

## **MASTER OF DESIGN ACADEMIC DATES & FEE SCHEDULE 2019**



### **About the Whitehouse Master of Design**

**CRICOS Course Code 096912K**

Whitehouse Institute's Master of Design program balances design research with inter-disciplinary studio practice enabling socially responsible and innovative outcomes. The subjects will develop students' existing knowledge and skills to achieve mastery in their chosen discipline, whilst encouraging interdisciplinary engagement. Prepared through independent judgements or collaborative shared vision, designed outcomes will be made in response to contemporary issues and contexts. Supported by a range of relevant design theories and current approaches to 'make', the course develops students' design thinking skills, and promotes curiosity and design confidence, leading to a major design project.

The course is tailored to allow you to develop your design practice, pursue a specific area of research or collaboration, and/or support you to undertake professional industry internships. With an emphasis on research, development, and contemporary design awareness, the course aims to produce professional and original designers. On completion of the Master of Design you will be ready to pursue your ideas that will shape the future of the design industry.

Your Masters project will offer you the chance to test and explore your understanding of ideas generation, product development, branding and marketing. It also offers the opportunity to showcase your product for a dedicated market. This could lead to the launch of a new design business or company project and will demonstrate the academic rigor appropriate to Master's level work in entrepreneurship and innovation.

You will also have the ability to analyse the design market and brand identities, to reflect upon your findings and implement changes to the design industry. The course also offers the opportunity to participate in high level industry-sponsored projects and competitions both nationally and internationally. The course will be supported by a range of specialist Master classes to mentor you through your product development and offer you a professional working studio environment.

Students are taught by our team of academic and design practitioners. You will be encouraged to explore your individual style while being challenged to innovate to the highest standards. You will be supported by a range of lectures, master-classes and a mentorship program from industry professionals.

The Master of Design curriculum is based on a triangular model of research, learning and teaching, and industry, with a thematic approach to research and practice delivered across each semester.

The themes of the Master of Design are as follows;

- Design and research are covered at the Graduate Certificate level
- Design and culture are investigated at Graduate Diploma level
- Design and experimentation, practice, exhibition and publication form the basis of the Master level course
- Practice-led research and studio practice in a collaborative learning environments form the basis from which students may produce original and innovative design outcomes.

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The Master of Design has nested Graduate Certificate and Graduate Diploma qualifications aligned within the Australian Qualifications Framework (2013) levels 8 and 9, with ALTC Discipline Standards Creative Arts at its core.

The Master of Design is delivered over 3 x 14 week study periods. The full time study load is six to nine hours per week face to face delivery, plus, up to 36 hours of independent study.

2019 ACADEMIC and CENSUS DATES				
	Start date	Census Date	End Date	Upfront Due Date
Trimester 1	18 February	6 March	17 May	On Enrolment
Trimester 2	3 June	19 June	30 August	17 May
Trimester 3	16 September	2 October	13 December	2 September

### Subjects of Study:

#### Trimester 1: Graduate Certificate

SUBJECT CODE	SUBJECT NAME	CREDIT POINT
RW7	Research Workshop for Design	12
MC7	Exploration of Material Culture	12
IG7	Frameworks for Ideas Generation	12

#### Trimester 2: Graduate Diploma

SUBJECT CODE	SUBJECT NAME	CREDIT POINT
BS8	Reading The Body and Space	12
DP8	Design Project	24
PP8	Project Proposal	24

#### Trimester 3: Master of Design

SUBJECT CODE	SUBJECT NAME	CREDIT POINT
DS9	Design Studio	24
DE10	Design Exhibition & Publication	24

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### Tuition Fees

The following **Tuition Fee Schedule** (Tuition Fee) applies for the 2019 intake of the Bachelor of Design for all students and is subject to annual review and alteration. Any Subject Fee increases are applied at the beginning of each calendar year and will affect the total Tuition Fee\*. This does not include additional subject fees due to repeating subjects in the event of unsuccessful completion or reduction of fees due to academic credit awarded. Fees are invoiced on a Trimester basis based on the enrolled load for that particular study period. All fees are in Australian Dollars and inclusive of GST where GST is applicable.

