

## NEWCASTLE CAMPUS – CALLAGHAN

CRICOS provider number 00109J

### postal enquiries

Enquiry Centre  
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Callaghan NSW 2308

tel: (02) 4921 5000  
fax: (02) 4985 4200  
email: EnquiryCentre@newcastle.edu.au  
website: www.newcastle.edu.au/askuon

### in person

Any Student Hub  
Student Services Centre or  
Shortland Union Building  
The University of Newcastle  
University Drive, Callaghan NSW

A Student Hub is also located at University House in the Newcastle city precinct.

## CENTRAL COAST CAMPUS – OURIMBAH

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Student Hub  
The University of Newcastle  
PO Box 127  
Ourimbah NSW 2258

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### in person

Student Hub  
The University of Newcastle  
Chittaway Road, Ourimbah NSW

## PORT MACQUARIE CAMPUS

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For enquiries regarding study at Port Macquarie call the Enquiry Centre on (02) 4921 5000.

## SYDNEY CAMPUS

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For enquiries regarding study at Sydney call the Enquiry Centre on (02) 4921 5000.

Selecting a university degree program marks the start of an exciting period of your life. The University of Newcastle produces self-confident well-equipped 'job-ready' graduates. Our postgraduate programs are offered through five faculties:

- Business and Law
- Education and Arts
- Engineering and Built Environment
- Health
- Science and Information Technology.

Our degrees focus on both academic and professional training. You will be taught in a variety of methods and can gain real-life experience from field excursions and long-term work placements.

We have a student population of more than 30,000, including some 4,000 international students from more than 80 countries. Our campuses at Newcastle, the Central Coast and Port Macquarie are all set in bushland settings and are close to some of Australia's most beautiful beaches:

- Our Newcastle campus at Callaghan, 12 kilometres from the centre of Newcastle, is located on a 140 hectare bushland site and caters to approximately 24,000 students and staff.
- The Central Coast campus at Ourimbah is located halfway between Sydney and Newcastle. It is an innovative educational precinct, which includes the University, TAFE NSW – Hunter Institute, and the Central Coast Community College.
- The University also has a significant presence in Newcastle's CBD. The Conservatorium, The University of Newcastle Legal Centre and Newcastle Business School are all located near Civic Park in the centre of Newcastle.
- On the mid-North Coast of NSW, our Port Macquarie campus is shared by the University and TAFE NSW – North Coast Institute.
- Our Sydney campus offers easy access to the conveniences of Sydney's CBD and surrounding areas.

The University sits in the top 10 universities in Australia in terms of our research. We undertake research that makes an impact on the world with strengths in health, energy and environment, and science and engineering.

Whether you want to broaden your mind, advance your career, increase your knowledge, travel the globe or change the world, the University of Newcastle can provide you with the opportunity and real-life skills to do it.

## OPEN DAYS IN 2011

Newcastle campus – Callaghan Sat 27 August 2011  
Central Coast campus – Ourimbah Sat 20 August 2011  
Port Macquarie campus Thur 1 September 2011

For further information call (02) 4921 5000.

## ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

For admission to a postgraduate coursework program you would normally be expected to have a Bachelor degree or three-year diploma from a recognised tertiary institution in an appropriate discipline. You may also need relevant, professional work experience for entry to some programs. For some programs, entry is available on the basis of relevant, professional work experience alone.

You can obtain information about the entry requirements for each program from the University website at <http://search.newcastle.edu.au/program/>

## 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 English language proficiency table at [www.uac.edu.au/postgraduate/faq/elp.shtml](http://www.uac.edu.au/postgraduate/faq/elp.shtml) for information about tests and qualifications accepted by the University as proof of proficiency in English.

## SPECIAL/ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS

You may have to provide specific documentation as part of the application process. Check UAC's postgraduate website at [www.uac.edu.au/postgraduate/course-search/](http://www.uac.edu.au/postgraduate/course-search/) to see whether special requirements apply.

## How do you obtain detailed information about the additional requirements?

- 1 Download from the relevant Faculty website, as detailed at [www.uac.edu.au/postgraduate](http://www.uac.edu.au/postgraduate) or
- 2 Collect from any of our Student Hubs – see above for contact details and location of campuses.

