

# PGDip Intensive | Purple Group 2023/24

MONTH	BLOCK	COURSES	DATES	ALL MODULES
OCT 2023	Orientation	Lead, genesis & business communication for impact	24 - 28 October 2023	Individual preparation  Lectures  Syndicate group meetings  Assessments  Coaching and mentoring
NOV 2023	1	Financial and management accounting, research and statistics	1 – 3 & 6 – 8 November 2023	
NOV – DEC 2023	2	Financial & management accounting, microeconomics, lead	22 – 24 & 27 – 29 November, 1 December 2023	
		Financial & management accounting & microeconomics examinations	11 & 12 December 2023	
JAN 2024	3	Human behaviour & performance, human resource strategy, research and statistics, business communication for impact	4 – 14 January 2024	
		Human resource strategy & human behaviour & performance examinations	24 & 25 January 2024	
FEB 2024	4	Macroeconomics, marketing, operations management, lead	5 – 9 & 12 – 16 February 2024	
		Macroeconomics, marketing, operations management examinations	26, 27 & 28 February 2024	
MAR 2024	5	Corporate finance techniques & assessment	5, 6 & 13 March 2024	
OCT 2023 – MAR 2024	1 – 5	Applied business research project	ABP & RS presentations: 1 December 2023 Ethical clearance: 15 January 2024 Mid-point submission: 31 January 2024 ABP hand in: 4 March 2024	
		BCI & plagiarism workshops	TBC	
MAR 2024		MBA commencement	Dates to be advised	

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MONTH	BLOCK	COURSES	DATES	ALL MODULES
MAR – APR 2024	1	Onboarding and leadership	22 – 23 March 2024	Individual preparation
		Environment of business	24 – 27 March & 2 - 4 April 2024	
	2	Research seminars	10 – 12 April 2024	Lectures
		Innovation and design, coaching	20 – 25 April 2024	Syndicate group meetings
MAY –JUN 2024	3	Decision making	9 – 14 May 2024	Assessments
	4	Strategic implementation, coaching	27 – 31 May & 1 June 2024	
JUN –SEP 2024		Electives	7 June – September 2024	Coaching and mentoring
AUG 2024		Research proposal due	1 August 2024	
SEP - OCT 2024		Global module	Specific dates to be advised	
NOV 2024	5	Integrated business simulation, leadership	18, 19 & 21 November 2024	
MAR 2025		Research hand-in	4 March 2025 (Research workshops will be conducted in 2024/25. Dates will be published separately)	

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