

Governance, Policy and Communication

Year and Campus:	2010																													
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Overview:	<p>Who drives the laws that determine our environmental future? And how can positive change be effectively communicated, or policy influenced through regulation, better governance and the media?</p> <p>The development and marketing of environmental policy is vitally important in effecting changes in government, corporate bodies, and across the environmental sector. The Governance, Policy and Communication stream looks at existing national and international legal and political frameworks relevant to the environment, enhances your skills in policy-making, business management and marketing, and gives you the tools to incorporate these skills and work systems in the workplace.</p> <p>This stream is most appropriate for professionals engaged in helping organisations develop economically viable environmental agendas and communicating these effectively to the public, or for those wishing to enter this sector.</p> <p>You can expect to find employment in a wide range of organisations such as government authorities, environmental consulting companies and industry. You'll be able to assist them in development, ongoing management and marketing of change in environmental agendas as well as the identification of opportunities that result from environmental initiatives.</p>																													
Objectives:	<p>Students who complete the Master of Environment will have:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> # An advanced understanding of the ideas concerning environmental issues # Advanced skills and techniques applicable to changing and managing the environment # An ability to evaluate and synthesise research and professional literature in the chosen stream or focus of study # An advanced understanding of the international context and sensitivities of environmental assessment 																													
Structure & Available Subjects:	The subjects available are listed below.																													
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NRMT90003 Social Research Methods	Semester 1	12.50
ECON90016 Environmental Economics and Strategy	Semester 1	12.50
MGMT90019 Strategic Management	Semester 1, Semester 2	12.50
LAWS70068 Environmental Law	September	12.50

Electives

Students select electives to make up the balance of the award. The recommended list of electives includes:

Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:
ANTH90001 Heritage and Cultural Environments	Semester 2	12.50
ENST90004 Climate Change Politics and Policy	Semester 1	12.50
SOCI90002 Foundations of Social Policy	Semester 1	25
SOCI90004 Contemporary Social Problems	Semester 2	12.50
POLS90009 International Relations Internship	Semester 1, Semester 2	25
POLS90015 Business and Government	Semester 2	12.50
NRMT90007 Community Natural Resource Management	Semester 2	12.50
MGMT90018 Human Resource Management	Semester 1, Semester 2	12.50
MKTG90009 Advertising	Semester 2	12.50
MGMT90031 Project Management	Semester 1, Semester 2	12.50
ENEN90005 Environmental Management ISO 14000	Semester 2	12.50
EDUC90006 Environmental Education	Semester 1	12.50
ABPL90009 Participation and Negotiation	July	12.50
ENST90006 Environmental Research Review	Semester 1, Semester 2	12.50
ENST90007 Environmental Research Topic	Semester 1, Semester 2	25
ENST90016 Environmental Research Project	Semester 1, Semester 2	50
ENST70001 Environmental Research Proj (long) MYE	Semester 1, Semester 2	50

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