



THE UNIVERSITY  
*of* ADELAIDE

150 YEARS

2025

# Business

- Accounting and Finance
- Business
- Economics





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University of  
South Australia

## Adelaide University

*a new university for South Australia*

We're planning for an exciting  
new future.

The new Adelaide University, which is targeted to open in January 2026, combines the strengths of the University of Adelaide and the University of South Australia (UniSA) to provide modern, industry-aligned education. Admissions in 2025 remain unchanged. Students transitioning to the new institution will be highly supported and graduates from 2026 will receive their degrees from Adelaide University, pending regulatory approvals.



Discover more at  
[adelaideuni.edu.au](https://adelaideuni.edu.au)





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# Why choose the University of Adelaide?

At the University of Adelaide, we unite and serve those striving to change the world—and themselves—for the better. This is a place where you can make history.

Established in 1874, we're home to over 22,700 students and 3,000 staff, all working to create progress. Ours is a university of outstanding quality—ranked 89th in the world\*—in the heart of one of Australia's most liveable cities†.

## Relentlessly progressive

Adelaide has always broken new ground. We were Australia's first university to welcome

**Globally top-100 ranked university**

*Times Higher Education and QS ranking*



**Associated with 5 Nobel laureates**



**Member of the Group of Eight**

*A coalition of Australia's leading research-intensive universities*



**Produced over 110 Rhodes Scholars**



**171,828 alumni**

female students. The first offering science and business degrees. One of the first with a conservatorium of music.

Among those who've studied, taught, or conducted research here are Australia's first: female prime minister; space-walking astronaut; Indigenous Rhodes Scholar; and female Supreme Court judge and state governor. Not to mention five Nobel Prize winners.

### Exceptional research and education

As a member of Australia's prestigious Group of Eight research-intensive

universities, we're rising to global challenges with research universally rated world-standard or above^.

In fact, our output is recognised as 'well above' world standard in 41 distinct areas. These range from space sciences, materials engineering and AI, to cardiorespiratory medicine, crop production and environmental science.

As a teaching university, we're ranked among the top 100 globally in 27 subject areas†. In eight—including computer science, dentistry and civil engineering—we're top-50.

We also lead our state in graduate employability\*\*. Our degrees combine deep discipline knowledge with broad, transferable skills, ensuring graduates are well prepared for multidimensional careers in the future workforce.

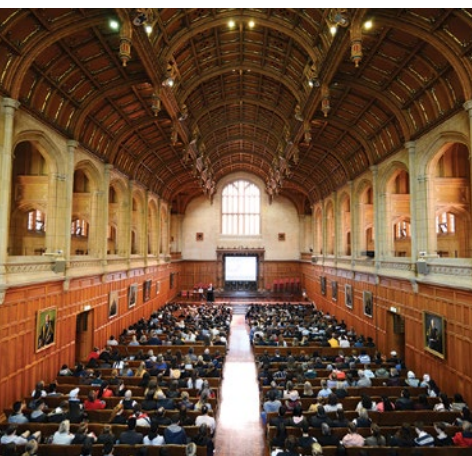
\* *Times Higher Education World University Rankings, 2024.*

† *Economist Intelligence Unit, 2022.*

^ *Excellence in Research Australia, 2018 (the most recent assessment date).*

‡ *Total unique entries across QS World University Rankings by Subject (2023), Times Higher Education (2023), and Academic Ranking of World Universities by Subject (2022).*

\*\*QS Graduate Employability Ranking, 2022.



**22,700+ students**

**74**

Ranked 74 in  
US News  
Best Global  
Universities,  
2023

**89**

Ranked 89 in QS  
World University  
Rankings, 2024

**111**

Ranked 111 in Times  
Higher Education  
World University  
Rankings, 2024



# Your study in your time

## Example study plan

See how your first year as a Bachelor of Business student (majoring in Digital Marketing and Communications) might look.

### First year study plan

Semester 1			
Core courses			Elective
Introduction to Marketing	Business Lifecycles	Data Analytics 1	Key Concepts in Media

Semester 2			
Core courses		Electives	
Personal Professional Development	Entrepreneurship Foundations and Mindset	Image and Brand	Design Thinking: Problems to Practice

## Study overseas as part of your degree

[adelaide.edu.au/study-overseas](https://adelaide.edu.au/study-overseas)

Study Overseas supports students completing part of their degree overseas, with offerings including exchange programs, study tours, study abroad, practical experiences, and onshore programs to develop students' intercultural awareness. Whether it's a short 2-week study tour in China or a whole year of exchange in France, you can choose an experience that suits you.



## Want to get a headstart on uni?

[adelaide.edu.au/headstart](https://adelaide.edu.au/headstart)

The University of Adelaide's Headstart scholarship program gives high achieving students the opportunity to study at university while still in Year 12—and have these university studies count towards their SACE and Selection Rank. Headstart provides students with an opportunity to find out what university life is like before they even finish school and the chance to grow as individuals as they combine secondary school and university studies. Headstart students may also receive credit towards their degree if they enrol in a University of Adelaide program after high school.

### For further information:

Telephone: +61 8 8313 0165

Email: [start@adelaide.edu.au](mailto:start@adelaide.edu.au)



# Campus life

This diary snapshot is only one example of how a student may choose to schedule their university study and life. Attendance at university is less structured than time spent at high school. The hours spent on campus in lectures, tutorials, practicals or in the field—known as 'contact hours'—depend on the program students enrol in, study mode selected (internal, external, online or flexible learning) and course choices.

Weekly Planner	
Monday	Tuesday
9-10am Lecture	10am Lecture
10-11am Lecture	11am Lecture
12pm Meet Dan and Mia at Grind and Press in Hub Central for lunch	12.30pm University of Adelaide BBQ, Barr Smith Lawns
2-4pm Practical	2pm Maths Learning Centre for assignment
	4-5pm Lecture
Wednesday	Thursday
9-10am Lecture	10am - 12pm Tute
10-11am Lecture	1pm Lecture
12pm Lunch at Aroma cafe in Ingkarni Wardli	2-3pm Lecture
1pm Work on assignment at Cat Suite 5	6pm Bar shift
2pm Lecture	7-9pm Uni hockey match at Uni Oval 2
3-5pm Tute	
Friday	Notes
9am Lecture	
10am - 1pm Practical	
3-4pm Tute	
9pm Meet up at UniBar	

# We'll support you on your journey

The University offers a range of support services to help our students succeed.

Friendly staff are available to help with a range of issues, from helping students manage their studies to assisting with enquiries relating to academic or personal support. They also support students to address personal issues that may be affecting their studies, or simply help them adjust to their new life at university. In addition, doctors at our North Terrace campus Health Practice can provide students with year-round health support at a reduced fee.

## Ask Adelaide

[adelaide.edu.au/ask-adelaide](https://adelaide.edu.au/ask-adelaide)

Ask Adelaide is available to answer all general student enquiries by live chat, phone, email or in person. Services include: general enquiries and directions; enrolment support; ID cards; printing, device and WiFi setup; exams and graduation support; assistance with official letters and more.

## Accommodation Services

[adelaide.edu.au/accommodation](https://adelaide.edu.au/accommodation)

For students looking to relocate to Adelaide for their studies, our professional team of accommodation specialists are available to help (24 hours a day, 7 days per week) to provide general accommodation information, tenancy support and to apply for a place in University managed student accommodation.

## Careers Services

[adelaide.edu.au/student/careers](https://adelaide.edu.au/student/careers)

The service provides individual advice and employability workshops to help students develop career management skills; an extensive database of employment opportunities and resources known as CareerHub; and annual career-related events including the Careers Expo and employer-on-campus sessions. The service also offers expertise in locating graduate vacancies.

## Women in STEM Careers program (WiSC)

[set.adelaide.edu.au/women-in-stem](https://set.adelaide.edu.au/women-in-stem)

WiSC provides professional development opportunities for young women studying a STEM degree at the University of Adelaide.

## Writing Centre

[adelaide.edu.au/writingcentre](https://adelaide.edu.au/writingcentre)

Support with writing academic English through one-on-one advice from writing mentors, workshops and comprehensive support resources.

## Maths Learning Centre

[adelaide.edu.au/mathsllearning](https://adelaide.edu.au/mathsllearning)

Help for all students to develop mathematics skills at every level, with drop-in sessions, lectures, games and resources.

