Graduate Certificate in Designing Resilient Landscapes

In this course you'll study core units exploring Sustainable Urban Design and Decolonised Design.

Through these studies you'll learn to develop and apply knowledge of integrated urban design practices, principles and approaches to address complex issues and work toward resilient environments. You'll also develop and apply knowledge of Indigenous Australian culture as it pertains to connections to country and decolonised design practices.

You'll develop and apply knowledge of environmental change and social justice issues related to landscape architecture.

You'll also have flexibility to choose from a range of units to tailor your studies to outcomes including research strategies, project management or planning and policy.

Why choose this course?
Landscape architecture a critical part of planning and designing for a resilient and healthy future. Completion of this course provides you with the opportunity to deepen your knowledge of ethical practice related to contemporary issues in the built environment.

The course will enable you to be more competitive for potential recruitment to higher level positions and leadership within their workplace. On successful completion of this course, you may be eligible to apply for entry into the Master of Landscape Architecture with a reduced course duration.

Flexible delivery
The course is offered with delivery modes designed to fit with your busy lifestyle with units taught through either fully online mode or online with a face-to-face component that provide immersive experiences in the classroom and outside in relevant landscape environments.

Real-world learning
You'll benefit from over 50 years history as one of Australia's principal landscape educators. Teaching staff are linked to professional practice to ensure you gain

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'My tutors at QUT have inspired me to no end, opening doors for me to achieve my goals and passions. Since graduating, I have worked on some major projects including the West Village Commons from start to finish. As a landscape architect, my work sits at the precipice of collaboration between the sciences and planning – the perfect realm to create positive change.'
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knowledge of emerging trends within industry. Your studies grounded in real-world learning expertise in diverse cultural perspectives, interdisciplinary learning, sustainability and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Perspectives.

The course will be delivered through a combination of online and on-campus components.

Entry requirements
A completed recognised bachelor degree (or equivalent) or higher qualification in landscape architecture or an allied relevant discipline, such as:
- environmental engineering
- civil engineering
- planning
- environmental science
- environmental design
- architecture
- urban design
- interior architecture; or

A completed diploma (or higher award) in a relevant discipline such as landscape architecture and three years' (full-time) experience working in a relevant field such as the natural or built environment; or

Five years (full-time) professional experience working in a relevant field such as the natural or built environment.

Course structure
To meet the course requirements for the Graduate Certificate in Designing Resilient Landscapes, you must complete a total of 48 credit points, made up of:
- two core units (24 credit points)
- two option units (24 credit points)
chosen from the Landscape Unit Options list.

Of the eight units available in this course, four will be delivered fully online and four will be delivered on-campus with an online learning component.

Careers and outcomes
Completion of the Graduate Certificate in Designing Resilient Landscapes provides professionals the opportunity to deepen their knowledge of ethical practice related to contemporary issues in the built environment.

Graduates from our course find careers independently, in small partnerships or as a member of large multidisciplinary teams with other professionals such as architects, engineers, urban designers and town planners in private practice or local, state and federal government.

Careers include pathways to being an accredited landscape architect, landscape designer, landscape technician or landscape construction technician.

With international design experience many graduates enjoy work in overseas practices working to create a healthier and more resilient future.

Fees
FEE-HELP
You may be eligible for FEE-HELP, a loan scheme to help you pay your course fees, if you are an Australian citizen or hold an Australian permanent humanitarian visa. For other conditions read the FEE-HELP information.

Student Services and Amenities Fee
You'll need to pay the student services and amenities fee as part of your course costs. You may be eligible for SA-HELP, a loan scheme to help you pay your student services and amenities fee, if you are an Australian citizen or hold an Australian permanent humanitarian visa. For other conditions read the SA-HELP information.

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