

Advance your career in business and management

If you already hold a degree, our postgraduate business programmes provide the perfect opportunity to build on your experience and develop leadership, strategic thinking and applied management skills. You'll be equipped to lead confidently, innovate effectively and make a meaningful impact in today's global business world.



- Industry focused, practical, globally recognised qualifications
- Hands-on learning applying knowledge to real-world challenges
- Flexible pathways between qualifications
- Eligible for one year or three years' post study work visa depending on duration of study in New Zealand

Postgraduate Diploma in Applied Management

Level: 8

Duration: One year

Location: Christchurch, New Zealand

Intakes: February, April, July, October

2026 fees: \$29,229 per year*

Focus

- Strategic leadership and management
- Real-world business problem solving
- Sustainable and innovative business practices

Pathway

Provides a pathway to the master's programme

Master of Applied Management

Level: 9

Location: Christchurch, New Zealand

Intakes: February, April, July, October

Two options: 180 credits

Duration: 18 months

2026 fees: \$27,458 per year*

240 credits

Two years

\$27,635 per year

Focus

Money, markets, people and culture, planning, technology, innovation, globalisation and sustainability

**Fees are subject to change and do not include the student services fee*

Career Pathways

As a graduate of either programme, you'll be equipped to start, grow or manage a business, or pursue professional roles across a wide range of industries, including:

- Financial and cost management
- Managing diverse people and businesses
- Strategic planning and management
- Corporate planning
- Technology management and control
- Innovation and entrepreneurship
- Business consultancy
- Product and service marketing
- Operations and global business
- Sustainable business practices
- Industry and business research



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