1. Purpose and Objectives

Graduate attributes describe a set of qualities, skills and abilities that a University of Queensland graduate may demonstrate in addition to specific knowledge in the field studied.

2. Definitions, Terms, Acronyms

No entries for this document.

3. Policy Scope/Coverage

This policy applies to all students and staff of The University of Queensland.

4. Policy Statement

It is expected that each degree program will develop the core attributes listed in PPL 3.10.05b Graduate Attributes – Procedures [5] and PPL 3.10.06b Postgraduate Coursework Graduate Attributes - Procedures [6], along with any specific professional competencies required.

5. Graduate Attributes

A University of Queensland graduate will have in-depth knowledge in the field(s) studied and will display effective communication skills, independence and creativity, critical judgement and ethical and social understanding.

The core attributes reflect and build upon the culture of inquiry and innovation that are part of a research university, as well as embedding the need to exhibit effective interpersonal skills and a broad understanding of social and ethical responsibilities.