## Peer Assisted Study Sessions (PASS)

[adelaide.edu.au/pass](https://adelaide.edu.au/pass)

Regular extracurricular sessions led by student mentors to help students improve their grades in specific courses.

## Childcare

[adelaide.edu.au/childcare](https://adelaide.edu.au/childcare)

Full-time and part-time care for children of students and staff is available for a fee, with locations at our North Terrace and Waite campuses.

## Counselling Support

[adelaide.edu.au/counselling](https://adelaide.edu.au/counselling)

Support is free, confidential, and available to all enrolled students seeking to address issues that may affect their study or life.

## Disability Support

[adelaide.edu.au/disability](https://adelaide.edu.au/disability)

The Disability Support team provide personalised advice and assistance to students who have a diagnosed disability or ongoing medical condition, to help them identify relevant reasonable adjustments to help with their studies.

## Elite Athlete Support

[adelaide.edu.au/eliteathletes](https://adelaide.edu.au/eliteathletes)

Support to help elite student athletes balance their academic and sporting commitments, by providing a flexible and responsive approach to study.

## Student Health and Wellbeing

[adelaide.edu.au/student/wellbeing](https://adelaide.edu.au/student/wellbeing)

An online resource to provide information and support to students on a range of health and wellbeing topics, campaigns and events.

## Health Practice

[universityhealthpractice.com.au/](https://universityhealthpractice.com.au/)

Comprehensive health care is available at a reduced fee for all students and staff, with male and female doctors (GPs) offering health checks, immunisations and mental health support.

## Library

[adelaide.edu.au/library](https://adelaide.edu.au/library)

One of the state's most extensive research collections, also offering quiet study spaces, and support from specialist research librarians.



# Be part of our community



Attend  
O'Week



Come to a  
free on-campus  
event



Join  
a club



Volunteer

There's always plenty to see and do while you're studying at one of our campuses. O'Week is just the start—you'll discover a wide variety of events and activities are hosted throughout the year for you to enjoy.

## Campus life

[youx.org.au](http://youx.org.au)

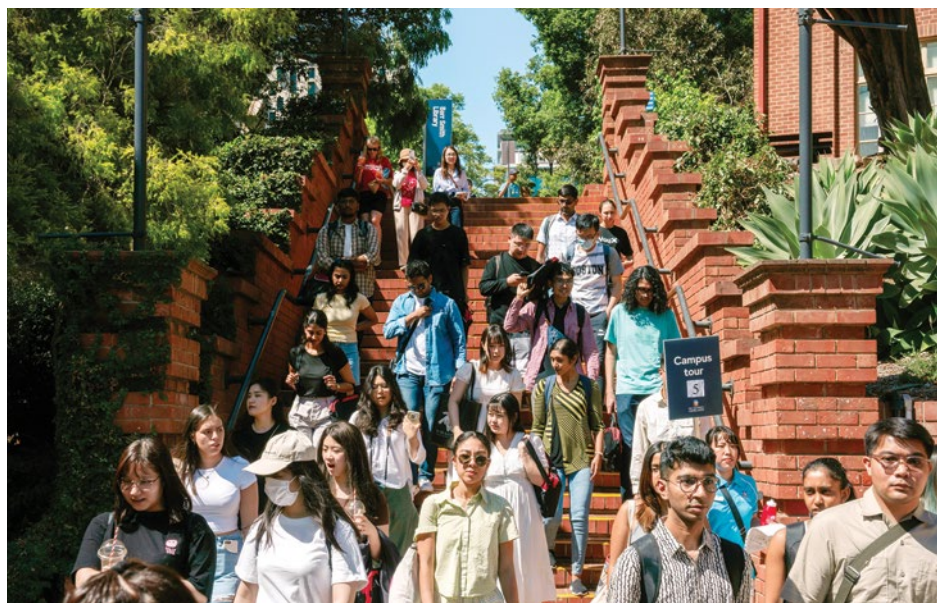
YouX (historically the Adelaide University Union) was established by students in 1895 to enhance the student experience at the University of Adelaide. YouX hosts music, wellbeing and social events throughout the year—and supports over 160 student clubs!

## Student services

- **Student Care**  
[youx.org.au/support/studentcare](http://youx.org.au/support/studentcare)
- **Employment**  
[youx.org.au/support/employment](http://youx.org.au/support/employment)
- **Special-interest and social clubs**  
[youx.org.au/interests/clubs](http://youx.org.au/interests/clubs)

## Sporting clubs and facilities

- **Adelaide University Sport**  
[adelaide.edu.au/sports](http://adelaide.edu.au/sports)
- **The Fitness Hub**  
[adelaide.edu.au/sports/the-fitness-hub](http://adelaide.edu.au/sports/the-fitness-hub)



# Pathways to Adelaide

There are many ways you can gain entry into one of our degrees.

## Selection rank (ATAR plus adjustment factors)

If you have qualified for the South Australian Certificate of Education (SACE) or hold an equivalent recent year 12 qualification (including the International Baccalaureate Diploma), and achieve a competitive selection rank, you can use this as a pathway into University.

You compete for a place with your Selection Rank (ATAR plus any applicable adjustment factors). For the majority of our undergraduate programs, you must

not have completed more than 2 years full time equivalent university study (48 units).

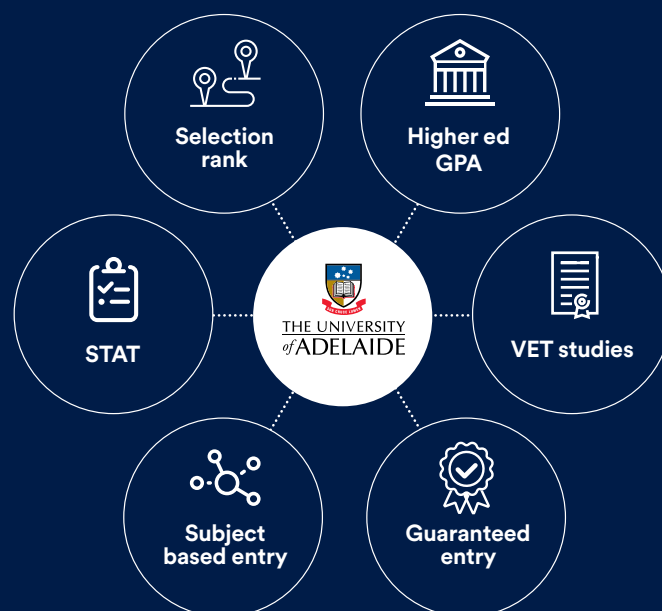
Some programs take additional factors into account as well as or instead of your ATAR, such as auditions, the UCAT, oral interviews, etc. For details on your program of choice, visit Degree Finder: [adelaide.edu.au/degree-finder](https://adelaide.edu.au/degree-finder)

## Guaranteed entry

Whether you complete the International Baccalaureate or achieve an ATAR through the SACE (or equivalent), Guaranteed Entry gives you certainty when applying to study at the University of Adelaide. Most of our undergraduate degrees have a fixed entry selection rank (including adjustment factors) which means, if you achieve that selection rank or higher and







meet any additional admissions criteria such as subject prerequisites, you are guaranteed entry to that degree.

### Subject-based entry

Students who have not achieved a competitive Selection Rank (ATAR plus any applicable adjustment factors) required for selection may still be eligible for entry to some of our most popular degrees based on their grades in selected year 12 subjects. You don't need to apply to be considered for subject-based entry, as this will automatically be done by SATAC on behalf of the University. Note: You must have completed your SACE and achieved an ATAR to be considered. For more information, visit: [adelaide.edu.au/study/undergraduate/entry-pathways/recent-secondary-education](https://adelaide.edu.au/study/undergraduate/entry-pathways/recent-secondary-education)

### STAT (Special Tertiary Admissions Test)

Never completed year 12 or any other higher education? You may wish to use the Special Tertiary Admissions Test (STAT) to gain entry to University. The STAT is a two-hour, multiple-choice test designed to assess a range of skills and knowledge needed to study at university.

