units (1-2 units up to 12 points)

Your choice of capstone unit

1.75 - 2 YEAR Interpreting and translation specialisation*

Complete all of the following:
- Introduction to translation studies
- Legal and financial translation
- Medical and scientific translation
- Professional ethics
- Professional translation practices

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- Screen translation
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Your choice of capstone unit

RESEARCH PATHWAY

High achieving students interested in pursuing a graduate research degree (PhD) may apply to undertake a research thesis.

CAPSTONE OPPORTUNITIES

- Advanced simulation
- Major translation project
- Professional internship

*Entry with a prior qualification in any field plus advanced bilingual proficiency

LEARN FROM THE BEST

Learn from expert staff with renowned academic and industry credentials. Our award-winning academic team is committed to strong engagement with the language services industry, and their insights, networks and leadership will prepare you for a rewarding career. Monash University is also a national centre for scholarly and applied research, with more than 20 PhD students in the field.

Dr Shani Tobias
Program Director
Dr Tobias is a lecturer in Translation and Interpreting Studies and teaches the core translation units in the Master of Interpreting and Translation Studies. Her research interests encompass the cultural and stylistic aspects of literary translation, Japanese-English literary translation, and translator and interpreter pedagogy.

Fee assistance

The course is approved by the Australian Government for Centrelink benefits for domestic students. These include Youth Allowance, Austudy, Abstudy and the Pensioner Education Supplement.

DID YOU KNOW?

Virtual Reality Training
Monash is the first university in Australia to harness VR technology to enhance interpreter training, offering Virtual Reality training for interpreters in family violence scenarios as part of the Master of Interpreting and Translation Studies. This is made possible through a partnership between Monash University and Languaget.

Find out how Marcus has turned his studies into a rewarding career by watching the video below.
youtu.be/bocles2a67P4
Master of JOURNALISM

Help to inform and shape the future with a career in the innovative world of contemporary journalism.

As a journalist today, you’ll find yourself at the edge of a golden age where all modes of media can be combined to tell your story to wider audiences than ever before.

This cutting-edge course, taught by renowned industry experts in our multi-million dollar Media Lab, will prepare you for a dynamic career as a multifaceted journalist in the contemporary digital era.

Who is the program suited to?

The course is designed for people looking to establish a career as a journalist, or in related areas such as public relations, speech writing or communications.

The program is flexible to suit all levels of experience – from ongoing students at the beginning of their careers to qualified journalists who are looking to extend their skills and intellectual understanding of the field.

How will the course help advance your career?

Work with award-winning journalists and acclaimed academics with strong industry links as you cultivate high-level skills in research and reporting across all media – print, digital, radio and video – and explore the role of the media in contemporary society.

You’ll graduate equipped with the investigative, ethical and storytelling expertise necessary to uncover stories and understand audiences. Importantly, the program also recognises the changing role of journalists today and is designed to prepare you with resourceful skills in freelancing, marketing and running a business.

The course is practical and industry-focused, giving you strong job-related outcomes. You’ll benefit from hands-on learning and learn from industry professionals who will follow in the footsteps of leading alumni such as Waleed Ali and Michael Rowland. Indeed, our Journalism graduates have gone on to work for influential media outlets and corporate organisations, including:

- ABC
- Aurecon
- Cricket Australia
- Curly
- Herald Sun
- Meld magazine
- Nova 100
- Sony
- Telstra
- Ten Eyewitness News
- The Age
- The Conversation
- The Courier-Mail
- The Examiner
- The McPherson Media Group
- Toyota
- Westfield

Further information:

- monash.edu/study/course/A6008
- Handbook: monash.edu/current/courses/A6008

COURSE STRUCTURE

1-YEAR

Entry with honours degree in a related field

- Complete the following two units:
  - Journalism practice
  - Media, law and ethics

- Your choice of 2-3 units from the following (up to 16 points):
  - Broadcast
  - Digital journalism
  - Investigative and data journalism
  - Photography
  - Video journalism

- Your choice of a Professional Enhancement Program unit (6 points)

2-YEAR

Entry with a previous qualification in any field

- Complete all 1.5-year units

- Your choice of additional electives (2-4 units up to 24 points)

- Complete a research thesis

- Complete the Advanced Professional Enhancement Program unit (6 points)

Discipline elective units

- Principles of global media and communications
- Digital media and communications research
- An additional elective unit (6 points)
- An additional Professional Enhancement Program unit (6 points)

Graduate Certificate Option

In as short as six months, the graduate certificate provides you with a foundation in journalism by allowing you to sample several of the Master units on offer.

