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HISTORY

QUT is a highly successful university with a strongly applied emphasis in courses and research. Established as a university in 1989, its predecessor institutions were among Queensland's earliest tertiary education providers. Today, with a budget of \$500 million pa, the university enrolls 40,000 students in academic and professionally-oriented programs across a broad range of disciplines.

Based in Brisbane, QUT has four campuses: at Gardens Point and Kelvin Grove in the CBD, and at Carseldine and Caboolture in the growth corridor north of the city. At Kelvin Grove, a modern urban village development is integrating the campus with the community. QUT's Creative Industries Precinct and the new Institute of Health and Biomedical Innovation are part of the Kelvin Grove Urban Village, along with residential and retail development. Community teaching clinics and sporting facilities, and student accommodation are under construction in the village.

Courses are in high demand, and graduates have excellent job and career outcomes. QUT provides the largest number of bachelor degree graduates into full-time jobs in the nation.

Academic programs from bachelor degree to PhD are offered in: Built Environment and Engineering, Business, Creative Industries, Education, Health, Humanities and Human Services, Information Technology, Law, and Science. Twenty per cent of total enrolments are at postgraduate level, and 12 per cent of students come from overseas.

QUT is recognised nationally and internationally for the relevance of its teaching and research to industry, the professions and the broader community. Employers and professional bodies have a real influence on courses, which provide students with a unique balance of theory and practical skills. This has contributed to QUT's very substantial reputation for the quality and relevance of its courses and for the use of the innovative technology in their delivery.

Over the past decade, QUT has greatly expanded its research and international profile. It leads three national Co-operative Research Centres (in construction innovation, engineering asset management and interactive design) and is a participant in eight others. It hosts the ARC Centre of Excellence in Cultural and Media Industries.

Four multi-disciplinary institutes aim to provide high impact solutions to some of the major economic, environmental and social challenges of our time. The Institute of Health and Biomedical Innovation draws researchers together to collaborate across health, science and biomedical engineering disciplines. The Information Security Institute builds solutions for government, business and the community by undertaking research in technology, legal, policy and governance issues related to information security. The Institute for Sustainable Resources develops and applies integrated solutions for the efficient and productive use of land, energy, water, infrastructure, assets and human resources in natural and built environments. The Institute for Creative Industries and Innovation is a research hub which investigates creative innovation, the innovation system and creative human capital. QUT is a member of the Australian Technology Network of universities, along with RMIT, UTS, UniSA and Curtin.

MISSION

QUT's mission is to bring to the community the benefits of teaching, research, technology, and service. The University's distinctiveness lies in the approaches it takes to realise this mission, which places a strong emphasis on practical engagement with the world of the professions, industry, government, and the broader community.

QUT is committed to the highest quality in teaching, learning, research, and a wide range of professional and community activities.

The University values:

- scholarship, learning, and achievement in all student and staff endeavours
- engagement with, and responsiveness to, its diverse internal and external communities
- social justice and equal opportunity in education and employment
- a safe, supportive, and healthy working environment which supports work/life balance
- honesty, integrity, and ethical behaviour and practices
- a spirit of experimentation, innovation, entrepreneurialism, and client service.

The top priorities for the University as set in the QUT Blueprint are to:

- build research capacity in selected areas
- strengthen QUT's reputation for quality teaching and learning and provide one of the best learning environments in Australia
- strengthen the 'real-world' positioning in teaching and research through better partnerships across internal and external boundaries
- integrate information and communications technology into teaching, research, business/support functions, and infrastructure
- develop environments that foster and reward high-quality scholarship, and build a sense of community.

INFORMATION

In addition to the Handbook, the University produces a range of publications which the public can access. These include the Annual Report and the University's Manual of Policy and Procedures (MOPP). These publications are available online via QUT's web site at www.qut.edu.au or from the University's libraries.

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Australia

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ORGANISATIONAL STRUCTURE

In 2008 the QUT organisational structure consists of the Chancellery, eight Faculties, the Humanities Program (formally QUT Carseldine), QUT International College, four Institutes and five Divisions.