The Australian Council for Educational Research (ACER) coordinates the STAT. To sit the test, you'll need to be over 18 years old before 1 February in the year that you wish to commence study. If you have been enrolled in the last two years,

you must not have done more than two years (full-time) tertiary study in total. For more information, visit: [stat.acer.org/au](https://stat.acer.org/au)

### Higher ed GPA (Grade Point Average)

If you already have completed at least six months (full-time) of a recognised higher education program at a recognised higher education institution, you can use your Grade Point Average (GPA) to gain entry to the University of Adelaide.

### Internal transfer

Perhaps you gained entry to a degree that was not your first preference or, after completing a few courses, have changed your mind about what you'd like to study. You can use your GPA (or any eligible previous qualifications) to apply for what is called an internal transfer. This is an option available to students who may have already started studying in one degree and, for a range of different reasons, would like to transfer into another degree at the same university. Please note that not all degrees are available via internal

transfer. If unsure, you can always reach out to our friendly student advisors for assistance.

### VET Studies (Certificate IV or higher)

Have you completed a TAFE or VET qualification at a certificate IV or higher? Your completed qualification can gain you entry to many of our degrees.

For students that have studied at either TAFE SA or other Registered Training Organisations (RTOs), most Certificate IV Courses (including former Advanced Certificates or equivalent) meet the minimum entry requirements for a wide range of our undergraduate degrees. In some instances, a successfully completed Diploma or Advanced Diploma will be required to meet the minimum entry requirements.

# Steps to success

Ready to make history? Your journey starts here.

## Step 1

### Explore your study options

Researching your study options is an important first step, and there are many different tools and resources available to help you. You could start by reading through this booklet or heading online to explore our Degree Finder website.

Attending an Open Day is another great way to get a feel for what university life is like, talk to lecturers and current students, and learn about the range of services available to support you during your university studies. You could also book a time to chat with one of our friendly advisors to ask any specific questions you may have.

**Helpful tip:** We've developed a range of useful resources to help you throughout your Year 12 studies including: workshops, study resources, revision courses and more. See the helpful links section below for more information.

### Useful links

#### Academic year dates

[adelaide.edu.au/student/dates/academic](https://adelaide.edu.au/student/dates/academic)

#### Academic support

[adelaide.edu.au/student/academic-skills/](https://adelaide.edu.au/student/academic-skills/)

#### Chat with an advisor

[future.ask.adelaide.edu.au/#contact-us](https://future.ask.adelaide.edu.au/#contact-us)

#### Degree Finder

[adelaide.edu.au/degree-finder](https://adelaide.edu.au/degree-finder)

#### Resources for Year 12

[adelaide.edu.au/schools/resources-for-year-12s](https://adelaide.edu.au/schools/resources-for-year-12s)

#### SATAC

[satac.edu.au](https://satac.edu.au)

#### Scholarships

[adelaide.edu.au/scholarships](https://adelaide.edu.au/scholarships)

#### Student support services

[adelaide.edu.au/student/life/](https://adelaide.edu.au/student/life/)

## Step 2

### Check you meet the eligibility and entry requirements

All degrees have entry requirements—these are specific criteria you have to meet in order to be eligible for entry into a degree. Each degree will have different entry requirements, so it's important to find out what these are for your chosen degree and make sure you can meet them.

Entry requirements can include things like:

- prerequisites you will need to complete either during your high school (SACE/IB) studies, bridging courses or approved alternatives.
- assumed knowledge subjects that, while not essential for admission into a degree, will help prepare you for many of the topics you'll come across during your degree.
- non-standard entry requirements, such as: attending an interview, undertaking additional assessments (e.g. the UCAT ANZ), performing an audition, submitting a written statement or creative portfolio.

## Step 3

### Apply via SATAC

Applications open in early August for study starting in the following year. You can apply for your chosen degree/s through the SATAC website.

Before you apply, it's a good idea to familiarise yourself with the application process. This includes things like key dates and deadlines for applications, as well as SATAC fees and charges and when to pay.

For more information, visit the SATAC website.

**Please note:** for certain degrees that have non-standard entry requirements—such as medicine, dentistry, oral health, veterinary bioscience—key dates and deadlines for applications may differ. For the most up-to-date information, visit Degree Finder.



## Step 4

### Keep your preferences up to date

As part of your SATAC application, you'll be asked to list up to six preferences—these are the six degrees you are most interested in studying. SATAC makes offers by working down your preference list, so it's important to make sure your first preference is the degree you want to study most.

If you change your mind after you've submitted your application, don't worry.

SATAC allows you to check and change your preferences as many times as you want before the cut-off date for your specific offer round. For a list of key dates, visit SATAC's website.

**Helpful tip:** Be sure to include some 'back up' options on your application. If you need support in choosing the best back up options or pathways into your dream degree, get in contact with our friendly future student advisors.

## Step 5

### Check your offer

SATAC run several smaller offer rounds, one main offer round, then continue to make offers in the lead up to the start of the study period you applied for. SATAC makes offers for the highest preference you are eligible for. This means the degree you most want to study should be your first preference. Remember to check all email folders—including your Spam folder—for your offer.

**Helpful tip:** Didn't receive an offer for your first preference? Don't stress—you'll still be considered for future rounds!

## Step 6

### Accept your offer

An offer email will be sent to the email address you provided on your SATAC application. If you have received an offer you don't need to respond, as SATAC will accept the offer on your behalf. If you would like to defer your offer until the following year, you will need to log in to your application through the SATAC website and change the response to the 'Defer' option.

If the offer you received was for a degree that is not your first preference, SATAC will accept the offer but note that you would still like to be considered for an offer to your higher preference(s).

## Step 7

### Welcome to the University of Adelaide!

After accepting your offer, we'll send you an email outlining important information to help you get started at University, including your new University ID number.

At this stage, you can start to plan your timetable, enrol, attend orientation activities, and begin your university journey!

**Welcome to  
the University  
of Adelaide!**

# Our facilities

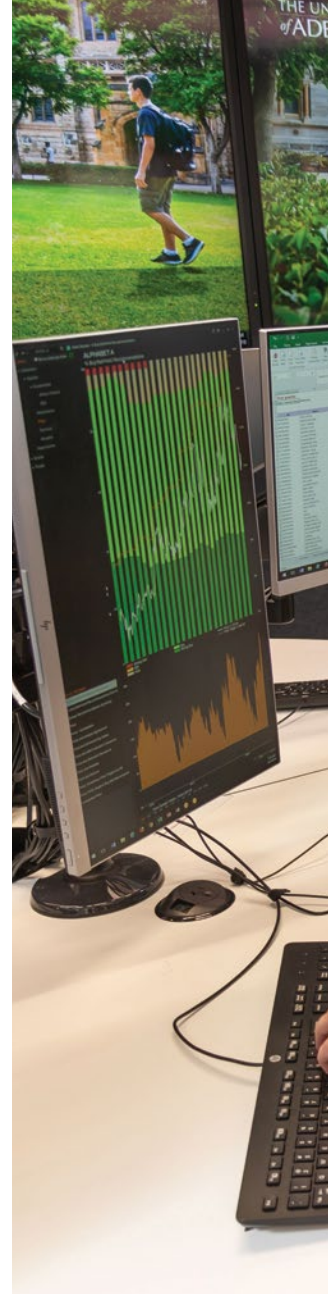
## Learn in state-of-the-art facilities

With modern infrastructure and an innovative culture, the University of Adelaide has all the ingredients to help you succeed throughout the duration of your studies.

Whatever your area of study, you'll have access to a wide range of state-of-the-art facilities and services—across our various campuses—all designed to support your academic success.

## ThincLab

ThincLab is the University of Adelaide's world-class business incubator—supporting students, alumni, staff and startups to get their ideas off the ground and into the market. Through ThincLab, students can access a range of courses throughout their studies designed to hone their entrepreneurial expertise. Our Australian eChallenge and Tech eChallenge programs provide opportunities to create, develop, assess and action your ideas. You'll be supported with the tools, networking opportunities and mentorship needed to begin your entrepreneurial story.







## Financial Markets Lab

Fitted with industry-standard financial database and statistical analytic software, our stock exchange trading simulation room provides business and finance students with access to information about companies and industry sectors—enabling them to analyse investments in real-time. With the experience gained from the real-world environment of the lab, students are equipped with industry-related skills that make them more attractive to future employers.

## MBA Lounge

The Master of Business Administration (MBA) Lounge in Adelaide Business School is a private space where students studying our suite of MBA degrees can study, and meet with academics, industry mentors, or peers.



