

Graduate Diploma Taxation Studies

Transitional Arrangements for New 2007/2008 Structure

Transitional Arrangements for Current Graduate Diploma Taxation Studies students

The Graduate Diploma Taxation Studies has been restructured with effect from Session 1 2008. A Graduate Certificate in Taxation Studies is also being offered from Session 1 2008.

Current students need to note the following transitional arrangements.

Students must note that each of the numbered paragraphs below must be read as a whole. Students may not rely on a specific numbered paragraph as a stand alone transitional arrangement. Each of the numbered paragraphs below refers to student enrolled in the Graduate Diploma prior to session 1 2008.

1. Students that commenced the Graduate Diploma Taxation Studies program prior to session 1 2008 who have not completed their program by the end of session 2 2007 will no longer be required to do any of the following courses:
 - a. ATAX0117 Tax Accounting; and
 - b. ATAX0108 Principles of Capital Gains Tax.

Note:

Essential elements of	From 2008, incorporated into
ATAX0117 Tax Accounting	ATAX0100 Principles of Australian Taxation Law
ATAX0108 Principles of Capital Gains Tax	ATAX0100 Principles of Australian Taxation Law ATAX0113 Taxation of Companies, Trusts & Partnerships

2. Those students enrolled prior to session 1 2008 who have done the courses in paragraph 1 above will have them credited to the required courses that need to be completed.
3. Those students enrolled prior to session 1 2008 who have not done the courses mentioned in paragraph 1 above will still have to complete the other core courses

prescribed at the time when they enrolled. These courses are listed below.

4. Students who are enrolled from session 1 2008 will need to complete the 8 courses listed below only, in order to gain the Graduate Diploma.
5. Students who intend completing their program by the end of session 2 2007 must have completed a minimum of 8 courses prescribed in the Graduate Diploma when they enrolled and which are currently being offered. These include the courses mentioned in paragraph 1 above.

If students have any queries on how these transitional arrangements operate they are to contact Student services on (02) 9385 9555.

Restructured Program Effective from Session 1 2008

The Graduate Diploma in Taxation Studies will consist of 8 compulsory courses:

- ATAX0100 Principles of Aust Tax Law (6 UOC)
- ATAX0103 Microeconomics & Aust Tax Syst (6 UOC)
- ATAX0104 Framework of Commercial Law (6 UOC)
- ATAX0105 Accounting 1 (6 UOC)
- ATAX0106 Tax Administration (6 UOC)
- ATAX0113 Tax'n of Co,Trusts & Partner (UOC)
- ATAX0116 Critical Perspectives & Ethics (6 UOC)
- ATAX0123 Principles of GST Law (6 UOC)

Please note that, where courses are run in tandem with the Bachelor of Taxation (ATAX00**), the prerequisites and corequisites applying to parallel Bachelor of Taxation courses do not apply to the Graduate Diploma in Taxation Studies courses.

From session 1 2008 a Graduate Certificate may be awarded to a candidate that has completed ATAX0100 Principles of Aust Tax Law (6 UOC) and any three of:

- ATAX0103 Microeconomics & Aust Tax Syst (6 UOC)
- ATAX0104 Framework of Commercial Law (6 UOC)
- ATAX0105 Accounting 1 (6 UOC)
- ATAX0106 Tax Administration (6 UOC)
- ATAX0113 Tax'n of Co,Trusts & Partner (UOC)
- ATAX0116 Critical Perspectives & Ethics (6 UOC)
- ATAX0123 Principles of GST Law (6 UOC)