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| Deakin University Special Edition Bulletin – Course Updates |
| Undergraduate courses |
| **Course Name** | Updates | Description | Website for more information |
| Bachelor of Planning (Honours) | New course offered | Planning is a professional discipline focused on influencing towns, cities and regions by managing development, infrastructure and services. Planners, also known as 'urban planners' or 'town planners' specialise in designing and creating the vibrant places and spaces in which we live, work and play by balancing the built and natural environment with community needs, social equity, cultural significance and economic sustainability. | [deakin.edu.au/study-at-deakin/find-a-course/planning](http://www.deakin.edu.au/study-at-deakin/find-a-course/planning)  |
| Bachelor of Management | New course offered | Deakin’s exciting new Bachelor of Management is designed with you in mind - to equip you with the skills you need to get the job you want! A high level of practical learning enhances the degree, which is invaluable to graduates and prospective employers. | [deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/course.php?course=M325&stutype=local&keywords=m325](http://www.deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/course.php?course=M325&stutype=local&keywords=m325)  |
| Bachelor of Property and Real Estate/Bachelor of Laws | New course offered | The Bachelor of Property and Real Estate/ Bachelor of Laws (BPRE/BLaws) will provide you with a thorough understanding of the both the law discipline and the property and real estate discipline, as well as building on the strong synergy between the two, in a five-year program of study. | [deakin.edu.au/course/bachelor-of-property-and-real-estate-bachelor-of-laws-business](http://www.deakin.edu.au/course/bachelor-of-property-and-real-estate-bachelor-of-laws-business)  |
| Bachelor of Medical Imaging  | New course offered | From 2015 Deakin University will offer a four-year degree in Medical Imaging, otherwise known as Medical Diagnostic Radiography. The course will provide you with the opportunity to develop the knowledge, skills and clinical expertise that enable you to practise as a competent state-registered diagnostic radiographer (subject to accreditation by AHPRA). | [deakin.edu.au/study-at-deakin/find-a-course/medical-imaging](http://www.deakin.edu.au/study-at-deakin/find-a-course/medical-imaging) |
| Bachelor of Psychology (Honours)  | New course offered – replaces the Bachelor of Psychology | The Bachelor of Psychology (Honours) offered at Burwood, Geelong and Warrnambool provides you with the psychology sequence that is accredited by the Australian Psychology Accreditation Council and recognised by the Psychology Board of Australia. This four-year course provides selected students with the opportunity to complete honours in psychology as part of the final year of this degree. | [deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/course.php?course=H345&stutype=local&keywords=H345](http://www.deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/course.php?course=H345&stutype=local&keywords=H345)  |
| Bachelor Public Health and Health Promotion | Now offered in Geelong Waurn Ponds Campus | The Bachelor of Public Health and Health Promotion provides specialist training in public health and health promotion skills. This course will allow you to gain skills in industry-recognised competencies, allowing you to understand and act upon those factors which cause poor health and those factors which create and sustain good health, such as planning and evaluation, health communication strategies, epidemiology, and research skills. | [deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/course.php?course=H313&stutype=local&continue=Continue](http://www.deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/course.php?course=H313&stutype=local&continue=Continue)  |
| Bachelor of Science | New majors offered in this course | Science at Deakin is not just about laboratory work, but prepares students for a range of real-life settings in which today's science graduates work. New major sequences have been introduced to course and provide students with greater opportunity to explore their areas of interest.  | [deakin.edu.au/study-at-deakin/find-a-course/bachelor-of-science](http://www.deakin.edu.au/study-at-deakin/find-a-course/bachelor-of-science)  |
| Bachelor of Design Technology | New course offered – replaces the Bachelor of Engineering Science | There is a worldwide trend towards increasingly agile and adaptable industries. As a result, industry needs versatile, technologically-minded professionals with the design, project management and entrepreneurial skills to drive the product innovations of the future. Deakin University’s Bachelor of Design Technology is distinctive and ideally suited to those interested in acquiring the skills to develop cutting-edge products. | [deakin.edu.au/study-at-deakin/find-a-course/design-technology](http://www.deakin.edu.au/study-at-deakin/find-a-course/design-technology)  |
| Bachelor of Information Technology | New majors offered in this course | Computers and related technologies are a part of everyday life, but relatively few people have the skills to design and build the systems we all rely on. Deakin IT students develop a thorough grounding in the fundamental skills of computing while having the flexibility to choose from a wide range of specialisations according to their interests and career aspirations. | [deakin.edu.au/study-at-deakin/find-a-course/information-technology-undergraduate](http://www.deakin.edu.au/study-at-deakin/find-a-course/information-technology-undergraduate)  |
