

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

An understanding of the fees, expenses and general living costs involved with study will help you make the transition to UQ.



Arts student Ravi Rao (left) discusses his financial options with Adriana Majchrzak from the Student Centre.



SCHOLARSHIPS & FINANCIAL SUPPORT

There are a variety of scholarship and financial aid options for international postgraduate students to make your time at UQ easier and more affordable.

Postgraduate coursework scholarships

Future students are advised to start their scholarship search by visiting the **UQ Scholarships for International Students webpage**.

The website provides links to information about scholarships suitable for specific program levels and areas of study.

Information includes:

- > postgraduate coursework and research higher degree scholarships
- > UQ faculty and school scholarships (including area of study scholarships for coursework students)
- > Australian Government scholarships
- > other scholarship opportunities including home government scholarships and multinational aid organisations, and
- > scholarship search resources.

UQ Scholarships for International Students
www.uq.edu.au/international/scholarships

Financial Aid

The University of Queensland participates in and assists students to apply for student loan programs offered by their home countries. These programs cover educational expenses while students are enrolled full-time in UQ programs. UQ participates in the US FFEL Program, US Montgomery GI Bill, US Private Loans, Canadian Provincial & Federal Loan programs, UK Career Development Loan program, German Bafög, Norwegian Lånekassen and Swedish CSN Loans.

Financial Aid
www.uq.edu.au/international

Australian Development Scholarship holders Sheikh Mohammad Rafiqul Hasan from Bangladesh (left) and Petra Suhren from Samoa



Postgraduate Coursework Scholarships by study area

Individual schools and faculties offer scholarship opportunities to high academic achievers, as do some industry groups and private sector organisations.

A comprehensive listing of international coursework scholarships is available.

Future students should visit www.uq.edu.au/international/scholarships and click on Area of Study Scholarships for more detailed information. There is also a link to faculty and school scholarship websites where students can find additional useful information relating to scholarships appropriate to specific areas of study.

UQ Scholarships for International Students
www.uq.edu.au/international/scholarships

Australian Government Scholarships

The Australian Government provides a large number of scholarships for international students intending to study at The University of Queensland. The majority of Australian government scholarships are for postgraduate and research students. However, it is recommended all international students familiarise themselves with the wide range of Australian Government scholarship opportunities available for which they may be able to apply.

Australian Development Scholarships (ADS)

The University of Queensland provides education programs to Australian Development Scholarship (ADS) students.

Most scholarships are for graduate study but in some countries undergraduate scholarships are also available.

ADS students enjoy the support services offered to all international students as well as: additional assistance from Student Contact Officers; a special Introductory Academic Program (IAP) prior to the International Student Orientation; and additional supplementary support may be available as recommended by staff.

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Australian Leadership Awards (ALA)

The University of Queensland is one of the participating institutions in the Australian Leadership Awards (ALA) program. This is a new award under which the Australian Government offers scholarships and fellowships for current and future leaders from the Asia-Pacific region. ALAs are awarded to people who are already leaders or have a potential to assume leadership roles that can influence social and economic policy reform and development outcomes, both in their own countries and in the Asia-Pacific region. The awards provide scholarships for longer-term postgraduate study at masters or doctoral level and fellowships for short-term research, study or professional attachments. Like ADS students, ALA scholarship holders also enjoy extra support services provided by designated Student Contact Officers.

Endeavour Awards

The Endeavour Awards are an Australian Government initiative, bringing together all of the Department of Education, Employment and Workplace Relations (DEEWR) international scholarships so that high-achieving students and scholars from around the world can undertake study or research in Australia.

Australian Government AusAID
www.ausaid.gov.au

Endeavour Awards
www.endeavour.dest.gov.au



US Fulbright scholars Dr Jeanette Simmonds, Michael Decegile, Kate Murray and Devon Biggerstaff

Research higher degree scholarships

The Research Higher Degrees Unit administers more than \$10 million in major research scholarship schemes for international candidates undertaking Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) and Master of Philosophy (MPhil) programs.

Two types of research scholarships are offered at UQ: tuition fee support and living allowances.

How to apply for a research scholarship

1. RHD applicants indicate on their application form whether or not they wish to be considered for tuition fee support and/or a living allowance scholarship.
2. Only international research higher degree students who have been offered a place at UQ are considered for tuition fee support and/or living allowance scholarships. For those applicants, the scholarships and tuition fee support described below apply.

UQ Graduate School
www.uq.edu.au/grad-school/scholarships

International Postgraduate Research Scholarships (IPRS)

The IPRS program enables outstanding international students to undertake an MPhil or PhD in areas of research strength at Australian universities and gain experience with leading Australian researchers. Funded by the Department of Innovation, Industry, Science and Research (DIISR), the IPRS

provides for the tuition fees of scholarship holders. Scholarships are available for a period of two years for an MPhil or three years for a PhD, with a possible extension where academic circumstances merit.

UQ Graduate School
www.uq.edu.au/grad-school/scholarships

UQ Research Scholarships (UQRS)

UQ Research Scholarships (UQRS) provide a living allowance to international RHD candidates who have been offered a place at UQ and been approved for tuition fee support. UQRS are awarded via a continuous, competitive, merit-based process which establishes high calibre candidates whose research interest and ability best match the needs of the UQ school or institute.