# Our study areas

Our study areas







Do you feel sure of where your career interests lie, but unclear about which degrees can help you get your start? Then this section's for you.

### In the following pages you'll find:



Brief descriptions of broad career and study areas that you can pursue at the University of Adelaide, arranged in alphabetical order.



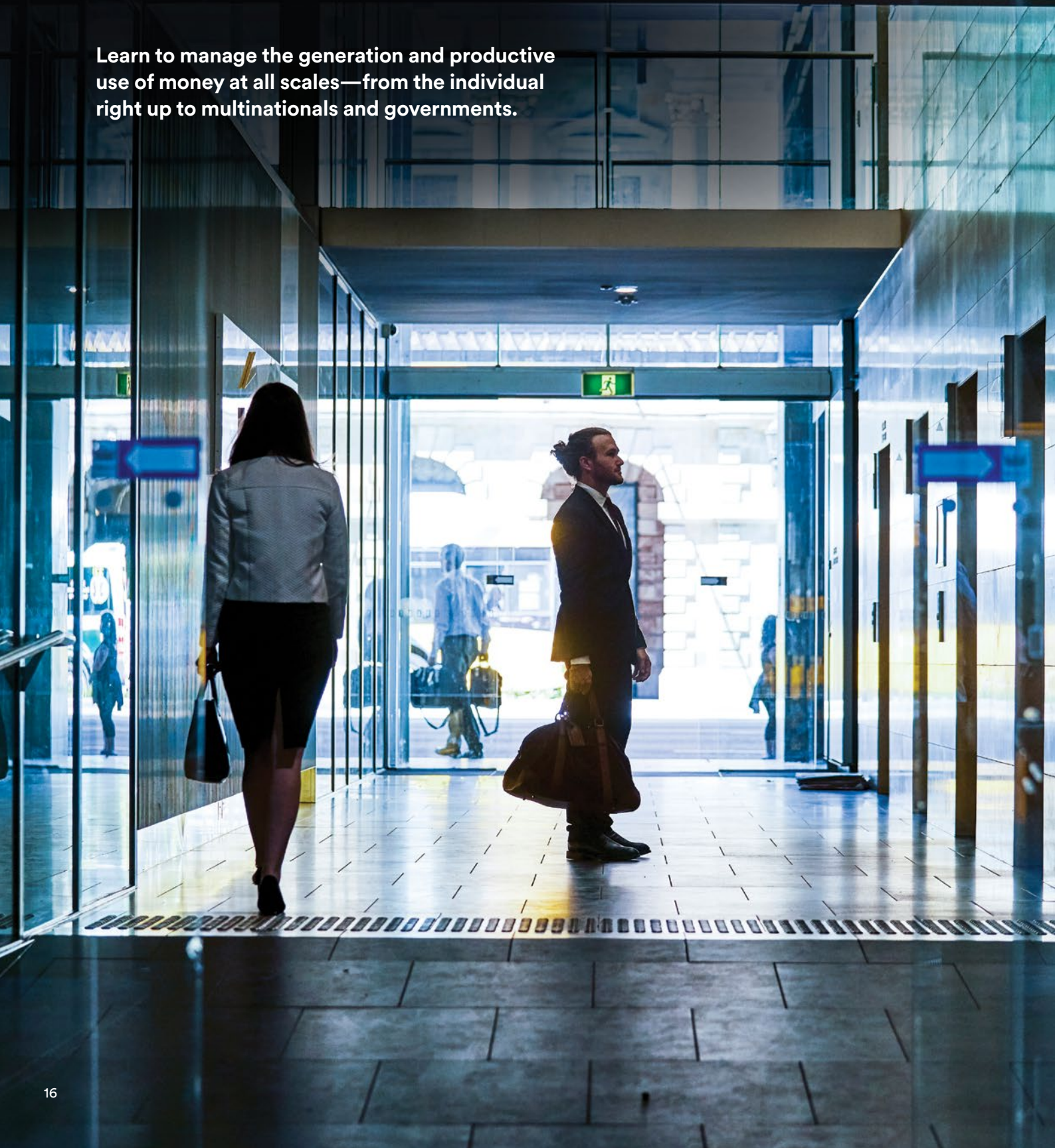
Some of the key reasons why our University is one of the best places in the world to study in those fields.



Listings of all the relevant degrees we offer in each area, along with page-number references so you can quickly turn to their full descriptions.

# Accounting and finance

Learn to manage the generation and productive use of money at all scales—from the individual right up to multinationals and governments.







**Gain industry ready skills in our state-of-the-art Financial Markets Lab**



**Ranked top-150 globally in Accounting and Finance\***

## Experience real financial trading

As a University of Adelaide accounting and finance student, you'll learn to use the same systems that practising finance professionals use, in our state-of-the-art Financial Markets Lab.

Utilising the Lab's real-time connections to all major global finance markets, you will:

- construct investment portfolios
- stress-test their performance in specific market conditions
- observe live market performance
- monitor real-time financial news feeds, via the powerful LSEG database.

You'll graduate with the experience and confidence to immediately contribute in a professional finance environment.

## Build the mindset to chart your own path

As the only Australian university with ACEEU accreditation<sup>^</sup>, we'll ensure virtually everything you do in your business studies builds your capacity to innovate and make things happen.

- All our business degrees include an entrepreneurship course, to boost your personal development and professional growth.
- All business degrees give you the flexibility to pursue areas of particular interest or passion.
- You'll also have the opportunity to hone your new-venture-building skills in our eChallenge program, and ThincLab business incubators.
- You'll get the chance to gain priceless real-world experience through industry internships.

## The Academy by Deloitte

Students undertaking an eligible undergraduate degree are able to be part of The Academy by Deloitte. To find out more, visit: [adelaide.edu.au/the-academy](https://adelaide.edu.au/the-academy)

## Career prospects

Employment growth for the majority of accounting and finance roles ranges broadly from moderate to strong<sup>†</sup>.

- Finance programs provide excellent grounding for pursuing a Chartered Financial Analyst program.
- Graduates of accounting programs can gain associate membership with CPA Australia and CA ANZ.

<sup>\*</sup> QS World University Rankings by Subject, 2023.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Association to Advance Collegiate School of Business (AACSB).

<sup>^</sup> Accreditation Council for Entrepreneurial and Engaged Universities (ACEEU).

<sup>†</sup> Australian Government, Labour Market Insights, 2023.

### Degrees

#### Undergraduate

- Bachelor of Business
- Bachelor of Commerce
- Bachelor of Finance and Banking
- Bachelor of Project Management

#### Postgraduate coursework

- Master of Accounting
- Master of Accounting and Finance
- Master of Applied Finance
- Master of Finance
- Master of Finance and Business Economics
- Master of International Management
- Master of Marketing
- Master of Professional Accounting
- Master of Wine Business

# Business

Business leaders have the skills and judgement to successfully commercialise new ideas, run organisations, and drive meaningful change.



Only Australian  
University  
with ACEU  
accreditation<sup>^</sup>







Kickstart your entrepreneurial journey with our ThincLab



91% of graduates employed full-time<sup>†</sup>

## Australia's most experienced business educator

In 1902, the University of Adelaide became the first university in Australia to offer degrees in business.

This means your education here will be enriched by our 120 years of collective learnings and insights, and a focus on quality that still has us ranked among the world's top 150 universities for accounting and finance<sup>\*\*</sup>. We're also ranked #1 in South Australia for economics, accounting and finance<sup>\*\*</sup>.

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- All business degrees give you the flexibility to pursue areas of particular interest or passion.
- Gain expertise in management, international business or digital marketing and communications.
- You'll also have the opportunity to hone your new-venture-building skills in our eChallenge program, and ThincLab business incubators.
- And you'll get the chance to gain priceless real-world experience through industry internships.

## Career prospects

Employment growth for the majority of business and management roles ranges broadly from stable to strong, with very strong growth predicted for ICT (information and communications technology) business and systems analysts<sup>†</sup>.

<sup>\*</sup> Association to Advance Collegiate School of Business (AACSB).

<sup>\*\*</sup> QS World University Rankings by Subject, 2023.

<sup>^</sup> Accreditation Council for Entrepreneurial and Engaged Universities (ACEEU).

