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Career advancement at Curtin’s Department of Mineral and Energy Economics

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Curtin University’s Department of Mineral and Energy Economics, housed within the Curtin Graduate School of Business in the Perth CBD, offers postgraduate courses for energy and resources sector professionals looking to advance their career.

Our courses combine technical knowledge in mineral and energy exploration, extraction and processing with an understanding of the sector’s economic frameworks, which is perfect if you’re looking to move into a senior management or decision-making role. This interdisciplinary skill-set is vital to energy and resources companies that often rely upon senior management to strengthen their long-term future and profitability.

GROW YOUR KNOWLEDGE IN THE SECTOR
Our department exposes all students to a strong knowledge base in economic, financial, management, legal, regulatory, political and social environments.

We offer streams for those with a non-technical or business background and those with a technical background, such as mining and energy engineers, geologists and metallurgists. Business-oriented students are immersed in the workings of the energy and mining sectors through time spent at Curtin’s Department of Petroleum Engineering and the WA School of Mines in Kalgoorlie, while students with a technical background learn the tactics and terminology of the business world. Both groups graduate with a broader and deeper understanding of the sector, along with the tools you need to put your new knowledge into action.

PRACTICAL LEARNING FOR A MOBILE WORKFORCE
Our courses are highly flexible to cater for busy professionals who need to balance work and study commitments, and for students working on a fly-in, fly-out basis.

While the courses have a strong theoretical base, they are characterised by their practical relevance. They also provide opportunities to share international perspectives and establish long-term international contacts and networks. All teaching staff have considerable experience in industry. 

OUR POSTGRADUATE COURSES
All of our postgraduate courses are highly valued, and are attended by students from around the world. To qualify for entry to a master degree, you must have at least three years of industry experience and a first degree.

We offer:
- Graduate Certificate in Mineral and Energy Economics
- Master of Science in Mineral and Energy Economics
  - Mineral Economics Major, or
  - Energy Economics Major
- Master of Science in Mineral and Energy Economics/Master of Business Administration (Double Degree)
  - Mineral Economics Major, or
  - Energy Economics Major
- PhD

SIGNIFICANT ACHIEVEMENTS
Our Master of Science in Mineral and Energy Economics, which teaches sector-relevant analytical and managerial skills, was ranked the 6th best economics master degree in Australia in the prestigious Eduniversal Best Masters Ranking in Economics 2016.

Our Master of Science in Mineral and Energy Economics and Master of Business Administration (MBA) double degree, which offers a thorough business grounding in the sector, is the only one of its kind in the world. Our MBA is internationally accredited (EPAS) by the European Foundation for Management Development.

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