UQRS are offered to RHD candidates at two different stages of their candidature: commencing and confirmed.

Commencing

The merit criteria for commencing international RHD candidates includes:

- academic merit
- research performance/potential, and
- relevance to UQ Research strengths.

Confirmation

The merit criteria for domestic and international candidates whose RHD candidature has been confirmed includes:

- quality of confirmation performance
- timeliness of confirmation, and
- research performance and progress.

UQ Graduate School
www.uq.edu.au/grad-school/scholarships

English Language Scholarships for Postgraduate Research Scholarship holders

There are a limited number of English Language Scholarships available for prospective international scholarship students who are applying to study for a research higher degree at UQ. Future students should download the document below to see if they are eligible.

English language scholarships
www.uq.edu.au/study/docs/international/RHD-ELS.pdf

Joint Academic Scholarship Online Network (JASON)

JASON provides information on scholarships available for postgraduate students wanting to study in Australia. Visit the JASON website for further information.

JASON Scholarships
www.jason.edu.au

Financial Aid

Research higher degree candidates seeking funding may be eligible for financial aid through their home governments.

Guide for international students
www.uq.edu.au/international

LIVING COSTS

In order to maximise your study experience, it is essential that you allocate enough funds to cover a range of study-related and living expenses.

Statutory expenses

The Department of Immigration and Citizenship (DIAC) requires evidence that applicants for a student visa (see page 115) have sufficient funds to complete their studies.

Department of Immigration and Citizenship (DIAC)
www.immi.gov.au

Expenses to be considered include visa and medical (predeparture) fees (see page 115), tuition fees (see pages 105-110), general living expenses, return airfares, and Overseas Student Health Cover (OSHC).

A summary of estimated expenses (excluding UQ tuition fees) is shown in the Expenses guide table opposite.

Global Currency Converter
www.oanda.com

General expenses

Brisbane rates well on cost of living indexes for Australian cities (see table on page 8).

The cost of living will vary according to an individual student's lifestyle and requirements. As a guide, a student living in shared accommodation off-campus would pay approximately AUD\$12,400 per year for rent, food and utilities. Students will also need to consider establishment costs (approximately AUD\$3725 for a student living off-campus) when setting up their accommodation and additional living expenses such as public transport, entertainment, telephone costs, textbooks, photocopying and clothing. Students should refer to the Expenses guide on page 103 to determine which costs they should consider.

Personal access to a computer and the Internet is recommended for all students and, in most programs, is required. While computers are available on campus, students are advised to bring a computer with them, or to purchase or hire a computer in Australia.

For students who wish to purchase a car, costs can vary from AUD\$5000 to AUD\$25,000 or more, and running costs after purchase price are about AUD\$90 per week. It is strongly recommended that students use public transport.

Allowances should also be made for recreation, for emergencies and for health expenses not covered by OSHC. Exchange rate variations may also affect budgeting.

Overseas Student Health Cover (OSHC)

Overseas Student Health Cover (OSHC) is insurance that provides basic cover for medical and hospital care costs which international students may need while in Australia. OSHC is a compulsory requirement for a student visa (see page 115) and is available from any government-approved OSHC provider.

OSHC covers students from the time they arrive in Australia only. Travel insurance is also strongly recommended to provide cover during transit. More information about the Australian health system and health insurance will be provided during Orientation (see page 16). Further general information about OSHC is also available on the Department of Health and Ageing website at www.health.gov.au

OSHC Worldcare

The University of Queensland's preferred OSHC provider is OSHC Worldcare and the University can accept payment on their behalf.

The University's *Letter of Offer* shows the OSHC Worldcare fee for program-length cover of OSHC along with the program deposit amount which is part of the student's tuition fees. When the deposit and OSHC have been paid and the signed Agreement and Response to Offer (ARO) is returned, the University indicates on the student's Confirmation of Enrolment (CoE) that the OSHC has been paid and this is sufficient for the student visa application (see page 115). Students receive information about obtaining their OSHC Worldcare membership card during Orientation at UQ.

OSHC Worldcare coverage

- > 24-hour emergency assistance and medical advice
- > medical services provided by doctors (GP Services)
- > medical services such as pathology and radiology
- > some prescription medicines, and
- > ambulance services.

The OSHC Worldcare website contains full information on prices, options and what is and is not covered by this form of health insurance. Note that there is a waiting period for claims relating to pre-existing conditions.

OSHC Worldcare prices

Months	Single premium (AUD\$)	Family premium (AUD\$)
12	\$370	\$740
18	\$527	\$1054
24	\$703	\$1406
36	\$1055	\$2110

This is an extract from the 2008 price list.

OSHC Worldcare
www.oshcworldcare.com.au

Other government-approved OSHC providers

The University has no relationship with any other government-approved OSHC providers and cannot accept payment from students for any provider other than OSHC Worldcare.

However, students can insure with any other OSHC provider by contacting them directly.

