

Invest in developing your water leaders

Postgraduate and professional development programs



Dr André Taylor delivering the IWC Water Leadership Program

Who can benefit

Our custom-designed programs and courses are aimed at water professionals with a vision for sustainable and integrated water management.

Participants should have entry- to mid-level management experience.

Staff from any of the following organisations will benefit from the programs:

- ✓ Local, state and national government departments
- ✓ Policy and planning regulatory bodies
- ✓ Water and wastewater utilities
- ✓ Small and large consultancies
- ✓ Mining, agricultural and engineering companies
- ✓ Landscape architecture and urban design agencies
- ✓ NGOs and community development agencies
- ✓ Catchment management agencies
- ✓ Donor and funding agencies

Do you want to develop your organisation's capacity to innovate, collaborate and deliver successful projects and programs?

At the International WaterCentre (IWC) we specialise in delivering professionally relevant programs which develop the technical, leadership and managerial capabilities of participants, enabling them to tackle complex water management challenges in a more effective and integrated way.

Our suite of education programs and training courses will help you make an impact and maximise your return on investment.

Postgraduate program

Master of Integrated Water Management IWC / THE UNIVERSITY OF QUEENSLAND

- **Three specialisation streams:**
 - Urban water
 - Water, land and people
 - International development
- **Part-time/distance option (3 years):**
Six semesters part-time, each semester starting with 7-10 days of field trips and on-campus workshops, the rest is delivered online.
- **Final project:**
Can be undertaken within current workplace.
- **Early exit points:**
 - Graduate Certificate (two semesters part-time)
 - Graduate Diploma (four semesters part-time)

Other education & training programs

Water Leadership Program

Award-winning leadership development program delivered over nine months (seven days in Brisbane, the rest is delivered online).

Custom-designed courses

Tailored to the training needs of a group of nominated employees. Delivery can be a mix of face-to-face, online, coaching and other elements.

Online courses

8-12 week online courses on water, sanitation and hygiene (WASH), leadership, water stewardship, flood management and other topics.



Why invest in your people

- ✓ Build your organisational capacity to lead and manage innovation, respond effectively to change, and deliver successful projects across organisational, disciplinary or functional boundaries.
- ✓ Attract, retain and reward talented people by offering them the opportunity to develop their skills and advance their careers.
- ✓ Raise your organisational profile internally with peers, and externally through global promotion across IWC channels.
- ✓ Develop assignments, final projects and leadership development plans from the curriculum around your organisation's needs and benefit from additional insights from leading researchers and practitioners.

"We estimate that organisations funding a typical participant in the Water Leadership Program should recover their investment in less than a year."

Endorsements

"We worked very closely with the IWC to tailor a leadership course for our staff. We have seen some outstanding results with real professional growth in key staff across the business. As a result we have partnered again with IWC this year, so that a second group of our staff can reap the benefits from this excellent course."
DR STEVE SKULL, REGIONAL MANAGER,
BRISBANE, ALLUVIUM

"Unitywater is committed to investing in the development of its future leaders. The IWC Water Leadership Program articulates and demonstrates what effective leadership looks like, and more specifically, how it can be put into practice in the ever changing and complex water industry."
GEORGE THEO, CEO, UNITYWATER

"I think one of the most important aspects of the Masters program is that I have now a much greater appreciation of all the dimensions we are dealing with within the Murray Darling Basin Authority: issues with key stakeholder consultations, the need to work out management frameworks considering bottom-up and top-down approaches, and dealing with complexities of different interest groups, agendas, politics and legislative governance frameworks."
FREDERICK BOUCKAERT, MURRAY-DARLING
BASIN AUTHORITY – MASTER OF
INTEGRATED WATER MANAGEMENT, 2014
GRADUATE

Why choose IWC

At the International WaterCentre (IWC), we work towards creating programs that build the capacity of individuals and organisations to respond to complex water management issues. Our approach to teaching integrated water management within the whole-of-water-cycle is unique – transdisciplinary, practical and highly participatory.

Our programs are professionally relevant, custom-designed and collaboratively delivered by world leading practitioners and lecturers from IWC's partner universities.

We have also collaborated with over 170 organisations around the world on many projects and programs around water, sanitation and hygiene (WASH); community development; urban water management; and river health.

Award-winning programs



Master of Integrated Water Management

2015 Award for Excellence in Policy and Education for 'Urban futures' module developed in collaboration with the CRC for Water Sensitive Cities.

Water Leadership Program

2013 Award for Excellence in Policy and Education for program design and delivery.

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