

FACULTY OF LAND AND FOOD RESOURCES - APPENDIX F

These Resolutions on Selection are to be read in the context of the *General Notes on the Interpretation of Resolutions on Selection*.

UNDERGRADUATE COURSES

1. A full-fee overseas student may be selected if the student has obtained a score of 550 in the American Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) with a test of Written English (TWE) of 4 or an overall Band score of 6 in the International English Language Testing System (IELTS) at a sitting in the twenty-four months preceding the application provided they enrol in the subject, Advanced English as a Second Language 1, in the first year of study. For students who are selected using this resolution, passing Advanced English as a Second Language 1 is a requirement for continuation of enrolment after the first year of study, and failure to pass the selected subject will result in a referral to the Unsatisfactory Progress Committee of the Faculty of Land and Food Resources. Students undertaking a program of 100 credit points or less should note that they may be required to complete this subject in addition to the course requirements. For international students this may lengthen the duration of the course and add to its financial costs.
2. For candidates resident at a Faculty of Land and Food Resources campus outside Melbourne, the subject Advanced English as a Second Language 1, with the approval of the Chair of Student Entry Pathways Sub-Committee, can be substituted with an equivalent English as a Second Language subject provided through an accredited ELICOS provider within that geographic area.
3. Selection
 - 3.1 The Selection Committee may, at its discretion, take into account any work experience that may be relevant to the course and any information revealed through interviews arranged for the purpose of eliciting details of work experience.
 - 3.2 The Selection Committee may, at its discretion, take into account any written information submitted by the applicant.

Bachelor of Agriculture - 300 credit points

1. The Selection Committee will evaluate the applicant's ability to pursue successfully the course using the following criteria-
 - VCE Units 1 and 2 - General Mathematics or Mathematical Methods.
 - VCE units 3 and 4 (or equivalent) - a study score of at least 25 in English (any).

Bachelor of Horticulture - 300 credit points

1. The Selection Committee will evaluate the applicant's ability to pursue successfully the course using the following criterion-
 - VCE units 3 and 4 (or equivalent) - a study score of at least 25 in English (any).

Bachelor of Agricultural Science - 300 credit points

Bachelor of Animal Science and Management - 300 credit points

Bachelor of Food Science - 300 credit points

Bachelor of Forest Science - 300 credit points

Bachelor of Natural Resource Management - 300 credit points

1. The Selection Committee will evaluate the applicant's ability to pursue successfully the course using the following criterion-
 - VCE units 3 and 4 (or equivalent) - a study score of at least 25 in English (any) and either a study score of at least 25 in Mathematical Methods or a study score of at least 30 in Further Mathematics.

Associate Degree of Agriculture - 200 credit points

Associate Degree of Environmental Horticulture - 200 credit points

Associate Degree of Forestry Management - 200 credit points

Associate Degree of Wood Products Management - 200 credit points

1. The Selection Committee will evaluate the applicant's ability to pursue successfully the course using the following criterion -
 - VCE units 3 and 4 (or equivalent) - a study score of at least 25 in each of English (any).

Bachelor of Agricultural Science/Bachelor of Commerce - 500 credit points

1. The Selection Committee will evaluate the applicant's ability to pursue successfully the course using the following criterion-
 - VCE units 3 and 4 (or equivalent) - a study score of at least 25 in each of English (any) and Mathematical Methods.

Bachelor of Forest Science/Bachelor of Science - 500 credit points

1. The Selection Committee will evaluate the applicant's ability to pursue successfully the course using the following criteria-
 - VCE units 3 and 4 (or equivalent) - a study score of at least 25 in each of English (any), Mathematical Methods and in two of Biology, Chemistry, an additional mathematics, Physics; or for applicants with an ENTER score of 92 or greater,
 - VCE units 3 and 4 (or equivalent) - a study score of at least 25 in each of English (any), Mathematical Methods and in one of Biology, Chemistry or Physics.

POSTGRADUATE COURSES

An international student who has obtained a score of 550 in the American Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) with a Test of Written English (TWE) or 4.0, or an overall Band score of 6.0 in the International English Language Testing System (IELTS) with a Writing Band of 5.5, at a sitting in the twenty-four months preceding the application:

1. may be selected for entry into an 150credit point masters Masters or Diploma or a preliminary course of study provided they take, as a component of the elective coursework, Advanced English as a Second Language 1, or equivalent subject, in the first semester of study; or
2. may be selected for entry into a 100 credit point Masters or Diploma provided they extend their period of their study and take as additional course work, the subject Advanced English as a Second Language 1, or equivalent, in the first semester of study.

For students who are selected using this resolution, passing, Advanced English as a Second Language 1 or an equivalent English as a Second Language subject is a requirement for continuing enrolment in the degree. International students should note that in some instances this may increase the costs of the course.

Master of Agribusiness - 150 credit points

1. The Selection Committee will evaluate the applicant's ability to pursue successfully the course using the following criterion -
 - an honours degree or, a four year undergraduate degree with honours in an appropriate discipline and at least two years of documented relevant work or management experience.
2. The Selection Committee may conduct interviews and tests and call for referees reports and employer references to elucidate any of the matters referred to above.