| Bachelor of Computer Science | New course offered – replaces the Bachelor of Information Technology (Computer Science and Software Development) | Computer Science at Deakin will equip students with the skills to design and develop advanced software and systems, along with the capacity to create and integrate new computing technologies that enhance effective business operation in today's digital age. | [deakin.edu.au/study-at-deakin/find-a-course/computer-science](http://www.deakin.edu.au/study-at-deakin/find-a-course/computer-science)  |
| Bachelor of IT Security | New course offered – Replaces the Bachelor of Information Technology (IT Security) | This course gives students practical and theoretical knowledge in this critical aspect of IT with an emphasis on understanding and assessing the need for IT security in a working environment, knowledge of the security solutions available and an understanding of the business, ethical and legal implications of risk management. | [deakin.edu.au/study-at-deakin/find-a-course/it-security](http://www.deakin.edu.au/study-at-deakin/find-a-course/it-security)  |
| Bachelor of Games Design and Development | New course offered – Replaces the Bachelor of Information Technology (Games Design and Development) | Games design and development provides you with the knowledge and skills to thrive in this dynamic and fast-growing field. You will be exposed to hands-on computer games design and development in a dynamic learning environment and have access to games studios where you can interact and develop team-based projects. | [deakin.edu.au/study-at-deakin/find-a-course/games-design-and-development](http://www.deakin.edu.au/study-at-deakin/find-a-course/games-design-and-development)  |
| Bachelor of Communication (Public Relations) | New course offered - replaces Bachelor of Arts (Media and Communication) | Throughout the course, students will learn about the management of communication between people, organisations, agencies and the public, with the opportunity to undertake an industry internship. | [deakin.edu.au/public relations](http://www.deakin.edu.au/study-at-deakin/find-a-course/public-relations) |
| Bachelor of Communication (Journalism) | New course offered – replaces the Bachelor of Arts (Media and Communication) | Students will develop analytical skills, necessary for reporting events in context with the aim to prepare journalists for the challenges of the 21st century.*Our new suite of Communication courses will help students develop a highly specialised skill set.*  | [deakin.edu.au/journalism](http://www.deakin.edu.au/study-at-deakin/find-a-course/journalism)  |
| Bachelor of Communication (Media) | New course offered - replaces Bachelor of Arts (Media and Communication) | The course involves creative and vocational exploration of emergent trends in the world’s fastest growing industry. | [deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/course.php?course=A333&area=BFOS-COMM-MEDIA&stutype=local&continue=Continue](http://www.deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/course.php?course=A333&area=BFOS-COMM-MEDIA&stutype=local&continue=Continue)  |
| Bachelor of Entertainment Production | New course offered | A new and innovative course, providing students with a myriad of opportunities across various creative and cultural industries. | [deakin.edu.au/entertain](http://www.deakin.edu.au/study-at-deakin/find-a-course/entertainment-production) |
| Bachelor of Creative Arts (Film and Television)  | New course offered- replaces the Bachelor of Film and Digital Media | Students will comprehensively explores the theories, techniques and practices of screen production and screen culture. Film and television are multidisciplinary creative forms, so this course also provides access to the theory and practice of other creative arts including photography, animation and motion capture, drama, dance, visual arts and visual communication design. | [deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/course.php?course=A351&stutype=local&keywords=Film&study\_level=All+levels](http://www.deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/course.php?course=A351&stutype=local&keywords=Film&study_level=All+levels)  |
| Bachelor of Criminology/ Bachelor of IT Security | New course offered – replaces the Bachelor of Criminology/ Bachelor of Information Technology (IT Security) | Deakin’s Bachelor of Criminology/Bachelor of I.T. Security is the only degree of its kind in Australia. It brings together two independent degrees in criminology and I.T. security into an attractive four-year combined course. Combining IT security with criminology covers a wide range of topics concerning the meaning of crime; different forms, causes and consequences of crime; and the different institutions and processes developed for preventing and controlling crime. | [deakin.edu.au/study-at-deakin/find-a-course/information-technology](http://www.deakin.edu.au/study-at-deakin/find-a-course/information-technology) |
