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About Us

At TIL, our academic programs are meticulously designed to align with the ever-evolving needs of various industries. We understand that education should be a direct bridge to your future career, and we've woven this philosophy into the very fabric of our institution.

Upon completing your degree at TIL, you'll emerge equipped with the essential tools and knowledge needed to confidently enter the workforce. To facilitate this transition, TIL actively revises its courses to include - accredited standards wherever feasible. For instance, graduates of our Master of Professional Accounting program become eligible for accreditation with respected institutions like CPA Australia and Chartered Accountants Australia and New Zealand (CAANZ). These strong ties to industry stakeholders ensure you enter the global job market, meeting its increasing demand for skilled professionals.



Message from Our CEO

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Chief Executive Officer

Welcome to TIS!

With nearly three decades in education, I've excelled across sectors, specialising in international education. From starting as a marketing executive, I progressed to roles like a research assistant, holding various academic positions in prestigious Australian institutions. My academic background includes an engineering undergraduate degree and a postgraduate degree in business management. Extensive international travel has allowed me to build a robust education network, and I've played a pivotal role in establishing offshore campuses and vocational institutions.



Our Story

Established in 2016, The Institute of International Studies (TIS) embarked on a visionary journey driven by our significant shareholders to create a unique educational platform.

2017

TIS achieved accreditation from the Australian Government's Tertiary Education Quality and Standards Agency (TEQSA), reinforcing our commitment to world-class education.

2018

Our Master of Professional Accounting program gained accreditation from CPA Australia, CIMA, and ACCA, positioning our graduates for global success.

2021

Launched the Bachelor of Business (BBus) and Master of Business Administration (MBA) programs, designed to equip students with essential business and leadership skills.

2023

Introduced the Bachelor of Information Technology in November, preparing students for the exciting IT landscape.

2024

We launched the Graduate Certificate of Information Technology and Master of Cyber Security programs, addressing the industry's demand for IT and cybersecurity professionals.

In May, we introduced the Graduate Diploma of Financial Planning, our first course for domestic students and a fully online offering.

Campus Locations

Explore immersive learning at TAFE in Sydney and Melbourne. The Sydney campus, near the QVB in the CBD, is a leading learning hub, while the centrally located Melbourne campus offers a dynamic atmosphere.

TAFE campuses prioritise the physical learning environment in contemporary education, ensuring a blend of modernity, accessibility, and a committed approach to nurturing educational journeys. Thoughtfully designed spaces characterise TAFE campuses, fostering an environment conducive to academic and social pursuits. A seamless learning experience awaits with well-furnished student lounge areas, contemporary classrooms, and cutting-edge IT facilities.



Sydney Campus

Choosing to live in Sydney as an international student enhances your academic journey and enriches your personal development. With its stunning scenery, vibrant culture, and diverse opportunities, Sydney provides a dynamic and supportive environment for international students to thrive.



World-Class Educational Institutions

Sydney is home to renowned universities. These institutions offer a diverse range of courses, cutting-edge research opportunities, and access to esteemed faculty.



Cultural Diversity

Sydney is one of the most multicultural cities in the world. As an international student, you'll have the chance to connect with peers from various cultural backgrounds, enriching your global perspective and fostering lifelong friendships.



Stunning Natural Environment

With its breathtaking beaches, picturesque harbor, and beautiful parks, Sydney provides an ideal setting for outdoor activities. Enjoy surfing at Bondi Beach, hiking in the Blue Mountains, or relaxing in the Royal Botanic Garden.



Career Opportunities

As Australia's economic hub, Sydney offers extensive job opportunities, particularly in sectors like finance, technology, and hospitality. International students can work part-time while studying, gaining valuable experience and building networks.



Public Transport Connectivity

Sydney has a well-developed public transport system, including trains, buses, and ferries. This makes it easy to navigate the city and explore surrounding areas, allowing you to experience everything Sydney has to offer.