## Where do you submit your additional material?

You must send or deliver your additional material directly to the University.

When you submit your curriculum vitae (CV) or resume or any other documentation required, you must include a covering letter, stating your full name, daytime telephone number, UAC application number and the program/s to which you are applying. You must provide your documentation directly to the University at the same time that you submit your application to UAC.

**post to:**  
Admissions Officer  
Student Services Centre  
The University of Newcastle  
Callaghan NSW 2308

**email to:**  
Postgrad\_Admissions@newcastle.edu.au

**deliver to:**  
Admissions Officer                      or                      Student Hub  
Student Services Centre                      Opposite Café Central  
The University of Newcastle                      The University of Newcastle  
University Drive, Callaghan NSW                      Chittaway Road, Ourimbah NSW

## When do you have to submit your additional material?

Submit your material by the date specified in the relevant course description at [www.uac.edu.au/postgraduate/course-search/](http://www.uac.edu.au/postgraduate/course-search/)

## TYPES OF PROGRAMS AVAILABLE

The University offers a wide range of coursework programs at postgraduate level through UAC – Masters, Graduate diplomas and Graduate certificates. Visit [www.uac.edu.au/postgraduate/](http://www.uac.edu.au/postgraduate/) for details.

Postgraduate research and honours programs are available through direct application to the University. The University also offers a range of online postgraduate coursework programs through GradSchool. For more information visit [www.gradschool.com.au/](http://www.gradschool.com.au/)

There are limited postgraduate coursework places available as Commonwealth-supported places. These places are only available in

Master of Teaching programs, the Master of Architecture, the Master of Clinical Psychology, the Graduate Diploma in Midwifery, the Master of Midwifery Studies and the Master of Mental Health Nursing programs.

## IMPORTANT DATES

### Application closing dates

For application closing dates, including final closing dates for each course, visit UAC's postgraduate website at [www.uac.edu.au/postgraduate/course-search/](http://www.uac.edu.au/postgraduate/course-search/)

### Enrolment/intake dates

Your final enrolment date will be indicated in your enrolment package.

Intake 1	Trimester 1	Mon 30 January–Fri 27 April 2012
	Recess (Stuvac)	Mon 30 April–Wed 2 May 2012
	Examinations	Thur 3–Fri 11 May 2012
Intake 2	Semester 1	Mon 27 February–Fri 1 June 2012
	Recess	Fri 6–13 April 2012
	Examinations	Sat 9–Fri 22 June 2012
Intake 3	Early entry for Trimester 2 (see dates below)	
Intake 4	Trimester 2	Mon 21 May–Fri 10 August 2012
	Recess (Stuvac)	Mon 13–Wed 15 August 2012
	Examinations	Thur 16–Fri 24 August 2012
Intake 5	Semester 2	Mon 23 July–Fri 2 November 2012
	Recess	Mon 24 September–5 October 2012
	Examinations	Mon 5–Fri 23 November 2012
Intake 6	Trimester 3	Mon 3 September–Fri 23 November 2012
	Recess (Stuvac)	Mon 26–Wed 28 November 2012
	Examinations	Thur 29 November–Fri 7 December 2012

## ENROLMENT

### Acceptance of offer

If you are offered a place in a postgraduate program you will receive an offer notification from UAC. To accept your offer you should then visit the UAC acceptance page on the University's website at [www.newcastle.edu.au/uac](http://www.newcastle.edu.au/uac) and follow the instructions.

### 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 a credit application with **correctly verified** copies of appropriate documentation such as academic transcripts and course content descriptions. Information about applying for credit can be found at [www.newcastle.edu.au/service/credit-transfer/](http://www.newcastle.edu.au/service/credit-transfer/)

### Deferment

Deferment of postgraduate offers may be available for up to one year. Contact the University for further information.

## FEES AND CHARGES

Study costs are dependent on whether the student is enrolled as a Commonwealth-supported student (CSP) or a fee-paying student.

