Master of Communication

1 Definitions
In these rules—

pre-2015 student means a student who first enrolled in the program before 1 January 2015.

pre-2017 student means a student who first enrolled in the program before 1 January 2017.

2 Enrolment requirements
(1) To enrol in the 24 unit MCommun program, a person must—
(a) hold—
   (i) an approved bachelor degree in the same discipline, with a GPA of 5; or
   (ii) a Graduate Certificate or Graduate Diploma in Communication from the university, with a GPA of 5; or
   (iii) both—
      (A) an approved bachelor degree in any discipline, with a GPA of 5; and
      (B) have completed two years’ full-time (or equivalent) relevant professional work experience; and
(b) satisfy the executive dean that, based on the person’s academic record and prior work experience, the person is qualified for admission.

(2) To enrol in the 32 unit MCommun program, a person must—
(a) hold an approved bachelor degree in any discipline, with a GPA of 5; and
(b) satisfy the executive dean that, based on the person’s academic record and prior work experience, the person is qualified for admission.

3 Field of study
A student may undertake the program in an approved field.

4 Program requirements
(1) To complete the 24 unit program, a student must complete 24 units from the MCommun course list, comprising –
   (a) 8 units from part B; and
   (b) 8 units from part C; and
   (c) 8 units from part B or part C or part D or a combination of those parts.

(2) To complete the 32 unit program, a student must complete 32 units from the MCommun course list, comprising –
   (a) 8 units from part A; and
   (b) 8 units from part B; and
   (c) 8 units from part C; and
   (d) 8 units from part B or part C or part D or a combination of those parts.

5 Award of the Graduate Diploma in Communication
A student who withdraws from the 24 unit or 32 unit MCommun program after completing 16 units may be awarded the Graduate Diploma in Communication.

6 Transitional
(1) A pre-2015 student may complete the program under the current rules or the rules in force on 31 December 2014.
(2) A pre-2017 student may complete the program under the current rules or the rules in force on 31 December 2016.