

D6006 Master of Professional Counselling

Campus	Mode	Intakes
Malaysia	On-campus	Semester 1 Semester 2

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Course requirements

- Students must complete a total of 96 credit points.
- Students must complete:
 - Part A. Professional studies in counselling units (78 points)
 - Part B. Professional practice in counselling units (18 points)

Course progression – Semester 1 (February) commencement

Full-time progression

Year	Sem	Units				
1	1	EDF5536 Counselling practice and theory (6 pts)	EDF5540 Children and adolescents counselling (6 pts)	EDF5541 Personnel and career development counselling (6 pts)	EDF5545 Cognitive behaviour therapy (6 pts)	
	2	EDF5537 Human growth and lifespan development (6 pts)	EDF5542 Counselling skills: Individuals and couples (6 pts)	EDF5543 Ethics and professional issues in counselling and psychology (6 pts)	EDF5544 Group counselling skills and psychotherapy (6 pts)	
	SSA-02 (Nov-Feb)	EDF5538 Mental health issues assessment: Grief, trauma and substance abuse (6 pts)	EDF5539 Counselling in a multicultural context (6 pts)			
2	1	EDF5546 Advanced personnel and career development counselling (6 pts)	EDF5551 Psychological assessment and measurement (6 pts)			EDF5552 Counselling practicum (6 pts) <i>(256 hours total = 100 hours contact and 156 hours non-contact)</i>
	2	EDF5535 Counselling internship (12 pts) (S2-SS-02: Jul-Feb) <i>(512 hours total = 200 hours contact and 312 hours non-contact)</i>	EDF5547 Counselling research design, statistics and program evaluation (6 pts)			
	S2-SS-02 (Jul-Feb)					

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Part-time progression

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	SS-S1-01 (Nov-Jun)	EDF5535 Counselling internship (12 pts) (SS-S1-01: Nov-Jun) <i>(512 hours total = 200 hours contact and 312 hours non-contact)</i>	
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Course progression – Semester 2 (July) commencement

Full-time progression

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