Melbourne Campus

Choosing to live in Melbourne as an international student offers a unique blend of academic excellence, cultural richness, and a welcoming community. With its diverse opportunities and vibrant lifestyle, Melbourne provides an ideal environment for personal and academic growth, making your study abroad experience truly memorable.



Top-Quality Educational Institutions

Melbourne is home to prestigious universities. These institutions are known for their academic excellence, diverse course offerings, and strong research programs.



Cultural Hub

Recognized as Australia's cultural capital, Melbourne is renowned for its arts scene, music festivals, and cultural events. This vibrant atmosphere allows international students to immerse themselves in a rich array of artistic experiences.



Strong International Community

Melbourne is home to a large population of international students, fostering a supportive and inclusive environment. This diversity enhances cultural exchange and helps you build lasting friendships with peers from various backgrounds.



Public Transport Accessibility

The city has an extensive and efficient public transport system, including trams, trains, and buses. This makes it easy to navigate the city and access university campuses, neighborhoods, and local attractions.



Safety and Quality of Life

Melbourne consistently ranks among the world's most livable cities. It offers a safe environment, excellent healthcare, and a high quality of life, making it a comfortable place for international students.

Course Offerings

Wide Range of Courses – Choose from courses designed to equip you with the skills and knowledge needed for success in today's competitive job market. Nine courses, both undergraduate and post graduate to meet your needs:

Business *Sydney and Wollsworth Campuses*

Bachelor of Business (BBus)

Graduate Certificate in Business Administration (GCBA)

Master of Business Administration (MBA)

Accounting *Sydney Campus*

Graduate Certificate in Professional Accounting (GCPA)

Master of Professional Accounting (MPA)

Master of Professional Accounting (Advanced) (MPAA)

Information Technology *Sydney and Wollsworth Campuses*

Bachelor of Information Technology (BIT)

Graduate Certificate in Information Technology (GCIT)

Master of Cyber Security (MCS)

Bachelor of Business (BBus)

CRICOS Course Code: 160006

 Course Duration: 3 years

 Number of Subjects: 24

Programme

Typically, students will complete the course in 6 full-time semesters over 3 years. The following subjects are proposed for the 12 core subjects.

unit code	unit name	credit value
10001	Management and Leadership Principles	3
10002	Business Communication	3
10003	Business Mathematics	3
10004	Business for Business	3
10005	Marketing Principles	3
10006	Business Financial Accounting	3
10007	Business Information Systems	3
10008	Business International Studies	3
10009	Business Entrepreneurial Studies	3

unit code	unit name	credit value
10010	Business Finance	3
10011	Business Law	3
10012	Design Thinking and Digital Technology	3
10013	Entrepreneurial Innovation	3
10014	The Global Business Environment	3
10015	Advanced Design and Data Studies	3
10016	Human Resource Management	3
10017	Business Research: Principles and Practice	3

Electives

Students will be required to complete 7 electives from an elective bank of 14 subjects. Students will have the opportunity to consolidate their electives into a specialised stream. It should be noted that specialised streams will NOT be formally recognised for the purposes of the award title.

unit code	unit name	credit value
Accounting		
10018	Accounting Studies	3
10019	Corporate Accounting	3
10020	Accounting Theory	3
10021	Management Accounting	3
10022	Finance	3
10023	Accounting Information Systems	3
10024	Corporate Law	3

unit code	unit name	credit value
Marketing		
10025	Consumer Behaviour	3
10026	Marketing & Cultural Studies	3
10027	Strategic Marketing Communications	3
10028	International Digital Marketing	3
10029	Brand and Product Management	3
10030	Marketing from Industry	3
10031	International Marketing Strategy Management	3

Graduate Certificate in Business Administration (GCBA)

CRICOS Course Code: 10091882

🕒 Course Duration: 24 weeks

📖 Number of Subjects: 4

Programme

The subjects and sequence for the Graduate Certificate in Business Administration are outlined below. Students will complete 4 compulsory core subjects, each of 6 credit points in value.

unit code	unit name	credits pts.
Semester 1		
1001001	Accounting for Managers	6
1001002	Marketing Management	6
1001003	Executive for Business	6
1001004	Management, Leadership and Ethics	6



Master of Business Administration (MBA)

CRICOS Course Code: 50917DL

Course Duration 3 years

Number of Subjects 36

Programme

Students will complete 13 compulsory core subjects. For those students taking a specialisation, Business Capstone Project (MBA 509) will be directly linked to their specialisation to afford provide a four-subject specialised sequence.