Other providers include British United Provident Association (BUPA) Ltd (www.overseasstudenthealth.com), Australian Health Management (AHM) (www.ahm.com.au) and Medibank Private (www.medibank.com.au).



UQ scientist Devon Biggerstaff was one of 14 Americans granted a Fulbright postgraduate award in Australia.

Expenses guide

Expenses quoted in the table below are a **guide only**. They will vary depending on location, lifestyle and personal choices. Please also refer to the important notes on the right of this page. All amounts are in Australian dollars (AUD\$).

Expenses	Example of a student living in accommodation on-campus	Example of a student living in shared accommodation off-campus	Example of a family living off-campus (two adults and one child)
Establishment			
Temporary accommodation (5 nights, shared dormitory)	–	\$155 (shared dormitory)	\$520 (motel room)
Books/study material (varies with course)*	\$625	\$625	\$625
Furniture (if renting unfurnished home)	–	\$1500	\$3000
Electricity/gas/phone – connection	–	\$230	\$230
Clothing for sub-tropical and winter weather	\$315	\$315	\$800
Rental bond (refundable)	–	\$600	\$1400
Two weeks' rent in advance	–	\$300	\$700
Residential college bond (refundable)	\$1000	–	–
Total (Establishment)	\$1940	\$3725	\$7275
Accommodation, food and utilities	per year	per year	per year
Rent – ongoing	–	\$7200	\$16,800
Electricity/gas – ongoing	–	\$500	\$1000
Food, groceries, incidentals	\$1500	\$4700	\$11,700
Residential college fee, meals and utilities (36 weeks during semester) (*Please refer to page 24)	\$13,195 [^]	–	–
Residential college – Internet, Orientation activities, student club fees, etc.	\$825	–	–
TOTAL (Accommodation, food and utilities)	\$15,520	\$12,400	\$29,500
Ongoing additional costs	per year	per year	per year
Phone (includes Internet) – ongoing	\$500	\$1000	\$1500
Public transport	\$360	\$800	\$2000
Health (dental/medicine not covered by OSHC)	\$500	\$500	\$1250
Recreation/entertainment	\$1100	\$1100	\$2750
Photocopying/printing/stationery	\$500	\$500	\$500
Textbooks/manuals/toner/paper	\$780	\$780	\$780
Contents insurance	\$250	\$250	\$500
Clothing/personal	\$500	\$500	\$1250
Emergency/unexpected	\$500	\$500	\$1000
TOTAL (Ongoing additional)	\$4990	\$5930	\$11,530
TOTAL (Accommodation and living and Ongoing expenses)	\$20,510	\$18,330	\$41,030

Other expenses

Additional child	per month	per year
School tuition fees for children (per child)	\$667	\$8000
Additional school expenses	\$100	\$1200
Childcare (based on 3 days per week)	\$800	\$9600
TOTAL	\$1567	\$18,800

Notes:

- > UQ tuition fees (see pages 105-110) and OSHC (see page 102) are not included in this table.
- > Not all items stated in the expenses guide can be used by USA Financial Aid Students in their cost of attendance (COA) calculation.
- > In Australia, all consumers pay a Goods and Services Tax (GST) of 10 percent on most purchases. GST is included in expenses quoted above. There is no refund of GST on departure from Australia.
- > Students should allow for a 4 to 5 percent increase in living expenses each year.
- > Scholarships/stipends are paid in Australian dollars and are not affected by changes in exchange rates.
- > *Textbooks and materials for some programs may average \$1000 per semester.
- > [^] College fees listed are drawn from average 2008 prices and may vary in 2009.
- > [^] Students may opt to reside in the colleges during the summer vacation period – a fee per night will be charged.

LIVING COSTS

Students supporting dependants

A student bringing a spouse and/or children to Australia will need to have enough money to support them before the Australian Government will issue a visa (see page 115).

A comprehensive explanation about family and spouse issues can be found in the Student Services booklet *Families of International Students*, available at www.uq.edu.au/student-services (International Student Support), or by email from ss@uq.edu.au

Further information is also available on the DIAC website at www.immi.gov.au

Childcare costs

Childcare costs in Australia are very high. It is important that students contact childcare centres directly for fee information before arrival. See page 20.

School fees for children

DIAC requires dependant children between the ages of five and 18 to attend school full-time as a condition of the dependant visa. International fee-paying students must pay school fees for school-aged children. In 2008, the annual fees at Queensland Government schools were as follows:

Age	Fee (AUD\$)*
Prep Year (age five by 30 June)	\$8000
Primary – Years 1-7 (age six by 31 December)	\$8000
Junior secondary – Years 8-10 (ages 12 to 15)	\$8000
Senior secondary – Years 11-12 (ages 16 to 18)	\$8800

*These fees may increase in 2009.

Note that application fees may apply for entry to schools in Queensland.

In 2007, a full-time Prep Year was introduced in all State schools in Queensland to replace the part-time Pre-School year (see <http://education.qld.gov.au/etr/f/faq-prep.html>).

The process of enrolling children in schools is different in each State in Australia. In Queensland, it is not possible to enrol a child in school until he or she has arrived in the State.

Upon applying to The University of Queensland, students are provided with more information about how to organise a child's Certificate of Enrolment, which can be used to apply for the child's dependant visa and later to enrol the child in a school.

