

# AUSTRALIAN UNIVERSITIES.



**Australia accounts for nearly three per cent of the world's research output, with less than half a per cent of the world's population.**

### **The home of innovative thinkers.**

Australian universities are educating the leaders of the future. They encourage innovative, creative and independent thinking, and develop graduates equipped to find employment all over the world.

Australian graduates and researchers are leading groundbreaking developments that are shaping today, and preparing us for tomorrow. We've led the world in creating innovations such as the black box flight recorder, WiFi internet, the bionic ear, a vaccine for cervical cancer, pioneering IVF technology, and the discovery of penicillin.

Australia has educated 11 Nobel Prize winners over the last century, in the fields of medicine, science and literature.

### **An international learning experience.**

Australian universities are renowned around the world for the quality of their teaching and research. We continue to perform at a level above universities in many developed countries with higher populations than our own. It's a fact highlighted by the 2010 QS World University Rankings – with 13 per cent of Australia's universities ranked in the Top 50, and 67 per cent in the Top 500 in the world.

Our universities have strong links to institutions all over the world – especially within Asia – as well as active research collaboration, global alumni networks, and cooperation involving staff and students.

### **Qualifications.**

You'll find courses of the highest quality on offer at Australian universities. Qualifications are offered at both undergraduate and postgraduate level: associate degrees, bachelor degrees, graduate certificates, graduate diplomas, masters by coursework, masters by research, professional doctorates and PhDs.

A wide range of courses are offered to prepare you for the jobs of tomorrow – from science to management and commerce, humanities to engineering, law to health sciences.

### **Our quality assurance.**

In Australia, the quality of your education is guaranteed. A new national regulatory and quality agency for higher education – the Tertiary Education Quality and Standards Agency (TEQSA) – has been established by the Australian Government. TEQSA has the power to regulate university and non-university higher education providers, monitor quality and set standards.

In addition, the wellbeing of all international students, the quality of their educational experience and the provision of up-to-date and accurate information is protected by law – in the Education Services for Overseas Students (ESOS) Act 2000.

University	State	Main campus	Other campus locations
Adelaide University	SA	Adelaide	Roseworthy
Australian Catholic University	NSW	Sydney	Ballarat, Brisbane, Canberra, Melbourne
Australian National University, The	ACT	Canberra	
Bond University	QLD	Gold Coast	
Carnegie Mellon University	SA	Adelaide	
Central Queensland University	QLD	Rockhampton	Brisbane, Bundaberg, Emerald, Gladstone, Gold Coast, Mackay, Melbourne, Sydney
Charles Darwin University	NT	Darwin	Alice Springs, Palmerston
Charles Sturt University	NSW	Bathurst	Albury-Wodonga, Dubbo, Goulburn, Orange, Sydney, Wagga Wagga
Curtin University of Technology	WA	Perth	Kalgoorlie, Northam, Sydney
Deakin University	VIC	Melbourne	Geelong, Warrnambool
Edith Cowan University	WA	Perth	Broome, Bunbury
Flinders University	SA	Adelaide	
Griffith University	QLD	Brisbane	Gold Coast, Logan
James Cook University	QLD	Townsville	Cairns, Mackay, Mt Isa
La Trobe University	VIC	Melbourne	Albury-Wodonga, Beechworth, Bendigo, Mildura, Mt Buller, Shepparton
Macquarie University	NSW	Sydney	
Monash University	VIC	Melbourne	Churchill, Frankston
Murdoch University	WA	Perth	Mandurah, Rockingham
Queensland University of Technology	QLD	Brisbane	
RMIT University	VIC	Melbourne	Bairnsdale
Southern Cross University	NSW	Lismore	Coffs Harbour, Melbourne, Port Macquarie, Sydney, Tweed Heads
Swinburne University of Technology	VIC	Melbourne	Lilydale
University of Ballarat	VIC	Ballarat	Ararat, Horsham, Stawell
University of Canberra	ACT	Canberra	
University of Melbourne, The	VIC	Melbourne	Creswick, Dookie, Horsham, Shepparton, Terang, Warragul, Werribee
University of New England, The	NSW	Armidale	
University of New South Wales, The	NSW	Sydney	Canberra (Australian Defence Force Academy)
University of Newcastle, The	NSW	Newcastle	Ourimbah, Port Macquarie
University of Notre Dame Australia, The	WA	Fremantle	Broome, Sydney
University of Queensland, The	QLD	Brisbane	Gatton, Ipswich
University of South Australia	SA	Adelaide	Mount Gambier, Whyalla
University of Southern Queensland	QLD	Toowoomba	Hervey Bay, Springfield
University of Sydney, The	NSW	Sydney	Camden
University of Tasmania	TAS	Hobart	Burnie, Launceston
University of Technology, Sydney	NSW	Sydney	
University of the Sunshine Coast	QLD	Maroochydore	
University of Western Australia, The	WA	Perth	Albany
University of Western Sydney	NSW	Sydney	Campbelltown
University of Wollongong	NSW	Wollongong	Nowra, Sydney
Victoria University	VIC	Melbourne	

### Investing in your future.

Tuition fees at Australian universities do vary, ranging from approximately A\$14,000 to \$35,000 per year at the undergraduate level and A\$15,000 to \$36,000 per year at the postgraduate level. However, highly specialised courses can attract fees above this range.

As far as living costs go, when you combine accommodation, meals and local transport, you can live and learn in Australia from between A\$1,500 to \$2,000 a month.

### When you'll start.

University courses usually run from early March to late November. The year is generally divided into two semesters, however some institutions offer a trimester system and/or run summer schools from December to February.

### Pathways to university.

If you don't meet the entry requirements to get into university in Australia, there are many pathways that can help you reach your goal. This might include studying in an Australian school, taking English language preparation or studying a vocational education and training course. Foundation Studies is a one-year intensive preparatory course that will give you the skills you need to enter an undergraduate course.

### International scholarships.

Scholarships are offered by the Australian Government, education institutions and a number of other organisations.

The Australia Awards is the Australian Government's prestigious scholarship program. It aims to promote knowledge, education links and enduring ties between Australia and our neighbours, through Australia's extensive scholarship programs.

### You'll be ready for the jobs of the future.

When you graduate from an Australian university, you will have skills for the jobs of tomorrow. You will also be internationally mobile, with the potential to follow many different career paths.

Graduates and researchers from Australian universities range from Prime Ministers to astronauts to Oscar winners. And there's nothing stopping you from joining their ranks.

To find out more about how you can secure the job you want by studying at an Australian university, visit [www.studyinaustralia.gov.au](http://www.studyinaustralia.gov.au)

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