Unit Code	Unit Name	Credits ECTS
13 Core Subjects		
MBA01	Accounting for Managers	3
MBA02	Marketing Management	3
MBA03	Business Law	3
MBA04	Management Information Systems	3
MBA05	Business Finance Systems	3
MBA06	Human Resource Management	3

Unit Code	Unit Name	Credits ECTS
MBA07	Business Issues	3
MBA08	Business Ethics	3
MBA09	Supply Management/Logistics Strategy	3
MBA10	Entrepreneurship/Innovation	3
MBA11	The Business Environment	3
MBA12	Strategic Design and Value Creation	3
MBA13	Business Systems Management	3

Electives

Students will be required to complete 3 electives. Students may choose any 3 subjects from the elective bank (13 available) or group them within specialised streams. It should be noted that specialised streams will NOT be formally recognised on the transcript aspect of the award title.

Unit Code	Unit Name	Credits ECTS
13 Elective Subjects		
MBA14	Big Data Analytics	3
MBA15	International Marketing Management	3
MBA16	Strategic Design and Value Creation	3

Unit Code	Unit Name	Credits ECTS
13 Elective Subjects		
MBA17	Business Systems Management	3
MBA18	International HRM/Management	3
MBA19	International Business Strategy	3

The students can also choose their elective sequence including MBA1, MBA2, MBA3, MBA4, MBA5, which are the core set of subjects in MBA.

The students who don't meet the requirements for students have an option to start with the elective combination of International Accounting (MBA1), Global Business (MBA2). The subjects have been agreed with the first business office MBA and MBA2.

Bachelor of Information Technology (BIT)

CEB002 Course Code: 11 27248

🕒 Course Duration: 3 years

📖 Number of Subjects: 24

Programme

Students will complete 17 compulsory core subjects, each of 3 credit points in value.

COURSE CODE	COURSE NAME	CREDITS
BIT001	Business Introduction	3
BIT002	Engineering Introduction	3
BIT003	Maths Foundation	3
BIT004	Web System Development	3
BIT005	Business Management Systems	3
BIT006	IT System Management	3
BIT007	Introduction to Mobile Technology	3
BIT008	Business Analytics Systems	3
BIT009	Cloud Computing	3

COURSE CODE	COURSE NAME	CREDITS
BIT010	Information Security Principles	3
BIT011	Software Project Development	3
BIT012	IT Software Analysis	3
BIT013	Business Intelligence and Data Analytics	3
BIT014	Emerging Technologies and Digital Technology	3
BIT015	Emerging Systems	3
BIT016	Advanced IT Project	3
BIT017	System Report	3

Specialisation Streams

Students will be required to select 7 elective subjects from the 2 specialisation streams:

- Cyber Security
- Web and Mobile Applications Development

COURSE CODE	COURSE NAME	CREDITS
Cyber Security		
BIT018	Cyber Security Awareness	3
BIT019	Network Forensic Cyber Security	3
BIT020	Network System and Administration	3
BIT021	Cryptography	3
BIT022	Computer Forensics	3
BIT023	Cyber Incident Response	3
BIT024	Network Security	3

COURSE CODE	COURSE NAME	CREDITS
Web and Mobile Applications Development		
BIT025	Software Analysis and Programming	3
BIT026	Database Administration and System Management	3
BIT027	Mobile Application Development	3
BIT028	Big Data and Analytics	3
BIT029	Advanced Web Application Development	3
BIT030	IT System Analysis and Data Visualisation	3
BIT031	Cloud Application Development	3

Graduate Certificate in Information Technology (GCIT)

CRICOS Course Code: 150120E

🕒 Course Duration: 4 Months

📖 Number of Subjects: 4

Programme

This course has four subjects. To graduate with a GCIT, students must complete 66 credit points.