| Bachelor of Information Systems/ Bachelor of Information Technology | New course offered | The course offers studies of IT and Information Systems, producing graduates with practical and theoretical knowledge in ICT leading to a spectrum of highly sought after graduate roles. This course will provide students with a thorough grounding in software development, web design, database, networking and project management. | [deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/course.php?course=D371&stutype=local&keywords=Bachelor+of+Information+Systems%2F+Bachelor+of+Information+Technology](http://www.deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/course.php?course=D371&stutype=local&keywords=Bachelor+of+Information+Systems%2F+Bachelor+of+Information+Technology)  |

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| Postgraduate courses |
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| Graduate Diploma of Professional Political Practice  | Now offered via the Cloud (online) learning | The Graduate Diploma of Professional Political Practice is a strongly applied, skills-based, targeted course which qualifies individuals to undertake professional and highly skilled work as political advisors, helping Ministers and other political figures (both in government and opposition) discharge their political, policy and media functions. The course is also a pathway for further learning, and can articulate for instance into Deakin University’s Master of Politics and Policy. | [deakin.edu.au/politics](http://www.deakin.edu.au/study-at-deakin/find-a-course/politics-and-policy) |
| Master of Business Administration | New specialisation offered | From 2015 onward, this course now offers a new specialisation in Public Management and replaces Law | [deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/course.php?course=M701&stutype=local&keywords=Master+of+Business+Administration](http://www.deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/course.php?course=M701&stutype=local&keywords=Master+of+Business+Administration)  |
| Master of Commerce | Specialisations amended | From 2015 onward, this course has had the following specialisations amended, Accounting, Finance, Financial Planning, Insurance and Risk Management, International Trade and Business, Marketing, Public Sector Studies, Retail Management | [deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/course.php?course=M755&stutype=local&keywords=Master+of+Commerce](http://www.deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/course.php?course=M755&stutype=local&keywords=Master+of+Commerce)  |
| Master of Business Administration (International) | Specialisations amended | From 2015 onward, this course has an amended course structure, including the addition of a capstone unit, and existing specialisation is no longer offered, Business Law. | [deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/course.php?course=M751&stutype=local&keywords=Master+of+Business+Administration+%28International%29](http://www.deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/course.php?course=M751&stutype=local&keywords=Master+of+Business+Administration+%28International%29)  |
| Master of Arts and Cultural Management and associated courses | New courses offered | From 2015 onward, this course will have more flexibility with the introduction of the Graduate Certificate and the Graduate Diploma as an entry and exit point, amended admission and selection requirements, and the ability to increase to 16 credit points (2 years duration) for successful completion of a master degree.  | [deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/course.php?course=M765&stutype=local&keywords=Master+of+Arts+and+Cultural+Management](http://www.deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/course.php?course=M765&stutype=local&keywords=Master+of+Arts+and+Cultural+Management)+  |
| Master of Financial Planning | New courses offered | From 2015 onward, this course will have more flexibility with the introduction of the Graduate Certificate and Graduate Diploma as an entry and exit point, amended admission and selection requirements, and the ability to increase to 16 credit points (2 years duration) for successful completion of a master degree.  | [deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/course.php?course=M770&stutype=local&keywords=Master+of+Financial+Planning](http://www.deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/course.php?course=M770&stutype=local&keywords=Master+of+Financial+Planning)  |
| Master of Child Play Therapy | New course offered | Child Play Therapy is a growing specialist area within the mental health and early childhood sectors. Child Play Therapy is an evidence based profession in which play is used as the medium to transform children’s lives when they have experienced abuse or trauma, have a developmental disorder, or are experiencing a mental health issue. | [deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/course.php?course=H705&stutype=local&keywords=Master+of+Child+Play+Therapy+&study\_level=All+levels](http://www.deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/course.php?course=H705&stutype=local&keywords=Master+of+Child+Play+Therapy+&study_level=All+levels)  |
