

Canberra campus

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Open days

Campus tours

Campus tours are available weekdays between 9am and 4pm. To book a tour, visit canberra.edu.au/on-campus/campus-tours.

Important dates

Application closing dates

Application closing dates, including final closing dates for each course, are listed in the course search on UAC's website at uac.edu.au/postgraduate/course-search.

Some courses have early closing dates; check carefully to ensure that your application is on time to be considered.

Semester dates

Orientation week for Semester 1	Monday 5 – Friday 9 February 2018
Semester 1	Monday 12 February – Friday 11 May 2018
Winter Term	Monday 4 June – Friday 20 July 2018
Orientation week for Semester 2	Monday 30 July – Friday 3 August 2018
Semester 2	Monday 6 August – Friday 2 November 2018

Winter Term option

Winter Term is an optional study period where students have the chance to complete the academic requirements of their course at a faster rate and enter the workforce sooner than their peers. It provides a valuable opportunity for work-integrated learning, studio learning, field studies, clinical placement and intensive learning.

ABOUT

The University of Canberra (UC) is a high-growth, emerging university that values innovation and collaboration. It is a university with a global focus and strong international links, including partnerships with universities around the world.

For a young university, we have already achieved so much. We are ranked in the top 4 per cent of universities globally by both Times Higher Education and QS World University Rankings.

You'll find our staff inspiring and encouraging, and they'll spend a lot more time with you than you may have imagined. It's this sort of personal attention that positions our graduates among the most sought after in the country. Learning is not all academic at UC. Our strong emphasis on work-integrated learning gives you valuable experience in the workplace before you even graduate. The hands-on work experience we offer lets you put theory into practice and is an important reason why we were consistently ranked among

Australia's top universities for 'Getting a Job' and 'Starting Salary' in the Good Universities Guide.

We don't intend to rest on our laurels though. Our plan is to become one of Australia's most innovative tertiary institutions, and we are well on our way after being ranked in the top 100 universities in the world under the age of 50.

As a young, creative and energetic university, we'll continue to progress and grow to meet the changing needs of our students. Our plan contains a number of ambitious strategies for improvement and development.

Our Canberra campus will be the engine room from which we provide tertiary education for local communities and, in partnership with other institutions, to students around Australia and the world. Combined with a commitment to greater global influence, this will see us become world leaders in both research and teaching.

We've got big plans, as you can see. Why don't you become part of them?

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

For admission to a postgraduate coursework program you would normally be expected to have a Bachelor degree or equivalent qualification from a recognised tertiary institution in an appropriate discipline. You may also need relevant professional work experience.

In exceptional cases you may be admitted as a candidate for a specific course if you submit other evidence of academic and/or professional experience.

Course entry requirements vary for individual courses. You can obtain information about the entry requirements for each course by calling Student Central on 1300 301 727 or visiting our website at canberra.edu.au/future-students/courses/find-a-course.

Overseas qualifications and English proficiency

If you hold overseas qualifications from countries where English is not the standard language of instruction, you must provide evidence of English language proficiency.

Refer to the University's English language proficiency requirements on UAC's website at uac.edu.au/postgraduate/admission/elp.shtml.

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS

You may have to submit additional documentation as part of your application process, depending on which course/s you apply for. Submit your material by the date specified in the relevant course description.

Check the course description on UAC's website at uac.edu.au/postgraduate/course-search to see whether special requirements apply.

TYPES OF PROGRAMS AVAILABLE

UC offers a wide range of coursework programs at postgraduate level through UAC – Masters, Postgraduate Diplomas and Postgraduate Certificates. Visit uac.edu.au/postgraduate for details.

ENROLMENT

Acceptance of offer

If you are offered a place in a postgraduate program you will receive an offer notification from UAC. Offers are made progressively as decisions are provided by the relevant faculties. Accept or decline your offer by visiting canberra.edu.au/future-students/accept-your-offer.

Advanced standing/Academic credit

If you have already successfully undertaken relevant study at another higher education institution you may be granted credit on enrolment in a program. You need to submit your Application for Credit form, with correctly verified copies of appropriate documentation such as academic transcripts and course content descriptions. For course advice you will need to speak to the relevant course convenor.

FEES AND CHARGES

Postgraduate coursework students are required to pay a fee set by the University for tuition for each unit within the course. Tuition fees can be paid up-front to the University. Refer to the course description at uac.edu.au/postgraduate/course-search for an estimate of the total program fees. This fee is indicative only and varies depending on unit selection within the course.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

The Australian Government has proposed changes that will affect the way that students will repay the debt accumulated under HELP. For the latest information, including loan and government scholarship assistance details, visit studyassist.gov.au.

UC Loans

Limited financial assistance is available to students in financial need. Visit canberra.edu.au/future-students/financial-support.

Scholarships

For detailed information on the scholarships offered at UC, visit canberra.edu.au/scholarships.

INTERNATIONAL FEE-PAYING STUDENTS

International fee-paying students must apply directly to UC.

For further information, visit canberra.edu.au/international or contact the Admissions Office on +61 2 6201 5342 or international@canberra.edu.au.

ACCOMMODATION

UC offers on-campus accommodation and provides a range of other accommodation options. Visit canberra.edu.au/on-campus/accommodation for information or email accommodation.officer@canberra.edu.au or call +61 2 6201 5139.

Do not wait until an offer of a place is made to apply for accommodation.

STUDENT SERVICES AND FACILITIES

Careers and appointments

For information, visit canberra.edu.au/current-students/careers-service.

Chaplaincy

For information, visit canberra.edu.au/current-students/student-support/multi-faith-centre.

Childcare

Childcare is available at two UC venues: Kirinari Early Childhood Centre and Wiradjuri Pre-School and Child Care Centre. For information, visit canberra.edu.au/on-campus/health-and-childcare-services/child-care.

Exchange programs

For information, visit canberra.edu.au/current-students/study-abroad.

Learning assistance

The Academic Skills Centre provides assistance in language and study skills for all students, including those from non-English speaking backgrounds. Workshops are held throughout the year and individual consultations are also offered.

Library and computing facilities

The Computer Centre has PC and Macintosh laboratories and multimedia workstations with access to scanners and colour printers.

The Ngunnawal Centre

The Ngunnawal Centre provides academic and social support programs across all divisions. For information, visit canberra.edu.au/ngunnawal.

Orientation program

For information, visit canberra.edu.au/orientation.

Sports and recreation facilities

The University's new Sporting Commons provides a unique opportunity for students to work with elite athletes and community sporting organisations and includes the headquarters for the ACT Brumbies and ACT Sport.

The Sporting Commons include three gymnasiums, medical and rehabilitation areas, plunge pools, a main oval, a skills field and the UC Research Institute for Sport and Exercise (UC-RISE).

Students with disabilities

The Inclusion and Welfare team at UC coordinates appropriate and reasonable arrangements for students with permanent or temporary disabilities. Our staff are available to provide advice and support to assist you to enjoy equal opportunity when it comes to learning and campus life. For more information, visit canberra.edu.au/current-students/student-support/inclusion-welfare.

Transport

A public bus service operates from all suburbs.

Union

The UC student union, UC Life, sponsors a wide range of recreational and sporting clubs and societies, and arranges a variety of entertainment. For information, visit uclife.com.au.

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