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The University of Sydney has a worldwide reputation for high-quality teaching and is consistently ranked among the top universities in the Asia-Pacific. It is a member of the Group of 8 (Australia's major research universities) and is one of only three Australian members of the Association of Pacific Rim Universities (APRU). When you join the University of Sydney, you become part of a community committed to maximising the potential of everyone who comes here. The diversity of our student and staff body is matched by our wide range of courses – we stand out among Australia's leading universities in the breadth of subjects we teach.

We reach beyond our campuses to improve the lives of those who never enter our classrooms or laboratories as academics or students. Our award-winning researchers are leaders in addressing issues that impact everyone, from public health to environmental sustainability. They move beyond disciplinary barriers to find solutions to improve and transform all our lives. In creating the first tertiary education institution in Australia, our founders recognised the power of education to change society. That belief remains just as strong today.

OPEN DAYS, EXHIBITIONS AND INTERVIEW SESSIONS

In Australia

We have a range of interview sessions arranged through our Australian representatives. Visit <http://sydney.edu.au/internationaloffice/agents/>

The University's Open Day is on Saturday 27 August 2011. For more information visit http://sydney.edu.au/open_day

An Info Day will also be held on Wednesday 4 January 2012.

Overseas

International office and faculty staff visit countries all over the world, representing the University at exhibitions and interview sessions. These staff members are delighted to meet you, to assist with any questions or to advise on your application to the University of Sydney. Visits are usually advertised in local newspapers or by our local representatives.

For details visit <http://sydney.edu.au/internationaloffice/contact/exhibitions>

For details of the University of Sydney's overseas agents/representatives visit <http://sydney.edu.au/internationaloffice/agents/>

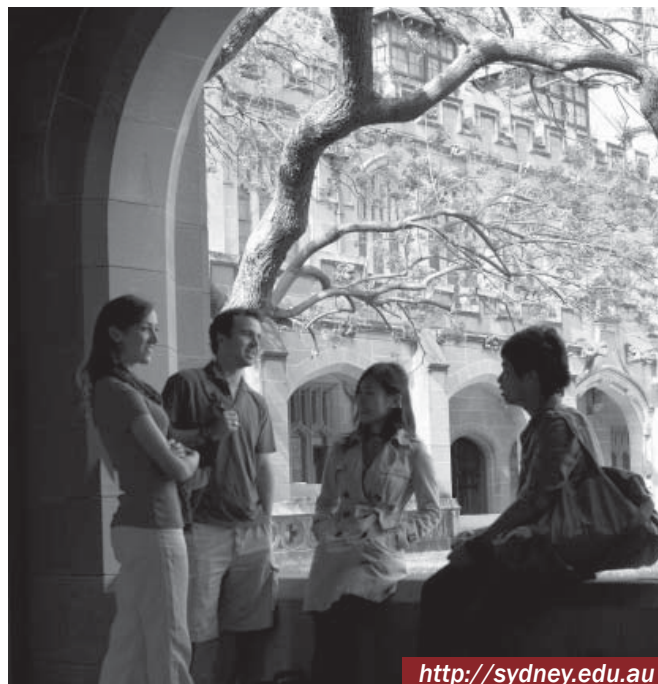
IMPORTANT DATES

The academic year is divided into two semesters, each containing 12 teaching weeks:

- Semester 1 (between March and June)
- Semester 2 (between July and November).

It is possible to start most courses in semester 1 or semester 2. Refer to the 'Table of courses' in this booklet or check our *International Prospectus* at <http://sydney.edu.au/internationaloffice/publications/ug.shtml> to see when you can commence each course.

Info Day	Wednesday 4 January 2012
International student orientation for semester 1	Monday 20 – Wednesday 21 February 2012
Semester 1	Monday 5 March – Saturday 30 June 2012
Semester 2	Monday 30 July – Saturday 24 November 2012



<http://sydney.edu.au>

Academic calendar

For more detailed calendar information, visit <http://sydney.edu.au/ug-int-dates>

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Read page 22 for general information about admission requirements.

Admission requirements are the minimum qualifications you need before you can be selected for admission to a course of study.

