

# ROLE AND FUNCTIONS

## BASIS OF AUTHORITY

The University is a body corporate governed by the *University of Queensland Act 1998*, as amended (the 'Act'). The University was founded in 1910.

### Functions

The University:

- disseminates knowledge and promotes scholarship
- provides education at university standard
- provides facilities for and encourages study and research
- encourages the advancement and development of knowledge and its application
- provides courses of study or instruction (at levels of achievement Senate considers appropriate) to meet community needs
- confers higher education awards
- provides facilities and resources for the wellbeing of staff, students and others