Culinary Nutrition Science

2027 Elective Units

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Prerequisites

You will not be able to enrol in a unit in Student Connect if you don't meet the prerequisite requirements. This helps stop you from enrolling in units incorrectly.

You can find out about unit prerequisite requirements in your Course Enrolment Guide.

Under some circumstances, you might be eligible for a prerequisite waiver. You can find out more about prerequisites and how to apply for a waiver on the Student Portal.

Please refer to the 2027 ACU Handbook for descriptions of Elective units.

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Course Map

Electives 2027

20 cp of any postgraduate units that are approved by the course Adviser, including the options listed below. In addition, Students may take Electives drawn from the Schedule of Unit Offerings (listed) and/or other units drawn from relevant ACU postgraduate programs; or by cross-institutional study with prior approval of the Course Adviser:

Professional Term 2 2027 - (or equivalent International Term) Mon 1 Feb 2027 to Sun 11 April 2027 Census: Mon 22 Feb 2027

CODE	TITLE	Mode	Prereq
NUTR609[1]	Food and Culture Study Experience	M*	*Nil*

* Multi-mode

ACU Term 1 Mon 1 Feb 2027 to Sun 11 Apr 2027 Census: Mon 22 Feb 2027

CODE	TITLE	Mode	Prereq
BUSN602	Money Management	OU	*Pre Nil Inc: ACCT600*
BUSN609	Business Communication for the 21st Century	OU	*Nil*
ENTR601	Entrepreneurship	OU	*Pre: Nil Inc: BUSN607*
MGMT641	Organisational Dynamics and Behaviour	OU	*Nil*

select Study Period "ACU Term 1" in Student Connect)

Semester 1 2027 Units available to all Culinary Nutrition Science students Mon 1 Mar 2027 to Sun 27 Jun 2027 Census: Tues 30 Mar 2027

CODE	TITLE	Mode	Prereq
NUTR603*[2]	Engaging with Communities	M*	*Pre: NUTR500 or NUTR404*
MGMT641	Organisational Dynamics and Behaviour	A**	*Nil*

select Study Period "Semester 1" in Student Connect)

*Multi-mode in Melbourne and North Sydney

** Attendance-mode in Melbourne and Sydney

Semester 1 – Units only available to practising dietitians Mon 1 Mar 2027 to Sun 27 Jun 2027 Census: Tues 30 Mar 2027

CODE	TITLE	Mode	Prereq
NUTR605*	Dietetic Practice and Management	C	*Pre: NUTR601*

select Study Period "Semester 1" in Student Connect)

*Attendance mode in Melbourne and North Sydney only.

Professional Term 4 2027 - (or equivalent International Term) Mon 12 April 2027 to Sun 20 Jun 2027 Census: Mon 3 May 2027

CODE	TITLE	Mode	Prereq
NUTR603*[3]	Engaging with Communities	M*	*Pre: NUTR500 or NUTR404*

* Multi-mode

ACU Term 2 Mon 26 Apr 2027 to Sun 4 Jul 2027 Census: Mon 17 May 2027

CODE	TITLE	Mode	Prereq
EXSC668	Performance Nutrition (10cp)	OU	*NIL*
HLSC603	Organisational Culture and Management	M*	*Nil*
HLSC603	Organisational Culture and Management	OU	*Nil*
HLSC605	Leadership in Health Care	M*	*Nil*
HLSC605	Leadership in Health Care	OU	*Nil*
HLSC661	Facilitative Leadership, Coaching and Mentoring	OU	*Nil*

select Study Period "ACU Term 2" in Student Connect)

*Multi-mode in North Sydney

Winter Term 2027 - (or equivalent International Term) Mon 24 May 2027 to Sun 1 Aug 2027 Census: Mon 28 Jun 2027

CODE	TITLE	Mode	Prereq
NUTR609[4]	Food and Culture Study Experience	M*	*Nil*

select Study Period "Winter" in Student Connect)

* Multi-mode

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[1] NUTR609 Rome offering in PT2 2027 (or equivalent International Term) Please see 'Study health sciences overseas – ACU for more information

[2] NUTR603 Rome, Melbourne and North Sydney offering in Semester 1 2027 (or equivalent International Term). Please see 'Study health sciences overseas – ACU for more information

[3] NUTR603 Bali. Solomon Islands, Melbourne and North Sydney offering in PT4 2027 (or equivalent International Term). Please see 'Study health sciences overseas – ACU for more information