As an international student attempting one of the following qualifications, you apply for admission through UAC International and will generally be selected on the basis of your performance in these studies (that is, your ATAR or equivalent):

- an Australian Year 12 qualification (either offshore or in Australia)
- an International Baccalaureate
- a New Zealand National Certificate of Educational Achievement Level 3.

When assessing your application the University of Sydney may take any or all of your qualifications or attempts at study into account.

Additional selection criteria

As well as achieving the standard of performance required for admission, for certain courses you must also satisfy any additional selection criteria. These criteria may include portfolio, interview, audition, questionnaire or test and are taken into account either instead of, or in conjunction with, your ATAR or equivalent.

Details of additional selection criteria and how applicants can meet these requirements are outlined in the course descriptions. For course descriptions, visit the course search on the UAC International website at www.uac.edu.au/international/course-search/.

If you are undertaking your Year 12 studies offshore and are applying to a course that has additional selection criteria that you will find difficult to meet, contact us at www.sydney.internationalstudent.info

STUDENTS UNDER 18 YEARS OF AGE

Before you are granted a student visa, the Australian Government must be satisfied that you have appropriate accommodation, support and general welfare arrangements in place for the period that you will be under 18 years of age while in Australia.

The University of Sydney does not accept responsibility for welfare arrangements for international students who are under 18 years of age. For more information on what arrangements need to be in place, visit www.immi.gov.au/students/students_guardians/

AREAS OF STUDY

The University of Sydney has the most diverse range of degrees in Australia. There are more than 430 different degrees in 16 faculties and a huge range of majors and subjects within these degrees. Mid-year entry is available for many popular programs.

For full details visit <http://sydney.edu.au/courses/>

- Accounting
- Agriculture
- Agribusiness
- Aeronautical Engineering
- Anatomy
- Archaeology
- Architecture
- Arts and Humanities
- Art History
- Asian Studies
- Biochemistry
- Biological Sciences
- Biomedical Engineering
- Biotechnology
- Business Studies
- Chemical Engineering
- Civil Engineering
- Commerce
- Communications
- Computer Science
- Data Communications
- Dentistry (Graduate Entry)
- Design Computing
- E-Commerce
- Ecology
- Econometrics
- Economics
- Education
- Electrical Engineering
- Environmental Engineering
- Environmental Science
- Finance
- Genetics
- Geography
- Geology
- Health Sciences
- History
- Information Technology
- International Law
- International Trade
- Languages
- Law
- Literature
- Logistics
- Management
- Marketing
- Mathematics
- Mechanical Engineering
- Mechatronics
- Media
- Medical Radiation Technology
- Medical Science
- Medicine (Graduate Entry)
- Microbiology
- Molecular Biotechnology
- Multimedia
- Music
- Nursing
- Nutrition
- Occupational Therapy
- Performance Studies
- Pharmacy
- Photomedia
- Physics
- Physiotherapy
- Politics
- Psychology
- Radiography
- Religious Studies
- Resource Economics
- Science
- Social Sciences
- Software Engineering
- Soil Science
- Speech Pathology
- Statistics
- Telecommunications Engineering
- Veterinary Science.

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TUITION FEES

For information about tuition fees check the 'Table of courses' in this booklet or visit the course search on the UAC International website at www.uac.edu.au/international/course-search/

Alternatively you can check the University's course database at <http://sydney.edu.au/courses/>

The University's tuition fees are reviewed annually and may be varied during the period of study. The exact tuition fee for your course may depend on the specific units of study in which you enrol. The published fees are indicative fees only.

Fees policy

For more information visit http://sydney.edu.au/future_students/international_undergraduate/costs_scholarships/fees/

LIVING EXPENSES

Read page 35 for general information about living expenses.

In Sydney, you can live on an average of approximately A\$25,000 each year or A\$480 a week. This does not include the cost of textbooks and does not allow for expenses such as vacations, medicines or the running of a car.

Average cost of living (per week):

Rent:	A\$200 – A\$350+	Telephone:	A\$10 – A\$20+
Food:	A\$70 – A\$90+	Other:	A\$50 – A\$80+
Travel:	A\$15 – A\$55+		

For more information visit <http://sydney.edu.au/ug-int-costs>

SCHOLARSHIPS

Read page 35 for general information about scholarships.

