

Graduate Certificate in Innovation and Entrepreneurship

1 Duration of program

Except with the permission of the Faculty, the Graduate Certificate in Innovation and Entrepreneurship shall be completed in a minimum of one semester or a maximum of four semesters.

2 Admission

2.1 Except as provided for in 2.2 below, a candidate for admission to the program of study for the Graduate Certificate in Innovation and Entrepreneurship shall have qualified for a degree from the University of Adelaide or for a degree of another institution accepted for the purpose by the Faculty as equivalent.

2.2 The Faculty may, in exceptional circumstances and subject to such conditions (if any) as it may see fit to impose in each case, accept as a candidate for the Graduate Certificate in Innovation and Entrepreneurship a person who does not qualify for admission to the program under 2.1 above but has given evidence satisfactory to the Faculty of fitness to undertake work for the degree.

2.3 Status, exemption and credit transfer

Candidates who have previously passed courses in postgraduate awards or equivalent at the University of Adelaide or another university and who wish to count such courses towards the Graduate Certificate in Innovation and Entrepreneurship may, on written application to the Faculty, be granted such status as the Faculty shall determine, to a maximum aggregate value of three (3) units. Courses completed more than five years prior to application to the Faculty will not be considered.

3 Assessment and examinations

3.1 There shall be four classifications of pass in each course for the Graduate Certificate: Pass with High Distinction, Pass with Distinction, Pass with Credit and Pass.

3.2 A candidate shall not be eligible to attend for examination unless the prescribed work has been completed to the satisfaction of the teaching staff concerned.

3.3 A candidate who fails to pass in a course and desires to take the course again shall again undertake study and satisfactorily do such written and practical work as the teaching staff concerned may prescribe, unless specifically exempted there from after written application to the Faculty for such exemption.

3.4 A candidate who has twice failed the examination in any course or division of a course may not enrol for the course again except by special permission of the Faculty and then only under such conditions as may be prescribed.

3.5 For the purpose of this Rule, a candidate who is refused permission to sit for examination, or who fails to attend all or part of a final examination (or supplementary examination if granted) after being enrolled for at least two thirds of the normal period during which the course is taught, shall be deemed to have failed the examination.

4 Qualification requirements

4.1 Academic program

To qualify for the Graduate Certificate in Innovation and Entrepreneurship, a candidate shall satisfactorily complete courses to the value of 12 units, including:

- a core courses to the value of 6 units from 4.1.1
- b elective courses to the value of 6 units from 4.1.2

4.1.1 Core courses

TECHCOMM5016 Entrepreneurship and Innovation	3
TECHCOMM5018 Opportunity Assessment.....	3

4.1.2 Elective Courses

TECHCOMM5001 Marketing Technology and Innovation	3
TECHCOMM 5004 Managing Risk	3
TECHCOMM 5008 Leading and Managing	3
TECHCOMM5015 Project and Innovation Finance & Accounting.....	3
TECHCOMM 5021 Applied Project Management I.....	3
TECHCOMM7022 Creativity and Innovation.....	3
TECHCOMM7028 Managing Strategy and Growth	3
TECHCOMM 7036 Digital Media Entrepreneurship	3

With the permission of the Faculty, electives may be chosen from postgraduate courses taught by the Entrepreneurship, Commercialisation and Innovation Centre (ECIC).

* Note that not all electives may be offered in the online delivery.

4.1.3 The availability of elective courses is conditional on the availability of staff and facilities and sufficient enrolments.

4.2 Unacceptable combination of courses

No candidate will be permitted to count towards an award any course, together with any other course, which, in the opinion of the Faculty concerned, contains a substantial amount of the same material; and no course or portion of a course may be counted twice towards an award.

4.3 Graduation

Subject to Chapter 89 of the Statutes, candidates who have satisfied the requirements for any award of the University shall be admitted to that award.

5 **Special circumstances**

When in the opinion of the relevant Faculty special circumstances exist, the Council, on the recommendation of the Faculty in each case, may vary any of the provisions of the Academic Program Rules for any particular award.