

Master of Arts (Ageing and Pastoral Studies) Articulated Set

includes:

Master of Arts (Ageing and Pastoral Studies)
Graduate Diploma of Ageing and Pastoral Studies
Graduate Certificate in Ageing and Pastoral Studies

The course includes the following awards:

Graduate Certificate in Ageing and Pastoral Studies *GradCertAgeing&PastStud*

Graduate Diploma of Ageing and Pastoral Studies *GradDipAgeing&PastStud*

Master of Arts (Ageing and Pastoral Studies) *MA(Ageing&PastStud)*

Course Study Modes and Locations

Graduate Certificate in Ageing and Pastoral Studies (1301AP)

On Campus - Canberra

Availability is subject to change, please verify prior to enrolment.

Normal course duration

Master of Arts (Ageing and Pastoral Studies)

Full-time 2.0 years (4.0 sessions)

Graduate Diploma of Ageing and Pastoral Studies

Full-time 1.0 years (2.0 sessions)

Graduate Certificate in Ageing and Pastoral Studies

Full-time 0.5 years (1.0 sessions)

Normal course duration is the effective period of time taken to complete a course when studied Full-time (Full-time Equivalent: FTE). Students are advised to consult the Enrolment Pattern for the actual length of study. Not all courses are offered in Full-time mode.

Admission criteria

[CSU Admission Policy](#)

Master of Arts (Ageing and Pastoral Studies)

1. Successful completion of a relevant undergraduate degree;
or
2. Successful completion of the CSU Graduate Diploma of Ageing and Pastoral Studies,
or equivalent.

Applicants without tertiary qualifications must satisfactorily complete the Graduate Diploma of Ageing and Pastoral Studies prior to admission to the Master of Arts (Ageing and Pastoral Studies).

Graduate Diploma of Ageing and Pastoral Studies

1. Successful completion of a relevant undergraduate degree;
or
2. Successful completion of the CSU Graduate Certificate in Ageing and Pastoral Studies,
or equivalent.

Applicants without tertiary qualifications must satisfactorily complete the Graduate Certificate of Ageing and Pastoral Studies prior to admission to the Graduate Diploma of Ageing and Pastoral Studies.

Graduate Certificate in Ageing and Pastoral Studies

1. A relevant undergraduate degree;
or
2. For applicants without tertiary qualifications a letter of motivation must be provided together with evidence of at least four years relevant work experience.

Credit

[CSU Credit Policy](#)

Master of Arts (Ageing and Pastoral Studies)

Applicants who have successfully completed the nine core subjects within the Graduate Diploma of Ageing and Pastoral Studies will receive 64 credit points towards the Master of Arts (Ageing and Pastoral Studies).

Graduate Diploma of Ageing and Pastoral Studies

Applicants who have successfully completed the five core subjects within the Graduate Certificate in Ageing and Pastoral Studies will receive 32 credit points towards the Graduate Diploma of Ageing and Pastoral Studies.

Graduate Certificate in Ageing and Pastoral Studies

No special arrangements apply.

Articulation

The Master, Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate make up an articulated set of courses and credit is given in each higher level course for the subjects completed in the lower.

Graduation requirements

Master of Arts (Ageing and Pastoral Studies)

To graduate students must satisfactorily complete 128 points.

Graduate Diploma of Ageing and Pastoral Studies

To graduate students must satisfactorily complete 64 points.

Graduate Certificate in Ageing and Pastoral Studies

To graduate students must satisfactorily complete 32 points.