International students have access to the same range of undergraduate merit-based scholarships available to Australian students. University of Sydney Scholarships are available in a number of categories and range from \$6,000 to \$10,000 a year for up to the normal length of an undergraduate degree, including combined degrees and an extra honours year. The University of Sydney has one of the largest scholarship programs in the country.

For information on University of Sydney Scholarships visit <http://sydney.edu.au/scholarships/school/index.shtml> or call 1300 362 006 (in Australia) or +61 2 8627 8300 (outside Australia).

SPONSORED STUDENTS

Read page 35 for general information about sponsored students.

OVERSEAS STUDENT HEALTH COVER (OSHC)

Read page 36 for general information about OSHC.

The Australian Government requires that all international students and their families pay for health insurance in Australia through the Overseas Student Health Cover (OSHC) scheme. The University-preferred provider of OSHC is Worldcare Assist.

For more information visit <http://sydney.edu.au/ug-int-health>

HEALTH SERVICES ON CAMPUS

The University Health Service offers a comprehensive and confidential bulk-billing general practitioner service and emergency medical care to all students. The Camperdown and Darlington campuses also have a dentist, optometrist and two chemists.

The Counselling Service provides free, professional counselling and workshops. Counsellors are available at Darlington, SCA, Conservatorium and Cumberland campuses. For more information visit <http://sydney.edu.au/counselling>

WORKING WHILE STUDYING

Read page 36 for general information about working while studying.

While on a student visa, you can work no more than 20 hours per week during semester, however, you may work full-time during the official University vacations. For more information visit www.immi.gov.au/students/students/working_while_studying

PREPARING FOR STUDENT LIFE

The University offers international students a tailored orientation program in addition to the general orientation for all commencing students (see Orientation below)

ACCEPTANCE, ORIENTATION, ENROLMENT AND DEFERMENT

Read page 17 for general information about acceptance, orientation, enrolment and deferment.

Acceptance

Detailed instructions on how to accept your unconditional offer from the University of Sydney are available on our website. Visit http://sydney.edu.au/future_students/international_undergraduate/admissions/uac_offers/accept.shtml.

Orientation

The University's Orientation program at the Camperdown and Darlington campus provides a free, integrated program of lectures and activities to help undergraduate students with the transition to university.

For more information visit http://sydney.edu.au/current_students/orientation/international.shtml

Enrolment

Enrolment is the formal process of registering with your faculty and choosing your units of study/subjects. To accept your University of Sydney offer you must enrol in person at a designated session. Enrolment is compulsory and late enrolments will only be allowed with faculty permission. If you do not enrol in person at your designated time and day, you may lose your offer. You will receive full details of the enrolment procedure and dates with your enrolment offer. For detailed enrolment information visit <http://sydney.edu.au/ug-int-enrol>

Deferment

You may apply to defer your offer for up to one year from the commencement date on your original letter of offer. For further information visit http://sydney.edu.au/future_students/international_undergraduate/admissions/offers/deferring.shtml

STUDENT SUPPORT

The University provides a professional counselling service for students. For more information visit <http://sydney.edu.au/counselling> or email counselling.service@sydney.edu.au

ACCOMMODATION

The University's Accommodation Service, located on the Camperdown and Darlington campus, helps students find off-campus accommodation. It maintains an extensive database of accommodation close to campus or with easy access to public transport. The service can also provide information about accommodation affiliated to or owned by the University, including limited low-cost housing catering to students on a very low budget.

For information on finding accommodation call +61 2 9351 3312, email accommodation.info@sydney.edu.au or visit <http://sydney.edu.au/accommodation>.

Residential colleges are affiliated with, but not owned by, the University. Each one is run independently and provides furnished rooms and meals. An application to the colleges is required and you are strongly advised to apply for accommodation at the same time that you apply to UAC.

