



Charles Sturt
University

Need to upgrade your financial qualifications?

Discover our FASEA accredited
Graduate Diploma of Financial Planning

**The world of financial
advice is changing
rapidly**

With the new education standards and Code of Ethics introduced by the Financial Adviser Standards and Ethics Authority (FASEA), it's imperative that financial planners and advisers get up to date in order to keep practising.

FASEA accredited

Charles Sturt University's Graduate Diploma of Financial Planning is accredited with FASEA, so you can be sure you're gaining the exact qualification you need.

This degree has also been mapped against the Financial Planning Education Council (FPEC) accreditation framework to meet all current financial planning requirements.

**Why study financial
planning at Charles
Sturt University?**

Stay up to date

Recently redesigned in collaboration with industry professionals, our Graduate Diploma of Financial Planning meets the current needs of industry and combines the latest finance theory with industry best practice.

Learn from the experts

Our degree is delivered by industry and academic leaders who have a wide range of industry experience and are supported by well-researched curriculum and teaching methods.

Study your way

Study online and choose between full-time and part-time options to fit in with your work and lifestyle commitments.

You could choose to study one subject per session or, in consultation with your course director, complete up to three subjects per session, allowing you to fast-track your degree.

Subjects are taught using a range of blended learning techniques, which include online education study materials, video-captured lectures, online meetings, subject forums and additional study resources.

**Reasons to study
financial planning
at Charles Sturt**

Financial Adviser Standards
and Ethics Authority (FASEA)
accredited.

Consolidate your financial
planning experience
with expert knowledge and
practical skills.

Enjoy the freedom and flexibility
of studying when and where it
suits you.



About Charles Sturt University

Charles Sturt University is a national university focusing on excellence in education for the professions, strategic and applied research, and flexible delivery of learning and teaching.

We work in close association with industry, professions and government to ensure our courses meet and support industry needs, resulting in high graduate employment levels and starting salaries.

We attract more than 40,000 students from Australia and around the world and are well-known for our innovative approach to education, offering practical, hands-on courses that are supported online to provide our students with accessible, world-class education.



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Get the qualification that suits you

This course is part of an articulated program of study.

If you like, you can use the graduate diploma as a stepping stone to the Master of Applied Finance. You'll be able to start the master's with credit already in your back pocket for the subjects you've completed.

Career opportunities

Charles Sturt University's Graduate Diploma of Financial Planning allows you to tailor your degree to suit your particular personal and career needs.

You'll develop advanced analytical and decision-making skills in finance so that you can move into senior management.

You'll be able to use your advanced financial markets analytical skills to offer consultancy expertise across superannuation and funds management.

Industry relevance

Charles Sturt University accounting and finance courses meet the academic requirements for accreditation with key professional bodies, including CPA Australia, Chartered Accountants Australia and New Zealand, and the Financial Planning Association.

Our financial planning specialisation is FASEA accredited, and mapped against the Financial Planning Education Council (FPEC) accreditation framework.

If you complete this specialisation, you will also be eligible for advanced standing in the CFP® Certification Program (leading to the Certified Financial Planner® designation).

Studying online

Charles Sturt University is one of the most experienced providers of online education in Australia. Our innovative course delivery uses the latest technology to connect you with your lecturers and fellow students. You will have access to our comprehensive communication systems, online forums, wikis, blogs, podcasts and library resources.

Studying online gives you the freedom to choose when and where you complete your degree. With the flexibility of our online learning and research tools, you can study your way, in your time.

Find out more



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"I have found the course to be very relevant to industry and it offers a practical component, which is something that industry and employers value. What makes Charles Sturt University unique is an exceptional online model. I would highly recommend Charles Sturt University to anyone who is looking to study."

Emanuela Marcetic - Master of Applied Finance

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