Consistently rated one of the best media degrees in the world, the Master of Journalism takes an innovative approach to preparing you to step into employment. The capstone unit gives you strong job-related outcomes.

You’ll graduate equipped with the investigative, ethical and storytelling expertise necessary to uncover stories and understand audiences.

Most importantly, your work will be extensively published through both university and independent channels during your time at Monash – experience which is regarded as the single biggest factor in preparing you to step into employment.

Full information:

- monash.edu/study/course/A4013

Career options

- Communications advisor
- Digital content writer
- Journalist
- Media Advisor
- Marketing manager
- Public relations consultant
- Social media manager
- Speech writer

Further information:

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HEAR FROM OUR GRADUATES

“Mr Matt Mitchell Program Director A respected academic and experienced journalist, Matt Mitchell has covered breaking news including the MH17 disaster and the 2016 Paris terror attacks. He has also written and produced content for many and varied Australian media outlets including The Australian, National Geographic Channel, CNN, 3AW, Men’s Health and VOGUE Australia.”

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Master of PUBLIC POLICY

Make a positive impact. Create meaningful change with lasting influence on individual lives and communities. Build a rewarding career in government, non-profit or corporate sectors.

The Master of Public Policy builds practical knowledge and skills for professionals in, or looking to transition into, policy-making and management across the spectrum of public, private and not-for-profit sector activities. The course will develop your understanding of the politics and processes of policy formation, the delivery of policy programs, and the political and structural realities that can influence such decision-making.

The teaching in the Master of Public Policy reflects the breadth, depth and standing of Monash as a world-class university. With teaching staff drawn from faculties across the university, you’ll learn from recognised public policy experts specialising in key policy domains. An advisory board of outstanding practitioners in major policy fields supports the program and collaborates with teaching staff to ensure that the student learning experience is always relevant and has real-world application.

Tailor your studies to suit your career needs

Public policy is a multidisciplinary course at the intersection of the study of public policy theory and practice. Combining expertise from across the University (social sciences, health, law, science, urban planning, business and economics), and building your understanding of critical issues in public policy, governance and policy evaluation, you’ll have the opportunity to use your course electives to complete a targeted policy focus in one of the following areas:

- Criminology
- Cultural and creative industries
- Diplomacy and international trade
- Family violence prevention
- Global migration
- Health and social policy
- Organisational leadership
- Public finance
- Regulatory policy
- Sustainability and the environment
- Transport
- Urban policy.

Alternatively you may choose to broaden your degree across any of the above, or complete a research thesis with a PhD pathway, or take selected complementary election units from any of the other master’s by coursework degrees offered in the faculty.

To complete your studies you’ll undertake a capstone unit in the form of a professional internship, a research project or an international study tour such as the Oxford Criminology Study Tour.

How will the course help advance your career?

The Master of Public Policy equips you for a career in public, not-for-profit or private sector agencies involved in policy and service delivery at intergovernmental, national, or regional government levels.

This unique program has been designed with working professionals in mind. It offers students a flexible teaching delivery including a mix of blended online learnings, plus core unit classes run on-campus in the early evening over several weekend blocks.

Graduates of the Master of Public Policy will be skilled in working in policy areas across both the public and private sectors, from government organisations, multi-nations through to independent consultancies. This degree will equip you with industry-relevant specialist skills to prepare you for working and living in a world of constant technological, environmental, political and policy change.

The course is designed to ensure graduates will make an excellent contribution to their profession using the full range of skills to critically evaluate evidence, develop and support arguments, conduct research using a variety of methodological approaches, advanced oral and written communication, and an understanding of the possibilities and challenges of public policy practice and reform.

