Advertising, Integrated Marketing Communication, Logistics, Marketing and Public Relations

Year offered: 2011
Admissions: No

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If your course rules allow, you may be able to choose to study a minor from another area of the University. Minors are sets of related units in a particular study area.

The introductory units in each minor have no prerequisites. Later units may have earlier units as prerequisites. Depending on class timetabling it may not be possible to complete all units in a University Wide Minor. Consult with your course coordinator and relevant discipline coordinators prior to undertaking interfaculty studies.

The units you complete in a University Wide Minor will appear on your academic transcript but the successful completion of a minor will only be shown if it exists as an option in your course.

Advertising unit set

Advertising

BSB126 Marketing
AMB220 Advertising Theory and Practice
AMB318 Advertising Copywriting
AMB319 Media Planning

Advertising unit set (6 units)

International Logistics unit set (6 units)

International Logistics

BSB119 Global Business
AMB204 Purchasing and Procurement
AMB210 Importing and Exporting
AMB303 International Logistics
AMB304 Logistics Operations
AMB342 Strategic Procurement

Integrated Marketing Communication unit set

Integrated Marketing Communication

BSB126 Marketing
AMB202 Integrated Marketing Communication
AMB220 Advertising Theory and Practice
AMB263 Introduction To Public Relations
AMB331 Direct Marketing
AMB350 Sales and Customer Relationship Management

Integrated Marketing Communication unit set (6 units)

Marketing unit set

Marketing

BSB126 Marketing
AMB200 Consumer Behaviour
AMB201 Marketing and Audience Research
AMB240 Marketing Planning and Management

Marketing unit set (6 units)
AMB201 MARKETING AND AUDIENCE RESEARCH
This unit provides an introduction to the conduct and evaluation of marketing and audience research across the disciplines of advertising, marketing and public relations. Class members explore how field studies, survey and experimental research are employed to support advertising, marketing and public relations information needs. The unit provides an overview of research process, research design, methods of data collection and analysis, and the development of research proposals to support decision-making. Class members also explore issues related to research on media audiences, research ethics, and the management of client briefings.
Prerequisites: BSB126, CTB126, BSB116, or BSB117
Antirequisites: MIB305, MGB220, COB334
Equivalents: AMX201, CTB201
Credit points: 12
Contact hours: 3 per week
Campus: Gardens Point and Caboolture
Teaching period: 2011 SEM-1, 2011 SEM-2 and 2011 SUM

AMB202 INTEGRATED MARKETING COMMUNICATION
In past decades many organisations separated the different forms of marketing communication that convey their corporate and marketing messages. They developed separate plans for their advertising, public relations, direct marketing, personal selling and sales promotion with separate goals, objectives, strategies and budgets. Today many companies recognise the concept of integrated marketing communication which integrates these different functions along with other aspects of the marketing mix that communicate with stakeholders and customers. Integrated marketing communication requires a 'total' approach to planning marketing communication programs and coordinating communication strategies in support of overall brand and product/service marketing objectives.
Prerequisites: BSB126 or CTB126 or BSB116 or BSB117
Antirequisites: COB207, MIB309
Equivalents: AMX202
Credit points: 12
Contact hours: 3 per week
Campus: Gardens Point and Caboolture
Teaching period: 2011 SEM-1 and 2011 SEM-2
Prerequisites: BSB119 or CTB119  
Antirequisites: IBB312  
Credit points: 12  
Campus: Gardens Point  
Teaching period: 2011 SEM-1

AMB210 IMPORTING AND EXPORTING

Trade has become fundamental to the survival and growth of many businesses in Australia as well as other economies. International business students need an understanding of the many challenges entailed in the management of trade. Import and export practice is an applied, technical and evolving area of international business operations that reflects the dynamic nature of trans-national trade in the global economy. This unit examines the importance of importing and exporting for Australia's economic development. It provides key information related to importing and exporting, uses industry perspectives on issues of current importance in international trade and provides a structured tutorial programme to achieve this.