General information about the process of arranging schooling for children of international students is available at <http://education.qld.gov.au/marketing/eqi/programs/dependantchildren.html>

Students who have received scholarships from their home governments may be exempt from paying school tuition fees for their children. These students should contact the Administrative Officer – International Scholarships in UQ's International Education Directorate before applying for a dependant visa to enquire about whether their particular scholarship entitles them to an exemption from school tuition fees, and for assistance with this process. The website above outlines any costs that are additional to tuition fees. These extra costs total a minimum of \$1000 per child per school year. The additional costs are not waived and are paid by parents directly to the school.

Administrative Officer – International Scholarships

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Student Services

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Employment options

International students and dependants in Australia on student dependant visas who are residing in Australia and who wish to work, must have a student visa that includes permission to work. If the student visa is issued without the right to work, a permission to work student visa will need to be applied for AFTER commencing classes. A Tax File Number is also needed before undertaking work.

More information about applying for the student visa with permission to work, the Tax File Number, and obtaining part-time work while studying, will be given during Orientation week. Information about dependants working will be covered in the *Families of International Students* session during Orientation week.

In general, students should not expect to cover tuition fees or living expenses from casual work. Holders of a student visa with work rights can work up to 20 hours per week while their University program is in session, and full-time during University vacations. UQ regulations restrict work hours of Research Higher Degree students to a maximum of 18 hours per week at all times. Students studying at UQ on a scholarship should contact their scholarship provider regarding the number of hours they are permitted to work each week.

Part-time work is not difficult to find, however, there is strong competition. An Employment Officer at UQ St Lucia can help students look for part-time work, most of which is non-professional, such as waiting on tables, cleaning or sales.

The University does not have a formal program of teaching assistantships or graduate assistantships. However, research higher degree students may possibly find employment as research or tutorial assistants. These positions are not guaranteed and interested students should contact relevant schools for details.

TUITION FEES

Tuition fees help the University fund the world-class resources, facilities and staff necessary for your particular program.

Coursework tuition fee calculation

Fee-paying students pay tuition fees based on the courses they undertake, regardless of the program in which they enrol. Fees are paid in advance each semester.

The majority of University of Queensland programs offer students the option to enrol in elective courses that may be available in other programs. As not all courses are charged at the same rate, an individual

student's tuition fees will vary to reflect this flexibility.

As charges will be levied according to a student's exact enrolment in any given semester, it is not possible to publish a fixed annual fee except in the small number of programs where all courses are compulsory. To assist students to understand their likely tuition fee costs, the tables on the following pages include fees students might pay each year. By multiplying the annual fee by the duration (years) of the program, an estimate

of the total cost of the program may be obtained.

The fees listed on pages 105-110 are calculated on charges for students commencing study in 2008. The University will review fees annually and the new, annual fees will apply to all students.

Fees information

www.uq.edu.au/international

Indicative fees

www.uq.edu.au/study/fees

Tuition fees – postgraduate coursework programs

Program title	Program type	Commencement semester/s	Duration (semester/s)	Program code	CRICOS code	2009 fees – average cost per semester (AUD\$) ¹	See page
Agribusiness	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2	1	5007	030134D	\$12,800	44
	Graduate Diploma in	1, 2	2	5074	030137A	\$12,800	
	Master of	1, 2	2, 3 [ⓐ]	5421, 5155	059500D, 030142D	\$12,800, \$12,800	
Agricultural Studies	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2	1	5008	008570A	\$12,800	38
	Graduate Diploma in	1, 2	2	5075	001970G	\$12,800	
	Master of	1, 2	2, 3 [ⓐ]	5422, 5144	059501C, 002011C	\$12,800, \$12,800	
Animal Studies	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2	1	5009	034040M	\$12,800	38
	Graduate Diploma in	1, 2	2	5076	034042J	\$12,800	
	Master of	1, 2	3	5156	034044G	\$12,800	
Applied Law	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2	1	5011	025978B	\$12,075	44
	Graduate Diploma in	1, 2	2	5078	034016M	\$12,075	
	Master of	1, 2	3	5157	025995A	\$12,075	
Architecture	Master of	1	4	5429	060311K	\$12,800	84
Arts	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2	1	5137	034028G	\$8800	64
	Graduate Diploma in	1, 2	2	5139	008582G	\$8800	
	Master of	1, 2	3	5154	034017K	\$8800	
	Master (Advanced) of	1, 2	4	5382	057062D	\$8800	
Arts in Chinese Translation and Interpreting	Graduate Certificate in	1	1	5451	061821B	\$10,600	65
	Graduate Diploma in	1	2	5452	061822A	\$10,600	
	Master of	1	3	5453	061823M	\$10,600	
Arts in Japanese Interpreting and Translation	Graduate Diploma in	1	2	5438	061824K	\$10,375	65
	Master of	1	4	5207	013035D	\$10,375	
Audiology Studies	Master of	1	4	5145	013038A	\$15,000	52
Biotechnology	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2	1	5013	034026J	\$12,800	78
	Graduate Diploma in	1, 2	2	5119	034052G	\$12,800	
	Master of	1, 2	2, 3 [ⓐ]	5386, 5159	057055C, 034034J	\$12,800, \$12,800	
		1, 2	3, 4 ^{ⓐⓑ}	5403, 5402	058538J, 058539G	\$12,800, \$12,800	
	Business	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2	1	5248	038553J	
Graduate Diploma in		1, 2	2	5249	038554G	\$12,075	
Master of		1, 2	3	5250	037519G	\$12,075	
Master (Advanced) of		1, 2	4	5323	025685D	\$12,075	
Master of		1, 2	**	5430	060533G	\$16,400	

