

# Mekong-Australia Partnership (MAP)

## Priority Sectors & Fields of Study for Australia Awards MAP Scholarships

The Priority Sectors and corresponding Fields of Study for the Australia Awards MAP Scholarships for study commencing in 2026 are below:

<b>Sectors</b>	<b>Applicable Field of Study/Subject Areas (focusing on development outcomes/impacts)</b>
Water Security	Water resources and sustainable management Catchment science Integrated water management Hydrology/Hydrogeology Aquaculture Fisheries
Climate Action	Climate/environmental adaptation and resilience Renewable energy Sustainable development Rural development Disaster management Forest and wildlife conservation Natural resource management Infrastructure and transport Mineral resources Environmental management Sustainable agriculture and food stability Sustainable tourism Construction management
Transnational Crime	International/criminal law Criminology Prosecution and Judicial system Maritime security/sustainability Criminal Law Digital and Forensic Science
Economic Resilience and Subregional Integration	Economics Economic governance Agricultural economics International trade Agribusiness Public financial management Food science and technology Logistics and supply chain management Regional stability Critical technology AI and robotics Digital transformation Digital communication Information technology Multi-media communication Entrepreneurship and innovation Hospitality management Quality and standard management Construction and infrastructure management Public administration and policy

<b>Sectors</b>	<b>Applicable Field of Study/Subject Areas (focusing on development outcomes/impacts)</b>
Gender Equality, Disability and Social Inclusion (GEDSI)	Gender studies Disability policy and practices Disability service Human rights, gender-based health care Social work Social policy and social protection