Master of Justice (JS51)

Year offered: 2010
Admissions: Yes
Course duration (full-time): 1 Year
Course duration (part-time): 2 Years
Course duration (external): 2 Years
Domestic fees (indicative): Refer to majors
International Fees (indicative): Refer to majors
Domestic Entry: February and July
International Entry: February and July
Total credit points: 96
Standard credit points per full-time semester: 48
Standard credit points per part-time semester: 24
Course coordinator: Dr Peter Bell

Majors
- Master of Justice (Policing)
- Master of Justice (Intelligence)

Course Requirements
The Master of Justice consists of eight (8) units totalling 96 credit points. Students must complete:
- Two (2) generic core units (24 credit points);
- Four (4) specialist policing or Intelligence units (48 credit points) plus;
- Two (2) elective units (24 credit points).

Unit Offerings
Units listed in the Course Structure may not necessarily be offered each year or each semester. Prospective students are advised to contact the School of Justice for unit availability by phoning (07) 31387132 or email - lawjs_enquiries@qut.edu.au.

Full time program
Students wishing to undertake this program as full-time degree have the opportunity to fast-track their studies by undertaking 4 units per semester. The structure of the course, and the way in which the units are offered across 2 semesters, allows students to complete a Master of Justice in 1 year with the standard full-time load.

Articulation to Master of Justice (Advanced)
Students who have successfully completed the Master of Justice (Intelligence or Policing) totalling 96 credit points with a GPA 5.5 will be eligible for the Master of Justice (Advanced). Students cannot enrol directly into the JS53 Master of Justice (Advanced) unless demonstrating equivalent Masters level standing from an approved institution.

Notes for International Students
International students can study this course in the External On-line mode in their home country. This course is not available to full-time international students wishing to study this course in Australia as it is not available as an Internal on-campus offering.

TRANSITIONAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR CONTINUING STUDENTS
Continuing students (ie: students enrolled prior to 2009) should contact the School of Justice office to discuss transitional arrangements to allow for course completion. A unit incompatibility list can also be obtained from School of Justice office, email: lawjs_enquiries@qut.edu.au

More Information
School of Justice
Phone: +61 7 3138 7132
Fax: +61 7 3138 7123
Email: lawjs_enquiries@qut.edu.au

Overview
The Master of Justice (Policing) by coursework will enable you to explore specific aspects of global and local criminal behaviour and to address selected strategies or to develop strategies for addressing some of the issues canvassed. The areas of criminal behaviour covered in this course are highly relevant to contemporary society and globalisation. You will have the flexibility to undertake areas of study specifically pertinent to your professional focus through independent study.

The Master of Justice (Intelligence) by Coursework provides postgraduate education in Intelligence. This course extends the scope of areas presented in the Graduate Certificate in Intelligence program to provide a complete foundation for intelligence professionals with careers in defence, policing, government and corporate organisations.

Entry Requirements
Entry criteria for the Master of Justice:
- Bachelor of Justice or equivalent with Honours and a GPA or at least 5 on a 7 point scale or;
- an approved 4 year undergraduate degree in an appropriate field or;
- an appropriate Graduate Certificate with a GPA of 5 or above or;
- approved equivalent professional experience.

Intelligence Major
Year 1 Semester 1
JSN101 Justice and Human Rights
JSN109 Intelligence Practice 1

Year 1 Semester 2
JSN110 Intelligence Practice 2
ELECTIVE Justice Postgraduate Elective Unit

Year 2 Semester 1
JSN102 Applied Data Analysis Techniques For Criminology and Criminal Justice
ELECTIVE Justice Postgraduate Elective

Year 2 Semester 2
JSN106 Analytical Methods of Intelligence
JSN108 National Security and Intelligence

Justice Postgraduate Electives offered in Semester 1
JSN113 Theories of Crime
JSN114 Cybercrime
JSN116 Independent Study

Justice Postgraduate Electives offered in Semester 2
JSN106 Analytical Methods of Intelligence
JSN108 National Security and Intelligence
JSN117 Independent Study

UNIT SYNOPSES

JSN101 JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS
Arguments concerning perceived problems of justice and injustice usually reveal conflicting ideas about what justice actually means both theoretically, and in practice. Justice and human rights go hand in hand both theoretically and in the practice of law enforcement and other criminal justice professions. You will require a sophisticated level of understanding of theories of justice and human rights in a social and criminal context if you are to effectively apply in practice the content knowledge you have acquired in the course of your post graduate study.
Equivalents: JSN001, JSP001, JSB411, LWN040  Credit points: 12  Campus: Internet and External  Teaching period: 2010 SEM-1

JSN102 APPLIED DATA ANALYSIS TECHNIQUES FOR CRIMINOLOGY AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE
The content of this Unit is based on an assumption that students have a solid knowledge of research methodologies. This includes: an understanding of qualitative and quantitative research paradigms; principles of sampling; and various methods of collecting data. This Unit will build on that knowledge and provide students with an understanding of the techniques that can be used to analyse both quantitative and qualitative data. These skills are important for those working in criminal justice and related fields in order for them to not only process research data but also to make sense of research results published in reports, journals and other publications.
Equivalents: JSN018, JSN163, JSP016, JSP063  Credit points: 12  Campus: Internet and External  Teaching
JSN103 CRIMINAL BEHAVIOUR AND INVESTIGATIVE PRACTICE
Credit points: 12    Campus: Internet and External    Teaching period: 2010 SEM-1

JSN104 TRANSNATIONAL AND ORGANISED CRIME
Antirequisites: JSB982    Credit points: 12    Campus: Internet and External    Teaching period: 2010 SEM-1

JSN105 WHITE COLLAR CRIME: INVESTIGATION AND PREVENTION
Antirequisites: JSB983    Credit points: 12    Campus: Internet and External    Teaching period: 2010 SEM-1

JSN106 ANALYTICAL METHODS OF INTELLIGENCE
Antirequisites: JSB376    Credit points: 12    Campus: Gardens Point    Teaching period: 2010 SEM-2

JSN108 NATIONAL SECURITY AND INTELLIGENCE
Equivalents: JSN164, JSP164, JSP065    Credit points: 12    Campus: Internet and External    Teaching period: 2010 SEM-2

JSN109 INTELLIGENCE PRACTICE 1
Equivalents: JSN161, JSP161, JSP061    Credit points: 12    Campus: Internet and External    Teaching period: 2010 SEM-1

JSN110 INTELLIGENCE PRACTICE 2
Equivalents: JSN162, JSP162, JSP067    Credit points: 12    Campus: Internet and External    Teaching period: 2010 SEM-2

JSN111 TERRORISM AND POLITICAL VIOLENCE
Antirequisites: JSB985    Credit points: 12    Campus: Internet and External    Teaching period: 2010 SEM-2

JSN112 CRIME PREVENTION
Antirequisites: JSB374, JSB333, JSB044    Credit points: 12    Campus: Internet and External    Teaching period: 2010 SEM-2

JSN113 THEORIES OF CRIME
Antirequisites: JSB272, JSB231, JSB018    Credit points: 12    Campus: Internet and External    Teaching period: 2010 SEM-1

JSN114 CYBERCRIME
Antirequisites: JSB974    Credit points: 12    Campus: Internet and External    Teaching period: 2010 SEM-1