<sup>†</sup> QILT GoS-L, 2022 – UG and PG graduates employed 3 years after graduating, Business School-specific data.

### Degrees

#### Undergraduate

- Bachelor of Business
- Bachelor of Commerce
- Bachelor of Economics
- Bachelor of Economics (Advanced)
- Bachelor of Finance and Banking
- Bachelor of Philosophy, Politics and Economics
- Bachelor of Project Management

#### Postgraduate coursework

- Executive Master of Business Administration
- Master of Accounting
- Master of Accounting and Finance
- Master of Applied Finance
- Master of Business Administration
- Master of Business Administration (International)
- Master of Business Analytics
- Master of Economics and Resource Policy
- Master of Finance
- Master of Finance and Business Economics
- Master of International Management
- Master of International and Security Law
- Master of Marketing
- Master of Professional Accounting
- Master of Project Management
- Master of Project Management (Complex Systems)
- Master of Technology Innovation and Leadership
- Master of Wine Business

# Economics

Economics is a dynamic study area which unveils the forces driving the behaviour of individuals and firms, government policies, and markets. It empowers you to navigate a complex and interconnected world.







**Only Australian university with ACEEU accreditation\***



**Work-integrated learning with industry experience**



**Strong employment growth predicted (10.7% by 2026)<sup>†</sup>**

## Be surrounded by world-class research

Economics teaching at the University of Adelaide began in 1901, making us one of the world's earliest providers of tertiary economics courses.

Your economics experience at the University of Adelaide will be informed and supported by world-class research in the discipline. We explore a diverse range of areas across economic and public policy; economic growth development and trade; people, behaviour, and choices; agrifood, water and environmental systems; and econometric methods and applications.

In the Australian Government's most recent Excellence in Research for Australia assessment<sup>^</sup>, our research was rated 'above world standard' in:

- Economic Theory
- Applied Economics

And it was recognised as 'well above world standard' in:

- Mathematical Sciences
- Statistics
- Philosophy.

Our staff bring their fundamental and applied research topics and skills to the classroom and our extensive government, industry, and disciplinary networks ensure our students receive ample visibility and abundant opportunities to succeed in the professional world.

## Build the skill set to excel in diverse fields

Economics is a unique discipline that allows you to understand how the world works as an intricate system. Studying economics at the University of Adelaide helps you develop integral skills such as complex problem-solving, critical and logical thinking, strong numeracy, and analytical skills.

We equip our students with a comprehensive skill set that is applicable to various professions and industries. With a strong emphasis on analytical thinking, critical reasoning, and data analysis, our graduates possess highly sought-after abilities in today's job market. These skills empower you to explore diverse fields including international trade and finance, food and natural resources, health and education, growth and development, money and banking, as well as environment and energy.

## Career prospects

Economics graduates develop analytical thinking and quantitative skills which are highly rewarded in the labour market. The earnings of economics graduates are higher than in most other fields of study, including business studies<sup>†</sup>. An economics degree is a gateway to success in a diverse range of sectors.

<sup>\*</sup> Accreditation Council for Entrepreneurial and Engaged Universities (ACEEU).

<sup>^</sup> Excellence in Research for Australia, 2018-19.

<sup>†</sup> Australian Government, Labour Market Insights, 2023.

### Undergraduate

- Bachelor of Economics
- Bachelor of Economics (Advanced)
- Bachelor of Philosophy, Politics and Economics

### Postgraduate coursework

- Master of Economics and Resource Policy

### Degrees

# Our degrees

Our degrees



Ready to start making some choices? The following pages contain full descriptions of our suite of degrees, arranged in alphabetical order.

As well as describing what each degree involves and where it could take you in your career, the entries also include key details such as:

- degree duration
- which campus or campuses they're studied at
- any prerequisites you need to have completed
- SATAC code
- guaranteed entry score where applicable.

And just in case you missed them, you can return to our study area summaries at any time to get an idea of what degrees most closely relate to your career interests.



## Diploma in Business

**SATAC code** 316221

**Duration** 1 year full-time

**Campus** North Terrace

**Guaranteed entry** ATAR: 65 or IB/interstate/overseas equivalent

**Enquiries** [adelaide.edu.au/degree-finder](http://adelaide.edu.au/degree-finder) (search *business*)

Our one-year Diploma in Business sets you up for understanding and working in the business world. It's a great introduction to business for students who want to explore the topic before undertaking the full bachelor degree.

The diploma also acts as a recognised qualification should you choose to come out of the Bachelor of Commerce after one year of learning.

### What will you do?

- Explore principles of marketing, management, business law, accounting and business statistics.
- Build communication skills for business contexts.
- Apply your learning to real-world scenarios.
- Work with researchers and peers in a Small Group Discovery Experience.
- Benefit from collaborative problem-solving, reflections and online discussions.
- Develop cultural and ethical awareness.

### Potential careers

- Communications Officer
- Project Officer
- Wine Marketer

### You might also be interested in:

- Bachelor of Business
- Bachelor of Commerce

## Bachelor of Business

**SATAC code** 354301

**Duration** 3 years full-time

**Campus** North Terrace

**Guaranteed entry** ATAR: 80 or IB/interstate/overseas equivalent

**Enquiries** [adelaide.edu.au/degree-finder](http://adelaide.edu.au/degree-finder) (search *business*)

In the modern business world, it's not enough to be a jack of all trades; you must also master at least one. Our Bachelor of Business gives you that career edge, complementing a foundation of broad commercial awareness with focused expertise in management; international management; innovation, entrepreneurship and strategy; or digital marketing and communications.

### What will you do?

Emphasising strategic thinking, innovation and flexibility, the degree prepares you to play a leading role in supporting, growing and transforming sustainable enterprises through your chosen area of specialisation.

You will build broad knowledge of contemporary global business issues; explore business lifecycles, data analysis, cultural diversity and the entrepreneurial mindset; then focus your career direction through a major or double major. Options include:

- Digital Marketing and Communications
- Innovation, Entrepreneurship and Strategy
- International Business
- Management
- or any two of these.

You'll also have the opportunity to hone your abilities through a real-world capstone experience. This could be an internship; industry project; participation in the Australian eChallenge or Tech eChallenge; or approved Business School study tour.

You will emerge ready to research and analyse diverse business problems, develop powerful, evidence-based solutions, and promote ethical, sustainable business through innovation and clearly articulated strategic thinking.

### Potential careers

- Manager / Business Manager
- Business Consultant
- Communications Advisor

### You might also be interested in:

- Bachelor of Commerce
- Bachelor of Finance and Banking
- Bachelor of Economics

## Bachelor of Commerce

**SATAC code** 314101

**Duration** 3 years full-time

**Campus** North Terrace

**Guaranteed entry** ATAR: 85 or IB/interstate/overseas equivalent

**Enquiries** [adelaide.edu.au/degree-finder](http://adelaide.edu.au/degree-finder) (search *commerce*)

With technological and societal change constantly reshaping commercial enterprise, the need for business professionals to be strategic, innovative and adaptable has never been greater.

Our Bachelor of Commerce gives you these vital career advantages, while delivering professional accreditation in accounting, finance or marketing.

### What will you do?

The degree gives you the knowledge, tools and insight to immediately contribute to successful organisations today—and confidently lead the sustainable enterprises of tomorrow.

You will build foundational knowledge in accounting, finance, economics and commercial law; explore business lifecycles, data analysis, cultural diversity and the entrepreneurial mindset; then focus your career direction through a major or double major. Options include:

- Accounting
- Corporate Finance
- Marketing
- or any two of these.

You'll also have the opportunity to hone your abilities through a real-world capstone experience. This could be an internship; industry project; participation in the Australian eChallenge or Tech eChallenge; or approved Business School study tour\*.

You will graduate able to research and analyse diverse business problems, develop powerful, evidence-based solutions, and promote ethical, sustainable business through innovation and clearly articulated strategic thinking.

### Potential careers

- Financial Analyst
- Fund and Portfolio Manager
- Stockbroker

### You might also be interested in:

- Bachelor of Business
- Bachelor of Economics
- Bachelor of Project Management

## Bachelor of Economics

**SATAC code** 314141

**Duration** 3 years full-time

**Campus** North Terrace

**Guaranteed entry** ATAR: 75 or IB/interstate/overseas equivalent

**Enquiries** [adelaide.edu.au/degree-finder](http://adelaide.edu.au/degree-finder) (search *economics*)

Economists study the world through the analysis of decision-making in households, businesses and broader society. They examine details and put pieces together, always striving to understand the ‘big picture’.

