

Transition Checklist – Master of Urban Planning

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Continuing students following the new 2027 Master of Urban Planning (5789) program

This checklist is for students who commenced the Master of Urban and Regional Planning or Master of Urban Planning prior to 2027 and who have formally changed to the new program structure.

IMPORTANT Notes:

- The information contained in this document is intended as general advice only. Students must follow the program rules & requirements listed on the [Programs and Courses Website](#) relevant to the year they commence. This planner must be used in conjunction with your program duration course list and program rules.
- Students need to check future course offerings, prerequisites, incompatibles and restrictions for all courses as these are subject to change.
- Students cannot take courses that are incompatible with courses already counted towards their program and cannot count the same course twice.

2027 Master of Urban Planning Program Requirements:

Complete 32 units comprising:

- 8 units for MUPlan Foundational Core Courses, and
- 14 units for MUPlan Core Courses, and
- 2 units from MUPlan Program Elective Courses or General Elective Courses, and
- Either:
 - 8 units from one Field of Study from MUPlan Field of Study Option, or
 - 8 units from MUPlan no Field of Study Option

Tick the courses you have completed and nominate the alternative course you plan to choose (if required).

MUPlan Foundational Core Courses*									
P compl.	Complete all 8 units MUPlan Foundational Core Courses:	Sem Offering	#	First offered	Approved Substitution	Sem Offering	#	Last offered	P compl.
	PLAN7116 Transport & Infrastructure Planning	1	2	S1 2027	PLAN7116 Transport Planning	1	2	S1 2026	
	PLAN3100 Urban Innovations	1	2	S1 2027	Course must be completed.				
	PLAN7020 Urban Law & Regulation	2	2	S2 2027	ENVM7123 Regulatory Frameworks for Environmental Management & Planning	1	2	Continuing	
	GEOG7000 Geography of Population and Housing	2	2	S2 2027	GEOG7000 Applied Demography	2	2	S2 2026	

*Students entering the 1.5 year duration receive 8 units of approved credit for the MUPlan Foundational Core Courses.

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P compl.	Complete all 14 units for MUPlan Core Courses:	Sem Offering	#	First offered	Approved Substitution	Sem Offering	#	Last offered	P compl.
	PLAN7000 Planning Systems & Governance	1	2	S1 2027	PLAN7121 Community Participation in Planning (discontinued)	1	2	S1 2026	
	PLAN7001 Planning for Social Change	1	2	S1 2027	PLAN7612 Global South Cities: Development Planning Theory & Practice (discontinued)	1	2	S1 2026	
	PLAN7003 Urban Infrastructure Transitions	2	2	S2 2027	PLAN7615 The Global Metropolis (discontinued)	2	2	S2 2026	
	PLAN7004 Data Science & Technology for Planners	2	2	S2 2027	GEOM7002 Spatial Analysis & Modelling OR GEOM7005 Geographical Information Systems	2 1	2 2	Continuing Continuing	
	UDAD7006 Urban Design: Urban Futures	1	4	S1 2027	PLAN7122 Urban Design Theory & Practice (discontinued) AND PLAN7126 Plan Making (discontinued)	2 2	2 2	S2 2026 S2 2027	
	PLAN7007 Urban Policy Impact Lab	2	2	S2 2027	PLAN7120 CityMaking: Theory & Practice (discontinued)	1	2	S1 2026	

MUPlan Plan Option									
P compl.	Complete 8 units from one field of study option	Sem Offering	#	First offered	Approved Substitution	Sem Offering	#	Last offered	P compl.
	Urban Analytics				New Field of Study. See Table below				
	Environment & Sustainability				New Field of Study. See Table below				
	Research in Urbanism				New Field of Study. See Table below				
	No field of study option				See Table below				

