

**Application for admission into a Master's degree
by coursework, Graduate Diploma or Graduate Certificate in 2012**

Please read this information before completing your application for admission.

General information

- This application form is only for domestic students. Only Australian citizens, Australian permanent residents and citizens of New Zealand should use this form to apply. Other applicants should contact the International Office on (+612) 8627 8300 or at io.info@sydney.edu.au for application materials and assistance.
- Complete the application form using BLOCK LETTERS, and where required, write clear crosses in the appropriate boxes.
- Please ensure that the information on your application is complete, that all of the required documentation is included and that the application is legible. Incomplete or illegible applications may be delayed.
- Admission is competitive and will depend upon the availability of resources.
- Continued enrolment is subject to demonstrated satisfactory annual progress.

Supporting documentation

You are required to provide documentation in support of this application. If you do not attach all of the documents required by the Faculty, your application may not be considered. The documents you may have to provide include:

- ✓ evidence of your residency status,
- ✓ proof of change of name,
- ✓ academic transcripts for your qualifications,
- ✓ evidence of English proficiency,
- ✓ information about your record of exclusion,
- ✓ information about your technical, professional or other qualifications,
- ✓ information about your employment experience.

There is information on the application form about the circumstances under which you must provide documentation. You should provide originals wherever possible, especially of academic documents such as transcripts and English test result notices. Faculty and Student Centre staff can sight original documents and copy them for you so that you need not submit originals with your application. Please see the University's website for information regarding certification of documentation:

http://sydney.edu.au/future_students/international_undergraduate/admissions/how_to_apply/certification.shtml

If your supporting documents are not in English you must provide translated versions of those documents in addition to certified copies of the originals. These translations should be official. Some examples of the types of translations which may be accepted are those produced by the Community Relations Commission (CRC), the Department of Immigration and Citizenship (DIAC), or by an accredited National Accreditation Authority for Translators and Interpreters (NAATI) translator of at least 'Translator' or 'Level 3' status. Please note that if you are providing copies of translations, rather than originals, those copies must also be certified.

Making inquiries and submitting your application

- You may direct any inquiries you have about your application to the Coordinator, Postgraduate Services of the Faculty. Information about faculty offices is available from the Faculty's phone number on (+612) 86271000 or its website at : <http://sydney.edu.au/agriculture/>
- This form should be forwarded to the Faculty of Agriculture, Food and Natural Resources no later than the closing date: 31st October.
- You will be advised of the result of this application as soon as possible, and if it is successful, the enrolment procedures you are to follow.

Personal details: Please provide the following information.

Surname Title Gender

Given names

Previous names (attach documentary evidence of name change)

Student Number (if previously enrolled at the University of Sydney)

Date of birth

Residency: Please indicate your residency status.

Are you currently a citizen of Australia? citizen of New Zealand? permanent resident of Australia?

If you are a permanent resident of Australia please indicate the date your visa was granted (if it was granted in Australia) or otherwise the date you first landed in Australia with this visa.

Please note that you must provide documentary evidence for the information you provide in this section. You can provide a certified copy of your birth certificate or copies of the relevant pages from your passport.

Please indicate to which one of the following categories you belong.

Neither Aboriginal nor Torres Strait Islander

Torres Strait Islander

Aboriginal

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander

Postal address

State

Postcode

Country (if not Australia)

Mobile Number

E-mail address

Application information: Please provide the following information.

I wish to be admitted into the following award course.

I would like to be admitted to study (full-time or part-time).

Tertiary qualifications: All applicants must complete this section. You should provide original academic transcripts in support of your application unless this tertiary study was attempted at the main campus of the University of Sydney. If your documents are not in English you must also attach an approved translation.

Name of tertiary qualification	Honours class	Graduation date	Institution attended

English proficiency: If you have not completed a tertiary qualification in Australia and your qualifications were obtained from a university or other institution where the language of instruction was not English, you must provide evidence of English proficiency, eg, IELTS, TOEFL or a result from another approved test. You are advised to discuss English proficiency requirements with faculty staff before applying, if you have studied overseas.

Record of exclusion: Please answer the following questions about your academic history. If the answer to any of these questions is yes, please provide full details and copies of any relevant documentation.

Have you ever been excluded or suspended from a course at a university or other tertiary institution for any reason? (Yes/No)

Have you ever been asked to show cause why your enrolment in any course should not be suspended/terminated? (Yes/No)

Have you ever been asked to explain unsatisfactory progress in any course? (Yes/No)

Have you ever commenced but not completed a tertiary degree prior to this application? (Yes/No)

Please provide details:.....

Other qualifications: Please list the most relevant technical, professional or other qualifications you possess. Completing this section may not be necessary for admission into all courses. Faculty staff can provide information about relevant qualifications and which supporting documentation should be attached.

Additional information: Please outline in brief your reasons for applying for admission. You may also include other information which is relevant to your application. If the allocated space appears to be insufficient you can attach a more lengthy statement to this form and/or discuss your application with faculty staff. This item may not be relevant for admission into all courses.

Declaration: I declare that the information submitted in this application is correct and complete, and I agree that the University may obtain official records from any university or other institution previously attended by me. I undertake to advise the Faculty immediately of any change to the information submitted in this application. I am aware that it is the policy of the University that if my program should result in the lodging of a long essay or dissertation it can be made available for use immediately, either to be read, photocopied or microfilmed.

Signature

Date

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Head of Department's or delegated officer's recommendations and report:

I recommend that this application be rejected.

Reasons and comments:

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I recommend that this applicant be admitted on a full-time or part-time basis starting

Comments:

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I recommend that the applicant be appointed the following supervisor for their Research Project. Note that the supervisor must agree to this arrangement by signing the application form at the end of this page.

Name of Proposed Supervisor :.....Staff No:.....

Dept./Location:

If the applicant is not a graduate of the University of Sydney, I recommend that their academic qualifications be accepted as equivalent to a Bachelor's (pass) degree or a Bachelor's (Hons) 1st or 2nd class or a Master's degree

Comments:

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Authorisation and comments of Head of Department or delegated officer:

Signature:..... Date:

Additional comments:

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Agreement of supervisor/adviser:

I agree to supervise the candidate's Research Project and I have noted the Head of Department's recommendations.

My staff number is

Signature: Date:

Intending supervisors/advisers should refer to the resolutions of the Academic Board relating to higher degrees.

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Faculty/Board of Studies/Graduate School/College decision:

Original documentary evidence of the candidate's qualifications has been sighted or is yet to be produced.

I approve admission as recommended by Head of Department.

I approve admission on the basis that the applicant holds an approved qualification or is the graduate of an approved institution, according to Part 9 of the University of Sydney (Amended Act) Rule 1999.

I do not approve admission.

Comments:

Signature: Date:

Faculty office use:

Application details entered on local database/Admissions Module Initials and date:

Offer made on Admissions Module Initials and date:

Degree code: Dept. code: SID:

Notes: