

# The Degree of Master of Urban Resilience and Renewal (MURR – 180 points)

These regulations must be read in conjunction with the General Regulations for the University.

## 1. Version

- (a) These Regulations came into force on 1 January 2025.
- (b) This degree was first offered in 2016.

## 2. Variations

In exceptional circumstances the Amo Matua, Pūtaiao | Executive Dean of Science or delegate may approve a personal programme of study which does not conform to these Regulations.

## 3. The structure of the qualification

To qualify for the Master of Urban Resilience and Renewal student must be credited with:

- (a) 150 points from Schedule C to these Regulations; and
- (b) other courses totalling 30 points at 400-level, approved by the Kaihautū Hōtaka | Programme Director

## 4. Admission to the qualification

A student for the Degree of Master of Urban Resilience and Renewal, before applying to enrol in the degree, must have:

- (a) qualified for a university degree which is relevant to urban resilience and renewal with a B Grade Point Average or better (eg, geography, environmental science/studies, planning, sociology or any other relevant degree subject to approval of the Amo Matua, Pūtaiao | Executive Dean of Science or delegate or;
- (b) been admitted with Academic Equivalent Standing; and
- (c) been approved as a student for the degree by the Amo Matua, Pūtaiao | Executive Dean of Science or delegate.

## 5. Subjects

There are no majors, minors or endorsements for this qualification.

## 6. Time limits

This qualification adheres to the General Regulations for the University with a time limit of 36 months.

## 7. Transfers of credit, substitutions and cross-credits

This qualification adheres to the Credit Recognition and Transfer Regulations, with no additional stipulations.

## 8. Progression

This qualification adheres to the General Regulations for the University, which permits 30 points of course failures to qualify for the degree.

## 9. Honours, Distinction and Merit

This qualification adheres to the General Regulations for the University and may be awarded with Distinction and Merit.

## 10. Exit and Upgrade Pathways to other Qualifications

There are no advancing or exit qualifications for this degree.

# Schedule C: Compulsory Courses for the Degree of Master of Urban Resilience and Renewal

For full course information, go to [courseinfo.canterbury.ac.nz](http://courseinfo.canterbury.ac.nz)

Course Code	Course Title	Pts	2025	Location	P/C/R/RP/EQ
GEOG402	Sustainable and Resilient Cities	30	S1	Campus	P: Entry subject to approval of the Head of Department. R: GEOG446
GEOG409	Coasts and Rivers: from Natural Processes to Urban Environments	30	S1	Campus	P: Entry subject to approval of the Head of Department. R: GEOG437
GEOG697	Community Based Thesis	90	A	Campus	P: Subject to approval of the Head of Department.