Prerequisites: BSB119 or CTB119  
Equivalents: AMX210, IBB210  
Credit points: 12  
Campus: Gardens Point  
Teaching period: 2011 SEM-1 and 2011 SEM-2

AMB220 ADVERTISING THEORY AND PRACTICE

This unit serves as an introduction to later units in the advertising major and gives learners an overview of the advertising industry and the management of the advertising function. The unit traverses the interrelationship of the institutions of advertising, the advertisers, the advertising agencies and the media. It introduces research and details methods of determining advertising objectives, budgets, establishing target audiences, interpreting audience ratings and circulation figures, and enables learners to gain a preliminary understanding of the creative functions of the advertising industry. It also shows the ethical and legal side of advertising and its important role in society and the economy.

Prerequisites: BSB126, CTB126, BSB116, or BSB117  
Antirequisites: COB308  
Equivalents: AMX220  
Credit points: 12  
Contact hours: 3 per week  
Campus: Gardens Point  
Teaching period: 2011 SEM-1 and 2011 SEM-2

AMB263 INTRODUCTION TO PUBLIC RELATIONS

This unit introduces students to the theory and practice of public relations, the discipline that deals with the creation, maintenance, and enhancement of relationships between organisations and their publics. Topics covered include publicity, events, and public opinion. This unit may be taken concurrently with AMB264 Public Relations Techniques especially by students undertaking a public relations major. However, it may also be taken by those students doing a public relations minor, or as a stand alone unit by those students in a wide variety of study disciplines who wish to understand more about this important area of business.

Prerequisites: BSB126, CTB126, BSB116, or BSB117  
Equivalents: AMB260, AMX263  
Credit points: 12  
Campus: Gardens Point  
Teaching period: 2011 SEM-1 and 2011 SEM-2

AMB264 PUBLIC RELATIONS TECHNIQUES

This unit offers an introduction to the main tactics and techniques used in public relations. Topics covered include the development of message strategies as well as a specialised focus on the production of examples of a variety of written public relations genres such as brochures, speeches, and media releases. This unit may be taken concurrently with AMB263 Introduction to Public Relations especially by students undertaking a public relations major. However, it may also be taken by those students doing a public relations minor, or as a stand alone unit by those students in a wide variety of study disciplines who wish to improve and enhance their communication skills.

Prerequisites: BSB126, CTB126, BSB116, or BSB117  
Antirequisites: AMB261, AMB262  
Equivalents: AMX264  
Credit points: 12  
Campus: Gardens Point  
Teaching period: 2011 SEM-1 and 2011 SEM-2

AMB303 INTERNATIONAL LOGISTICS

This unit examines international logistics through the concepts of international distribution channels and international supply chain management. Strategy in managing international logistical constraints is emphasised with practical studies of contemporary international supply chain management in international industries. Traditional costs and financial aspects of supply chain management are considered. Contemporary issues are incorporated including: the impact of e-business on international logistics; the evolution of new technologies for 'smart' packaging, warehousing and international stock control; the combination of international services with goods products; recent technological developments in international transportation and product quality control.

Prerequisites: AMB210, IBB210, AMB240, or CTB240  
Equivalents: AMX303, IBB303  
Credit points: 12
AMB304 LOGISTICS OPERATIONS
This unit is designed to provide strategic and practical knowledge of the role of logistics operations within the context of contemporary business. This unit extends the study of logistics and completes the logistics major offering.
Prerequisites: AMB318 or AMB221 and AMB319 or AMB222
Equivalents: AMB240, CTB240, AMB210, or IBB210
Credit points: 12
Contact hours: 3 per week
Teaching period: 2011 SEM-1 and 2011 SEM-2
Teaching location: Gardens Point
Campus: Gardens Point

AMB318 ADVERTISING COPYWRITING
There are two parts to any copywriting process: the thinking and the writing. In the first part, students learn to solve advertising problems through an understanding of the prospect and the product and the formulation of incisive creative strategy. In the second part, creative thinking techniques are applied and advertising concepts emerge from the creative strategy. Students’ thinking and writing skills are refined in weekly workshops and culminate in a group project.
Prerequisites: AMB220 or COB308
Equivalents: AMB221, AMX318
Credit points: 12
Teaching period: 2011 SEM-1 and 2011 SEM-2
Teaching location: Gardens Point
Campus: Gardens Point

