

# COURSE DELIVERY PLAN 2026

## Master of International Community Development

**COURSE CODE: AMCD**

<b>CAMPUS</b>	City Campus (CC)
<b>COLLEGE</b>	College of Arts, Business, Law, Education and IT
<b>STUDY MODE</b>	Full Time or Part Time
<b>DURATION</b>	2 years Full Time or Part Time equivalent
<b>FEE TYPE</b>	For information on course fees, refer to <a href="http://vu.edu.au/fees">http://vu.edu.au/fees</a>
<b>APPLICATION METHOD</b>	Direct Application - <a href="https://gotovu.custhelp.com/app/landing">https://gotovu.custhelp.com/app/landing</a>
<b>TIMETABLE</b>	<a href="http://vu.edu.au/timetables">vu.edu.au/timetables</a>
<b>COURSE REQUIREMENTS</b>	<p>To complete the Master of International Community Development students will be required to complete 192 credit points consisting of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 72 credit points of Core studies</li><li>• 72 credit points of Elective studies</li><li>• 48 credit points of either Community-Based Research or Research Thesis Capstone Studies.</li></ul>
<b>FURTHER INFORMATION</b>	Unit and course information is available from the University course search site at <a href="http://vu.edu.au/course-search">http://vu.edu.au/course-search</a> or go to <a href="https://askvu.vu.edu.au">https://askvu.vu.edu.au</a> or Phone VUHQ on 03 9919 6100
<b>COURSE CHAIR</b>	Charles Mphande
<b>COURSE ADVICE</b>	AskCUA <a href="https://askvu.vu.edu.au/app/askcua">https://askvu.vu.edu.au/app/askcua</a>

**Note:** Students are required to enrol in all units for semester 1 and 2, and are not permitted to enrol in more than 48 credit points per semester as a full-time load.

**Core/Elective** Core (a unit that must be completed) & Elective (you have some choice in what you select).

**Prerequisites** A number of units within the degree have 'prerequisites'. These prerequisites must be met before enrolment in the unit is permitted. Generally these prerequisites require the successful completion of a unit or units taken at an earlier stage in the course. Students should pay particular attention to these prerequisite requirements as failure to meet these can seriously hinder progression through the course.

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## YEAR 1

UNIT CODE	UNIT TITLE	UNIT TYPE	SEM	CREDIT POINTS	CAMPUS	PRE-REQUISITES
ASA5001	Community Development: Theory and Practice	Core	1B1, 2B1, 2B3	12	CC	
ASA5002	Community Development: Project Planning and Management	Core	1B3, 2B2	12	CC	
ASA5023	Building Capacity and Mobilising Civil Society	Core	2B3	12	CC	
ASA5010	Transnational Gender Issues and Human Rights	Core	1B2, 2B4	12	CC	
AAA5002	Research Methods	Core	1B1, 2B1	12	CC	
	Elective 1	Elective		12		
	Elective 2	Elective		12		
ASA5050	Conflict Resolution in Groups and Communities	Core	1B4, 2B3	12	CC	

## YEAR 2

UNIT CODE	UNIT TITLE	UNIT TYPE	SEM	CREDIT POINTS	CAMPUS	PRE-REQUISITES
<b>Option 1</b>						
ASA6005	Community-Based Research (Part 1)	Core	1, 2	24	CC	AAA5002
	Elective	Elective		12		
	Elective	Elective		12		
ASA6006	Community-Based Research (Part 2)	Core	1, 2	24	CC	ASA6005
	Elective	Elective		12		
	Elective	Elective		12		
<b>Option 2</b>						
ASA6003	Research Thesis (Part 1)	Core	1, 2	24	CC	AAA5002
	Elective	Elective		12		
	Elective	Elective		12		
ASA6004	Research Thesis (Part 2)	Core	1, 2	24	CC	ASA6003
	Elective	Elective		12		
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## Electives

UNIT CODE	UNIT TITLE	UNIT TYPE	SEM	CREDIT POINTS	CAMPUS	PRE-REQUISITES
AEK7001	Indigenous Perspectives in Learning and Teaching	Elective	1B1, 1B2, 1B3, 2B1, 2B2, 2B3	12	CC, FP, ORT, OSP	
ASA5004	Engaging Communities for Sustainability	Elective	2B2	12	CC	
ASA5012	Migration, Culture and Identity	Elective	1B4	12	CC	
ASA5024	Management in Non-Government Organisations	Elective	2B4	12	CC	
HMG7230	Global Food Systems and Food Security	Elective	2B1	12	CC	
ASA5055	Regional and International Organisations and Policy	Elective	1B3	12	CC	

**\*Note: Students can take any units offered within the Master of Digital Media (AMDM) & Master of Public Health (HMGP) as electives.**

Placement Information:

This course includes informal opportunities for WIL through industry engagement and related authentic assessment tasks. The option of Community Based Research 1 and 2 include a field placement for 300 hours with a local or international community agency/organisation.



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