Faculties

Built Environment and Engineering
Business
Creative Industries
Education
Health
Information Technology
Law
Science

P R E F A C E

Institutes

Institute of Creative Industries and Innovation
Institute for Health and Biomedical Innovation
Institute for Sustainable Resources
Information Security Institute

Divisions

Administrative Services
Finance and Resource Planning
Technology, Information and Learning Support
International and Development
Research and Commercialisation

PRINCIPAL DATES

PUBLIC HOLIDAYS 2008

1 January	New Year's Day
28 January	Australia Day
21 March	Good Friday
22 March	Easter Saturday
24 March	Easter Monday
25 April	ANZAC Day
5 May	Labour Day
9 June	Queen's Birthday
11 August	Caboolture Show*
13 August	RNA Show **
25 December	Christmas Day
26 December	Boxing Day

SEMESTER 1, 2008

18–22 February	Week 0/Orientation
25–29 February	Week 1
3–7 March	Week 2
10–14 March	Week 3
17–21 March	Week 4
24–28 March	Vacation
31 March–4 April	Week 5
7–11 April	Week 6
14–18 April	Week 7
21–25 April	Week 8
28 April–2 May	Week 9
5–9 May	Week 10
12–16 May	Week 11
19–23 May	Week 12
26–30 May	Week 13
2 June	Classes in lieu of Labour Day holiday
3 June	Classes in lieu of Good Friday holiday
4 June	Classes in lieu of ANZAC Day holiday
2–6 June	Exam Preparation
7 June	Exams
10–14 June	Exams
16–21 June	Exams
23–24 June	Exams
25–27 June	Vacation
30 June–4 July	Vacation
7–11 July	Vacation

SEMESTER 2, 2008

14–18 July	Week 0/Orientation
21–25 July	Week 1
28 July–1 August	Week 2
4–8 August	Week 3
11–15 August	Week 4
18–22 August	Week 5
25–29 August	Week 6
1–5 September	Week 7
8–12 September	Week 8
15–19 September	Week 9
22–26 September	Week 10
29 September–3 October	Vacation
6–10 October	Week 11
13–17 October	Week 12
20–24 October	Week 13
27 October	Classes in lieu of RNA and Caboolture Show holidays
27–31 October	Exam Preparation
1 November	Exams
3–8 November	Exams
10–15 November	Exams

SUMMER PROGRAM 2008/2009

17–21 November	Week 1
24–28 November	Week 2
1–5 December	Week 3
8–12 December	Week 4
15–19 December	Week 5
22–26 December	Week 6
29 December– 2 Jan, 2009	Vacation
5–9 January	Week 7
12–16 January	Week 8
19–23 January	Week 9
26–30 January	Week 10
2–6 February	Week 11
9–13 February	Week 12/Exams
16–20 February	Exams/O Week, Sem 1, 2009
23 February	Semester 1, 2009 classes commences

* For students enrolled at Caboolture campus only.

** For students enrolled at Brisbane based campuses only.

COUNCIL

Composition, membership, powers and responsibilities of QUT Council are governed by the QUT Act 1998 (see MOPP Appendix 1). Procedures for regulating the University's committee system, including conduct of business by Council, are detailed in Council Procedure 1 — Committees (see MOPP Appendix 2).

QUT Council comprises senior members of the professions for which QUT prepares graduates; appointees from higher education, government, commerce and industry; elected staff, students and members of Alumni; and the University's chief executive officer. Council is responsible for the good governance of the University.

Council is empowered to establish committees and to delegate power to committees or officers of the University. While Council is ultimately responsible for the management and operation of QUT, it has delegated authority to the chief executive officer, the Vice-Chancellor, and to various senior administrators of QUT for much of the day-to-day management of the University (see MOPP Appendix 3). Council has also established a number of committees, some of which have been authorised to make decisions in respect of prescribed policy and procedural matters.

COUNCIL MEMBERSHIP

Chancellor (Chair)

Major General P. (Peter) Arnison, AC, CVO (Retd), BEc DLaws Qld, DUniv Griff, DLetters S.Qld, DUniv, FAICD, ASIA

Vice-Chancellor

Prof P. (Peter) Coaldrake, BA(Hons) *James Cook*, PhD *Griff*, FAIM, FRIPAA

Chair of University Academic Board

Prof D. (David) Gardiner, BA LLB LLM(Hons) *Syd*. Deputy Vice-Chancellor.