AMB319 MEDIA PLANNING
This unit introduces the qualitative and quantitative factors affecting media selection and use by advertisers. It covers the costing and scheduling of media, market targeting, measuring media exposure, media comparisons and trends. In-depth analysis of advertising media will allow learners to develop an understanding of the characteristics of each. The application of the concepts of media decision making, media strategy and research to the development of a media plan are emphasised.
Prerequisites: AMB220
Equivalents: AMB222, AMX319
Credit points: 12
Teaching period: 2011 SEM-1 and 2011 SEM-2
Teaching location: Gardens Point
Campus: Gardens Point

AMB320 ADVERTISING MANAGEMENT
This unit takes the perspective of the Advertising Manager and addresses the use of research in developing, implementing, managing, and assessing a successful advertising campaign. In Advertising Management, learners use the case method of learning to examine the advertising process from its place in the marketing mix to the formulation of objectives, strategy and budget to the development of creative and media tactics and their ongoing evaluation. In addition, issues that impinge upon the advertising campaign management process such as legal and ethical issues, globalisation and the client-agency relationship are discussed.
Prerequisites: (AMB318 or AMB221) and (AMB319 or AMB222)
Equivalents: AMX320
Credit points: 12
Teaching period: 2011 SEM-1 and 2011 SEM-2
Teaching location: Gardens Point
Campus: Gardens Point

AMB331 DIRECT MARKETING
The discipline of Direct Marketing has grown in importance because of its precise targeting, easy accountability, its foundations role in Integrated Marketing Communication (IMC), and its increasing share of the marketing communication budget. This unit focuses on the principles of direct marketing and the role of the database in locating prospects, tracking customers, and building relationships. It examins the components of direct marketing telemarketing, personal selling, and direct response advertising. As the main communication discipline of direct marketing, the emphasis is on direct response advertising. Students analyse the offer planning, strategy, creative, media, testing, and evaluation of direct marketing campaigns.
Prerequisites: AMB202, AMB220, AMB240, CTB240, or AMB249
Antirequisites: COB315
Credit points: 12
Contact hours: 3 per week
Teaching period: 2011 SEM-2
Teaching location: Gardens Point
Campus: Gardens Point

AMB335 E-MARKETING STRATEGIES
E-Business and mobile commerce technologies have emerged as defining technologies for companies in the 21st century. This unit focuses on e-marketing applications and strategies and the marketer's role in developing solutions that integrate new and old economies. Drawing on their knowledge of marketing principles, students will examine the diverse applications of technology in product and service design; product distribution/service delivery and logistics; promotional strategies and other marketing components. The unit also explores the role of emerging electronic models and the use of e-marketing strategies to achieve global competitive advantage.
Prerequisites: AMB240 or CTB240, and AMB201 or CTB201
Equivalents: AMB241, AMX335
Credit points: 12
Teaching period: 2011 SEM-1 and 2011 SEM-2
Teaching location: Gardens Point
Campus: Gardens Point

AMB336 INTERNATIONAL MARKETING
The aim of this unit is to provide students with a thorough understanding of the multiplicity of issues that impact on the development of international marketing strategies and plans and their operational implementation. The unit is highly applied and provides students with the following opportunities: to analyse global international firms, their marketing strategies and various international marketing issues in a variety of geographic and industry contexts; to evaluate methodologies and new practices for handling problems and issues typical of global and international markets and competition; to develop an operationally sound international marketing plan.
Prerequisites: AMB240, CTB240, AMB210, or IBB210
**AMBS340 SERVICES MARKETING**

This unit explores the special characteristics of services that distinguish the marketing of services from goods. Topics include: the distinctive aspects of consumer decision-making relative to services and the implications for marketing strategy formation; the management of demand and supply; customer services and its influence on service satisfaction; service quality management and measurement; internationalisation of the service sector and distribution modes for services that reflect the significant impacts of new technologies on service delivery.

**Prerequisites:** AMB240 or CTB240, and AMB201 or CTB201

**Antirequisites:** MIB311

**Equivalents:** AMX340, CTB340

**Credit points:** 12

**Contact hours:** 3 per week

**Campus:** Gardens Point and Caboolture

**Teaching period:** 2011 SEM-1 and 2011 SEM-2

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**AMBS342 STRATEGIC PROCUREMENT**

This unit is designed to provide knowledge of strategic procurement practices and practical knowledge of the role of procurement within the contemporary logistics industry. This unit extends the study of procurement and its place in a modern firm.

