

Online Postgraduate Studies in Research Management and Commercialisation



- Are you seeking recognised qualifications in research management or commercialisation?
- Do you want to pursue a career in commercialisation or tech transfer?
- Are you an aspiring entrepreneur wanting to learn more about new ventures?
- Do you see yourself in a more senior role in your research organisation?
- Are you a research administration professional seeking to advance your career?

If the answer to any of these is yes, then you should consider this program

Graduate Certificate in Research Commercialisation (IX97)

Master of Research Management and Commercialisation (IX99)

Career Opportunities

Who needs to do this course?

- Future leaders in the research commercialisation and research sectors
- Administration professionals in research organisations (University faculties, University research offices, commercial offices etc)
- R&D professionals
- Academic researchers
- Entrepreneurs and Intrapreneurs
- Professionals in public and private sector R&D organisations
- Research Centre personnel
- Research portfolio managers
- Aspiring technology transfer professionals

A Distinctive Degree

- 100 per cent online
- Flexible learning
- Opportunity to interact with participants in associated fields worldwide
- Expert moderators active in research, business and industry
- Recognition of prior learning
- Work-based projects used in assessment
- Applied learning in research management
- Up-to-the-minute content on current issues and best practices
- Real-world skills in business planning and IP strategies
- Business, law and management skills applicable to all technology disciplines

Duration: A faster and more focused approach

Graduate Certificate: Full-time (One Semester)

Masters: Full-time (Three Semesters)
Part-time option available

Course Structure: Flexibility and relevance

Each unit is online, facilitated by expert moderators for 13 weeks, with discussions, readings and activities around the topic.

To graduate with the **Graduate Certificate in Research Commercialisation** students must successfully complete the core unit Knowledge Transfer and Research Commercialisation plus three electives (48 cp) from the suite of units below.

To graduate with the **Master of Research Management and Commercialisation** students must successfully complete 12 units (144 cp) from the suite of units below including the five core units as indicated.

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The **Graduate Certificate in Research Commercialisation** articulates fully into the **Master of Research Management and Commercialisation**. Both degrees are awarded by QUT.

A Graduate Diploma exit point from the Masters is available on completion of 96 credit points including the core unit, Knowledge Transfer and Research Commercialisation. Four-year trained graduates may receive advanced standing of up to 48 credit points towards the Masters course subject to approval of Course Coordinator.

Units (12 credit points)

- Knowledge Transfer and Research Commercialisation (core for IX97/IX99)
- Principles and Practices of R&D Management (core for IX99)
- Contexts of R&D Management (core for IX99)
- Introduction to Intellectual Property and Research (core for IX99)
- Managing Research Careers
- Entrepreneurial Foundations
- Research and Global Sustainability
- Commercialisation Project (24cp) (core for IX99, not available in IX97)
- Project Management for Research
- Patent Law and Commercialisation
- Financial Management

Cost

Fees per unit in 2012: Domestic – \$2600
International: \$2900

Australian Technology Network (ATN) students will receive a 20 per cent discount on tuition fees.

e-GSA Faculty

All eGSA moderators possess impressive academic qualifications in their fields in addition to valuable real world experience, giving them the ability to transfer practical skills and up to the minute knowledge across broad areas of relevance. Collectively they represent an extensive range of disciplines and therefore have developed units which are transferrable to all students.

International Representation

Students from around the globe apply for and enrol in these eGSA programs demonstrating the importance of technology commercialisation and best practice research management practices throughout the world. This diverse cohort provides an enriched and international perspective on the unit contents, delivering an overall global perspective to participants.

Enquiries

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Student Testimonials

Graduate Certificate/Masters

Postdoctoral Researcher, Cooperative Research Centre

On completion of the Graduate Certificate (GC) course I decided to continue my studies on the Masters course as I had found the GC course really stimulating and informative..... the Project unit....was focused on the execution and handover of a project which in my case was for research I was actually undertaking as part of my job. The ... Context unit also provided a greater understanding of the origin and impact that forces such as globalisation and economic rationalism, have had and are continuing to have, on all aspects of the management and funding of research in universities and research organisations today.

University Project Officer, QUT

The transference of knowledge and applicability from the Masters directly into my workplace, speaks loudly of the relevance and currency of the course. The flexibility of the online delivery fits well with achieving realistic work/life/study balance.

Knowledge Transfer and Research Commercialisation unit

Postdoctoral Researcher – Institute of Child Health Research

I'll add my voice to the chorus of agreement on how good this course has been. I have not only learned more about the flexibility of the commercial aspects of my research, but have also corrected some misconceptions on the finer points of splitting off commercial rights from IP, and become more aware of how much commercialisation is a living entity rather than a linear process with a fixed end-point.

Principles and Practice in R&D Management unit

PhD Student, Deakin University

I truly believe that a course, such as this one, is a perfect example of how to become a great RM (research leader). This would also give them an advantage when it comes to grant success and would overall be a benefit for the institute/university. The money spent on education (courses like this) would help bring in (research) funding money.

Strategic Issues in R&D Management Unit

Researcher, Heart Foundation

One of the best parts about the subject are the breadth of recorded interviews from various people in the university- it certainly helps situate the 'theory' of what we are learning, into many real life contexts.

Managing Research Careers Unit

Research Grants Officer, University of Wollongong

Made me analyse my career to date and helped me to plan for the future.

Project Management for Research

PhD Student, UniSA

I have worked in industry for almost 15 years and during that time worked on many projects including a few as project manager, and I found that there is still so much more I could learn about it.



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