COURSE CODE	COURSE NAME	CREDIT PTS.
Semester 1		
ICT0001	Programming Principles Information Technology	6
ICT0004	Introduction to Cyber and Network Security	6
ICT0008	Web and Database Systems	6
ICT0009	Software Development and Methodologies	6



Master of Cyber Security (MCS)

CRICOS Course Code: 1130108

🕒 Course Duration: 2 years

📖 Number of Subjects: 16

Programme

The Master of Cyber Security requires the completion of 16 subjects. The course has five sections:

Section 1: Foundation Information Technology (4 subjects)

Section 2: Business Administration (3 subjects)

Section 3: Core Cyber Security (8 subjects)

Section 4: Cyber Security Electives (2 subjects)

Section 5: Capstone (1 subject)

UNIT CODE	UNIT NAME	CREDIT VALUE
100001	Engineering Computer Networks Technology	4
100002	Introduction to Cyber Threat Security	4
100003	Network Systems Fundamentals	4
100004	Network Performance Optimisation	4
100005	Cyber Security for Management: Introduction to Cyber Security	4

UNIT CODE	UNIT NAME	CREDIT VALUE
100006	Business Administration Cyber Security	4
100007	Business Ethics Development	4
100008	Cyber Security Incident Management	4
100009	Cryptography	4
100010	Security Engineering	4

Restricted Electives

UNIT CODE	UNIT NAME	CREDIT VALUE
100011	Management Strategy and Business Success	4
100012	Strategy, Systems Management	4
100013	International Management Practices	4
100014	Business Negotiation and Sales	4
100015	International Strategy	4

UNIT CODE	UNIT NAME	CREDIT VALUE
100016	Introduction: International Security	4
100017	Digital Forensics	4
100018	Blockchain	4
100019	Cyber Security Incident	4
100020	Cyber Security Project	4

The students who don't meet the requirements for students have an option to start with Graduate Certificate in Information Technology (part) (60016) subject to meet the requirements have agreed with the first semester of the year.

Graduate Certificate in Professional Accounting (GCPA)

COURSE NUMBER: 2023026

🕒 Course Duration: 4 Months

📖 Number of Subjects: 4

Programme

It is a four-semester, one-semester-a-year, model within the MPA.

COURSE CODE	COURSE NAME	CREDIT HRS.
2023026	Accounting Principles	3
2023026	Business and Company Law	3
2023026	Accounting for Business	3
2023026	Business Finance	3



Master of Professional Accounting (MPA)

CRICOS Course Code: T162126

🕒 Course Duration: 1.5 years

📖 Number of Subjects: 12

Programme

The Master of Professional Accounting (MPA) consists of 12 prescribed units of study (without any alternatives) and includes a final 'capstone' unit Management and Leadership.

UNIT CODE	UNIT NAME	CREDIT PTS.
MPA601	Accounting Principles	6
MPA602	Business and Company Law	6
MPA603	Accounting for Business	6
MPA604	Business Finance	6
MPA605	Corporate Accounting	6
MPA606	Accounting Information Systems	6
MPA607	Management Accounting	6
MPA608	Business Statistics and Research	6
MPA609	Contemporary Accounting Theory/ Research in Practice	6
MPA610	Auditing and Assurance Services	6
MPA611	Taxation Law	6
MPA612	Management and Leadership	6

Master of Professional Accounting Advanced (MPAA)

CRICOS Course Code: 103884G

📅 Course Duration: 2 years

📖 Number of Subjects: 18

Programme

Master of Professional Accounting Advanced (MPAA) consists of 18 prescribed units of study (without any electives).