Armed with these insights, economists can give expert advice on business strategy, understand the background behind the news, influence public policy for a better world, and make informed personal financial decisions.

### What will you do?

Our Bachelor of Economics sets you up to understand and shape our economy’s future. You will:

- learn how to break down complex issues into resolvable questions
- discover advanced techniques for analysing and managing data
- study how maths and statistics are applied to economics
- explore matters relating to the growth and stability of the whole economic system
- investigate social issues such as inequality, housing affordability, environmental management and depleting natural resources.

There are also opportunities for professional internships in Adelaide, across Australia and overseas.

### Potential careers

- Economist
- Government or Corporate Policy Advisor
- Business Data Analyst

### You might also be interested in:

- Bachelor of Economics (Advanced)
- Bachelor of Commerce
- Bachelor of Philosophy, Politics and Economics

## Bachelor of Economics (Advanced)

**SATAC code** 324791

**Duration** 3 years full-time

**Campus** North Terrace

**Guaranteed entry** ATAR: 95 or IB/interstate/overseas equivalent

### Additional entry requirements

Year 12 applicants must obtain an Australian Tertiary Admissions Rank (ATAR) of 95 or higher (or equivalent).

**Enquiries** [adelaide.edu.au/degree-finder](http://adelaide.edu.au/degree-finder) (search *economics*)

Aspire to be a leader in business, policy or research?

The Bachelor of Economics (Advanced) is a uniquely structured and specialised degree for students who want to stand out in their field.

### What will you do?

Our advanced degree emphasises research and high-level analytical skills. You will:

- interact with and learn from eminent researchers, notable economists from abroad, and high-ranking economists practising in the private and public sector
- access three unique courses specifically designed for high-achieving students
- benefit from small-group work, special activities and events with distinguished visitors

Note: You must maintain a GPA of 5.0 or you’ll be required to transfer to the Bachelor of Economics. Conversely, if you initially enrol in the Bachelor of Economics you may be eligible to transfer into the advanced degree after two or three semesters if you achieve a high enough GPA.

### Potential careers

- Data Analyst
- Econometrician
- Economic Researcher

### You might also be interested in:

- Bachelor of Economics
- Bachelor of Economics with Bachelor of Finance and Banking
- Bachelor of Commerce

## Bachelor of Finance and Banking

**SATAC code** 314401

**Duration** 3 years full-time

**Campus** North Terrace

**Guaranteed entry** ATAR: 75 or IB/interstate/overseas equivalent

**Enquiries** [adelaide.edu.au/degree-finder](http://adelaide.edu.au/degree-finder) (search *finance*)

Professional finance and banking is the art of managing, and maximising, money at every scale—for individuals and households, right up to giant corporations and governments.

Success requires strategic thinking, political awareness and business savvy.

Our Bachelor of Finance and Banking gives you the knowledge and skills to excel.

### What will you do?

Studying full-time over three years, you’ll gain in-depth understanding of:

- international trade, banking and financial markets
- retail and institutional banking, and its relationship with government and business
- the principles and impact of monetary policy
- major asset classes and investment options
- specialised financial institutions

### You’ll also build strong skills in:

- wealth and risk management
- business data analytics and statistics
- financial modelling.

And you’ll develop the critical thinking, problem solving and communication skills to clearly formulate and deliver monetary advice.

### Potential careers

- Accountant
- Broker
- Finance Manager

### You might also be interested in:

- Bachelor of Business
- Bachelor of Commerce
- Bachelor of Economics



## Bachelor of Laws

**SATAC code** 324111, 324251

**Duration**

Single degree undergraduate entry:  
4 years full-time (or part-time equivalent).

Single degree graduate entry:  
3 years full-time (or part-time equivalent).

Double degrees: 4.5/5 years full-time  
(or part-time equivalent)\*.

\* Pending choice of paired degree

**Campus** North Terrace

**Prerequisites** For Laws double-degrees, students must fulfil any subject prerequisite requirements for the other degree.

**Additional entry requirements**

The Law School Admission Test (LSAT) is recognised as an alternative entry pathway.

**Enquiries** [adelaide.edu.au/degree-finder](http://adelaide.edu.au/degree-finder)  
(search *laws*)

Studying law is about understanding our society and the power structures within it. Why do we have the laws we do? How have they evolved? How should we interpret them? Whether you want to uphold, use or change the system—law can take you just about anywhere.

### What will you do?

Our Bachelor of Laws can be completed as a single degree or double degree. You will:

- explore legal concepts, processes and methods within common law principles and legal methodology,
- build ethical reasoning, policy-based analysis and oratory skills
- gain rigorous knowledge of the areas of law necessary to undertake legal practice
- go deeper by choosing from our broad list of electives
- learn from legal professionals, former judges and international academics
- undertake internships in areas such as Public Law, Native Title Law and Human Rights Law
- form connections through the University's Lex Salus, Next Steps and Law Students' Society events

### Professional accreditation

Our Bachelor of Laws is accredited by the Legal Practitioners' Education and Admission Council in South Australia, and provides the academic foundation for admission to legal practice throughout Australia. To be admitted to practise in Australia, however, you must complete further practical legal training. Our Graduate Diploma in Legal Practice satisfies this requirement.

### Potential careers

- Barrister
- Business Lawyer
- Ministerial or Parliamentary Adviser

### You might also be interested in:

- Bachelor of Criminology
- Bachelor of Philosophy, Politics and Economics

## Bachelor of Philosophy, Politics and Economics

**SATAC code** 334691

**Duration** 3 years full-time

**Campus** North Terrace

**Guaranteed entry** ATAR: 70 or IB/interstate/overseas equivalent

**Enquiries** [adelaide.edu.au/degree-finder](http://adelaide.edu.au/degree-finder)  
(search *politics*)

Understanding social complexities requires looking through more than one lens.

Students of philosophy, politics and economics are deeply acquainted with social and political institutions. They reason rigorously and reflect on moral and ethical values. They understand how resources must be managed and that economics influences everything.

### What will you do?

Our Bachelor of Philosophy, Politics and Economics has a structure unique in South Australia, and highly regarded internationally. You will:

- learn broadly across all three areas before focusing on your chosen discipline
- analyse complex political and economic scenarios
- critically debate morality, freedom and social justice
- understand and develop responses to pressing real-world problems
- benefit from contact and mentoring with experts and researchers
- gain practical insights from guest speakers within political and business communities
- career plan from early on and undertake an internship aligned with your goals.

### Potential careers

- Business Data Analyst
- Environmental Economist
- Policy Advisor

### You might also be interested in:

- Bachelor of Arts
- Bachelor of Economics
- Bachelor of Commerce

## Bachelor of Project Management

**SATAC code** 334051

**Duration** 3 years full-time

**Campus** North Terrace

**Guaranteed entry** ATAR: 75 or IB/interstate/overseas equivalent

**Enquiries** [adelaide.edu.au/degree-finder](http://adelaide.edu.au/degree-finder)  
(search *project management*)

Project management is about delivering successful results for business, government and the community. It requires passion, resolve and vision.

Project managers are expected to take charge of complex tasks and keep things on track. They recruit people, coordinate activities, organise and problem-solve.

### What will you do?

Our Bachelor of Project Management gives you the skills and knowledge to excel in the professional realm. You will:

- research project management practices and concepts
- assess and manage risk in a wide variety of project scenarios
- build the soft skills needed to motivate and lead teams
- develop specific knowledge in an industry or field of your choice
- study ways of fostering creativity and innovation.

### Professional accreditation

This degree is accredited with PMI Global Accreditation Centre for Project Management.

### Potential careers

- Project Development Manager
- Project Manager
- Project Officer

### You might also be interested in:

- Bachelor of Commerce
- Bachelor of Business
- Bachelor of Arts

# Further study

Completed an undergraduate degree, and looking to further hone your expertise?

Whatever your career stage or goal, we offer a range of courses to help you advance your skills—from Professional Certificate and Graduate Certificate to Graduate Diploma, Masters and PhD.