Nominees of the Minister for Education

Ms H. (Helen) Gluer, BComm *Qld*, MBA *S.Qld* CPA, Chief Executive Officer, Tarong Power

Dr K. (Keith) Hillless, BE(Elec) *Qld*, DUniv *QUT*. Chairman, Ergon Energy

Mr S. (Stephen) Keim, BA LLB(Hons) *Qld*. Barrister

Prof A. (Anne) Kelso, BSc(Hon), PhD *Melb*. Director, WHO Collaborating Centre for Reference and Research on Influenza

Dr J. (John) Puttick, DUniv *QUT*, FAICD, FAIM. Chairman, GBST Holdings Limited

Ms R. (Rosemary) Vilgan, DipSupMgt *Macq*, BBus *QUT*, FASFA, FAICD. Chief Executive Officer, QSuper Limited

Nominees of Council

Mr D. (David) Liddy, MBA *Macq*. Managing Director & Chief Executive Officer, Bank of Qld Ltd

Mr H. (Hugh) Nalder, BBus(Acc) *QUT*, MICA, MASCPA, MAIMM. Consultant

Elected Professional Staff Members

Mr C. (Col) McCowan OAM, CertT *QUT*, BEd DipPsych *MEd Qld*. Division of Administrative Services

Ms D. (Denise) Redfern, BA *WAust*, BA(Hons) *C.Qld*, DipEd *Syd*, GradCert(Services Comm) *C.Qld*. Faculty of Built Environment and Engineering

Elected Academic Staff Members

Professor S. (Susan) Danby, DipT *QUT*, BEdSt *Qld*, *MEd Loyola*, PhD *Qld*. Faculty of Education.

Prof J. (John) Gough, MSc PhD *Well*. Faculty of Information Technology.

Professor R. (Rodney) Wolff, BSc(Hons) *Qld*, DPhil *Oxon*, CStat *RSS*. Professor, Faculty of Science.

Elected Student Members*

Mr D. (Daniel) Doran

Ms N. (Natalie) Locke

Elected Alumni Members

Mrs M-C. (Marie-Claire) Grady, BBus(HRM) MBus *QUT*. Segment Specialist – Small Business, Suncorp.

Dr G. (Graham) Drummond, Dip(C Eng) Grad-Dip(BusAdmin) DUniv *QUT*. Professional Director.

Secretary

Dr C. (Carol) Dickenson, BBus *QIT*, PhD *Qld*. Registrar.

Tenure

Council serves a four-year term from 21 November 2004.

* Student members serve a two-year term.

Two vacant positions of person appointed by the Minister for Education existed during 2008.

COMMITTEES

QUT committees form the major decision-making structure of the University and student representation is provided for on both University and faculty committees. The major University committees that have student representation as part of their membership are:

- Academic Policy and Procedures Committee
- Appeals Committee
- Community Engagement Advisory Committee
- Discipline Review Panel
- Equity Board
- QUT Council
- Research Degrees Committee
- Teaching and Learning Committee
- University Academic Board.

QUT encourages student representation on the above committees. If you are interested in finding out more about University committees contact Governance Services on 07 3138 2088.

CHANCELLERY

Vice-Chancellor: Professor O.P. Coaldrake, BA(Hons)
James Cook, PhD Griff., FAIM, FRIPAA

Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Academic): Professor D.G. Gardiner, BA LLM(Hons) Syd.

Acting Director, Academic Policy and Programs Unit: Professor S. Towers, BEd WACAE, MEd UWA, PhD QUT

Director, Assurance and Risk Management Services: S. Patel, BA(Acctg) S.Pacific, CPA

Manager, Oodgeroo Unit: V. Hart

DIVISION OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

University Registrar and Head, Administrative Services: C. Dickenson, BBus QIT, PhD Qld

Director, Student Support Services: R.P. Morley, BBus QIT, MAdmin Griff.