Course Structure

Graduate Certificate in Ageing and Pastoral Studies (32)

Four core subjects (32)

[THL445](#) Psychosocial and Spiritual Development in Older People

[THL446](#) Pastoral Care and Elderly People

[THL451](#) Ethical and Theological Issues in Ageing

[THL459](#) The Ageing Person: Challenges for Body and Spirit

Graduate Diploma of Ageing and Pastoral Studies (64)

Eight core subjects (64)

[THL444](#) Ministry with Older People in Residential Care

[THL445](#) Psychosocial and Spiritual Development in Older People

[THL446](#) Pastoral Care and Elderly People

[THL447](#) Pastoral Care in Mental Health and Dementia

[THL451](#) Ethical and Theological Issues in Ageing

[THL459](#) The Ageing Person: Challenges for Body and Spirit

[THL462](#) Theological Perspectives in Ageing

[WEL424](#) Loss, Grief and Palliative Care for Older People

Master of Arts (Ageing and Pastoral Studies)

Twelve core subjects (96)

[THL444](#) Ministry with Older People in Residential Care

[THL445](#) Psychosocial and Spiritual Development in Older People

[THL446](#) Pastoral Care and Elderly People

[THL447](#) Pastoral Care in Mental Health and Dementia

[THL451](#) Ethical and Theological Issues in Ageing

[THL459](#) The Ageing Person: Challenges for Body and Spirit

[THL462](#) Theological Perspectives in Ageing

[WEL424](#) Loss, Grief and Palliative Care for Older People

[THL563](#) Pastoral Care in Ageing: Family and Social Contexts (16)

[THL566](#) Pastoral Practice in Ageing: Politics, Policy and Principles

[THL530](#) Social Research Methods for Pastoral Studies

and one of the following streams (32):

Pastoral Care (32)

[THL564](#) Dementia: Challenge for Pastoral Care

[THL565](#) Dying, Death and Pastoral Care in Ageing

[THL560](#) Issues in Ageing: Project (16)

or

Research in Ageing and Pastoral Studies (32)

[THL660](#) Masters Dissertation in Ageing and Pastoral Studies (32)

Enrolment Pattern

Graduate Certificate in Ageing and Pastoral Studies (32)

Session 1

[THL445](#) Psychosocial and Spiritual Development in Older People

[THL459](#) The Ageing Person: Challenges for Body and Spirit

Session 2

[THL446](#) Pastoral Care and Elderly People

[THL451](#) Ethical and Theological Issues in Ageing

Graduate Diploma of Ageing and Pastoral Studies (64)

Session 1

[THL445](#) Psychosocial and Spiritual Development in Older People

[THL459](#) The Ageing Person: Challenges for Body and Spirit

Session 2

[THL446](#) Pastoral Care and Elderly People

[THL451](#) Ethical and Theological Issues in Ageing

Session 3

[WEL424](#) Loss, Grief and Palliative Care in Older People

[THL444](#) Ministry with Older People in Residential Care

Session 4

[THL447](#) Pastoral Care in Mental Health and Dementia

[THL462](#) Theological Perspectives in Ageing

Master of Arts (Ageing and Pastoral Studies) (128)

Session 1

[THL445](#) Psychosocial and Spiritual Development in Older People

[THL459](#) The Ageing Person: Challenges for Body and Spirit

Session 2

[THL446](#) Pastoral Care and Elderly People

[THL451](#) Ethical and Theological Issues in Ageing

Session 3

[WEL424](#) Loss, Grief and Palliative Care in Older People

[THL444](#) Ministry with Older People in Residential Care

Session 4

[THL447](#) Pastoral Care in Mental Health and Dementia

[THL462](#) Theological Perspectives in Ageing

Session 5

[THL563](#) Pastoral Care in Ageing: Family and Social Contexts (16)

Session 6

[THL566](#) Pastoral Practice in Ageing: Politics, Policy and Principles

[THL530](#) Social Research Methods for Pastoral Studies

Session 7

Either

[THL564](#) Dementia: Challenge for Pastoral Care

[THL560](#) Issues in Ageing: Project (16) Commenced

or

[THL660](#) Masters Dissertation in Ageing and Pastoral Studies (32) Commenced

Session 8

Either

[THL565](#) Dying, Death and Pastoral Care in Ageing

[THL560](#) Issues in Ageing: Project (16) Completed

or

[THL660](#) Masters Dissertation in Ageing and Pastoral Studies (32) (Completed)

Contact

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