

# Master of Supply Chain Management

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Good supply chain management is becoming increasingly vital to employer profitability and customer satisfaction. With strong demand for trained professionals\*, this degree offers advanced knowledge in key functional and business areas.

## Who is it for?

This program is designed for busy professionals working in procurement and supply chain, or related functions across a variety of sectors. It covers the latest analytical and strategic approaches to give you a solid grounding in real world practices in supply chain management. This program is best suited to early and mid-career professionals.

## Assessments

Assessments usually include a take-home exam, an assignment and a workplace field project. The assessments will enable you to apply the concepts and techniques from the program to your own organisation, and add immediate value.

## Professional accreditation

The Master of Supply Chain Management is accredited by the Chartered Institute of Procurement & Supply (CIPS), granting complimentary student membership. Graduates who meet the CIPS work experience requirements are eligible to apply for full MCIPS membership: [cips.org](http://cips.org)

## Delivery

Subjects are delivered in intensive mode with light meals and refreshments provided. With small class sizes, you can network and tap into the collective experiences of fellow students from a variety of industries.

## Entry requirements:

- An undergraduate degree in a relevant discipline
- A minimum of three years of full-time, relevant professional work experience
- A statement of intent outlining your capacity to successfully undertake the program

Meeting the minimum entry requirements does not guarantee admission.

## PROGRAM SNAPSHOT

Start small and build up or commence the full degree.

- 4-subject Graduate Certificate
- 8-subject Graduate Diploma
- 12-subject Master degree

\* [joboutlook.gov.au](http://joboutlook.gov.au)



**Professor Danny Samson**  
Program Director,  
Master of Supply Chain Management

"The Master of Supply Chain Management balances leading-edge knowledge with practical applications. Delivered in an intensive week of classes every three months followed by field work assessments, the program enables you to apply learnings immediately to your organisation."



**Professor Prakash J. Singh**  
Supply Chain Analysis and  
Foundations of Supply Chain  
Management

"Our program generates the critical knowledge base that senior managers need for dealing with the complex issues involved in many supply chains. Recent case studies of success and failures and industry guest speakers provide in-depth perspectives of contemporary practices."



**Associate Professor  
Vikram Bhakoo**  
e-business and  
Supply Chain Information

"Supply chain management is complex and exciting. Robust and resilient supply chains shape a business's competitiveness. Supply chain decisions impact on a company's financial bottom line, but also on their environmental footprint and social sustainability goals."

**Marissa Hewitt****Graduated 2018****Functional Billing Manager, AGL Energy**

"The intensive nature of the program has enabled me to develop lasting connections with industry professionals, MBS staff and fellow students. As a result of studying the Master of Supply Chain Management, I have been able to expand my consulting offering to attract larger clients with more complex operations."

**Justin Ryan****Graduated 2017****General Manager Logistics and Distribution, Fonterra Australia**

"The Master of Supply Chain Management uses the perfect approach for busy professionals who are ready to hone their skills and take the next step forward in their career. The intensive, face-to-face structure gives you the opportunity to connect with others in the industry, and the assessment is all related to work in the field. For me, it's all about the three E's, Education, Experience, and Ethics."

**Seamus O'Sullivan****Current Student****Procurement Projects Manager, Saputo Inc.**

"The Master of Supply Chain at Melbourne Business School has developed my ability to apply critical thinking to fundamental supply chain issues. The course content includes the most recent research and case studies in global supply chain management issues. The intensive program gives me the flexibility to balance work commitments with study."

## Supply Chain Management program outline

All core subjects are offered in intensive mode. Two subjects are taught in one intensive week. Core subjects are taught at our Carlton campus from 8.30am-5.30pm Monday to Friday. You'll also need to attend two evening workshops per subject, which are scheduled from 6pm-9pm. Light meals and refreshments are provided.

You can undertake this program in 1.5 years full-time or 3 years part-time (part-time only available to local students).

7 core supply chain subjects	2020 Attendance dates~
Supply Chain Analysis	10-14 February
Procurement & Logistics	10-14 February
Emerging Topics in Supply Chain Management	27 April-1 May
Operations & General Management	20-24 July
Foundations of Supply Management	20-24 July
Decision Analysis & Project Management	5-9 October
Supply Chain Technologies	5-9 October
3 elective* subjects	
Students must select a maximum of three electives from the business and economics graduate subject offerings or from the following list of Master of Enterprise subjects:	
Marketing for Managers	3-7 February
Managerial Economics	21-25 September
Behaviour & Leadership in Organisations~	30 November-4 December
Financial & Performance Management~	30 November-4 December
2 capstone* subjects	
Supply Chain Management Project	20-21 February, 4-5 June 16-17 July, 29-30 October
Supply Chain Strategy	27 April-1 May

An eight-subject Graduate Diploma or a four-subject Graduate Certificate are also available.

~Dates correct at time of printing and may be subject to change.  
#Some elective subjects may not be available in intensive mode.  
~Subjects required for MCIPS accreditation.

\*Capstone subjects are a culminating and integrative experience.  
^Subject is taken over the final semester of study.

## Your Career

Discuss your career needs with our team, in person or over the phone.

request an appointment: [mbs.unimelb.edu.au/mscm](https://mbs.unimelb.edu.au/mscm)

## Fees

Domestic: \$34 816 per year, full-time.

International: \$45 824 per year, full-time.

Fees are subject to an annual increase and those quoted are indicative only.

## Application Timelines

### Domestic Students:

Four weeks prior to commencement of each subject\*

\*Late applications may be considered subject to capacity

### International Students:

31 October for February entry

30 April for July entry

Ready to apply: [mbs.unimelb.edu.au/mscm](https://mbs.unimelb.edu.au/mscm)

## CAMPUS LOCATION:

### THE SPOT

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