Master of Food Science - 150 credit points

1. The Selection Committee will evaluate the applicant's ability to pursue successfully the course using the following criteria -
 - an honours degree in a cognate discipline or equivalent; or
 - a graduate diploma in a cognate discipline and at least two years of documented relevant work experience; or

- an undergraduate degree in a cognate discipline and at least one year of documented relevant work experience or equivalent.
2. The Selection Committee may conduct interviews and tests and call for referees reports and employer references to elucidate any of the matters referred to above.

Master of Forest Industries - 150 credit points

1. The Selection Committee will evaluate the applicant's ability to pursue successfully the course using the following criterion -
 - an undergraduate degree in a cognate discipline with at least H2B (70%) average or equivalent.
2. The Selection Committee may, at its discretion, seek additional information to elucidate any of the matters above.

Graduate Certificate in Agribusiness - 50 credit points

1. The Selection Committee will evaluate the applicant's ability to pursue successfully the course using the following criteria -
 - an undergraduate degree with at least two years of documented relevant professional/managerial experience; or
 - a demonstrated understanding of complex systems in business and at least five years of documented relevant professional/management experience.
2. The Selection Committee may, at its discretion, seek additional information to elucidate any of the matters above.

Graduate Certificate in Dairy Technology - 50 credit points

Graduate Certificate in Forest Industries - 50 credit points

Graduate Certificate in Wine Technology and Viticulture - 50 credit points

1. The Selection Committee will evaluate the applicant's ability to pursue successfully the course using the following criteria-
 - an undergraduate degree; or
 - a TAFE or Higher Education Advanced Diploma in an appropriate discipline and three years of documented relevant work experience or equivalent; or
 - a TAFE Diploma in an appropriate discipline and four and half years of documented relevant work experience or equivalent; or
 - six years full time, relevant, work experience, including at least three years in a supervisory role.
2. The Selection Committee may, at its discretion, seek additional information to elucidate any of the matters above.

Graduate Certificate in Horticulture - 50 credit points

1. The Selection Committee will evaluate the applicant's ability to pursue successfully the course using the following criteria-
 - an undergraduate degree; or
 - a TAFE or Higher-Education Advanced Diploma in an appropriate discipline and three years of documented relevant work experience or equivalent; or
 - a TAFE Diploma in an appropriate discipline and four and a half years of documented relevant work experience or equivalent; or
 - six years of documented relevant work experience with complex horticultural systems, or equivalent, including at least three years in a supervisory, managerial or designer role.
2. The Selection Committee may, at its discretion, seek additional information to elucidate any of the matters above.

Graduate Diploma in Agricultural Science - 100 credit points

1. The Selection Committee will evaluate the applicant's ability to pursue successfully the course using the following criteria -
 - an undergraduate degree or equivalent; or

- a TAFE or Higher Education Advanced Diploma in an appropriate discipline and two years of documented relevant work experience or equivalent; or
 - a TAFE Diploma in an appropriate discipline and four years of documented relevant work experience or equivalent; or
 - at least six years full time, documented, relevant, work experience with complex agricultural systems including at least three years in a supervisory or managerial role, or equivalent.
2. The Selection Committee may, at its discretion, seek additional information to elucidate any of the matters above.

Graduate Diploma in Dairy Technology - 100 credit points

Graduate Diploma in Horticulture - 100 credit points

Graduate Diploma in Wine Technology and Viticulture - 100 credit points

1. The Selection Committee will evaluate the applicant's ability to pursue successfully the course using the following additional criterion -
 - undergraduate degree and at least one years of documented relevant professional or work experience, or equivalent.
2. The Selection Committee may, at its discretion, seek additional information to elucidate any of the matters above.

Graduate Diploma in Forest Industries - 100 credit points

1. The Selection Committee will evaluate the applicant's ability to pursue successfully the course using the following criteria-
 - an undergraduate degree; or
 - a TAFE or Higher Education Advanced Diploma in an appropriate discipline and three years of documented relevant work experience or equivalent; or
 - a TAFE Diploma in an appropriate discipline and four and half years of documented relevant work experience or equivalent; or
 - six years full time relevant work experience including at least three years in a supervisory role.
2. The Selection Committee may, at its discretion, seek additional information to elucidate any of the matters above.

Postgraduate Certificate in Food Science - 50 credit points

Postgraduate Diploma in Food Science - 100 credit points

1. The Selection Committee will evaluate the applicant's ability to pursue successfully the course using the following criteria -
 - an honours degree in a cognate discipline or equivalent; or
 - a graduate diploma in a cognate discipline and at least two years of documented relevant work experience; or
 - an undergraduate degree in a cognate discipline and at least one year of documented relevant work experience or equivalent.
2. The Selection Committee may, at its discretion, seek additional information to elucidate any of the matters above.

Postgraduate Diploma in Forest Science - 100 credit points

1. The Selection Committee will evaluate the applicant's ability to pursue successfully the course using the following criteria -
 - an undergraduate degree in a cognate discipline; or
 - a graduate diploma in a cognate discipline; or
 - an undergraduate degree and at least one year of full time documented relevant work experience or equivalent.
2. The Selection Committee may, at its discretion, seek additional information to elucidate any of the matters above.