Director, Student Business Services: K. Grgic, BA Grad-DipEd Adel., GradDipLib S Aust Institute of Technology, MAppSci C.Sturt, AFAIM, MAHRI

Director, Marketing and Communication: T. Wilson, BBus MBus QUT

Director, Human Resources: G. MacAulay, BBus GradCert (Mgmt) GradDipBusAdmin

Associate Director, Human Resources Client Services: J. Banney, BA Qld, GradDipIndustRelations BCAE

Associate Director, Human Resources Health and Safety Advisory Services: R. Egescov, BOccThy Qld, GradDipOH&S MHlthSc OH&S QUT

Director, Facilities Management: A. Frowd, BEng(Hons) QIT, MEngSc Monash, GradDipMgtStud RAAFC, GradDipMgt Deakin, MEngSc, FIEAust, CPEng

Associate Director, Campus Services (Gardens Point/Kelvin Grove/Carseldine): D.W. Spann, BA Qld

Associate Director, Major Projects: A. Madan, BArch New Delhi, GradDipProjMgt, MAIPM

Associate Director, Operations: B. Fenn, BSc Birm., MBA Qld

Associate Director, Capital Works: M. Green, BAppSciBltEnv GradDipArch QIT, GradDipMgt C.Qld, AdvDipProjMgt

Director, Governance Services: S. Johnstone, BA ANU, DipConEd NE

Coordinator, Equity: M.A. Kelly, BA DipEd Qld

Student Ombudsman: N. Bofinger, BSc NE, PhD Qld, GradDipCompSci

DIVISION OF FINANCE AND RESOURCE PLANNING

Executive Director, Finance and Resource Planning: C. Townend, BA(Business Studies) HumberSide Polytechnic, MBA Massey FACCA

Director, Financial Services: T.A. Leighton, BBus(Acctg) Brisbane CAE, FCPA

Associate Director, Corporate Performance: P. Alner, BlinTech Griff., GradDipComm MBus(CommSt)

Associate Director, Financial Management: C. Lambert, BComm UOW

Associate Director, Financial Systems: R. Bryde, BA(Mngt Science) Canberra

Associate Director, Accounting Services: J. Ganasan, GradDipInfoScience NZ, CPA NZ, Fellow CIMA NZ

Project Director, Kelvin Grove Urban Village: S.W. Pincus, BSc Griff., GradDipAppEcon Canberra

Associate Director, Development & Training: Vacant

DIVISION OF TECHNOLOGY, INFORMATION AND LEARNING SUPPORT

Deputy Vice-Chancellor, Technology, Information and Learning Support: Professor T. Cochrane, BA Qld, MPhil Griff., AALIA

Director, Information Technology Services: N. Thelander, CMACS, PCP

Director, Library Services: J. Stokker, BA Qld, GradDipLib

Director, Teaching and Learning Support Services (TALSS): D. Southwell, MEd BEd ECU, DipTeach WACAE, DipBibStud BTCQ

Associate Director, Teaching and Learning Support Services (TALSS): W. Harper

Associate Director, Teaching and Learning Support Services (TALSS): R. McCulloch, BA(Hons) Essex, MEd Leic.

Associate Director, Corporate Information Services: J. Dascoli, BA C.Qld

Associate Director and Manager, Network Services: R.A. Gorham, BE(Hons), DipCompSci Qld, MBA Deakin, MACS, AIMM

Acting Associate Director, Library Services, Development: S. Fredline, BAgSci Qld, GradDipLibSc QUT, AALIA

Associate Director, Library Services, Information Resources: C. Young, BA Qld, AALIA

Director, Integrated Help Services Section: G. Mitchell, BlinTech(Hons) GradCertHigherEd Griff., PhD Well.

Associate Director, Infrastructure Services: W. Fraser, BSci Qld, GradCertLegalStudies QUT

DIVISION OF RESEARCH AND COMMERCIALISATION

Deputy Vice-Chancellor, Research and Commercialisation: Professor A. Sharma, MSc BITS, PhD SUNY Buffalo

Director, Research and Research Training: Professor R.C. Wissler, BA(Hons) PhD Qld

Manager, Office of Commercial Services: C. Melvin, BBus(Mgmt) QIT, MBA Qld

Manager, Office of Research: M. McArdle, BA Qld

DIVISION OF INTERNATIONAL AND DEVELOPMENT

Deputy Vice-Chancellor, International and Development: Professor S. Vianne McLean, Dip KTC BKTC, BEdStud Qld, MEd PhD Arizona State University

