Master of Geographic Information Science

1 Definitions
In these rules—

*partner institution* means an overseas institution with whom The University of Queensland has a formal agreement as an official partner with the Master of Geographic Information Science.

*pre-2015 student* means a student who first enrolled in the 24-unit program before 1 January 2015;

*pre-2017 student* means a student who first enrolled in the program after 31 December 2014 but before 1 January 2017.

2 Enrolment requirements
(1) To enrol in the 24-unit program, a person must hold an approved degree in the same discipline.

(2) To enrol in the 32-unit program, a person must—
   (a) either—
      (i) hold an approved degree in any discipline; or
      (ii) hold a Graduate Certificate or Graduate Diploma in Geographic Information Science; or
      (iii) have successfully completed at least three years of study towards an approved program at a partner institution; and
   (b) satisfy the executive dean that they are suitably qualified for admission.

3 Program requirements
(1) To complete the 24-unit program, a student must complete 24 units from the MGIS course list, comprising—
   (a) 10 units from part B; and
   (b) 2 units from part A or part B or part C; and
   (c) 4 units from part D; and
   (d) 8 units from part B or part C, or any combination from these parts, or other courses approved by the executive dean.

(2) To complete the 32-unit program, a student must complete 32 units from the MGIS course list, comprising—
   (a) 8 units from part A;
   (b) 10 units from part B; and
   (c) 4 units from part D; and
   (d) 10 units from part B or part C, or any combination from these parts, or other courses approved by the executive dean.

4 Maximum credit for other study
The maximum credit that the associate dean (academic) may grant to a student for other study is 8 units.

*Note* see [PPL 3.50.03 Credit for Previous Studies and Recognised Prior Learning](#)
5 Transitional

(1) A pre-2015 student must complete the program under 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.