Graduate Certificate in Risk Management (IF88)

Year offered: 2010
Admissions: No
Course duration (external): 2 semesters
Domestic fees (indicative): 2010: Full fee tuition $7,350 (indicative) per semester
Domestic Entry: February
Total credit points: 48
Standard credit points per part-time semester: 24
Course coordinator: Dr Thomas Tenkate (all enrolment queries to email: sph.studentcentre@qut.com or phone: 07 3138 5878)
Campus: Kelvin Grove

No further intake
This course has been discontinued from 2009. A study area in Risk Management is available in HL38 Graduate Certificate in Health Science.

Overview
This course equips graduates with problem solving and information management skills that will enable them to apply their specialist background knowledge in the field of risk management. It is designed to draw on real issues that face professionals across a wide variety of settings.

The demand for risk managers has grown exponentially in recent times. This course provides students with opportunities to broaden their skills in this growing profession.

Entry requirements
Applicants should have a degree or equivalent in an appropriate discipline from a recognised tertiary institution.

Special entry can be considered if a student has experience and responsibility in risk management. Because the course is academically demanding and high standards of performance are expected, you would need either an extensive background in the discipline or other suitable tertiary qualifications.

Students with relevant postgraduate studies may apply for credit transfer or recognition of prior learning/experience within the rules of the University.

Course Structure
Students complete four specified units part-time over two semesters. This course is offered by external study only.

Professional Accreditation
Graduates of this course are eligible to apply for Certified Practising Risk Management (CPRM) accreditation with the Risk Management Institute of Australia.

Course Articulation
This course fully articulates into the Master of Health Science.

International Student Entry
This course is not available to international students.

Further information
For more information about this course, please contact the School of Public Health on +617 3138 5878 or email sph.studentcentre@qut.edu.au

Part-time Course structure

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Potential Careers:
Public Health Officer.

UNIT SYNOPSES

PUN001 CONTEMPORARY RISK MANAGEMENT
This unit provides an introduction to the risk management process as outlined in AS/NZS 4360 risk management. The unit concentrates on the context of risk management and introduces the student to the concepts that will be explored further in the units PUN008, PUN009 and EFN418. The structure of the organisation, its environment and the potential loss exposures are examined in some detail.

Credit points: 12  Contact hours: 3 per week  Campus: Kelvin Grove and External  Teaching period: 2010 SEM-1

PUN008 RISK ASSESSMENT
This unit provides the skills necessary to identify and assess risks. Qualitative, semi-quantitative and quantitative methods of risk analysis are investigated in the context of the major perils likely to be considered by an organisation. Various risk analysis techniques including HAZOP, FMEA, hazard indices, fault trees, event trees, reliability analysis, statistical analysis, and probability are discussed.

Prerequisites: PUN001  Credit points: 12  Contact
hours: 3 per week  Campus: Kelvin Grove and External  
Teaching period: 2010 SEM-1

PUN010 IMPLEMENTING RISK MANAGEMENT
A robust system is necessary to ensure the ongoing commitment to the risk management process and to ensure positive outcomes. The risk management process needs to be integrated and strategic in its approach. It requires commitment from senior management and an organisational strategy designed to maximise business value. This unit investigates the role of risk management in an organisation, organisational experiences in implementing risk management programs, and ways of ensuring the success of a risk management program.

Prerequisites: PUN008  Credit points: 12  Campus: External

PUN418 INTRODUCTION TO FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT
Credit points: 12