QUT International College

Director, QUT International College: E. McDade, TDipCom Strathclyde, TCert Jordanhill, BEdSt Qld, MAcc C.Sturt

Director of Studies, University Entry Programs: S. Leisemann, DEd BA Qld, PostGradDip LaTrobe, MBA Bond

SENIOR OFFICERS OF THE ADMINISTRATION

Director of Studies, English Language Programs: I. McGregor, BA *Griff.*, GradDipEd PostGradDipSocSc *Qld*, MEd (TESOL) *NE*

QUT International

Executive Director, QUT International: H. Cook, BA DipEd MEd *Qld*, GradDip BA *BCAE*

Director, South Asia: Dr S. Nuna

Director, International Business Development: G. Edmondson, BA *Griff.*

Director, International Marketing and Recruitment: S. Tickle, BSc(Hons) *Salford*, BA *S.Qld*, MA(Res) MBA *QUT*

Development Office

Director, University Advancement and Alumni: S. Garske, BBus(Com) MBA

QUT Precincts

Director, Precincts: Professor P. Lavery, BA DipEd *Qld*, DipD *Brist.*, MLitt *NE*

The University may award medals known as Queensland University of Technology Medals to graduands of certain courses who have achieved an exceptionally high level of performance in their studies.

For the award of a medal, a graduand should have normally achieved a minimum grade point average of 6.5 across all units and thesis where such is required. Medals are awarded by the Registrar, on behalf of University Academic Board, on the recommendation of the relevant faculty academic board. The medal should be testimony that the recipient not only shows exceptional academic promise at the time of the award, but also exhibits an exceptional and consistent record of achievement throughout the whole of the degree.

Eligibility to be considered for the award of a University Medal is limited to:

- graduands of 'end-on' honours degrees where performance in the related bachelor degree is also taken into account
- graduands of degrees with honours, including components of double degree programs where awards with honours are made
- graduands of bachelor degrees of at least three years normal duration where no honours award is available,

including relevant components of double degree programs where no honours award is available.

In completing one of the above degrees, graduands must have been enrolled at QUT for at least two years of full-time study or equivalent. The two years of study at QUT must be directly relevant to the course for which the medal is awarded.

For graduands of double degrees, University medals are awarded as appropriate for each of the component degrees.

As the University medal is awarded only for distinguished achievement, University Academic Board has indicated as a guide to faculties that the proportion of graduands who may receive medals in any year should normally be not more than one per 200 bachelor-level graduands (or part thereof) per faculty.

The award is a silver medallion, suitably embossed and inscribed, together with a certificate attesting the award. The medallion is 5.5 centimetres square with rounded corners. The QUT logo is embossed one side and the reverse carries an inscription citing the year of the award and the name of the awardee. Further details may be placed on the certificate.

QUT ALUMNI

When you graduate from QUT, you will become a member of the University's Alumni. QUT Alumni promotes friendly communication and cooperation among the University's graduates, students, faculty staff and close associates. Membership of QUT Alumni is free.

The Alumni Office at QUT provides services and programs for graduates to enhance professional development, promote lifelong learning, and create opportunities for keeping in touch with other graduates and continuing involvement with the University. As a current student of QUT, you can benefit from the news, programs and services organised by QUT Alumni for the University community.

The Alumni web site (<http://www.alumni.qut.edu.au/>) provides useful information about QUT Alumni and its sponsored activities. Visit the site to:

- discover how to participate in the **Mentor Scheme**, which is an opportunity for current students to link with graduates for encouragement and support and to get a practical start to understanding the workplace
- learn about the QUT Alumni **Student Leadership Awards** that recognise students of QUT for their contributions to the University and the wider community and discover how you could become the **QUT Alumni Student Leader of the Year**
- explore **QUT Links** magazine online. QUT publishes this magazine for its Alumni, close associates and interested members of the University community including business and industry professionals. The magazine profiles successful graduates and provides information on what's

happening in the lives of QUT Alumni members as well as what is happening at QUT

- discover the latest news on Alumni events and other activities for graduates by checking out the events listing at **QUT Events**
- learn about the **Outstanding Alumni Awards** which recognise graduates who have performed exceptionally in their chosen career and who have made outstanding contributions to the community
- learn about the existing **Alumni Chapters** at QUT
- find out about the **benefits and services** that the University has to offer its Alumni
- find out about the **Alumni Annual Appeal** that supports University projects, in particular scholarships for disadvantaged students.