Notes

¹ This is an approximate semester fee based on a full-time enrolment of 8 units per semester. A student's actual tuition fee may vary with choice of field of study and/or electives. The University reviews fees annually. The fees listed in this table are for international students (see UQ Terminology, page 32).

* International students may not undertake this program on campus at UQ on a full-time basis. They may only study from their home countries and will not be eligible for an Australian student visa.

ⓐ A two-semester version of this program is available to qualified students.

ⓑ A three-semester version of this program is available to qualified students.

** This program is a three-semester program to be completed over one calendar year.

† Business Administration is studied in intensive mode and the program duration does not cover the standard University semesters. The program commences in mid-January with the Graduate Certificate covering 15-weeks, the Graduate Diploma 32-weeks and Master covering 43-weeks.

TUITION FEES



Students studying in the Great Court at the St Lucia campus

Tuition fees – postgraduate coursework programs (cont.)

Program title	Program type	Commencement semester/s	Duration (semester/s)	Program code	CRICOS code	2009 fees – average cost per semester (AUD\$) ¹	See page
Business Economics	Master of	1, 2	3	5245	046493E	\$12,075	46
	Master (Advanced) of	1, 2	4	5376	056198G	\$12,075	
Clinical Pharmacy	Graduate Diploma in	1	2	5120	029177C	\$15,000	53
	Master of	1	3	5146	026351G	\$15,000	
Clinical Psychology	Master of	1	4	5164	026000G	\$12,800	66
Commerce	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2	1	5326	048758B	\$12,075	46
	Graduate Diploma in	1, 2	2	5325	048759A	\$12,075	
	Master of	1, 2	3	5165	002020B	\$12,075	
	Master (Advanced) of	1, 2	4	5324	022720G	\$12,075	
Communication	Graduate Certificate in	1	1	5336	049209A	\$10,600	66
	Graduate Diploma in	1, 2	2	5335	049210G	\$10,600	
	Master of	1, 2	3	5334	049208B	\$10,600	
Community Relations	Graduate Certificate in	1	1	5450	*	\$11,800	67
Counselling	Master of	1	4	5333	048816G	\$8800	67
Development Practice	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2	1	5344	053339A	\$9225	67
	Graduate Diploma in	1, 2	2	5345	053340G	\$9225	
	Master of	1, 2	3	5346	053341G	\$9225	
	Master (Advanced) of	1, 2	4	5347	053342F	\$9225	
Economics	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2	1	5010	008572K	\$12,075	47
	Graduate Diploma in	1, 2	2	5077	008579C	\$12,075	
	Master of	1, 2	3	5399	058270K	\$12,075	
Education	Graduate Diploma in	1	2	5384	055522G	\$8800	68
Educational Studies	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2, Summer	1	5448	061819G	\$8800	69
	Graduate Diploma in	1, 2	2	5082	013039M	\$8800	
	Master of	1, 2	2, 3 [ⓐ]	5265, 5171	002028E, 002028E	\$8800, \$8800	
e-Healthcare	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2	1	5272	*	\$10,600	54
	Graduate Diploma in	1, 2	2	5273	*	\$10,600	
	Master of	1, 2	3	5274	*	\$10,600	
Engineering	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2	1	5023	029190F	\$12,800	84
	Graduate Diploma in	1, 2	2	5083	029191E	\$12,800	
	Master of	1, 2	2, 3 [ⓐ]	5359, 5172	062367M, 062367M	\$12,800, \$12,800	
Entomology	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2	1	5024	*	\$12,800	78
	Graduate Diploma in	1, 2	2	5121	*	\$12,800	
	Master of	1, 2	2, 3 [ⓐ]	5387, 5173	*	\$12,800, \$12,800	
Environmental Management	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2	1	5025	013832G	\$12,800	38
	Graduate Diploma in	1, 2	2	5084	008458A	\$12,800	
	Master of	1, 2	3	5174	006689B	\$12,800	
Ergonomics	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2	1	5281	*	\$11,100	54
	Graduate Diploma in	1, 2	2	5282	*	\$11,100	
	Master of	1, 2	3	5283	*	\$11,100	
Exercise Science	Master of	1	5	5435	061814A	\$10,600	54
Food Studies	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2	1	5027	034041K	\$12,800	79
	Graduate Diploma in	1, 2	2	5122	034043G	\$12,800	
	Master of	1, 2	2, 3 [ⓐ]	5423, 5176	059495G, 033988M	\$12,800, \$12,800	



PhD graduate Dr Jenny Ekberg, from Sweden, is researching a toxin that blocks peripheral pain.