## Explore our postgraduate degrees

[adelaide.edu.au/publications/future-students/postgraduate-coursework](https://adelaide.edu.au/publications/future-students/postgraduate-coursework)

## Learn more about our research degrees

[adelaide.edu.au/publications/future-students/postgraduate-research](https://adelaide.edu.au/publications/future-students/postgraduate-research)

## Executive Master of Business Administration

**SATAC code** 3CM269

**Duration** 1.5 years full-time

**Campus** North Terrace

**Entry requirements** A minimum of five years' relevant work experience is required for applicants with a completed AQF Bachelors degree (minimum GPA 5.0); OR

A minimum of seven years' related work experience and a satisfactory GMAT score (550) is required for applications without a completed Bachelor's degree;

OR

A completed Adelaide or Executive Graduate Certificate in Business Administration.

Interview with MBA Director where the applicant must demonstrate leadership, communication, team skills, motivation and business skills. Please note a CV must be uploaded with the SATAC application.

*Please upload a copy of your CV with your application.*

**Enquiries** [adelaide.edu.au/degree-finder](https://adelaide.edu.au/degree-finder) (search *MBA*)

We are living in a world that is at times volatile, unexpected and ambiguous. It is essential that current and future leaders be equipped to deal with complex problems in a systemic, integrated and collaborative fashion.

Our Executive Master of Business Administration (MBA) creates leaders who can deliver on the demands of an increasingly complex world, as demonstrated by our broad network of alumni in the business community. Our MBA is ranked #1 in South Australia for Career Impact\*.

### What will you do?

The Executive MBA is student-focused, with maximum flexibility to suite the needs of busy professionals. You will:

- build professional relationships and networks
- gain advanced problem-solving, analytical and critical thinking skills

- develop strong leadership skills necessary for driving innovation and positive change within organisations
- cultivate a global outlook, strategic mindset, and the ability to see the bigger picture
- understand the management of critical business functions through coursework including finance, accounting, economics and marketing.

There are also opportunities for international exchanges at world-leading business schools.

To accommodate the needs of busy professionals, providing maximum flexibility to customise your schedule around your needs, classes include:

- weekly evening classes
- monthly weekend intensives (Friday/Saturday)
- optional BA summer school for two weeks in January

Note: Intakes occur through the year, in January, May and September, with Summer School options in January.

### Potential careers

- Business Development Manager
- Chief Executive Officer
- Project Manager

### You might also be interested in:

- Executive Graduate Certificate in Business Administration
- Executive Graduate Diploma in Business Administration

\*AFR, *BOSS Best Business School rankings, Career Impact, 2023*

## Master of Economics and Resource Policy

**SATAC code** 3CM276

**Duration** 2 years full-time

**Campus** North Terrace

**Entry requirements** A completed Bachelors degree or equivalent, with a GPA of 5.0 or better.

**Enquiries** [adelaide.edu.au/degree-finder](https://adelaide.edu.au/degree-finder) (search *economics*)

Experience the synergy of economics and resource policy like never before. This program offers a unique blend of economic expertise with resource management acumen, empowering you to make smart, sustainable choices in a world hungry for change. Dive deep into the intricate world of economic study and examination, policy formulation, and resource allocation while honing your skills to ensure equitable access to vital resources, from clean air and water to sustainable energy. Be at the forefront of shaping policies that not only safeguard economic stability but also protect our environment and promote social equity.

Join us on this journey to become a leader in the dynamic intersection of economics and resource policy, where your expertise will drive a brighter, more sustainable future.

### What will you do?

Completed over two years, our Master of Economics and Resource Policy is designed to enhance your employability, with practical skills for both academic and professional success. You will:

- explore concepts like incentives, opportunity costs, trade-offs, externalities, and efficiency
- apply economic principles across various domains, including public policy, international trade, agribusiness, and natural resources
- learn advanced methods for examining, modelling and analysing data
- craft economic reports, written summaries of current events, and research projects



## Make history with a PhD

At the University of Adelaide, we offer PhD and Masters-level research degrees in every discipline under the supervision of globally recognised experts. We can also help broaden your experience and connections through industry-embedded PhDs, internships or a jointly awarded PhD with our fellow world-

leading, research-intensive domestic and international partners.

For more information, including a step-by-step guide on how to apply for a Higher Degree by Research program, visit: [adelaide.edu.au/publications/ua/media/455/getting-your-phd.pdf](https://adelaide.edu.au/publications/ua/media/455/getting-your-phd.pdf)

- develop interpersonal and soft skills for effective communication
- secure your pathway to a PhD

You'll also have access to our dedicated support services, such as the Economics Drop-in Centre, Writing Centre, and Maths Learning Centre, to help your Masters journey be as smooth as possible.

Equipped with newfound insights, you'll be empowered to offer expert advice on corporate strategies, unravel the context behind current events, shape public policies for a more promising world, and navigate your own personal choices with discernment.

### Potential careers

- Business Data Analyst
- Economic Researcher
- Financial Trader

### You might also be interested in:

- Graduate Certificate in Economics and Resource Policy
- Graduate Diploma in Economics and Resource Policy

## Master of Project Management

**SATAC code** 3CM265

**Duration** 1.5 years full-time

**Campus** North Terrace

**Entry requirements** A completed Bachelors degree or equivalent OR a completed Graduate Certificate in Project Management from the University of Adelaide.

**Enquiries** [adelaide.edu.au/degree-finder](https://adelaide.edu.au/degree-finder) (search *project management*)

Project management is about delivering successful results for business, government and the community. It requires passion, resolve and vision. This intensive degree will set you up to manage projects at whole new scales and levels of complexity.

### What will you do?

Our Master of Project Management places a strong emphasis on holistic and systems-based project management. You will:

- learn scalable project management concepts, methodologies and tools
- build your understandings around world-leading practices (PMBOK® Guide and PRINCE2™)\*
- confidently apply your learning to meet professional and organisational goals
- develop the leadership skills required for large-scale projects
- undertake significant research projects.

*\*PMI and PMBOK are registered marks of the Project Management Institute, Inc.*

*Accredited Program - PMI Global Accreditation Centre for Project Management*

### Potential careers

- Business Consultant
- Project Manager
- Business Analyst

### You might also be interested in:

- Graduate Certificate in Project Management
- Master of Project Management (Complex Systems)

## Master of Wine Business

**SATAC code** 3CM101

**Duration** 2 years full-time

**Campus** North Terrace

**Entry requirements** A completed Bachelors degree or equivalent.

**Enquiries** [adelaide.edu.au/degree-finder](https://adelaide.edu.au/degree-finder) (search *wine business*)

Home to some of the most innovative and revered winemakers in Australia, South Australia is the ideal location for you to study how business operates in the wine industry.

This intensive degree sets you up to have a positive impact on the entire wine value chain; a capability demanded of wine business professionals worldwide.

### What will you do?

Our Master of Wine Business is designed for both current and aspiring wine business owners, marketers, managers, winemakers, sommeliers, and staff. You will:

- benefit from flexible study modes
- build working knowledge and skills in both winemaking and viticulture
- learn about direct wine marketing
- understand how to evaluate domestic and international markets
- study the foundations of wine science
- explore legal aspects of the business
- undertake a six-unit research project.

There are also internship opportunities across South Australia's booming wine industry.

