

2016 UQ SNAPSHOTS

Governance

On 11 July 2016, the former Secretary of the Department of the Environment and Heritage, Peter N Varghese AO, was appointed as the new Chair of the University of Queensland. Dr Jarrod Williams acted as Chair from 1 January until 10 July, before resigning from the role on 11 November 2016.

Global excellence

In 2016, the excellence of UQ research was recognised at a number of international conferences.

The former MBA Chair of Australia and the Asia-Pacific and the World Economic Forum in America.

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Learning excellence

UQ is recognised for its teaching excellence in Australia and the United Kingdom. The teaching excellence award for 2016, the UQ Academic Excellence Awards, was awarded to UQ for its Student Learning: Dr Saeed Aminossadati, Dr Lance Newey, Dr Phil Orchard, Professor Kenneth Pakenham, and Dr Judith Seaboyer. Professor Paul Mills was also recognised for his excellence in Biological Science, Health and Related Studies and the University of Queensland and the Pacific Region at Excellence Learning: the Pro Bono Centre for the Education of the Poor and the University of Queensland. Other organisations include UQ Three Minute Thesis and the University of Queensland.

Professor Gavin McEwen and Health Fellow and Dr Emma Beckman, former Science and Health Minister.

Total enrolments ¹	2013	2014	2015	2016 ²
Full-time internal	39,908	41,867	41,958	42,105
Part-time internal	7,153	7,179	7,244	7,412
External	1,743	1,703	1,628	1,553
TOTAL	48,804	50,749	50,830	51,070
Female	55.4%	55.2%	55.0%	54.5%
Male	44.6%	44.8%	45.0%	45.3%

¹ For a detailed percentage breakdown, see the 2016 Annual Report. ² Figures for 2016 are preliminary. Data will be finalised in mid-2017.

Campus enrolments	2013	2014	2015	2016

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the 17 Australian research institutes. The University of Queensland received \$10,000 from the Australian Research Council for the first time in its history. The Australian Research Council also funded the University of Queensland's research in the area of climate change.

International students

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