COURSE STRUCTURE

1-YEAR Entry with honours degree in a related field

- Your choice of 4 core units from:
  - Evaluation
  - Foundations of public policy
  - Governance
  - Implementation and service delivery
  - Policy analysis
  - Public sector reform

- Your choice of specialist study electives (1-2 units up to 12 points)
- Your choice of capstone unit

1.5-YEAR Entry with a previous qualification in any field

- Complete all of the following:
  - Evaluation
  - Foundations of public policy
  - Governance
  - Implementation and service delivery
  - Policy analysis
  - Public sector reform

- Your choice of specialist study electives (2-3 units up to 18 points)
- One Professional Enhancement Program unit (6 points)

2-YEAR Entry with a previous qualification in any field

- Complete all 1.5-year units
- • Your choice of additional specialist study electives (2-3 units up to 18 points)
- • Your choice of an additional Professional Enhancement Program unit (6 points)

RESEARCH PATHWAY

High achieving students interested in pursuing a graduate research degree (PhD), may apply to undertake a research thesis.

GRADUATE CERTIFICATE OPTIONS

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In addition to the Master degree, successful completion can provide credit and entry into the Master degree. Find out more at www.monash.edu/study/course/A6028

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Professor Michael Mintrom
Professor of Public Policy and Director of Better Governance and Policy, Monash University.

We’ve created a training program that gives students the exposure to working across disciplines and work with teams of people of difference proficiencys to solve the real kinds of problems that we’re facing today in the world."

Associate Professor Deirdre O’Neill
Program Director
Associate Professor O’Neill is an experienced academic specialising in public policy and public management whose career has spanned both government and the tertiary education sector. She has consulted to governments in Australia and has designed and led capacity building programs in China, Sri Lanka, Timor Leste and the Pacific. She has published on a wide range of policy issues, including privatisation of prisons, aid effectiveness and accountability, performance measurement of public policies, capacity building, and developing policy leadership.

The Master of Public Policy teaches you how politicians and public servants think. That is pivotal to anyone in the private sector but especially corporate affairs professionals. Knowing how the governmental process works, how public sector operators think, and how to speak their language will come in handy.

Professor of Public Policy (2019)
Senior Advisor, Victorian Government

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CAREER OPTIONS

Graduates can enter a wide range of careers in the following areas:

- Advocacy
- Communications
- Consulting
- Management
- Policy design, analysis and evaluation
- Politics
- Program administration and evaluation
- Research.
Master of Strategic Communications Management

Become an expert in audience research and analytics, advocacy and persuasion, public relations and crisis communications.

Taught by a combination of leading academics and practitioners in the field, the Master of Strategic Communications Management has a strong applied focus, aligning closely with global industry trends and innovation.

Drawing on best practices locally and globally, you’ll be equipped with the skills and knowledge to build effective and ethical communication and stakeholder engagement strategies, as well as the expertise to communicate with diverse audiences in an increasingly global environment.

Through core units you’ll examine the impact of persuasive story-telling and influencing strategies, and consider the effectiveness of integrated media campaigns using both traditional and digital approaches. You’ll build a deep understanding of the application of big data and its role in evaluating public and audience perception and engagement.

You’ll have the opportunity to develop in-depth knowledge in key elective fields and your studies will culminate with the option of an international field school, professional internship or major project.

Mindful of the rapid technology changes putting communication specialists under constant pressure, you’ll develop techniques in persuasive story telling using digital and non-digital media.

Evaluating strategies to build audience knowledge, you’ll be challenged to design and execute effective and ethical strategic communications plans for a range of scenarios including to advocate for social change, mitigate reputational damage, respond to a crisis, and create a media plan suitable for building reputation.

Elective stream units will enable you to further your knowledge with a chosen focus, or in strategic communication management more broadly.

You can choose from areas such as:
- Communication for social change and development
- Communication for sustainability and the environment
- Health communication
- Management, leadership and entrepreneurship
- Media production and digital technologies
- Public policy and political communication
- Approved units from other Arts Graduate coursework programs.

Graduate Certificate Option

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Find out more at monash.edu/study/course/A4010

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DOUBLE DEGREE OPTIONS
Complete a double master’s with Shanghai Jiao Tong University

This international double master’s program enables you to complete the requirements of the Monash Master of Strategic Communications Management as well as a Master of Journalism and Communication with Shanghai Jiao Tong University (SJTU).

