

## Statement Concerning the Basis on which USC Awards Graduate Certificates and Graduate Diplomas

**Designated Officer:** Deputy Vice-Chancellor

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**Related Policies:**

The University of the Sunshine Coast offers graduate certificate and graduate diploma programs which are designed for graduates. These academic programs may take one of two forms:

- (i) for those who have already completed an undergraduate degree or its equivalent and wish to continue studies in the same discipline area, a program in which the component courses will be beyond the undergraduate level; and
- (ii) for those who have already completed an undergraduate degree or its equivalent and wish to undertake study in a different discipline area, a program in another discipline in which the component courses may be drawn from undergraduate degrees in that other discipline.