MUPlan Program Elective Courses									
P compl.	Complete 0 to 2 units from MUPlan Program Elective Courses:	Sem Offering	#	First offered	Approved Substitution	Sem Offering	#	Last offered	P compl.
	ADPS3003 Field Experience (in-person)	Ad Hoc	2	Existing	ADPS3003 Field Experience (in-person)	Ad Hoc	2	Continuing	
	ADPS7300 Industry Placement (in-person)	1, 2, Summer	2	Existing	ADPS7300 Industry Placement (in-person)	1, 2, Summer	2	Continuing	

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	ECON7000 Foundations in Microeconomics (in-person)	1,2	2	Existing	ECON7000 Foundations in Microeconomics (in-person)	1,2	2	Continuing	
	ECON7002 Economics for Commerce (in-person)	1,2	2	Existing	ECON7002 Economics for Commerce (in-person)	1,2	2	Continuing	
	MGTS7601 Managing Organisational Behaviour (in-person)	1,2	2	Existing	MGTS7601 Managing Organisational Behaviour (in-person)	1,2	2	Continuing	
	MGTS7618 Wise Leadership (in-person)	1,2	2	Existing	MGTS7618 Wise Leadership (in-person)	1,2	2	Continuing	
	TIMS7317 Corporate Sustainability (in-person)	1,2	2	Existing	TIMS7317 Corporate Sustainability (in-person)	1,2	2	Continuing	
	PLAN7200 International Field Course: Understanding Development Complexities (in-person)	2	2	Existing	PLAN7200 International Field Course: Understanding Development Complexities (in-person)	2	2	Continuing	
	POLS7101 Dynamics of Governance (in-person and external)	2	2	Existing	POLS7101 Dynamics of Governance (in-person and external)	2	2	Continuing	
	POLS7190 Indigenous Politics Within & Beyond The State (in-person)	2	2	Existing	POLS7190 Indigenous Politics Within & Beyond The State (in-person)	2	2	Continuing	
	TOUR7051 Destination Marketing & Management (in-person)	2	2	Existing	TOUR7051 Destination Marketing & Management (in-person)	2	2	Continuing	
	MGTS7619 Leadership: Theory & Practice (in-person)	1	2	Existing	MGTS7619 Leadership: Theory & Practice (in-person)	1	2	Continuing	
	POLS7111 Dynamics of Public Policy (in-person and external)	1	2	Existing	POLS7111 Dynamics of Public Policy (in-person and external)	1	2	Continuing	

MUPlan General Elective Courses

P compl.	Complete 0 to 2 units General Elective Courses:	Sem Offering	#	Last offered	If NOT completed you can choose	Sem Offering	#	First offered	P compl.
	General elective courses means courses which are chosen from any program course list at the university. Selected courses must include 0 to 2 units at level 3 or higher.				No change to this requirement. General elective courses means courses which are chosen from any program course list at the university. Selected courses must include 0 to 2 units at level 3 or higher.				

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8 units for Urban Analytics Field of Study

Urban Analytics Field of Study									
P compl.	Complete 8 units from Urban Analytics Field of Study Courses:	Sem Offering	#	First offered	Approved Substitution	Sem Offering	#	Last offered	P compl.
	GEOG7002 Global Population Issues (in-person, external)	1	2	Existing	GEOG7002 Global Population Issues	1	2	Continuing	
	WATR6105 Integrated Urban Water Management	1	2	Existing	WATR6105 Integrated Urban Water Management	1	2	Continuing	
	GEOM7000 Introduction to Earth Observation Sciences	1	2	Existing	GEOM7000 Introduction to Earth Observation Sciences	1	2	Continuing	
	POLS7888 Technologies, Geopolitics, and Governance (in-person)	1	2	Existing	POLS7888 Technologies, Geopolitics, and Governance (in-person)	1	2	Continuing	
	GEOM7200 Fundamentals of Geographic Information & Technologies	2	2	Existing	GEOM7200 Fundamentals of Geographic Information & Technologies	2	2	Continuing	
	GEOM7002 Spatial Analysis & Modelling (pre-req: GEOM7005 or GEOM7006)	2	2	Existing	GEOM7002 Spatial Analysis & Modelling	2	2	Continuing	
	GEOM7004 Geospatial Processing & Web Mapping	2	2	Existing	GEOM7004 Geospatial Processing & Web Mapping	2	2	Continuing	
	GEOM7001 Earth Observation: Advanced Image Processing & Modelling (pre-req: GEOM200 or GEOM7000)	2	2	Existing	GEOM7001 Earth Observation: Advanced Image Processing & Modelling	2	2	Continuing	
	ENVM7003 Applied Research Methods OR SOCY7339 Introducing Quantitative Research (in-person)	2	2	Existing	ENVM7003 Applied Research Methods OR SOCY7339 Introducing Quantitative Research	2	2	Continuing	