PhD candidate Barnaby Ralph is researching 18th Century musical, rhetorical and philosophical sources in Vienna, London and Oxford.

Tuition fees – postgraduate coursework programs (cont.)

Program title	Program type	Commencement semester/s	Duration (semester/s)	Program code	CRICOS code	2009 fees – average cost per semester (AUD\$) ¹	See page
Geographic Information Science	Graduate Certificate in	1	1	5028	011168G	\$12,800	79
	Graduate Diploma in	1	2	5086	003854G	\$12,800	
	Master of	1	3	5177	003927F	\$12,800	
Governance and Public Policy	Graduate Diploma in	1,2	2	5365	*	\$9075	70
	Master of	1,2	3	5366	038556F	\$9075	
Health Economics	Graduate Certificate in	1,2	1	5390	057060F	\$11,750	47
	Graduate Diploma in	1,2	2	5391	057061E	\$11,750	
	Master of	1,2	3	5418	048548A	\$11,750	
	Master (Advanced) of	1,2	4	5419	048549M	\$11,750	
Health Studies	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2, Summer	1	5029	*	\$9725	55
	Graduate Diploma in	1, 2, Summer	2	5123	*	\$9725	
	Master of	1, 2, Summer	2, 3 [@]	5413, 5150	*	\$9725	
Higher Education	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2	2	5442	*	\$8800	70
Human Services	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2	1	5367	058540D	\$8800	70
	Graduate Diploma in	1, 2	2	5400	058269C	\$8800	
	Master of	1, 2	3	5401	058271J	\$8800	
Information Technology	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2	1	5033	046495C	\$12,800	79
	Graduate Diploma in	1, 2	2	5090	003856E	\$12,800	
	Master of	1, 2	3	5182	031193G	\$12,800	
Integrated Water Management	Graduate Certificate in	1	1	5408	059262B	\$12,800	39
	Graduate Diploma in	1	2	5409	059261C	\$12,800	
	Master of	1	3	5410	059263A	\$12,800	
Interaction Design	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2	1	5369	053336D	\$12,800	80
	Graduate Diploma in	1, 2	2	5370	053337C	\$12,800	
	Master of	1, 2	3	5371	053338B	\$12,800	
International Economics and Finance	Master of	1, 2	3	5185	029162K	\$12,075	80
	Master (Advanced) of	1, 2	4	5372	056197G	\$12,075	
International Public Health	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2	1	5393	057430G	\$10,600	55
	Graduate Diploma in	1, 2	2	5394	057431F	\$10,600	
	Master of	1, 2	2, 3 [@]	5414, 5395	059019B, 057432E	\$10,600	
International Studies	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2	1	5337	025971J	\$8800	71
	Graduate Diploma in	1, 2	2	5338	031216E	\$8800	
	Master of	1, 2	3	5339	062365B	\$8800	
	Master (Advanced) of	1, 2	4	5312	062366A	\$8800	
Journalism	Graduate Diploma in	1, 2	2	5094	019884C	\$8800	72
	Master of	1, 2	3	5189	003930M	\$8800	
Laws	Master of	1, 2	2	5191	024644K	\$12,075	48
	Master (Advanced) of	1, 2	3	5192	026007A	\$12,075	

(table continued overleaf)

Notes

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@@ A three-semester version of this program is available to qualified students.

** This program is a three-semester program to be completed over one calendar year.

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Dr Massimo Hilliard and Janelle Scown in the Queensland Brain Institute's Flow Cytometry facility

Tuition fees – postgraduate coursework programs (cont.)