| Master of Construction Management and associated courses | New courses offered and updates to the Construction Management | The Master of Construction Management provides students with the understanding, knowledge and skills in a variety of roles in quantity surveying and construction management and is suitable for personnel involved in the procurement of built facilities as project managers, design managers, construction managers or quantity surveyors as well as people in government departments and commercial organisations who are responsible for the procurement of such facilities.The Master of Construction Management (Professional) of postgraduate construction management courses is designed to provide the specialist skills related to the theoretical, policy, evaluative and research frameworks that underpin the construction professions. The course provides a challenging environment in which you will be encouraged to develop your understanding, knowledge and skills, and inculcated with a sense of being an independent learner in your career.The Master of Construction Management (Research) permits individual research investigations in the construction management and building disciplines. | [deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/results.php?stutype=local&keywords=Master+of+Construction+Management&study\_level=All+levels&campus%5B%5D=Burwood+%28Melbourne%29&campus%5B%5D=Waterfront+%28Geelong%29&campus%5B%5D=Waurn+Ponds+%28Geelong%29&campus%5B%5D=Warrnambool&off\_campus=Y](http://www.deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/results.php?stutype=local&keywords=Master+of+Construction+Management&study_level=All+levels&campus%5B%5D=Burwood+%28Melbourne%29&campus%5B%5D=Waterfront+%28Geelong%29&campus%5B%5D=Waurn+Ponds+%28Geelong%29&campus%5B%5D=Warrnambool&off_campus=Y)  |
| Master of Science (Research) | New course offered | The Master of Science (Research) comprises a unique combination of coursework and research to provide the ideal pathway between undergraduate study and a doctoral degree. Students have the flexibility to choose one of nine specialisations according to their research interests and career aspirations | [deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/course.php?course=S820&stutype=local&keywords=master+of+science+research](http://www.deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/course.php?course=S820&stutype=local&keywords=master+of+science+research) |
| Graduate Certificate of Higher Education and Teaching  | Now offered via the Cloud (online) learning | The Graduate Certificate of Higher Education Learning and Teaching is designed to meet the requirements for credentialing tertiary teaching for academic staff. Such qualifications are becoming increasingly valued across the higher education sector, both in Australia and internationally. | [deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/course.php?course=E575&stutype=local&keywords=Graduate+Certificate+of+Higher+Education+Learning+and+Teaching&study\_level=All+levels](http://www.deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/course.php?course=E575&stutype=local&keywords=Graduate+Certificate+of+Higher+Education+Learning+and+Teaching&study_level=All+levels)  |
| Graduate Diploma of Film and Television  | New course offered | With access to state of the art facilities and equipment, students will gain a practical understanding of professional approaches to creative, technical and logistical problem solving. | [deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/course.php?course=A637&stutype=local&keywords=Graduate+Diploma+of+Film+and+Television](http://www.deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/course.php?course=A637&stutype=local&keywords=Graduate+Diploma+of+Film+and+Television)+  |
| Graduate Diploma of Visual Communication Design  | New course offered | The course considers the broader applications of visual communication design, developing multi-disciplinary design skills to respond to contemporary communication challenges. | [deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/course.php?course=A638&stutype=local&keywords=Graduate+Diploma+of+Visual+Communication+Design](http://www.deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/course.php?course=A638&stutype=local&keywords=Graduate+Diploma+of+Visual+Communication+Design)+  |
| Graduate Diploma of Creative Writing  | New course offered | Our innovative writing course which is offered online, will help you unleash your talents and build the skills necessary to reach your ambitions. | [deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/course.php?course=A636&stutype=local&keywords=Graduate+Diploma+of+Creative+Writing](http://www.deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/course.php?course=A636&stutype=local&keywords=Graduate+Diploma+of+Creative+Writing)+  |
| Master of Creative Arts  | New course offered | The course provides students with advanced academic and professional skills in practice-led research and creative arts production. | [deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/course.php?course=A759&stutype=local&keywords=Master+of+Creative+Arts](http://www.deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/course.php?course=A759&stutype=local&keywords=Master+of+Creative+Arts)+  |
| Waterfront Disciplines – Photography and visual Communication Design  | New disciplines offered at Waterfront - UG | Waterfront is now an exciting creative hub, offering vis comm design, photography and visual arts.There is no need to travel far for a creative education. | [deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/course.php?course=A759&stutype=local&keywords=Master+of+Arts](http://www.deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/course.php?course=A759&stutype=local&keywords=Master+of+Arts)  |