**Prerequisites:** AMB204

**Credit points:** 12

**Campus:** Gardens Point

**Teaching period:** 2011 SEM-2

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**AMBS350 SALES AND CUSTOMER RELATIONSHIP MANAGEMENT**

Theories related to marketing exchange and the concepts of consumer transactions and relationships and their relative importance in different marketing contexts are examined. The growth of customer relationship management including the transition of consumers along the transaction-relationship continuum and the development of accompanying marketing strategies is highlighted. A discussion of the relative emphasis on transactions and/or relationships in interfacing with the market provides a platform for examining sales management including, personal selling principles and ethics, the setting of sales objectives, selling logistics, account and territory management, sales force planning, recruitment and motivation and evaluation of sales performance.

**Prerequisites:** AMB240, CTB240, AMB202, COB207, MIB217, or AMB249

**Antirequisites:** MIB230

**Equivalents:** AMX350

**Credit points:** 12

**Contact hours:** 3 per week

**Campus:** Gardens Point

**Teaching period:** 2011 SEM-1

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**AMBS372 PUBLIC RELATIONS PLANNING**

This unit introduces students to the public relations planning process. Students build skills in planning by analysing the components, execution and evaluation of contemporary public relations campaigns. The public relations planning process, partnered with theoretical concepts and ethical considerations, is examined across practice contexts and areas.

**Prerequisites:** ((AMB263 or AMB260) and AMB264)) or (AMB261 and AMB262)

**Equivalents:** AMX372

**Credit points:** 12

**Campus:** Gardens Point

**Teaching period:** 2011 SEM-1 and 2011 SEM-2

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**AMBS373 CORPORATE COMMUNICATION**

Corporate Communication provides students with the opportunity to build on and apply their understanding of public relations to an in-house corporate role. Students gain an overview of an organisation relevant to the practice of public relations at a senior level in organisations by investigating internal communication processes, corporate reputation, corporate social responsibility, organisational culture and change and issues and crisis management.

**Prerequisites:** (AMB263 or AMB260 and AMB264) or (AMB261 and AMB262)

**Equivalents:** AMB360, AMX373

**Credit points:** 12

**Campus:** Gardens Point

**Teaching period:** 2011 SEM-1 and 2011 SEM-2

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**BSBS119 GLOBAL BUSINESS**

This unit examines the drivers of globalisation and the diversity of country markets at an introductory level. It develops the skills and understanding to identify and respond to the opportunities, challenges and risks of conducting business across politcally, economically and culturally diverse environments. An authentic country feasibility study is undertaken to help identify where a firm can find opportunities both in terms of actual and potential markets and the location for value-adding activities. The unit aims for students to have developed a comprehension of the nature and role of globalisation and the drivers of international business, a. knowledge of the competitive forces and challenges confronting all business as a consequence of globalisation processes and an awareness of the additional knowledge and skills required of management to operate business internationally across a diversity of environments.

**Antirequisites:** BSBS116, BSBS112, BSDS119

**Equivalents:** BSBS119, CTBS119

**Credit points:** 12

**Contact hours:** 3 per week

**Campus:** Gardens Point and Caboolture

**Teaching period:** 2011 SEM-1, 2011 SEM-2 and 2011 SUM

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**BSBS126 MARKETING**

This introductory subject examines the role and importance of marketing to the contemporary organisation. Emphasis is placed on understanding the basic principles and practices of marketing such as the marketing concept, market segmentation, management information systems and consumer behaviour. The unit explores the various
elements of the marketing mix, with special reference to product, price, distribution, and promotion, including advertising and public relations. By way of introduction only, key issues relating to services marketing, e-marketing and strategic marketing are also canvassed.

**Antirequisites:** BSB116, BSD126  
**Equivalents:** BSX126, CTB126  
**Credit points:** 12  
**Contact hours:** 4 per week  
**Campus:** Gardens Point and Caboolture  
**Teaching period:** 2011 SEM-1, 2011 SEM-2 and 2011 SUM