Learn from experts

Professor Naren Chitty A.M.
Prior to joining Macquarie, Professor Chitty had a distinguished career as a public diplomat in Washington DC, a policy planner in the area of national television, and as a deputy director of an NGO in community development, starting as a UNDP Young Professional. He teaches and researches in the area of soft power and public diplomacy. He was awarded the Order of Australia on Australia Day 2009 ‘for services to education particularly in the field of international communication as a researcher and academic to a range of professional associations’.

Professor Naguib Kanawati
Professor Kanawati is an egyptologist with a special interest in the Old Kingdom. In 1981 he established the Rundle Foundation for Egyptian Archaeology and in 1989 he established the Australian Centre for Egyptology and remains its Director. In 1997 Professor Kanawati was elected Fellow of the Australian Academy of the Humanities and in 2003 he received the Centenary Medal ‘for services to the Australian society and the humanities in the study of archaeology’.

Associate Professor Michelle Trudgett
Associate Professor Trudgett is an Indigenous scholar from the Wiradjuri Nation in Central-West New South Wales. A committed teacher, she is the Head of the Department of Indigenous Studies and has been instrumental in developing and implementing the new postgraduate programs in Indigenous Education at Macquarie University.

Dr Aaron Denham
Dr Denham is a medical, psychological, and sociocultural anthropologist concerned with the complexities of the human experience of illness, misfortune, and healing within their broader political-economic, biological, and historical contexts. Dr Denham’s previous experiences include being a mental health counsellor. He is a lecturer and researcher in the Department of Anthropology and is the Program Convenor for the Master of Global Health and Development Studies degree.

Dr Ben Spies-Butcher
Dr Spies-Butcher is a lecturer in economy and society in the Department of Sociology. He teaches courses on economic sociology and political sociology at undergraduate and postgraduate level. His research focuses on the economics and politics of social and environmental policy, and political participation.
Our graduates go further

Our graduates go on to exciting and varied careers in both private and public sectors. They also find our degrees deepen their knowledge and make them more effective professionals.

Sharon Kerr, Master of Indigenous Education graduate

“As a non-Indigenous person involved in serving Indigenous students, I realised that I had much to learn in order to serve effectively in my role. I enrolled in this degree to gain knowledge and appreciation of Indigenous history, cultures, languages, ways of knowing and ways of doing. The course changed my life and made me a much more effective practitioner. As a result of this course I will always be committed to cultural safety in both the workplace and learning environment.”

Brigit Busicchia, Master of Policy and Applied Social Research graduate

“The thing I liked best about studying this degree was that I would leave any lecture having learnt something new and useful, thanks to the freshness of approach and the dynamism of the teaching staff. From my experience, this degree attracts quality students from different horizons, and it has made my learning experience exciting as well as extremely rewarding.”

Jessica Alice Garcia, Master of International Relations graduate (Canada)

“After studying my masters program at Macquarie, I gained the academic and practical skills to attain the type of job that I wanted – project work at an NGO that deals with international issues. Personally, I think I really grew up during my time at Macquarie: from the whole experience of living so far away from home and being exposed to so many new places and people.”

Charlotte Boyer, Master of Politics and Public Policy graduate

“I chose Macquarie University because I wanted to complete the masters to further my career prospects and improve my knowledge of Australian politics and public policy. This degree has helped me secure my current professional position and provided me with a foundation upon which to build my knowledge of public policy and politics, which I use daily at work. I have been very pleased with the quality of the course, lecturers and class engagement.”

Charlotte has worked in the Department of Premier and Cabinet, New South Wales as a Policy Officer; and is now a Consultant at UNICEF Pacific and Fiji Ministry of Women, Social Welfare, and Poverty Alleviation.
Learn about ancient civilisations in our Master of Ancient History. Our on-campus museum and archaeological excavations overseas allow hands-on experience of the ancient world, and the breadth of ancient cultures studied means there’s something for everyone.

Who should apply
Teachers wanting to gain additional qualifications for professional development, or to update their knowledge of the ancient world. It also provides advanced training in ancient history for those looking to extend their knowledge of ancient cultures, and a pathway to the Master of Research and PhD programs.

