Macleay College

Surry Hills campus
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Open days
Surry Hills campus - Saturday 19 August 2017

Our Open Day is an opportunity to come on campus and see our facilities, meet the teachers and ask questions about the course work, internships, job outcomes and life at Macleay College. Visit macleay.edu.au for more information or call the Admissions Team on 1300 939 888.

Campus visits
Campus tours are available all year round and are a great opportunity to see Macleay College and our facilities as well as ask any questions you might have about study, career paths, pathway programs and industry opportunities. A campus tour is a personalised individual experience and no question is too small – we are happy to answer them all. To book your individual campus tour, call our Admissions Team on 1300 939 888 or email study@macleay.edu.au

Important dates
Trimester 1 starts: Monday 5 February 2018
Trimester 2 starts: Monday 28 May 2018
Trimester 3 starts: Monday 17 September 2018

ABOUT
Established in 1988, Macleay College is a registered higher education provider offering two-year Bachelor degrees in advertising and media, digital media, journalism and business; and one-year Diploma courses in journalism, advertising and media, digital media, business management with specialisations available in event management, entrepreneurship, public relations, travel and tourism or sports business, as well as a Diploma in Marketing with an option to complete a Certificate IV in Property Services (Real Estate).

Industry focused
Macleay’s industry focused learning ensures our students graduate job ready with the essential skills, knowledge and work experience that employers look for. Our class sizes are deliberately kept small to ensure plenty of personal attention from lecturers. Macleay College courses are taught by industry professionals informed by the latest ideas and thinking in their discipline areas. Students learn from their experience about current industry concepts and practices that will help them hit the ground running upon graduation.

Internship program
Our focus is on making sure students graduate job ready. Macleay offers a mentored program where students work with leading organisations, businesses and agencies, providing an enviable list of professional contacts before they even graduate.

Modern campus and facilities
Our Surry Hills campus provides students with a unique learning and lifestyle experience. Nestled in Sydney’s creative hub, Macleay College is surrounded by Australia’s leading news organisations, advertising agencies and innovative start-ups.

Just a two-minute stroll from Central Station and accessible by major bus routes, Macleay College takes advantage of the unique inner-city culture and surrounding lifestyle amenities, and complements it all with quality education. Our learning environment fosters a creative and innovative learning through our newsroom, television and radio studios, entrepreneurship spaces and computer labs. Macleay College students work on live briefs for clients, pitch to real investors, and write, produce, film and edit multimedia news pieces in a real newsroom, all using facilities on our campus.

Pathways to higher education
Macleay College’s Diploma graduates may articulate into the second and final year of the Macleay College 560210 B Journalism, 560220 B Business courses, 560222 B Advertising and Media or 560230 B Digital Media courses. Macleay College also has articulation agreements into Bachelor degrees with the University of Technology Sydney, Bond University and Southern Cross University.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
To be offered a place in a course at Macleay College, applicants must meet the minimum entry requirements listed in one of the following categories as well as satisfy English language requirements.

Additionally, all applicants must attend an interview to determine their aptitude for entering their chosen course.

Australian secondary studies
2017 Australian Year 12 students

2017 Australian Year 12 students are assessed on the basis of the Australian Tertiary Admission Rank (ATAR) or equivalent. For Queensland OP equivalents, visit uac.edu.au/undergraduate/admission/ATAR-OP-table.shtml.

Offers made to applicants who have an ATAR below the published cut-off

Applicants with an ATAR below the published cut-off can be considered for entry on performance in three selected HSC subject results or equivalent. Call 1300 939 888 for more information.

Australian tertiary studies
Applicants who have completed tertiary studies at Diploma level or above may be admitted on the basis of previous study.

Current and former Macleay College students
Current Macleay College students who wish to transfer to a new course do not need to apply through UAC, but must complete a ‘Course Transfer Request’ form which can be obtained by contacting the Registrar on 1300 939 888.

Former students who wish to return to their studies should call the Registrar on 1300 939 888 for more information.

Overseas qualifications
Australian citizens or permanent residents of Australia with overseas qualifications must contact Macleay College to discuss eligibility for admission before applying through UAC. For information on overseas secondary qualifications, visit uac.edu.au/undergraduate/admission/overseas.shtml.

Holders of overseas qualifications from countries where English is not the standard language of instruction must provide evidence of English language proficiency – visit uac.edu.au/undergraduate/admission/elp.shtml.
Alternative entry and pathways

Applicants over 20 years of age/Mature-age entry
Applicants over 20 years of age (by Monday 5 February 2018) may be admitted to Macleay College on the basis of their work experience or other study undertaken. Applicants will be required to provide a CV and documentation of any study undertaken (completed or not completed with the results in those units and/or courses). Visit uac.edu.au/undergraduate/apply/documents.shtml for further information on providing documents.

Tertiary Preparation Certificate/TAFE qualifications
Applicants with TAFE or equivalent qualifications will be considered for admission.

Special Tertiary Admissions Test (STAT)
Non-Year 12 applicants may be admitted on the basis of the STAT Multiple Choice test. Visit stat.acer.org for further information on STAT.

Limited ATAR
Macleay College accepts the Limited ATAR for selection purposes. The Limited ATAR will not be the sole criterion used for selection; each application will be considered individually. Read section 2.4 in Part 1 for more information.

EDUCATIONAL ACCESS SCHEMES
Macleay College has an Educational Access Scheme (EAS) for applicants whose educational performance has been affected by long-term educational disadvantage due to circumstances beyond their control or choosing. Macleay College EAS applications are processed centrally through UAC. Read section 5.5 in Part 1 for more information on EAS.

ENROLMENT

Acceptance of offer
Successful applicants will be notified of an offer from Macleay College. Once accepted, the offer will include information about enrolment, the necessary course commencement information and an invitation to orientation.

Advanced standing/academic credit
Applications for advanced standing/academic credit may be granted on the basis of completion of previous tertiary studies. Applications may be made at enrolment time and must be accompanied by full documentation of previous studies (including transcripts and subject descriptions).

Deferment of offer
Available to all applicants, for up to one year only.

Fees and charges
For the latest fee information visit macleay.edu.au.

Macleay College’s degree courses run over six trimesters (two years) and the Diploma courses run over three trimesters (one year).

Tuition fees are charged on a trimester basis and are required to be paid prior to the census date for each trimester. Students can choose to pay their tuition fees in full, through FEE-HELP or via a combination of both. Further information about FEE-HELP can be found at studyassist.gov.au.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Youth and student allowances
For details on Youth Allowance, Austudy and ABSTUDY, visit humanservices.gov.au.

STUDENT AND CAMPUS SERVICES
Macleay College has a range of student support services. These include counselling, academic assistance and learning support, career advice and dedicated support services for students with disabilities and special needs.

For more information on Macleay College’s student and campus services, visit macleay.edu.au.