

2009 Course Summary Sheet

■ Graduate Certificate in Policing (JS24)

This document will assist you with the selection of your study program and completion of your enrolment. Other useful information can be found on the Student Services website <http://studentservices.qut.com/>, which can also be accessed via the Online Enrolment portal.

Location: Gardens Point campus

Course duration: 1 year part-time

Total Credit Points: 48

Standard Credit Points/Full-time Semester: 48

Tuition fees (Domestic Students): \$6,750 per semester full time (48 credit points)

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COURSE STRUCTURE

The Graduate Certificate in Policing consists of four units of 12 credit points. This comprise of

- One (1) Generic core unit
- Two (2) Specialist units
- One (1) Justice Elective unit

Notes:

- All units in this course are taught online/external mode of delivery (Lecture materials, Study Guide, Readings and support available via QUT Blackboard) with exception of JSN106 Analytical Methods of Intelligence which is offered in the Internal, Intensive mode of delivery – over 1 week period at Garden Point campus.
- Students have the option of selecting an Independent Study unit, available in Semester 1 or 2 as their elective unit and in consultation with the Program coordinator select a relevant topic in a chosen discipline area.
- With approval of the Course Coordinator, student may choose to undertake units offered by School of Justice, other Faculties or Universities as their Elective unit.
- If this program course structure does not meet your requirements, please contact the School of Justice office

ARTICULATION TO POSTGRADUATE COURSEWORK NESTED PROGRAMS

Students who have successfully completed the Graduate Certificate in Policing with a GPA of 5.0 or more on a 7pt scale may articulate to the Master of Justice (Policing) and receive credit of 48 credit points towards the Masters program.

Upon successful completion of the Graduate Certificate, currently enrolled students will be invited to articulate, by Student Business Services (SBS) via the QUT student email, to the Master of Justice. Students who have met entry requirements for Master of Justice and wish to move to the next level of study but are not currently enrolled are required to complete the Postgraduate application form.

TRANSITIONAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR CONTINUING STUDENTS

Continuing students (ie: students enrolled prior to 2008) should contact the School of Justice office to discuss transitional arrangements to allow for course completion. A unit incompatibility list can also be obtained from School of Justice office, email: lawjs_enquiries@qut.edu.au

PART-TIME COURSE STRUCTURE

Year 1, Semester 1

		Class Code	Credit Points
JSN101	Justice and Human Rights (Core unit)	EXT	12
JSN103	Criminal Behaviour and Investigation (Specialist unit)	EXT	12

Year 1, Semester 2 (Mid Year Entry)

JSN104	Transnational and organised crime (Specialist unit)	EXT	12
JSN105	White Collar Crime: Investigation and Prevention (Elective unit) or	EXT	12
JSN111	Terrorism and Political Violence (Elective unit) or	EXT	12
JSN112	Crime Prevention (Elective unit) or		
JSN106	Analytical Methods of Intelligence (Elective unit) or	INTEN	12

JSN115	Just War Theory (Elective unit – offered 2010) or	EXT	12
JSN117	Independent Study 2 (Elective unit)	EXT	12

IMPORTANT ENROLMENT INFORMATION

Student Responsibility: You are responsible for ensuring that your enrolment is completed correctly and that your enrolment status is accurate at all times. Students should attempt to follow the standard course progression as outlined in the course summary sheet (where applicable). You are expected to abide by the University's due dates when submitting enrolment or advanced standing applications and should ensure that your address details are up to date. Failure to do any of the above may result in financial and academic penalties, and difficulties in unit selection. **Please ensure you select the correct teaching period, class and location code for all units in which you are enrolled**

Pre-requisite and Co-requisite Units: Students must ensure they have met any pre- and/or co-requisite requirements before undertaking units. For unit information visit https://qutvirtual.qut.edu.au/portal/pls/portal/unout_search_p.show_public

Units: Units are the basic components of any QUT course and are usually taught over one semester (13 weeks). Each unit has a code and title, for example: JSN101 Justice and Human Rights,

Unit Code: JSN101
Unit Title: Justice and Human Rights

Credit Points (CP): Units are weighted in terms of credit points. Most units at QUT are worth 12 credit points. To achieve the Graduate Certificate in Policing students must complete **48 credit points** (4 units) in total.

Part-time Study: Students who want to study this course part-time usually enrol in 24 credit points (2 units) per semester. Part-time students should expect to complete the course in 1 year.

Underloads: Generally it is not expected that a student should underload – ie. undertake fewer credit points than the standard semester load. If your circumstances require you to undertake fewer units than the standard load, this may be permitted however, it may lead to difficulties in undertaking units in a timely manner later in the course.

Overloads: It is not expected that a student should overload – ie. undertake more credit points than the standard semester load. If, however, your circumstances require you to overload you should be aware of the possible academic consequences of an increased study load.

Course Progression: Students should attempt to follow the standard course progression as outlined in the Course Summary Sheet. Failure to do so could result in difficulties in unit selection.

Attendance Mode, Location and Class Code: You are required to enrol in the attendance mode and type as specified in the University's letter of offer. It is your responsibility to ensure correct location and class codes are entered on your enrolment form as incorrect or missing information may lead to enrolment difficulties. To enrol as an external student, please use the class code of EXT for each unit you wish to take in external mode.

Class Codes:

INT	Unit is taught on campus
EXT	The unit is offered externally via Teaching and Learning Support Services (TALSS)

Location Codes:

GP	Unit is taught on the Gardens Point campus
KG	Unit is taught on the Kelvin Grove campus
CB	Unit is taught on the Caboolture campus

Advanced Standing: Advanced Standing Applications must be submitted by the due date as delays may cause enrolment difficulties. Students are advised to enrol in the standard program until the success of any advanced standing application is known. After receiving advanced standing, students should seek advice from Course Coordinator before altering their enrolment program.

Maximum time to complete this course: 2 years

More information on enrolment: <http://www.studentservices.qut.edu.au/enrol/details/>