

Master of Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL)

AQF LEVEL

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PROGRAM LEARNING OUTCOMES

PURPOSE	The Masters Degree (Coursework) qualifies individuals who apply an advanced body of knowledge in a range of contexts for professional practice or scholarship and as a pathway for further learning.	
KNOWLEDGE	 Graduates of a Masters Degree (Coursework) will have: a body of knowledge that includes the understanding of recent developments in a discipline and/or area of professional practice knowledge of research principles and methods applicable to a field of work and or learning 	 Graduates of the Master of Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL)will have: Advanced knowledge of the theories, principles and methods for teaching English to speakers of other languages (TESOL) in Australia and internationally Graduates of the Master of Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL) will be able to:
SKILLS	 Graduates of a Masters Degree (Coursework) will have: cognitive skills to demonstrate mastery of theoretical knowledge and to reflect critically on theory and professional practice or scholarship cognitive, technical and creative skills to investigate, analyse and synthesise complex information, problems, concepts and theories and to apply established theories to different bodies of knowledge or practice cognitive, technical and creative skills to generate and evaluate complex ideas and concepts at an abstract level communication and technical research skills to justify and interpret theoretical propositions, methodologies, conclusions and professional decisions to specialist and non-specialist audiences technical and communication skills to design, evaluate, implement, analyse and theorise about developments that contribute to professional 	 use relevant and appropriate TESOL theories to inform professional decision-making around individual teaching practices and reflect on their application in both specific and broader industry contexts critically assess and interpret current TESOL practices and develop innovative approaches for a range of settings that embrace and respect multiple ways of learning collaboratively apply principles of professional, ethical and culturally-sensitive and responsive practices effectively present ideas, concepts, theories and practices through appropriate mediums for diverse learners utilising culturally safe and sensitive communication Interpret and explain evidence-based ideas, concepts and teaching strategies that inform professional decisions to both TESOL and non-TESOL audiences



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APPLICATION OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS	Graduates of a Masters Degree (Coursework) will demonstrate the application of knowledge & skills:
	 with creativity and initiative to new situations in professional practice and/or for further learning
	 with high level personal autonomy and accountability
	 to plan and execute a substantial research-based project, capstone experience and/or piece of scholarship