UNIT CODE	UNIT NAME	CREDIT POINTS
MPAA01	Accounting Principles	12
MPAA02	Business and Corporate Law	12
MPAA03	Accounting & Business	12
MPAA04	Business Finance	12
MPAA05	Corporate Accounting	12
MPAA06	Accounting Information Systems	12
MPAA07	Management Accounting	12
MPAA08	Business Valuation and Succession	12
MPAA09	Contemporary Accounting Theory: Research in Practice	12
MPAA10	Auditing and Assurance Services	12
MPAA11	Taxation Law	12
MPAA12	Management and Leadership	12
MPAA13	Strategic Business Analysis	12
MPAA14	Strategic Business Planning	12
MPAA15	Advanced Business Management	12
MPAA16	Advanced Skill and Research	12

The students will also receive credit for Professional Accounting (PAC), CRICOS course code: 103884G, which are the core units of the subject MPAA.

The students who don't receive requirements to receive their degree will graduate with their Master of Professional Accounting (MPAA), CRICOS course code: 103884G. The subjects have been aligned with the first semester of the 2024 academic year.

Admission Criteria

General Entry Requirements Master's Programs

The entry requirement for admission to Master's programs of TUM are:

- Completion of an undergraduate degree from a recognized Australian Institution (or equivalent overseas institution); or
- Completion of equivalent graduate certificate or diploma from a recognized Australian Institution (or equivalent overseas institution).

The entry requirements for admission to Graduate Certificate programs of TUM are:

- Completion of an undergraduate degree from a recognized Australian Institution (or equivalent overseas institution); or
- TAFE (or equivalent institution) Diploma or Advanced Diploma in a related field and three years relevant work experience in the past five years.

Refer to [Special/Alternative Admission Arrangements](#). All overseas qualifications must be deemed to be equivalent to the pre-requisite Australian qualification. Evaluation of overseas qualification equivalence will be determined by reference to the International Education Network - Department of Education, Skills and Employment - Country Education Profile scores.

General Entry Requirements Undergraduate Programs

The entry requirement for admission to Undergraduate programs of TUM are:

- Completion of the VCE (or equivalent) achieving an ATAR of at least 80 (or equivalent) for IBUs and at least 85 (or equivalent) for IBT within the past two years; or
 - Completion of an AQF 5 Diploma (level program from TAFE (or equivalent) or any Australian Registered Training Organisation (or equivalent overseas organisation); or
 - Completion of at least one semester of full time study (or part time equivalent) at a registered Australian higher education provider at AQF level 5 (Diploma or higher); or
 - Completion of a bridging or enabling course from a qualified Australian provider (or equivalent overseas provider) and achieved at least 70% of the maximum mark attainable.
- Refer to [Special/Alternative Admission Arrangements](#). All overseas qualifications must be deemed to be equivalent to the pre-requisite Australian qualification. Evaluation of overseas qualification equivalence will be determined using the Country Education Profile scores provided by reference to the International Education Network - Department of Education, Skills and Employment - Country Education Profile scores.

Admission Criteria

Additional Entry Requirements

In addition to the general admission requirements stipulated above, courses may specify additional requirements that applicants must meet, as well as demonstrate their capacity for success in the course. These may include, but are not limited to:

- Higher entry qualification benchmarks scores
- Specific supporting studies within their undergraduate program
- Attendance at interviews
- Relevant work experience
- Presentation of folio or/and
- Submission of supplementary information forms.

Additional requirements will be published in TAFE's Student Handbook and on the website for the information of people seeking admission.

Special / Alternative Admission Arrangements

Applicants who have not completed the requisite entry qualification may be eligible to apply for entry to a course by satisfying one of the following entry requirements:

- Successful completion of a Special Tertiary Admissions Test (STAT) administered by a tertiary admissions centre or
- Submission of a portfolio of evidence of prior and current academic & professional work experience in a program related field or
- Applying for credit that meets the requirements of the Policy and Procedures - Credit for Prior Learning.