Program title	Program type	Commencement semester/s	Duration (semester/s)	Program code	CRICOS code	2009 fees – average cost per semester (AUD\$) ¹	See page
Magnetic Resonance Technology	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2	1	5036	034045F	\$12,800	85
	Graduate Diploma in	1, 2	2	5096	034046E	\$12,800	
	Master of	1, 2	3	5193	034047D	\$12,800	
Mediation and Conflict Resolution	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2	1	5454	062633J	\$8800	72
	Graduate Diploma in	1, 2	2	5455	062634G	\$8800	
	Master of	1, 2	3	5456	062635G	\$8800	
Medicine	Master of	1, 2	2	5398	*	\$12,800	56
Mental Health	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2	1	5040	031225D	\$10,600	56
	Graduate Diploma in	1, 2	2	5126	037404G	\$10,600	
	Master of	1, 2	3	5151	031212J	\$10,600	
Mineral Resources	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2	1	5041	029215B	\$12,800	85
	Graduate Diploma in	1, 2	2	5097	029188M	\$12,800	
	Master of	1, 2	3	5196	029189K	\$12,800	
Molecular Biology	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2	1	5042	034030B	\$12,800	80
	Graduate Diploma in	1, 2	2	5127	034055D	\$12,800	
	Master of	1, 2	2, 3 [@]	5388, 5197	057054D, 034037F	\$12,800, \$12,800	
Museum Studies	Graduate Certificate in	1	1	5341	056195K	\$8800	72
	Graduate Diploma in	1	2	5342	056194M	\$8800	
	Master of	1	3	5343	056193A	\$8800	
Music	Graduate Diploma in	1	2	5300	046492F	\$10,600	73
	Master of	1	3	5368	002040J	\$10,600	
Music Therapy	Master of	1	4	5322	049211G	\$10,900	73
Natural Resource Economics	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2	1	5064	038559C	\$12,800	40
	Graduate Diploma in	1, 2	2	5099	030139K	\$12,800	
	Master of	1, 2	2, 3 [@]	5424, 5152	059502B, 030143C	\$12,800, \$12,800	
Natural Resource Studies	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2	1	5043	030133E	\$12,800	40
	Graduate Diploma in	1, 2	2	5098	030140F	\$12,800	
	Master of	1, 2	2, 3 [@]	5425, 5153	059503A, 030144B	\$12,800, \$12,800	
Occupational Therapy Studies	Master of	Summer	5 ²	5147	002041G	\$14,600	57
Organisational Psychology	Master of	1, 2	4	5199	002042G	\$12,800	73
Physiotherapy	Master of	1	2	5221	026008M	\$15,000	58
Physiotherapy Studies	Master of	Summer	5 ²	5267	039545A	\$15,000	59
Plant Protection	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2	1	5046	034065B	\$12,800	40
	Graduate Diploma in	1, 2	2	5100	034061F	\$12,800	
	Master of	1, 2	2, 3 [@]	5426, 5200	059505K, 034062E	\$12,800, \$12,800	
Project Management	Graduate Certificate in	1	1	5287	040497E	\$12,375	48
	Graduate Diploma in	1	2	5288	404098D	\$12,375	
	Master of	1	3	5289	404099C	\$12,375	
Property Studies	Graduate Certificate in	1	1	5047	016506J	\$12,650	49
	Graduate Diploma in	1	2	5103	016519D	\$12,650	
	Master of	1	3	5201	037386E	\$12,650	



Jacarandas in bloom in the Great Court, St Lucia campus

Tuition fees – postgraduate coursework programs (cont.)

Program title	Program type	Commencement semester/s	Duration (semester/s)	Program code	CRICOS code	2009 fees – average cost per semester (AUD\$) ¹	See page
Public Health	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2, Summer	1	5181	037400A	\$10,600	49
	Graduate Diploma in	1, 2, Summer	2	5131	024647G	\$10,600	
	Master of	1, 2, Summer	2, 3 [@]	5415, 5224	059020J, 003931K	\$10,600 \$10,600	
Regional Development	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2	1	5051	008577E	\$11,700	86
	Graduate Diploma in	1, 2	2	5105	024648F	\$11,700	
	Master of	1, 2	3	5205	002048A	\$11,700	
Rehabilitation Sciences	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2	1	5443	061820C	\$13,925	60
Research Commercialisation	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2	1	5417	059496F	\$12,075	49
Rural Systems Management	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2	1	5053	030192E	\$12,800	41
	Graduate Diploma in	1, 2	2	5106	030141E	\$12,800	
	Master of	1, 2	2, 3 [@]	5428, 5227	059504M, 030145A	\$12,800 \$12,800	
Science	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2	1	5138	029216A	\$12,800	81
	Graduate Diploma in	1, 2	2	5240	008585E	\$12,800	
	Master of	1, 2	2, 3 [@]	5389, 5244	057052F, 038548F	\$12,800 \$12,800	
Social Science	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2	1	5361	025967E	\$9250	74
	Graduate Diploma in	1, 2	2	5362	016335A	\$9250	
	Master of	1, 2	3	5363	035580G	\$9250	
	Master (Advanced) of	1, 2	4	5374	054288K	\$9250	
Social Work	Master of	1, 2	3, 4 ^{@@}	5209, 5406	024639G, 059213M	\$8850 \$8850	74
Speech Pathology Studies	Master of	Summer	5 ²	5228	002057M	\$13,925	60
Sport and Exercise Psychology	Master of	1	4	5214	016499C	\$12,800	75
Sports Coaching	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2, Summer	1	5444	*	\$10,725	61
	Graduate Diploma in	1, 2, Summer	2	5445	*	\$10,725	
	Master of	1, 2, Summer	3	5446, 5447	*	\$10,725	
Sports Medicine	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2	1	5290	*	\$10,600	61
	Master of	1, 2	3	5420	*	\$10,600	
Technology and Innovation Management	Graduate Certificate in	1, 2	1	5353	031220J	\$12,075	49
	Graduate Diploma in	1, 2	2	5354	031230G	\$12,075	
	Master of	1, 2	3	5355	029981G	\$12,075	
Urban and Regional Planning	Graduate Certificate in	1	1	5068	025968D	\$12,800	86
	Graduate Diploma in	1	2	5116	025980G	\$12,800	
	Master of	1	3	5219	002061D	\$12,800	

Notes

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² Enrolment is over 6 semesters (including two summer semesters of part-time enrolment).

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Research higher degree tuition fees

Tuition fees for MPhil and PhD programs vary between fields of study. The fees are listed in the table (right).

For confirmation of tuition fees for these research programs please contact staff by email or phone (see below).