You will study one year at Monash University in Australia and one year in Shanghai. On successful completion, you’ll be eligible to graduate with degrees from both institutions.

monash.edu/study/course/A6031

COURSE STRUCTURE

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Entry with honours degree in a related field*

Complete core units in:
- Campaigns, advocacy and change
- Crisis communications and issues management
- Data analytics and communications
- Engaging audiences
- Public relations in a global context
- Strategic Communications in a digital era

One capstone unit

1.5-YEAR
Entry with a previous qualification in a related field*

Complete all 1-year units
- Your choice of elective stream units (2-3 units up to 18 points)
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- Advanced simulation
- International communications field school
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BACHELOR + MASTER’S PROGRAM

Graduate with a bachelor degree plus a masters degree in just four* years.

The benefits
At Monash Arts we’re committed to providing you with as many opportunities and as much flexibility as possible to allow you to maximise your study options. The Bachelor + Master’s program allows you to:
• Fast track your studies and graduate with an undergraduate and postgraduate degree in just four years – instead of five
• Take advantage of the most extensive bachelor + master’s offering in Australia
• Make yourself more employable with two degrees and specialist knowledge
• Save time and save on fees

What courses are available?
Combine one of the following master’s degrees with any eligible Monash Arts single bachelor degree:
• Applied Linguistics
• Bioethics
• Communications and Media Studies
• Cultural and Creative Industries
• International Development Practice
• International Relations
• International Relations & Journalism double masters (five* years)
• International Sustainable Tourism Management
• Interpreting and Translation Studies
• Journalism
• Public Policy
• Strategic Communications Management.

How it works

**STEP 1** Enter any eligible Monash Arts single bachelor degree (Arts; Criminology; Global Studies; Media Communication; Music or Politics; Philosophy and Economics)

**STEP 2** Follow any major or specialisation* sequence and successfully complete two years of study (full-time equivalent)

**STEP 3** During the final semester of the second year of the Arts bachelor degree, high achieving students apply to transition into their chosen Arts master’s degree

**STEP 4** Students accepted into the program will commence master’s units during their third year of study, and complete remaining master’s units during a fourth and final year.

COURSE STRUCTURE (Indicative)

Example course map showing a Bachelor of Arts + Master’s degree combination

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DID YOU KNOW?
Bachelor + Master’s program students have access to both undergraduate and graduate level Arts internships offered by 600+ providers across Australia and globally.

Further information: monash.edu/arts/undergraduate-studies/bachelors-masters

HONOURS PROGRAM

Pursue your passion for your selected area of study, via a four year of specialised coursework and research.

This is a prestigious program of coursework and research in arts or music for high achieving students who have completed a relevant undergraduate degree.

You will undertake research methodology training and carry out an independent research project on your selected topic, working closely with a supervisor who will provide you with individual guidance and academic counselling. The course offers a pathway to Higher degree research in arts, humanities and social sciences and graduates are also eligible for up to one year credit toward a related master’s by coursework degree in the Faculty.

Completion of an Honours course provides prospective employers with proof of your advanced research, analytical and communication skills, and your ability to complete an independent and in-depth project over a sustained period of time. Honours graduates are often targeted as potential managers and leaders in large corporations.

Further information: monash.edu/arts/undergraduate-studies/honours

- *Students planning to apply for the Master of Interpreting and Translation Studies require advanced bilingual proficiency and must be enrolled in a language other than English as a major, including Chinese, French, German, Italian, Spanish, Japanese, Korean or Russian.

**SAM LONI**

Bachelor of Arts (Double Honours in Political Science and International Studies) (2014)
Program Director, UN Sustainable Development Solutions Network (SDSN)
2020 Forbes 30 Under 30 list of Social Entrepreneurs

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GRADUATE RESEARCH DEGREES

MASTER OF ARTS (RESEARCH TRAINING)
Tailored for graduates with extensive industry experience or non-traditional research outputs looking to amplify their research expertise, the Master of Arts (Research Training) provides cutting-edge, specialist research training and skills development.

After completion of the coursework component, you’ll go on to undertake independent investigation into a specific discipline or interdisciplinary research topic, supported by a supervisory team of world-leading academics.

The unique structure of the Master of Arts (Research Training) means it provides an ideal entry point to a PhD for those without traditional admission requirements, while also providing an opportunity to translate research into applied professional contexts.