Most postgraduate students are full fee-paying and are required to pay a tuition fee per unit studied, charged on a semester/trimester basis. Refer to [www.uac.edu.au/postgraduate/](http://www.uac.edu.au/postgraduate/) for an estimate of costs. The fee is indicative only and varies dependent on selection of courses within the study program. Fees are subject to change on an annual basis.

Eligible, domestic fee-paying students enrolled in a postgraduate coursework course may have access to the Australian Government's FEE-HELP Scheme. Further information can be found at [www.uac.edu.au/postgraduate/](http://www.uac.edu.au/postgraduate/)

## FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Check [www.goingtouni.gov.au](http://www.goingtouni.gov.au) for information on Australian Government financial assistance available to postgraduate students.

### University of Newcastle Loans

Our Student Loans Scheme provides interest-free emergency loans on a short-term basis to students who demonstrate genuine need and cannot continue their study without financial assistance. Loans may be approved for rent, bond, living expenses and textbooks. Loans are not available for the payment of fees or to purchase capital items such as computers or cars. Loan applications are treated confidentially and assessed on an individual basis.

For further information email [student-loansandwelfare@newcastle.edu.au](mailto:student-loansandwelfare@newcastle.edu.au) or call the Callaghan campus on (02) 4921 6466 or the Ourimbah campus on (02) 4348 4177.

## University of Newcastle Scholarships

Limited scholarships are offered by the University for postgraduate students in specific areas of study. Information and application forms for all scholarships are available at <http://webapps.newcastle.edu.au/scholarships/> or call (02) 4921 5000.

### Youth and student allowances

Support schemes are available from the Australian Government to help you continue your studies. Specific criteria must be met to become eligible. Contact Centrelink on 13 24 90 for more information or visit the Centrelink website at [www.centrelink.gov.au](http://www.centrelink.gov.au)

## DIRECT APPLICATIONS

Only postgraduate coursework programs are offered through UAC, as listed on UAC's postgraduate website at [www.uac.edu.au/postgraduate/](http://www.uac.edu.au/postgraduate/). Contact the University directly if the program you are interested in is not listed on the UAC's postgraduate website.

Postgraduate research programs are available through direct application to the University. For information about all postgraduate programs offered by the University visit [www.newcastle.edu.au/campaigns/postgrad/](http://www.newcastle.edu.au/campaigns/postgrad/)

It is important that you distinguish between those programs for which you can apply through UAC and those for which you must apply directly to the University.

## INTERNATIONAL FEE-PAYING APPLICANTS

International fee-paying applicants must apply directly to the University. For further information visit the University's International Admissions Services website at [www.international.newcastle.edu.au](http://www.international.newcastle.edu.au)

### Contact details

The International Admissions Officer  
The University of Newcastle  
Callaghan NSW 2308 Australia

tel: +61 2 4921 6595  
email: [ia@newcastle.edu.au](mailto:ia@newcastle.edu.au)

## STUDENT SERVICES AND FACILITIES

Students can take advantage of a range of services and facilities such as:

- student accommodation (on- and off-campus)
- careers and student employment
- chaplaincy
- childcare
- counselling
- disability support
- student exchange programs
- health
- library and computer services
- learning support
- sports and recreation facilities
- student organisations.

### Transport

There are buses to the Newcastle campus (Callaghan) and the City Precinct (including The Conservatorium and University House) from most Newcastle suburbs and surrounding areas. Private bus services run from the Central Coast campus (Ourimbah) to Gosford and Wyong.

Regular trains run from University Station Warabrook. Larger stations at Broadmeadow, Hamilton and Newcastle have connecting trains to Sydney and the Central Coast. The Ourimbah station, a five-minute walk from the Central Coast campus, has frequent services to Sydney and Newcastle.

Car parking is available at both campuses. Parking costs \$4 a day at Newcastle. Parking restrictions apply on the Central Coast campus.

Our Sydney campus has all the conveniences of Sydney buses and trains within close distance.

## FURTHER INFORMATION

For information about the full range of postgraduate programs offered by the University of Newcastle (including detailed course information, availability and entry requirements) visit our website at [www.newcastle.edu.au/campaigns/postgrad/](http://www.newcastle.edu.au/campaigns/postgrad/)