8 units for Environment & Sustainability Field of Study

Environment & Sustainability Field of Study									
P compl.	Complete 8 units from Environment & Sustainability Field of Study Courses:	Sem Offering	#	First offered	Approved Substitution	Sem Offering	#	Last offered	P compl.
	ENVM7512 Environmental Problem Solving	1	2	Existing	ENVM7512 Environmental Problem Solving	1	2	Continuing	
	ENVM7123 Regulatory Frameworks for Environmental Management & Planning	1	2	Existing	ENVM7123 Regulatory Frameworks for Environmental Management & Planning	1	2	Continuing	
	WATR6105 Integrated Urban Water Management	1	2	Existing	WATR6105 Integrated Urban Water Management	1	2	Continuing	
	ENVM7202 Conservation Planning & Management	1	2	Existing	ENVM7202 Conservation Planning & Management	1	2	Continuing	

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	GEOS7106 Environmental Hazards	1	2	Existing	GEOS7106 Environmental Hazards	1	2	Continuing	
	POLS7306 International Crisis Management	1	2	Existing	POLS7306 International Crisis Management	1	2	Continuing	
	ENVM7206 Environmental Impact Assessment	2	2	Existing	ENVM7206 Environmental Impact Assessment	2	2	Continuing	
	ENVM7505 Conservation Policy	2	2	Existing	ENVM7505 Conservation Policy	2	2	Continuing	
	ENVM7530 People, Fire & Environment	2	2	Existing	ENVM7530 People, Fire & Environment	2	2	Continuing	
	ENVM7524 Carbon and Energy Management	2	2	Existing	ENVM7524 Carbon and Energy Management	2	2	Continuing	
	GEOM7200 Fundamentals of Geographic Information & Technologies	2	2	Existing	GEOM7200 Fundamentals of Geographic Information & Technologies	2	2	Continuing	

8 units for Research in Urbanism Field of Study

Research in Urbanism Field of Study									
P compl.	Complete 8 units from Research in Urbanism Field of Study Courses*:	Sem Offering	#	First offered	Approved Substitution	Sem Offering	#	Last offered	P compl.
	ENVM7003 Applied Research Methods	2	2	Existing	ENVM7003 Applied Research Methods	2	2	Continuing	
	PLAN7070 Research Thesis (one-semester course) OR PLAN7071 Research Thesis (one-year course: 2units+4units) OR PLAN7072 Research Thesis (one-year course: 2units+4units)	1,2 OR 1 OR 2	6	S1,2 2028	GEOS7001 Research design (2 units)+ (ADPS7060 Research Thesis (4 units) or ADPS7061 Research Thesis (4 units) or ENVM7110 Research Project (4 units) or ENVM7118 Research Project (4 units)) Or ENVM7125 Research Project (6 units) Or ENVM7126 Research Project (6 units) Or ENVM7127 Research Project (6 units) Or ENVM7128 Research Project (6 units) Or ENVM7129 Research Project (6 units)			Continuing	

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8 units for MUPlan No Field of Study Option

MUPlan Plan Option									
P compl.	Complete 8 units from MUPlan Field of Study Options	Sem Offering	#	First offered	Approved Substitution	Sem Offering	#	Last offered	P compl.
	Urban Analytics Environment & Sustainability				See major tables above for list of course choices				

If you have any questions, please visit <https://adp.uq.edu.au/current-students/program-changes/planning-program-changes-2027>