What you will study
This degree includes subjects such as:
• Ancient Egyptian Architecture
• Ancient History Research Project
• Archaeological Practice
• Ptolemaic Egypt
• The Quest for the Historical Jesus
• Women Writers of Ancient Greek and Rome
• Worlds of Late Antiquity

Career opportunities
Our graduates find employment in a variety of roles including: archivist; diplomat; museum curator; policy adviser; publisher; researcher; and writer.

Key features
• Units are offered in a wide range of ancient cultures: Greece, Rome, Egypt, Israel, Early Christianity, Late Antiquity, and Coptic Studies
• Our on campus Museum of Ancient Cultures allows for artefact study, and there are possibilities for participation in archaeological excavations overseas
• In addition to coursework, you will conduct research in your chosen field, which can provide a pathway to Higher Degree Research

Admission information
Minimum course duration 1.5 years full-time/equivalent part-time
Attendance modes Internal, external
Commencing Session 1 (February), Session 2 (July)
Study modes Full-time, part-time
Admission requirements Australian level 7 bachelor’s qualification or recognised equivalent in ancient history, Egyptology, history, classics, or a related discipline; or Australian level 7 bachelor’s qualification or recognised equivalent and 18 months full-time equivalent relevant work experience
Credit points required 48
CRICOS 084544F

For the full degree structure and more information visit courses.mq.edu.au/MAncHist
This degree is unique from other development studies and global health programs because it involves both comprehensive coursework and applied research experience, enabling students to gain experience with a project from its initial formulation to completion.

Who should apply
Those from a variety of academic and professional backgrounds. Graduates from the social sciences, behavioural or health science with some social science background.

What you will study
This degree includes the following specialisations:

Development Studies
This specialisation teaches the diverse theories, methods and relationships that seek, analyse and/or bring about targeted change in the lives of people around the world.

Global Health
This specialisation teaches the theories and methods for understanding the complex ways health and disease intersect with culture, society, history and political-economic forces.

Career opportunities
Graduates are likely to gain employment in the government, non-governmental, humanitarian, research, social and health services, disaster relief and multilateral aid organisations.

Key features
- You will develop culturally relevant and professional leadership skills to work collaboratively to set priorities, identify issues and address the practical problems within a variety of contexts
- An innovative, applied cross-disciplinary program focusing on the intersection between global health challenges and development theory and practice

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For the full degree structure and more information visit courses.mq.edu.au/MGlobalHlthDevStud
This degree will provide educators and policy advisers an in-depth understanding of the historical, contemporary and global issues faced by Indigenous Australia. Macquarie is the only university to offer such a degree in Australia.

Who should apply
Whether you want to focus on early childhood, primary, secondary or tertiary education, this will help you close the gap between the educational outcomes of Indigenous students and other students. It will also help those working in Indigenous communities such as health workers, community organisation workers and public servants.

What you will study
This degree includes subjects such as:
• Contemporary Issues in Indigenous Education
• Education in Indigenous Communities
• Evaluation of Educational Programs
• Global Indigenous Education
• History of Indigenous Education
• Politics, Power and Indigenous Education
• Research Methods in Indigenous Education

Career opportunities
Careers available in a variety of areas including schools, early childhood services, universities, policy and government departments, NGOs and Indigenous organisations.

Key features
• Meets the NSW Institute of Teacher’s professional development requirements
• Offered online allowing you to study at your own pace.
• Provides valuable knowledge to help close the gap in Indigenous education
• Provides global context by exploring other First Nation people’s experiences with education systems

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This innovative degree is the first of its kind offered in Australia. It offers a multidisciplinary focus, helping you gain an in-depth understanding of strategy and policy development, public diplomacy practice, international law and security, intercultural communications, and international relations.

Who should apply
Those interested in public diplomacy and international relations.

What you will study
This degree includes subjects such as:
- Globalisation and Security
- Intercultural Communication
- International Communications Internship
- International Human Rights Law
- International Law and Institutions
- Public Diplomacy and International Public Relations
- The International System
- Research Project

Career opportunities
Graduates of this degree can go on to successful careers as public diplomats, corporate international relations specialists, international image analysts, strategists and advisers.