[4] NUTR609 Bali and Solomon Islands offering in Winter 2027 (or equivalent International Term) Please see 'Study health sciences overseas – ACU for more information

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ACU Term 3 Mon 19 Jul 2027 to Sun 26 Sep 2027 Census: Mon 09 Aug 2027

CODE	TITLE	Mode	Prereq
BUSN602	Money Management	OU	*Pre Nil Inc: ACCT600*
BUSN609	Business Communication for the 21st Century	OU	*Nil*
ENTR601	Entrepreneurship	OU	*Pre: Nil Inc: BUSN607*
EXSC668	Performance Nutrition (10cp)	OU	*NIL*
MGMT641	Organisational Dynamics and Behaviour	OU	*Nil*

select Study Period "ACU Term 3" in Student Connect)

*Multi-mode in North Sydney

Semester 2 – Units available to all Culinary Nutrition Science students Mon 2 Aug 2027 to Sun 28 Nov 2027 Census: Mon 30 Aug 2027

CODE	TITLE	Mode	Prereq
ENTR601*	Entrepreneurship	OS	*Pre: Nil Inc: BUSN607*
PUBH642	Global Nutrition and Food Security	M**	*Nil*
PUBH642	Global Nutrition and Food Security	OU	*Nil*

select Study Period "Semester 2" in Student Connect)

*Attendance mode in Melbourne and North Sydney only

** Muli-mode in Melbourne only

Semester 2 – Units only available to practising dietitians Mon 2 Aug 2027 to Sun 28 Nov 2027 Census: Mon 30 Aug 2027

CODE	TITLE	Mode	Prereq
NUTR601*	Entrepreneurial Dietetic Practice	M	*Pre: NUTR405 or NUTR504*
NUTR602*	Research in Food, Nutrition and Dietetics 2	M	*Pre: NUTR505*

select Study Period "Semester 2" in Student Connect)

*Multi-mode in Melbourne and North Sydney only.

ACU Term 4 Mon 11 Oct 2027 to Sun 19 Dec 2027 Census: 1 Nov 2027

CODE	TITLE	Mode	Prereq
EXSC668	Performance Nutrition (10cp)	OU	*NIL*
HLSC603	Organisational Culture and Management	OU	*Nil*
HLSC605	Leadership in Health Care	OU	*Nil*
HLSC661	Facilitative Leadership, Coaching and Mentoring	OU	*Nil*
HLSC661	Facilitative Leadership, Coaching and Mentoring	M*	*Nil*

select Study Period "ACU Term 4" in Student Connect)

*Multi-mode in North Sydney only.

PLEASE NOTE FOR THE MAP ABOVE

Prerequisites ('*Pre:*') and Incompatibles (*'Inc:*) are added in italics. Prerequisites are other units that you must have passed *before* enrolling in the unit. Incompatibles are units that extremely similar. If you have already successfully passed an Incompatible unit, you are not able to enrol in this unit.

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You can find out about unit prerequisite requirements in your Course Enrolment Guide.

Under some circumstances, you might be eligible for a prerequisite waiver. You can find out more about prerequisites and how to apply for a waiver on the Student Portal.

Students who do not follow the sequence recommended in their Course Map cannot be guaranteed a clash free timetable or completion within the normal course duration period. Any student studying outside the above sequence should consult with their Course Adviser prior to enrolling.

UNIT STUDY MODES

The study mode describes the way that a unit is taught.
All units are delivered in Attendance mode, unless otherwise indicated in the map.

A - Attendance

Most learning activities or classes are delivered at a scheduled time, on campus, or approved ACU delivery site, to enable in-person interactions. Activities will appear in a student's timetable.

M - Multi-mode

Learning activities are delivered through a planned mix of online and in-person classes, which may include full-day sessions and/or placements, to enable interaction. Activities that require attendance will appear in a student's timetable.

OS - Online Scheduled

Fully online with learning activities held at scheduled times.

OU - Online unscheduled

Learning activities are accessible at anytime, anywhere. These units are normally delivered fully online and will not appear in a student's timetable.

Course Advice

Course Advisers are available to assist you with course advice. Students should in the first instance contact the Course Administrator on their campus. If required, your query will be referred to a Course Adviser. Any student studying outside the above sequence should consult with their Course Adviser prior to enrolling. Please email your enquiry or request to make an appointment.

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