

# Master of Arts

## Academic Program Rules

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### 1 **General**

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- 1.1 This document must be read in conjunction with:
- (a) the General Academic Program Rules for Master by Research Programs (see under Adelaide Graduate Centre, p.8) *and*
  - (b) the Code of Practice for Maintaining and Monitoring Academic Quality and Standards in Higher Degrees by Research, published by the Adelaide Graduate Centre.

These documents explain procedures to be followed and contain guidelines on supervision and research for the degree of Doctor of Philosophy and the various Masters Degrees by Research, offered by the University.

All students must comply with both the General Academic Rules and the rules following below, and procedures outlined in the Code of Practice.

In addition to the General Academic Program Rules for Masters by Research degrees, in this publication, the following discipline specific rules apply.

### 2 **Admission**

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- 2.1 Further to Rule 5.1 of the General Academic Program Rules, an Honours degree in the respective discipline or approved cognate discipline, at IIA or higher, will normally be required for admission to the degree of Master of Arts.

#### 2.2 **Submission of thesis**

Further to Rule 14.3 of the General Academic Program Rules, the degree of Master of Arts shall not be awarded on the basis of a portfolio of publications in lieu of a research thesis.