Key features
- Network and learn from serving and retired diplomats through workshops
- Option to do an internship in your chosen field
- Students can do independent research projects in the context of international public diplomacy

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For the full degree structure and more information visit courses.mq.edu.au/MIntPubDip
This is a flexible and ‘real-world’ focused degree that explores the issues and processes of specific regions and trouble spots, as well as examining global institutions. You will develop an in-depth understanding of the institutions and political, economic and legal components and processes of the international system.

Who should apply
If you are wanting to further your career in public, business, community or political work or are interested in international relations. This degree would also suit those looking for a course to prepare them for higher level tertiary study and research in international relations.

What you will study
This degree includes subjects such as:
- International Internship Program
- International Law and Institutions
- International Political Economy
- International Relations Research Project
- International Security
- Research Methods in International Relations
- Theories of International Relations

Career opportunities
Graduate career paths are varied, some join the diplomatic service of their home countries, and others work with the United Nations or the increasing number of international non-government organisations, and multinational corporations with international operations.

Key features
- Eligible students have an opportunity to gain work experience through an internship in an approved institution and to credit this to their degree
- Includes a strong component of research study under specialised individual supervision
- This degree can be combined with the Master of International Business, the Master of International Communication, or the Master of Translation and Interpreting Studies

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For the full degree structure and more information visit courses.mq.edu.au/MIntRel
The Master of Politics and Public Policy develops your understanding of policy formulation, implementation and evaluation from an Australian perspective. The units of this degree are offered within the context of political science.

Who should apply
Those who see a future as practitioners in public, community or political work. It is also of value for anyone in the private sector who works at the interface with government, whether the public service, the government or members of parliament. The program is designed for students who have had several years of experience in a policy-related field. Each unit draws on the students’ real-world experience.

What you will study
This degree includes subjects such as:
- Accountability
- Comparative Public Policy
- Evidence and Expertise in Policy
- Health Policy
- Internship Project
- Political Parties and Policy
- Politics of Communications Policy
- Policy Design and Practice

Career opportunities
Current students and graduates include members of parliament, ministerial policy advisers, media advisers, public servants, parliamentary and electorate office staff, lobbyists, journalists, lawyers and community organisation workers.

Key features
- Emphasises the politics surrounding public policy, the changing landscape of policy making and Australian public policy
- Develops a comprehensive understanding of current debates in public policy including evidence-based policy, accountability, federal-state relations, globalisation, policy transfer, political parties and citizen engagement
- Flexible delivery with evening classes for internal students, and online delivery plus on-campus sessions for external students, allowing you to fit your studies around your other commitments

Admission information
- Minimum course duration: 1.5 years full-time/equivalent part-time
- Attendance modes: Internal, external
- Commencing Session: 1 (February), Session 2 (July)
- Study modes: Full-time, part-time
- Admission requirements: Australian level 7 bachelor’s qualification or recognised equivalent in politics, international relations, law, sociology, media, communications, history, cultural studies, or a related discipline; with GPA of 2.50 (out of 4.00)
- Credit points required: 48
- CRICOS: 083806G

For the full degree structure and more information visit courses.mq.edu.au/MPP

ALSO OFFERED AS A GRADUATE CERTIFICATE AND DIPLOMA
This degree develops your skills in applied social research and the analysis of policy in social context. The core units, provided through the Department of Sociology focus on designing and conducting applied research, on the evaluation process, and on understanding and analysing policy in the fields of social policy, environmental policy and human services.

Who should apply
Whether you're working in service delivery programs and want to move into a policy role, are returning to the workforce or looking to change careers by moving into policy and social research – this degree will give you the research and analytical skills you need.

What you will study
This degree includes subjects such as:
• Activism and Policy Design
• Developing Social Policy
• Doing Social Survey Research
• Evaluation and the Policy Process
• Professional Internships in Social Research
• Qualitative Methods

Career opportunities
Some of the options open to graduates of this degree include: social research, policy analysis and planning; careers in social and community services; human services; climate change and development; public opinion and market research; teaching in the field of social science; activism and advocacy in fields concerned with social justice and social policy and journalism.

Key features
• Offers an interdisciplinary focus with opportunities to study in diverse disciplines including politics, human geography, and anthropology, comparative social policy and the politics of climate change
• Equips you with policy and social research skills that are widely sought after in the government, non-government and private sectors
• A flexible degree structure allows you to develop study plans tailored to your personal interests

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