Giving to QUT

QUT is proud of the strong support it receives from the community.

Alumni, individuals, corporations, foundations and government give generously, both financially and through other means, to the University's teaching, research and community outreach activities.

This ensures support for students through scholarships and prizes, an improved learning environment and world-leading research that solves real world problems.

Donations to QUT are fully tax deductible. Bequests for general or specific purposes may also be made to the University.

For further information visit the giving website or contact QUT Development on 07 3138 1838.

QUT Gardens Cultural Precinct, located at the University's Gardens Point campus, is situated on one of Queensland's most central and historically important sites. The Precinct encompasses QUT Art Museum, one of Australia's most sophisticated contemporary art museums; Gardens Theatre, with a 400 seat state-of-the-art theatre; and Old Government House.

Gardens Cultural Precinct is at the centre of a circuit of culture and recreation incorporating the South Bank precinct with its parklands and cultural centre; the city heart with its galleries and shopping; and Gardens Point itself with its Botanic Gardens, Riverstage, historic campus buildings and Parliament House.

In addition to the core activity of exhibitions and performances, Gardens Cultural Precinct offers unique arts-based educational programs that provide practical ways for Queensland University of Technology to extend the benefits of its knowledge, research and services to the wider Queensland community. These programs have a practical emphasis and include hands-on sessions with curators, artists talks, activity booklets, guided tours and demonstrations.

Venue Hire

Gardens Cultural Precinct also offers a choice of stunning spaces for hire. QUT Art Museum provides an elegant and sophisticated space for cocktail parties; Gardens Theatre provides a picturesque and spacious function area, within the glass walled foyer overlooking the City Botanic Gardens; and Old Government House adds heritage glamour to any event.

For venue hire enquiries, phone 3138 4463 or email events@qut.edu.au

Location

QUT Gardens Point
2 George Street, Brisbane (next to City Botanic Gardens)

Information

Phone: 07 3138 8005
Email: info.culturalprecinct@qut.edu.au
Web: www.culturalprecinct.qut.com

Gardens Theatre

Open to the general public, Gardens Theatre is a premium and versatile venue a full program of professional theatre, children's shows, and student productions.

Featuring a spacious foyer overlooking the City Botanic Gardens and an auditorium that seats 400, Gardens Theatre provides an intimate performance space for both QUT Creative Industries' presentations as well as local and visiting drama, music and dance productions.

During 2008 it will offer an annual program of professional theatre productions, children's theatre, as well as opportunities to see tomorrow's professionals in QUT Showcase productions. Subscriptions are available to patrons which include discounts on tickets and pre-show dining.

This state-of-the-art venue is located on QUT's Gardens Point campus at the heritage end of George Street in Brisbane's CBD. Acknowledged as one of the city's premier performing arts venues, Gardens Theatre also features exceptional facilities for audiences including a licenced bar, palm tree atrium, disabled access and a Bar Merlo cafe.

Gardens Theatre facilities and foyer area are available for hire.

Location

QUT Gardens Point
2 George Street, Brisbane (next to City Botanic Gardens)

Box Office

Open Monday - Friday (9am-6pm) and one hour prior to all scheduled performances.

Bookings & Show Information

For advance bookings and information on current shows phone GardensTix on 07 3138 4455 or visit www.gardenstheatre.qut.com

What's On

Free program guides are available from the theatre box office or refer to program listings on the web at www.gardenstheatre.qut.com

Information

Phone: 07 3138 4455
Fax: 07 3138 4462
Email: gardenstix@qut.edu.au
Web: www.gardenstheatre.qut.com

QUT Art Museum

QUT Art Museum is a modern art gallery that has a reputation for displaying the finest works from the QUT Art Collection and presenting thought-provoking exhibitions of contemporary art.