Applicants applying under special admission categories (a, and b), will be required to attend an interview with the Program Coordinator and Dean to assess the applicant's capacity for successful study within appropriate program. The applicant should submit a portfolio of prior and current academic and professional work experience with their application for Special/Alternative admission. The portfolio must include a detailed resume outlining relevant competencies and achievements during their program-related employment. Program related employment must be of a minimum period of three years in the last five years and be evidenced by employer issued documents such as employment references, employment cessation certificate or wage documents. Off shore international students will need to be available for telephone interviews.

Admission Criteria

The following table (Admission Criteria) outlines the criteria to be applied by the Program Coordinator and Dean when selecting applicants to a course under special/alternative admission arrangements. These include the applicants:

- Capacity to successfully pursue tertiary studies;
- Motivation to pursue tertiary studies in the discipline of the chosen course;
- Demonstrated potential for academic studies based on the applicant's portfolio;
- Relevant professional and industry experience.

ADMISSION CRITERIA – Special entry Portfolio Indicative criteria:

Applicants who do not meet entry requirements may gain entry to a course by provision of a portfolio and interview with the Program Coordinator and Dean. The material submitted in the Portfolio should address the following criteria:

Criteria	Portfolio evidence
Capacity to successfully pursue tertiary studies	Tertiary study history / appropriate tertiary level studies
Motivation to pursue tertiary studies in the discipline of the chosen course	Relevant background activities and interests Reflections Professional interests
Demonstrated potential to succeed in studies	Tertiary study history / appropriate tertiary level studies
Relevant professional and industry experience	Relevant work experience with tertiary study discipline Relevant interests

English Proficiency

International students whose first language is not English must demonstrate competency in the English language. English proficiency can be demonstrated by providing evidence of an international English language Testing System (IELTS) overall test result (or equivalent alternative test result – such as TOEFL (Test of English as a Foreign Language) or PTE (Pearson Test of English) – as defined by regulation) that meets the specification of English proficiency required for the course.

In our current courses:

01	MSA	comparative IELTS score above 6.5 with correct knowledge of written average IELTS score over the 10.0
02	CCBA	comparative IELTS score above 6.5 with good knowledge of written average IELTS score over the course of 10.0
03	BBSc	comparative IELTS score above 6.5 with correct knowledge of written average IELTS score over the 10.0
04	MFA/MPLL	comparative IELTS score above 6.5 with correct knowledge of written average IELTS score over the 10.0
05	CCPA	comparative IELTS score above 6.5 with good knowledge of written average IELTS score over the course of 10.0
06	BIT	comparative IELTS score above 6.5 with correct knowledge of written average IELTS score over the 10.0
07	MCA	comparative IELTS score above 6.5 with correct knowledge of written average IELTS score over the 10.0
08	CCIT	comparative IELTS score above 6.5 with correct knowledge of written average IELTS score over the 10.0

There is some flexibility in these hurdles (e.g., if one hurdle is slightly below the hurdle and another is flawless, the reviewer should try to be compassionate). In addition, if one hurdle is slightly below the hurdle, prescribed ELCCOL studies can be used to bridge the gap, however, some deficiencies are too great to be bridged with ELCCOL.

Other acceptable evidence of English proficiency includes, but may not be limited to:

1. Completion of an undergraduate degree via the medium of English; or
2. Completion of Year 12 secondary schooling in Australia with a pass in General English within the last two years.

International students who do not meet the specified English proficiency requirements may undertake an ELCCOL (English Language Intensive Course for Overseas Students) program prior to undertaking the course.

English language: English proficiency can be demonstrated by providing evidence of an International English Language Testing System (IELTS) overall test result (or equivalent alternative test result – such as TOEFL (Test of English as a Foreign Language) or PTE (Pearson Test of English)) – as defined by regulation) that meets the specified level of English proficiency required for the course.

HOW TO APPLY

01 Gather Documentation

Begin your journey by gathering all the necessary documents as per TIR entry requirements.

02 Application Submission

Complete our application forms and send them to TIR via email.

03 Approval Process

If you meet our requirements, TIR will issue a letter of offer.

04 Fee Payment

Secure your place by paying your tuition fees. Upon payment, you'll receive a Confirmation of Enrolment (COE).



Criteria



Forms



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