For more information on the colleges visit http://sydney.edu.au/current_students/accommodation/on_campus

CAMPUS SERVICES AND FACILITIES

Careers and employment

The Careers Centre assists all current and recently graduated students with building employability skills, plan careers and look for work and casual employment. It offers workshops and support in writing resumes and interview and job search skills. For more information visit <http://sydney.edu.au/careers>

SydneyTalent provides registered students with opportunities for paid employment and work-related development. For more information visit <http://sydney.edu.au/sydneytalent>

Chaplaincy

The Multifaith Chaplaincy Centre is located on Camperdown Campus. The centre hosts chaplains of Anglican, Assemblies of God, Baptist, Buddhist, Catholic, Coptic Orthodox, Greek Orthodox, Islamic, Jewish, Presbyterian, the Salvation Army and Uniting Church faiths. For more information visit <http://sydney.edu.au/chaplains>

Learning assistance

The Learning Centre helps students develop the broad range of academic skills necessary for successful university study. Located on the Camperdown and Cumberland campuses, the Centre's program includes a wide range of workshops on study skills, academic reading and writing, oral communication skills and postgraduate writing and research skills. For more information visit <http://sydney.edu.au/lc>

Contact the Camperdown Campus Learning Centre on +61 2 9351 3853 or email learning.centre@sydney.edu.au.

Contact the Cumberland Learning Centre on +61 2 9351 9638 or email cumberland.lc@sydney.edu.au

The Mathematics Learning Centre helps eligible undergraduate students develop the mathematical knowledge, skills and confidence that are needed for studying mathematics or statistics. For more information call +61 2 9351 4061, email mlc.enquiries@sydney.edu.au or visit http://sydney.edu.au/math_learning_centre

The University has developed the Staying on Track program to identify when a student is experiencing difficulty meeting the minimum academic progression requirements for their course. This program will assist in identifying the problem and provide the student with a range of support services. For more information visit http://sydney.edu.au/student_affairs

Library

The University of Sydney Library provides services through a network of libraries across several campuses and numerous online databases. Library staff are available to support students with their study and research, and faculty liaison librarians also provide training in using a wide range of resources. To learn how to make the most of the library, and develop valuable research and information skills visit <http://sydney.edu.au/library/skills>

Sports and recreation

Sydney Uni Sport & Fitness offers first class facilities, including gyms, sporting fields, tennis and squash courts and an Olympic-size heated swimming pool plus sporting events and recreational clubs. For more information visit www.susf.com.au

Student organisations

There is a lot more to university life and learning than study. Clubs, societies, sports and politics are all part of life at the University of Sydney.

University of Sydney Union (USU)

The USU works for students to make campus life more enjoyable. It has more than 180 clubs and societies you can join and offers a co-ordinated range of services, facilities, programs and events.

The USU provides the ACCESS card to get 15 per cent off at campus catering and retail outlets, as well as great benefits off campus. Visit www.accessbenefits.com.au to see the full list of ACCESS card partners and discounted services. For more information on USU services visit www.usuonline.com.

Students' Representative Council

The Students' Representative Council (SRC) is the representative voice for all University of Sydney undergraduate students. The SRC is run by students, for students, to defend and extend students' rights, and to advocate on their behalf to the University administration, government and the wider community.

The SRC also provides essential support services to students, including free and confidential advice on academic issues (such as appeals and enrolment), discrimination and harassment, housing, employment and welfare issues (such as Centrelink-related matters). The SRC offers students access to free legal advice and court representation, interest-free loans, a secondhand textbook shop, and free student publications, including *Honi Soit*, the weekly student newspaper. Visit <http://sydney.edu.au/src> for more information.

Cumberland Student Guild – Campus REWARDS

Campus REWARDS is a member benefit scheme available to both students and staff at Cumberland. The scheme offers members great rewards – and the more you use your Campus REWARDS card, the more you get for free.

Campus REWARDS offers members access via the internet, show-and-save cards, internet coupons, 1300 telephone access, mobile phone text rewards, and the fantastic Campus REWARDS points program. Visit www.campusrewards.com.au/content/ for more information.

Students with disabilities

Disability Services is the principal point of contact and advice for students with disabilities and students must register with Disability Services to receive assistance. To ensure that arrangements are in place for the beginning of semester we advise that you do this as soon as you have completed your enrolment, or accepted your course offer, before the start of semester. You will also need recent medical documentation specifically detailed for Disability Services. For more information visit <http://sydney.edu.au/disability> or call Camperdown/Darlington on +61 2 8627 8433 or email disability.services@sydney.edu.au. Call Cumberland on +61 2 9351 9638 or email cumberland.ds@sydney.edu.au

FAQS AND FURTHER INFORMATION

For more information about studying at the University of Sydney as an international student visit www.sydney.internationalstudent.info