SUBJECT LISTING, EFTSL and FEE						
Subject No	Subject Name	Delivery period	EFTSL	Credit	Domestic Student Subject Fee	International Student Subject Fee
RW7	Research Workshops for Design	Trimester 1	0.125	12	1,789.25	2,147.00
MC7	Explorations of Material Culture	Trimester 1	0.125	12	1,789.25	2,147.00
IG7	Frameworks for Ideas Generation	Trimester 1	0.125	12	1,789.25	2,147.00
<b>Trimester 1 total</b>					<b>\$5,367.75</b>	<b>\$6,441.00</b>
PP8	Project Proposal	Trimester 2	0.125	24	3,578.50	4,294.25
BS8	Reading the Body and Space	Trimester 2	0.125	12	1,789.25	2,147.00
DP8	Design Project	Trimester 2	0.125	24	3,578.50	4,294.25
<b>Trimester 2 total</b>					<b>\$8,946.25</b>	<b>\$10,737.50</b>
DS9	Design Studio	Trimester 3	0.125	24	7,157.00	8,588.25
DE10	Design Exhibition & Publication	Trimester 3	0.125	24	7,157.00	8,588.25
<b>Trimester 3 total</b>					<b>\$14,314.00</b>	<b>\$17,176.50</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>					<b>144</b>	<b>\$28,628.00</b>

### FEES & PAYMENT OPTIONS

**Domestic Students:** No payment is required at the submission of enrolment; however, payment maybe nominated via credit card or by direct debit. The student can pay the tuition fees by the following payment methods.

- Defer through FEE-HELP: Submit completed Request for electronic eCAF - Commonwealth FEE-HELP Assistance form to defer tuition fees to FEE-HELP or
- Upfront:
  - in full Upfront tuition fees for each Trimester are per the subject fees schedule and are to be paid in advance on or before the commencement of the Trimester which you are enrolled.
  - In part: Students can elect to pay a portion of their tuition fees upfront and defer the balance to FEE-HELP each Trimester of enrolment (provided Request for FEE-HELP Assistance form is in place).

Students who are accessing FEE-HELP are not required to cancel their form if they subsequently choose to pay their tuition fees upfront in full or in part. If payment is made on or before the Census Date for a subject(s), the student will not incur a FEE-HELP debt for that subject(s).

If a student elects to pay their Tuition Fees upfront, this does not prevent them from accessing FEE-HELP at any time, provided a Request for FEE-HELP Assistance form is lodged by the end of the relevant Census Date. In these circumstances, a refund of any pre-paid Tuition Fees will apply.

**Overseas Students:** the following schedule applies to overseas students for payment of tuition fees.

- The first payment \$6,441.00 + OSHC for the duration of student visa grant is due on the submission of enrolment documentation
- \$10,735.50 is due 2 weeks before the commencement of Trimester 2
- \$17,176.50 is due 2 weeks before the commencement of Trimester 3

Overseas Students on a student visa are legally required to hold Overseas Student Health Cover (OSHC) for the duration of their student visa grant in Australia (Swedish, Belgian and Norwegian students exempt) or provide proof of existing membership – this is additional to

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the tuition fees. This is to be paid at the time of enrolment. Whitehouse use Medibank Private for OSHC purposes. Please note that non-payment of OSHC will hold up processing of student visa.

**General Fee information:** Fees are invoiced on a Trimester basis based on the enrolled load for that particular study period. All fees are in Australian Dollars and inclusive of GST where GST is applicable.

The Late Payment fee will apply for Tuition Fees outstanding after the Administrative Date. In the event that any upfront tuition fees are outstanding after 4 weeks, the appropriate debt recovery actions will be taken. Refer to the Incidental Fees and Charges Schedule.