Graduates can enter a wide range of career options, including:
• Advocacy
• Communications
• Consulting
• Investment
• Management
• Policy design, analysis and evaluation
• Politics
• Program administration and evaluation
• Research

Master of Arts (MA) and Doctoral (PhD) programs
Reach your full potential and make a significant contribution with research inspired by brilliant minds.

You’ll undertake investigation of a research problem or topic aligned to one of the degree programs, and will produce a thesis that will make a significant contribution to the field of study. Alternatively you may have an idea for a research project that can be experienced: like a play, an action, an exhibition or an intervention. In both types of research degrees (traditional or practice-based) you’ll be supported by a minimum of two supervisors for the duration of your study.

Degree program areas
We’re one of the largest Arts faculties in Australia and have the capacity to supervise the broadest range of topics in the humanities, social sciences, music and theatre.

Our research degrees are offered across seven programs:
1. Film, Media, Communications and Journalism
2. Historical Studies
3. Linguistics and Applied Linguistics
4. Literary and Cultural Studies
5. Philosophy
6. Social and Political Sciences

ELIGIBILITY, FAQS AND FEES

ELIGIBILITY
For our coursework master’s degrees, a 60 per cent average in a bachelor’s degree or graduate diploma or a qualification/experience the Faculty considers equivalent. Minimum entry for our Graduate Certificates includes an Australian bachelor degree, or equivalent (applicants for the Graduate Certificate of Strategic Communications Management or Graduate Certificate of Public Policy can also be considered based on a minimum of five years relevant work experience).

Applicants to the Master of Interpreting and Translations Studies also require advanced bilingual proficiency.

All students must meet English language requirements.

English language requirements
• IELTS 6.5 overall with a minimum of 6.0 in reading, listening, writing and speaking.
• TOEFL 550 with a TWE of 4.5; or an Internet-based TOEFL score of 79 with 21 in Writing, 12 in Listening, 13 in Reading and 18 in Speaking.

Can I receive credit for previous study?
You may be eligible to receive:
• up to 48 credit points (equivalent to one year of full-time study) for previous honours or graduate level studies in the area(s) of social sciences/humanities.
• or up to 24 credit points for previous undergraduate studies in the area(s) of social sciences/humanities or honours studies in an unrelated area.

Applications for credit are assessed on a case-by-case basis. Studies must have been completed within 10 years prior to the year of application for credit.

MONASH GRADUATE COURSES DISCOUNT
Monash is offering alumni, who completed their undergraduate studies in the last five years, a 10% discount on full-fees courses commencing in 2023.

The 10% discount is applied to your course fees for each semester, and applies to the first 48 credit points of a master’s program.

The discount is for both domestic and international students and applies to a wide range of graduate courses across all 10 faculties.

SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES
A variety of scholarships and grants are available for prospective and continuing coursework graduate students. The number of scholarship and grant offers made in any one year varies.

Scholarships are available from Monash University, the Australian Government and other organisations. Prospective students should examine all the scholarships on offer to see what they could be eligible for.

STUDENT FEES AND SCHOLARSHIPS
Graduate courses attract fees for both domestic and international students. For details of course fees monash.edu/fees

Domestic students
There are two full-fee payment options: a deferred payment through a government loan or an upfront payment.

Government loans
There are two types of government loans and both are available to Australian citizens and permanent humanitarian visa holders.
• *HECS-HELP* – is a loan to cover the Student Contribution Amount (SCA) and is available to CSP holders.

For more information on the Monash Arts Advantage PhD program and the opportunity to become a Monash Arts PhD student, please get in touch with us at arts-agr-apply@monash.edu

Further information monash.edu/arts/graduate_research

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Discover how the Monash Arts Advantage PhD program enables your impact by scanning this code or visit postka.com/8MqS9Lj_2w
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March to September
We’ll be in your local area to answer your questions on everything you need to know about Monash, including our courses, accommodation, scholarships and student life.
monash.edu/information-evenings

Inside Monash
March to August
Get the inside story from our faculties about what it’s really like to study at Monash.
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Open Day
Open Day is your chance to experience what life at Monash is all about! You’ll be able to explore our campuses, meet current students and staff, find out more about our courses, and get a taste of everything Monash has to offer.
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