Open to the general public, QUT Art Museum is an important cultural facility for the city of Brisbane. The Museum plays a vital role in the educational and intellectual life of the University. It houses a significant art collection that has become a valuable cultural resource for the students and staff of the University, and for the wider community.

The collection is one of the largest in Queensland and contains approximately 2500 artworks of great quality and diversity, mostly by Australian artists. It includes fine early paintings, ceramics and prints, important examples of indigenous art and challenging contemporary works.

As part of its exciting and dynamic program, the Art Museum offers an annual program of exhibitions drawn from the collection, national touring exhibitions from other galleries, and works from several creative academic disciplines within the University.

The Museum's educational services are designed to complement and enhance the exhibitions program for the benefit and enjoyment of the public. For free public program information visit www.artmuseum.qut.com

Location

QUT Gardens Point
2 George Street, Brisbane (next to City Botanic Gardens)

Museum Hours

Tuesday-Friday: 10am-5pm
Wednesday: until 8pm
Saturday-Sunday: 12noon-4pm
Closed Mondays and public holidays

Admission

Free entry

Information

Phone: 07 3138 5370
Email: artmuseum@qut.edu.au
Web: www.artmuseum.qut.com

Old Government House

Old Government House was the official residence of the Governors of Queensland from 1862–1909. Since that time the house has been occupied by the University of Queensland; the National Trust of Queensland; and Queensland University of Technology's predecessor institutions, Central Technical College and Queensland Institute of Technology.

Old Government House is owned by the Queensland Government. In October 2002, a Heads of Agreement was signed between the Queensland Government, National Trust of Queensland and Queensland University of Technology for the future conservation, management and use of Old Government House.

QUT has accepted responsibility for the continued enhancement of Old Government House and the accompanying grounds in accordance with the Government's Conservation Plan.

To celebrate its history and advance knowledge of Queensland's architectural, political and educational heritage, QUT has previously opened the doors of Old Government House to provide a welcoming environment for all Queen-

slanders and visitors to enjoy and learn about the building and its site. Guided tours are available on request.

As of mid 2007, Old Government House closed for a major restoration and will re-open as a new and exciting venue in 2009.

Location

QUT Gardens Point
2 George Street, Brisbane (next to City Botanic Gardens)

Opening Hours

Currently closed for restoration – will re-open in 2009

Admission

Free entry

Information

Phone: 07 3138 4455
Email: info.ogh@qut.edu.au
Web: www.ogh.qut.edu.au

QUT STUDENT GUILD

The QUT Student Guild fosters the welfare of all QUT students and protects their rights. It advocates for students who experience difficulties during their time at QUT and represents all students on various University committees. Being a member of the Student Guild is like having an insurance policy; it is there to help you when things go wrong. Many QUT students have graduated only because the Guild has advocated for them when they have experienced academic difficulties.

The QUT Student Guild is owned and operated by and for students. The Student Guild is governed by Guild Council which consists of the Executive (President, General Secretary, Academic Rights Director, International Director, Womens Director, Welfare Director, Recreation Director, Indigenous Director and Queer Services Directors, campus representatives, and specialist representatives (for part-time and external students, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students, and postgraduate students).

Members of the Guild Council are elected at the annual general election and all students are eligible to stand for positions at the election. Students are also able to nominate and vote for campus coordinator positions to help organise activities and services on campuses.

The Student Guild sends representatives to express students' views to many University committees, including the University Academic Board.

The QUT Student Guild is an organisation which offers support, advocacy and representation to all students at QUT on issues ranging from academic appeals to lobbying the state and federal governments on higher education issues. Quite often, access and equity to education can be affected by government policy. The Student Guild will often call on its members to attend rallies to stop regressive changes to the education system. The Student Guild fully supports a free public education system where everyone has equal access.

The QUT Student Guild also operates several commercial services across all campuses. These consist of the Guild Fitness Centres, Guild Bars, Guild Aquatic and Squash Centre, Guild News and Post Office, the Guild Child Care Centres and Creche, Academic Gown Hire and the Guild Second Hand Textbook Shop.

The Guild has a presence on the Web which can be accessed at www.guildonline.net. All of the Guild's services are listed there along with an events page where students can find out what is happening on their campus as well as up-to-date accommodation and part-time employment listings.