



Program Overview

The MSSM program provides the training for our graduates to act outside the traditional disciplinary black boxes; integrating knowledge from management, social, and natural sciences to address sustainability issues; and make leading contributions and lasting advances in sustainability management. The program is unique among science and management graduate programs by providing a strong foundation in sustainability management while offering an opportunity to specialize in a management or science stream.

The program is designed for students from diverse backgrounds such as management science, social science, natural science and engineering. The program was developed in consultation with leaders and future employers in business, non-profit, research, and government organizations. The MSSM degree is for individuals who want to pursue management careers in sustainability-related divisions and organizations.

Admission
2013

Is Unique

Sustainability plus management skills
Specialization in management or science streams
A co-op learning experience
For graduates from any undergraduate background

World-Class University

World-renowned faculty members
Access to top sustainability and management leaders
Outstanding classroom, computer, library and residence facilities
Excellent environment for professional programs

Admission Criteria

A four-year (or equivalent) university degree
Minimum of mid-B in last year
Evidence of interest in sustainability
Evidence of leadership skills

The Master of Science in Sustainability Management program has been submitted for final approval to the Quality Council and the MTCU. Pending approval, the program is slated to admit students in the fall 2013 academic year.

Program

The program, consisting of 10 required core courses, 6 elective courses, and an internship placement of 2 to 4 months, is offered over a period of 20 months.

First Year

Fall

SSM1010Y Principles of Sustainability Management
SSM1020H Decision Making for Sustainability Management,
SSM1030H Environmental Science
Plus 0.5 FCE Elective

Winter

SSM1040H Managerial Economics for Sustainability Management
SSM1050H Ecosystem Science
SSM1060H Managing Sustainable Organizations,
Plus 0.5 FCE Elective

Summer

Internship

Second Year

Fall

SSM1070H Environmental Law and Policy
SSM1080H Strategies for Sustainability Management
SSM1100Y Research Paper
Plus 1.00 FCE Electives

Winter

SSM1090H Capstone Course - The Sustainable Enterprise, and
SSM1100Y Research Paper
Plus 1.00 FCE Electives

Proposed Tuition Fees for 2013 Admissions

Domestic Students

Annual Tuition Fee
\$15,000

International Students

Annual Tuition Fee
\$25,000

Plus UHIP

Note: Tuition Fees do not include incidental fees.