Research tuition fees information

www.uq.edu.au/grad-school/tuition-fee-info

Email fees@admin.uq.edu.au

Phone +61 7 3365 2328

Research higher degree tuition fees

Research field	Tuition fee per semester (AUD\$)
BAND A: > all fields in Business, Economics, Tourism and Law > all fields in Humanities, Social Science, Education and Arts (except Psychology, Archaeology and Human Factors), and > Human Movement Studies (sociocultural topics only).	\$11,000
BAND B: > all fields in Agriculture, Animals, Food and Environment (except Clinical Veterinary Science) > all fields in Health (except sociocultural topics in Human Movement Studies and Clinical Medicine topics) > all fields in Science and Information Technology, and > Psychology; Archaeology; Human Factors.	\$14,000
BAND C: > Clinical Medicine; Clinical Veterinary Science	\$18,000
Offshore research programs	
Where the program is undertaken externally offshore, full-time (Note: the standard fee is charged for periods of on-campus study by off-shore external students.)	70% of relevant band fee
Where the program is undertaken externally offshore, part-time (Note: the standard fee is charged for periods of on-campus study by off-shore external students.)	60% of relevant band fee
Research Higher Degree Programs in International Collaborative Mode: RHD (ICM) (See page 31 for more information.)	50% of relevant band fee

Note: a student who stays in the same research higher degree program, and completes that program within the normal duration (two years for MPhil or four years for PhD), will pay the same fee for each year of the program.

Fee refund information

Tuition fees

1 Commencing students

A student attending in the first semester of enrolment at The University of Queensland who cancels enrolment or withdraws from a program:

1.1 before the Census Date

An international student who cancels enrolment before the final date for cancellation in the first semester of enrolment must pay an administrative charge of AUD\$1000. The remainder of tuition fees paid will be refunded. The final date for cancellation is the Census Date, which is March 31 in first semester, August 31 in second semester, and the end of the second week of the summer semester.

1.2 after the Census Date

After the Census Date, the University will not refund tuition fees.

1.3 Determination of special cases

Students can apply to the Academic Registrar as the delegate of the Secretary and Registrar, and in accordance with the University's *Fee Rules*, to have a variation in the AUD\$1000 administrative charge in the following circumstances:

- A** they are unable to obtain a student visa;
- B** they failed to meet the University's English language entry requirements;
- C** where the issue is not clearly dealt with in the rules.

2 Continuing students

A student who has attended for one or more semesters of enrolment at the University and who cancels enrolment or withdraws from a program:

2.1 before the Census Date

The University will refund tuition fees fully to students for the current semester enrolment if notified in writing of the withdrawal or cancellation before the Census Date.

2.2 after the Census Date

After the Census Date, the University will not refund tuition fees.

3 Students granted permanent residency status

Any student granted permanent residency status before the Census Date in a semester and who, by that date, provides the University with the appropriate documentary evidence of changed visa status, and continues her or his current enrolment as a tuition fee-payer, will have the difference in the international student fees and domestic student fees for the semester in which the status changed, refunded, otherwise the provisions in rule 1.2 will apply.

Application and payment of refunds

Requests for tuition fee refunds must be made in writing to the Academic Registrar as the delegate of the Secretary and Registrar, and submitted to the Student Centre. Refunds are generally made to the person who originally paid the tuition fees and are generally processed within 28 days. For payments received online, a refund will be processed to the payer's credit card provided the payment was made within the past nine months and the card is still valid. For other types of payments received, refunds can be paid into a nominated Australian bank account or transferred to a bank account in the student's home country.

Refunds of Overseas Student Health Cover (OSHC)

A) OSHC Worldcare

If a student cancels OSHC cover prior to arrival in Australia, OSHC Worldcare will refund the OSHC amount paid. For students who cancel OSHC cover after arrival in Australia, OSHC Worldcare will refund the OSHC amount paid, less a minimum cover of three months.

B) other healthcare providers

Students who use other healthcare providers should consult their provider about refund provisions in the event of cancellation.

Refunds in special circumstances after the Census Date

If a student withdraws from a program/course after the Census Date due to special circumstances, the student may be eligible to apply for *Removal of Financial Liability Due To Special Circumstances*. For full details visit www.uq.edu.au/myadvisor/removal-of-financial-liability. Students may apply to the Academic Registrar to have their financial liability removed if they can show that all of the following requirements are met, and supply independent supporting documentation:

- A** application is made within 12 months of when the student withdrew from the course(s) or within 12 months of the end of the study period during which the course was undertaken; and
- B** due to special circumstances, the student was unable to complete the course requirements; and
- C** the full impact of the special circumstances were not known until on or after the Census Date for the relevant semester; and
- D** those special circumstances were beyond the student's control.

Fee Refund Guidelines and an *Application to Withdraw* form are available on myAdvisor at www.uq.edu.au/myadvisor. Any agreement does not remove the right to take further action under Australia's consumer protection laws or prohibit the student's right to pursue other legal remedies. Note that all financial transactions conducted by The University of Queensland are undertaken in Australian dollars.

Fee Refund Information

www.uq.edu.au/myadvisor/refunds

Australian Consumer Protection

www.fed.gov.au