

Graduate Certificate in Project Management Practice

Invest in your future

- nationally recognised postgraduate qualification
- practical learning for busy managers
- individual attention and face-to-face support
- flexible delivery in a supportive, local environment
- a university program delivered at your local TAFE
- networking opportunities and small class sizes.



Completion of this course will launch your career by:

- giving you a formal postgraduate university qualification
- providing you with practical skills that you can apply immediately in your workplace
- giving you a sound basis in a range of essential management areas.

The Australian Graduate Management Consortium (AGMC) is a unique joint initiative between Charles Sturt University and TAFE NSW, offering postgraduate university courses that are practical and relevant.



The Graduate Certificate in Project Management Practice is a part-time one-year course designed to fit in with the busy lives of managers.

The course includes four subjects covering financial management, human resource management, project management and risk management.

The program is designed to provide you with the essential communication and project management skills needed to successfully manage a substantial project. Completion of the course provides entry as well as full credit into CSU's Graduate Diploma or Master of Project Management programs.

Course content

FIN501 Financial Management Practice

This subject is an introduction to the role of finance in corporate management. You will develop skills in the identification and analysis of financial problems; in particular, the performance of the firm and project evaluation within a commercial environment.

HRM515 Human Resource Management

This subject provides an introduction to human resource management (HRM) and examines how the HRM function can be a source of competitive advantage and contribute to organisational performance. The subject also investigates the ethical and moral implications of HRM functions and practices.

MGT558 Project Management Practice

This subject will provide you with the skills and knowledge to manage a major project over its various phases in the project life cycle, from concept through to completion. You will also learn to use project management software to plan and manage a project.

MGT581 Risk Management Practice

This subject provides you with forecasting and risk assessment techniques drawn from the behavioural, social, financial and operations research disciplines. The role of the decision maker is studied together with techniques used to model, measure and mitigate risk.



"The pursuit of my qualification through the AGMC and CSU has required dedication and diligence. The rewards for my efforts have been a unique platform within which I have been exposed to cutting edge methods complemented by exacting practical application."

Keith Francis,
AGMC student

Entry requirements

Applicants are required to have one of the following:

- an undergraduate degree from a recognised Australian institution or a qualification deemed to be equivalent, with at least two years' relevant work experience
- a Diploma or Advanced Diploma from TAFE or other recognised Registered Training Organisation, with at least five years' relevant work experience in a supervisory / management capacity
- more than five years' experience in a senior supervisory / managerial position with significant responsibilities and good writing skills.

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