

4.1.9 MCom (Logistics Management)

Admission requirements

- You must have the BComHons (Logistics Management) degree or a qualification considered by the Senate to be of equal standing;
and
- You must have passed a research module at postgraduate level with a final mark of at least 60%.
Please note: if you do not meet this requirement, you are eligible to register for a bridging research module. Once you have completed this module with a final mark of at least 60%, you will meet the requirements to apply for the MCom (Logistics Management).
and
- The presentation of a research proposal that meets acceptable scientific standards and is deemed executable by the Department.

Selection

The number of students selected can be influenced by, for example, staff capacity and the availability of resources within the Department, as well as academic merit and University transformation objectives. As staff capacity and resources can fluctuate from year to year, the number of students selected can also differ from year to year.

Should the number of applicants that meet the admission requirements exceed the available capacity of the Department, the criteria in the admission requirements will be used to rank the applicants in order of suitability, and to finalise the list of selected applicants.

Application procedure and closing date

Apply at www.sun.ac.za/pgstudies. For South African applicants, the closing date is **31 October** of the year before your intended studies, and for international applicants, it is **30 September**.

Duration, offering type and starting date of programme

Duration: One year to eighteen months, full-time.

Starting date: One week before the other classes at the University begin.

Programme's mode of delivery

Fully contact (face-to-face).

Enquiries

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Programme structure

You can choose between two possible options:

- **A Coursework and Thesis option** (Logistics Management 899), consisting of a thesis and elective modules; *or*
- **A Full Thesis option** (Logistics Management 879), consisting of a full thesis that is the result of independent research.

Programme content

Programme module

You must earn a total of at least 180 credits for one of the options in this programme.

Code	Module	Credits	Module Name	Semester
50407	899	180	Logistics Management (Coursework and Thesis option)	Both
50407	879	180	Logistics Management (Full Thesis option)	Both

The modules for each option are listed below.

Compulsory module for the Coursework and Thesis option (899) (150 credits)

Code	Module	Credits	Module Name	Semester
11238	884	150	Thesis: Logistics Management	Both

Elective modules for the Coursework and Thesis option (at least 30 credits)

Code	Module	Credits	Module Name	Semester
11571	814	15	Capita Selecta 1 (Logistics Management)	1
11571	844	15	Capita Selecta 2 (Logistics Management)	2

Apart from the modules listed above, you may obtain a maximum of 30 credits from a related field of study that has been approved by the Department of Logistics. Please contact the programme leader to find out which modules are available.

Compulsory modules for the Full Thesis option (879) (180 credits)

Code	Module	Credits	Module Name	Semester
11238	828	180	Thesis: Logistics Management	Both

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