

# The Griffith Graduate

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| Description           | This policy states the characteristics that the University seeks to engender in its graduates through its bachelor degree programs and postgraduate qualifications. |

#### Related documents

Program and Course Policy

Academic Awards Procedure

Student Charter Framework

Academic Plan 2021-2025 Graduates confident to face the future

Student-Centred Education Policy

#### Griffith University prepares influential graduates to be:

- 1. Knowledgeable and skilled, with critical judgement
- 2. Effective communicators and collaborators
- 3. Innovative, creative and entrepreneurial
- 4. Socially responsible and engaged in their communities
- 5. Culturally capable when working with First Australians
- 6. Effective in culturally diverse and international environments

Forms of evidence which demonstrate these graduate attributes include:

## 1. Knowledgeable and skilled, with critical judgement

- Comprehensive knowledge and skills relating to their disciplines
- Ability to analyse and critically evaluate arguments and evidence
- Facility with interdisciplinary perspectives
- Capacity to find, evaluate and use information
- Ability to apply professional knowledge and skills in the workplace

#### 2. Effective communicators and collaborators

- Capacity to communicate effectively with others orally and in writing
- Capacity to communicate effectively with others using technological and creative media

Capacity to interact and collaborate with others effectively in the workplace

### 3. Innovative, creative and entrepreneurial

- Ability to deploy knowledge and skills to devise solutions to problems
- Knowledge of research methodologies appropriate to their disciplines
- Ability to generate creative works and perspectives
- Capacity to manage their careers independently

### 4. Socially responsible and engaged in their communities

- Ethical awareness and academic integrity
- Capacity to apply interdisciplinary knowledge to solve real problems
- Understanding of social and civic responsibilities, human rights and sustainability

### 5. Culturally capable when working with First Australians

Awareness of and respect for the values and knowledges of First Australian peoples

### 6. Effective in culturally diverse and international environments

- Ability to interact successfully in culturally or linguistically diverse contexts
- Capacity to apply global knowledge and perspectives