AREAS OF SPECIALISATION

- Branding
- Capital Markets
- Carbon Trading
- Change Management
- Corporate Finance
- Corporate Social Responsibility
- Customer Relationships
- Financial Management
- Green Power
- Investment Banking
- Investment Management
- Leadership and Organisational Change
- Logistics
- Managerial Skills and Behaviour
- Marketing and Branding
- Organisational Performance
- Renewable Energy
- Supply Chain Management
- Sustainable Leadership

FACILITIES

- Our facilities are independent from Macquarie University, and are uniquely available to our HDR candidates
- We operate from three world-class facilities based in the heart of Sydney’s central business district, North Ryde (20 minutes from Sydney’s CBD), and Hong Kong
- Modern, fully equipped lecture theatres, teaching rooms, computer laboratories, syndicate study rooms, printing and photocopying services
- Office space is available on request for candidates at the final stages of their candidature

Macquarie Graduate School of Management (MGSM) has an international reputation for excellence in management education. One of the first business schools established in Australia, MGSM has been providing the highest quality management education since 1969, and is consistently ranked by the *The Economist “Which MBA?”* annual global ranking as one of the leading business schools in the world.

Australian business relies on high-quality, practical, collaborative and interdisciplinary innovation, and MGSM’s approach ensures that theoretical advancements inform and relate to practical knowledge and techniques. Subsequently MGSM’s research has an immediate and useful impact in developing tools, skills and knowledge for its research partners.

MGSM undertakes research projects with a network of partners that include some of the world’s most influential businesses including St George Bank, National Australia Bank, the Australian Business Foundation, Industry and Investment NSW, Australian Securities Investment Commission, and Be Learning. MGSM also enjoys research linkages with other leading global academic institutions including Henley Management College, Copenhagen Business School, Hong Kong Management Association, University of Goettingen Germany, and Mahidol University Thailand.

As an HDR candidate you will have the opportunity to research alongside scholars who are leading business professionals both nationally and internationally, which creates valuable links with industry.
Highlights

- Our researchers play a significant role in the Australian Government's $100 million Capital Markets Cooperative Research Centre.

- MGSM's Professor Richard Badham and Doctor of Business Administration graduate Dr Peter Fuda were recently featured in the Harvard Business Review. They are the first Australian business practitioner and academic to co-author an article on leadership transformation for this prestigious journal. The article was a result of an in-depth study conducted by Fuda into the success stories of seven Australian CEOs.

- As an MGSM HDR candidate you will benefit from the expertise of prominent Macquarie alumni and distinguished executives from leading multinationals such as Farrington American Express Travel Services, The Six Hats, Talent 2, Empoweris, Centric Management and Governance Solutions, Australasia Consulting Group, Cochlear Ltd, The Trust Company, IBM Global Financing, The Weringa Group, Patersons Securities, Grassick SSG, Influence Consulting, and PepsiCo who sit on our Alumni Advisory Council.

Support

HDR candidates are provided with strong academic and administrative support. This includes:

- Access to industry through our established strong links and collaborations with some of the world’s most influential businesses across many sectors
- Dedicated librarian to support your research
- Financial support for eligible candidates for a range of research-related activity
- Flexible study options, including part-time and cotutelle arrangements with university partners in the Asia Pacific and Europe
- High quality supervision
- Learning and development opportunities including seminars and workshops designed to enhance your research skills and knowledge
- Regular seminar program of guest speakers and fellow HDR candidates, and research dinners and visiting fellows functions

Research leaders

MGSM is home to many internationally renowned researchers, including:

Professor David Gallagher is described by the Australian Research Council as an expert of international standing in his field, attracting more than AUD $1 million in research funding. He is well known in industry and has consulted widely. He also directs an investments program at the Australian Government’s AUD $100 million Capital Markets Cooperative Research Centre with substantial sponsorship from major institutional investor organisations.

Professor Norma Harrison has over 30 years of experience in academia and consulting in industry and government projects across the globe. Examples include PROBE in collaboration with IBM Global Services and the London Business School, the Global Manufacturing Futures Project, the Global Supply Chain Management Project with Accenture, as well as local benchmarking projects for the Australian Printing Industry and the Australian Hotels Association.

Professor Gayle Avery’s research contributes to sustainable leadership in organisations at a macro level. She draws from cutting-edge international enterprises that embrace leadership practices shown by research and their own performance to be more sustainable than short-term, business-asusual approaches. Avery presented her research, in the form of a keynote address, at the 4th International HR Conference at Thailand’s Mahidol University in January 2012.