

RMIT University

Master of Urban Planning and Environment

CURRICULUM



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How you will learn

Through industry-focused coursework, you'll learn to connect theory to practice, and develop a holistic understanding of urban environmental issues.

Depending on the topics you study, your learning will be shaped through lectures, workshops, tutorials, industry-based presentations, problem-based learning, independent research, and reflective learning techniques.

Your assessment may include project writing and reporting, class presentations, group work, case study research, industry-based assessment, policy submissions, and exams.

In your final semester, you will complete a project-based capstone topic in which you will bring together your knowledge and skills from all your classes.

Blended learning options

Courses offered as part of blended learning programs include a meaningful blend of online, on-campus, and workplace based learning tailored to the type of study you undertake. This learning is active, prioritising tasks that involve exploration and development of skills and knowledge through interaction and engagement.

Online aspects provide positive benefits such as flexibility and adaptability using digital activities and materials, while also strengthening the interaction and connection with timetabled and on-campus experiences such as tutorials, practicals, or workshops.

Electives and course plan

Specialise through electives, including:

- public policy development



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- urban design
- social planning
- sustainable water management
- global cities
- ecosystems and human impact
- green cities.
- work placement
- healthy cities
- GIS principles
- climate change responses.

You may also choose electives subjects from a range of interdisciplinary studies.

Course structure

Choose a plan below to find out more about the subjects you will study and the course structure.

Master of Urban Planning and Environment Program code: MC221

Title	Location	Duration	Plan code	CRICOS
Master of Urban Planning and Environment	City Campus	2 years full-time	MC221	079932C

Program Structure

To graduate you must complete the following. All courses listed may not be available each semester.

Year One of Program



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Complete the following Five (5) Courses:

Course Title	Credit Points	Course Code	Campus
<u>History of Planning</u>	12	ARCH1412	City Campus
<u>Sustainability, Governance and Social Change</u>	12	ENVI1169	City Campus
<u>Strategic Planning issues</u>	12	ARCH1261	City Campus
<u>Urban Economics and Spatial Development</u>	12	ARCH1408	City Campus
<u>Spatial Thinking and Urban Design</u>	12	ARCH1274	City Campus

AND Select and Complete Three (3) Courses from the following:

Course Title	Credit Points	Course Code	Campus
<u>Global Urban Transitions: Processes and Outcomes</u>	12	ARCH1488	City Campus
<u>Climate Change Responses</u>	12	ENVI1222	City Campus



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<u>Ecosystems and Human Impact</u>	12	ENVI1162	City Campus
<u>Environment and Planning Work Placement</u>	12	ENVI1206	City Campus
<u>Environmental Management Systems and Tools</u>	12	ENVI1128	City Campus
<u>Environmental Policy and Governance</u>	12	ENVI1127	City Campus
<u>Global Cities</u>	12	ARCH1402	City Campus
<u>Housing Policy</u>	12	ARCH1270	City Campus
<u>Indigenous Sovereignty and Contemporary Land Policy</u>	12	HUSO2066	City Campus
<u>Infrastructure and Property</u>	12	ARCH1297	City Campus
<u>Intercultural Knowledges and Practices</u>	12	HUSO2378	City Campus
<u>Integrated Transport Planning</u>	12	ARCH1311	City Campus



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<u>Planning Healthy Cities</u>	12	ARCH1312	City Campus
<u>Post Disaster Project Management</u>	12	BUIL1268	City Campus
<u>Urbanisation Issues in the Asia-Pacific Region</u>	12	ARCH1265	City Campus
<u>Communication for Social Change</u>	12	COMM2083	City Campus
<u>Community and Civic Engagement</u>	12	COMM2761	City Campus
<u>Gender in Development</u>	12	HUSO2085	City Campus
<u>GIS Principles</u>	12	GEOM1163	City Campus
<u>Global Governance</u>	12	POLI1099	City Campus
<u>Green Cities</u>	12	ARCH1287	City Campus
<u>Housing and Health</u>	12	BUIL1323	City Campus



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<u>Shape - Multidisciplinary Projects in the Built Environment</u>	12	BUSM4686	City Campus
<u>Global Development</u>	12	HUSO2074	City Campus
<u>Planning for Community Development</u>	12	ARCH1268	City Campus
<u>Social Planning</u>	12	ARCH1321	City Campus

AND

Year Two of Program

Complete the following Five (5) Courses:

Course Title	Credit Points	Course Code	Campus
<u>Natural Resource Management</u>	12	ARCH1482	City Campus
<u>Planning Theory</u>	12	ARCH1272	City Campus
<u>Statutory Planning</u>	12	ENVI1134	City Campus
<u>Research Strategies - Social Sciences</u>	12	HUSO2079	City Campus



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<u>Urban Planning and Environment Project</u>	24	ARCH1411	City Campus
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<u>Global Urban Transitions: Processes and Outcomes</u>	12	ARCH1488	City Campus
<u>Climate Change Responses</u>	12	ENVI1222	City Campus
<u>Ecosystems and Human Impact</u>	12	ENVI1162	City Campus
<u>Environment and Planning Work Placement</u>	12	ENVI1206	City Campus
<u>Environmental Management Systems and Tools</u>	12	ENVI1128	City Campus
<u>Environmental Policy and Governance</u>	12	ENVI1127	City Campus
<u>Global Cities</u>	12	ARCH1402	City Campus



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<u>Housing Policy</u>	12	ARCH1270	City Campus
<u>Indigenous Sovereignty and Contemporary Land Policy</u>	12	HUSO2066	City Campus
<u>Infrastructure and Property</u>	12	ARCH1297	City Campus
<u>Intercultural Knowledges and Practices</u>	12	HUSO2378	City Campus
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