### Potential careers

- Cellar Door or Winery Manager
- Export Manager
- International Marketing Manager

### You might also be interested in:

- Graduate Certificate in Wine Business
- Graduate Diploma in Wine Business

# Undergraduate degree index

Undergraduate degrees available at the University of Adelaide. Students with strong interests in more than one area of study may wish to consider a double or combined degree. To assist in finding which brochure is right for you the table below shows where the degree that interests you can be found. For a comprehensive list of available degrees, visit [adelaide.edu.au/degree-finder](http://adelaide.edu.au/degree-finder)

## Business

Study area	Undergraduate program
Accounting and finance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bachelor of Commerce</li> <li>• Bachelor of Finance and Banking</li> </ul>
Business	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bachelor of Business</li> <li>• Bachelor of Commerce</li> <li>• Bachelor of Economics</li> <li>• Bachelor of Economics (Advanced)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Finance and Banking</li> <li>• Bachelor of Philosophy, Politics and Economics</li> <li>• Bachelor of Project Management</li> <li>• Diploma in Business</li> </ul>
Economics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bachelor of Economics</li> <li>• Bachelor of Economics (Advanced)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Philosophy, Politics and Economics</li> </ul>

## People and society

Study area	Undergraduate program
Humanities and social sciences	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bachelor of Arts</li> <li>• Bachelor of Arts (Advanced)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Criminology</li> <li>• Bachelor of Environmental Policy and Management</li> <li>• Bachelor of International Development</li> <li>• Bachelor of International Relations</li> <li>• Bachelor of Languages</li> <li>• Bachelor of Philosophy, Politics and Economics</li> <li>• Bachelor of Sociology</li> <li>• Diploma in Arts</li> <li>• Diploma in Arts (Specialisation)</li> <li>• Diploma in Languages</li> </ul>
Mental health and wellbeing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bachelor of Health and Medical Sciences</li> <li>• Bachelor of Health and Medical Sciences (Advanced)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Psychological Science</li> <li>• Bachelor of Psychology (Advanced) (Honours)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Sociology</li> </ul>
Law	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bachelor of Criminology</li> <li>• Bachelor of Laws</li> </ul>
Teaching and education	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bachelor of Teaching (Secondary) with Bachelor of Arts</li> <li>• Bachelor of Teaching (Secondary) with Bachelor of Mathematical and Computer Sciences</li> <li>• Bachelor of Teaching (Secondary) with Bachelor of Music</li> <li>• Bachelor of Teaching (Secondary) with Bachelor of Science</li> </ul>

## Creativity

Study area	Undergraduate program
Architecture	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bachelor of Architectural Design</li> <li>• Bachelor of Construction Management</li> <li>• Bachelor of Construction Management (Honours)</li> <li>• Associate Degree in Construction Management</li> <li>• Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Architectural and Structural)</li> </ul>
Arts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bachelor of Arts</li> <li>• Bachelor of Arts (Advanced)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Criminology</li> <li>• Bachelor of Environmental Policy and Management</li> <li>• Bachelor of International Development</li> <li>• Bachelor of International Relations</li> <li>• Bachelor of Languages</li> <li>• Bachelor of Media</li> <li>• Bachelor of Philosophy, Politics and Economics</li> <li>• Bachelor of Sociology</li> <li>• Diploma in Arts</li> <li>• Diploma in Arts (Specialisation)</li> <li>• Diploma in Languages</li> </ul>
Media	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bachelor of Media</li> </ul>
Music	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bachelor of Music (Classical Performance)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Music (Creative Practice)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Music (Jazz Performance)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Music (Music Education)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Music Advanced (Classical Performance)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Music Advanced (Creative Practice)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Music Advanced (Jazz Performance)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Music Advanced (Music Education)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Music Theatre</li> </ul>

## Health

Study area	Undergraduate program
Allied health	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bachelor of Occupational Therapy (Honours)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Physiotherapy (Honours)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Speech Pathology (Honours)</li> </ul>
Biomedical science and biotechnology	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bachelor of Biotechnology</li> <li>• Bachelor of Biotechnology (Honours)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Science</li> <li>• Bachelor of Science (Advanced)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Science (Biomedical Science)</li> </ul>
Dentistry and oral health	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bachelor of Dental Surgery</li> <li>• Bachelor of Oral Health</li> </ul>
Health and medical sciences	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bachelor of Applied Data Analytics</li> <li>• Bachelor of Health and Medical Sciences</li> <li>• Bachelor of Health and Medical Sciences (Advanced)</li> </ul>
Medicine	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bachelor of Medical Studies / Doctor or Medicine</li> </ul>
Mental health and wellbeing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bachelor of Health and Medical Sciences</li> <li>• Bachelor of Health and Medical Sciences (Advanced)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Psychological Science</li> <li>• Bachelor of Psychology (Advanced) (Honours)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Sociology</li> </ul>
Nursing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bachelor of Nursing</li> </ul>
Psychology	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bachelor of Psychological Science</li> <li>• Bachelor of Psychology (Advanced) (Honours)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Sociology</li> </ul>
Public health	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bachelor of Applied Data Analytics</li> <li>• Bachelor of Health and Medical Sciences</li> <li>• Bachelor of Health and Medical Sciences (Advanced)</li> </ul>



## STEM

Study area	Undergraduate program
Agriculture, food and wine	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bachelor of Agricultural Sciences</li> <li>• Bachelor of Applied Data Analytics</li> <li>• Bachelor of Food and Nutrition Science</li> <li>• Bachelor of Food and Nutrition Science (Honours)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Science</li> <li>• Bachelor of Science (Advanced)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Science (Animal Science)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Viticulture and Oenology</li> </ul>
Animal and veterinary sciences	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bachelor of Agricultural Sciences</li> <li>• Bachelor of Marine and Wildlife Conservation</li> <li>• Bachelor of Science (Animal Behaviour)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Science (Animal Science)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Science (Veterinary Bioscience)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Veterinary Technology</li> </ul>
Architecture	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bachelor of Architectural Design</li> <li>• Bachelor of Construction Management</li> <li>• Bachelor of Construction Management (Honours)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Architectural and Structural)</li> <li>• Associate Degree in Construction Management</li> </ul>
Biomedical science and biotechnology	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bachelor of Applied Data Analytics</li> <li>• Bachelor of Biotechnology</li> <li>• Bachelor of Biotechnology (Honours)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Science</li> <li>• Bachelor of Science (Advanced)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Science (Biomedical Science)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Electrical and Electronic)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Mechanical)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Science (Honours) direct entry</li> <li>• Bachelor of Science (Advanced) (Honours)</li> </ul>
Defence, cyber and space	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bachelor of Applied Data Analytics</li> <li>• Bachelor of Computer Science</li> <li>• Bachelor of Computer Science (Advanced)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Civil)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Electrical and Electronic)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Environmental and Climate Solutions)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Information Technology</li> <li>• Bachelor of Mathematical Sciences</li> <li>• Bachelor of Mathematical Sciences (Advanced)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Mathematical and Computer Sciences</li> <li>• Bachelor of Science</li> <li>• Bachelor of Science (Advanced)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Science (Space Science and Astrophysics)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Science (High Performance Computational Physics) (Honours)</li> </ul>
Energy, mining and resources	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bachelor of Applied Data Analytics</li> <li>• Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Chemical)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Civil)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Electrical and Electronic)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Environmental and Climate Solutions)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Mining)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Petroleum)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Petroleum) with major</li> <li>• Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Software)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Science</li> <li>• Bachelor of Science (Advanced)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Science (Mineral Geoscience)</li> </ul>

Study area	Undergraduate program
Engineering	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Architectural and Structural)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Chemical)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Civil)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Electrical and Electronic)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Environmental and Climate Solutions)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Mechanical)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Mining)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Petroleum)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Petroleum) with major</li> <li>• Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Software)</li> <li>• Diploma of Engineering</li> </ul>
Environment and sustainability	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bachelor of Applied Data Analytics</li> <li>• Bachelor of Architectural Design</li> <li>• Bachelor of Construction Management (Honours)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Construction Management</li> <li>• Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Environmental and Climate Solutions)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Chemical)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Civil)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Electrical and Electronic)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Mechanical)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Environmental Policy and Management</li> <li>• Bachelor of Science</li> <li>• Bachelor of Science (Advanced)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Science (Mineral Geoscience)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Marine and Wildlife Conservation</li> <li>• Associate Degree in Construction Management</li> </ul>
Mathematical Sciences	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bachelor of Mathematical Sciences</li> <li>• Bachelor of Mathematical Sciences (Advanced)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Mathematical and Computer Sciences</li> <li>• Bachelor of Teaching (Secondary) with Bachelor of Mathematical and Computer Sciences</li> </ul>
Sciences	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bachelor of Agricultural Sciences</li> <li>• Bachelor of Applied Data Analytics</li> <li>• Bachelor of Biotechnology</li> <li>• Bachelor of Biotechnology (Honours)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Food and Nutrition Science (Honours) - direct entry</li> <li>• Bachelor of Food and Nutrition Science</li> <li>• Bachelor of Marine and Wildlife Conservation</li> <li>• Bachelor of Science</li> <li>• Bachelor of Science (Honours) - direct entry</li> <li>• Bachelor of Science (Advanced)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Science (Advanced) (Honours) - direct entry</li> <li>• Bachelor of Science (Animal Behaviour)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Science (Animal Science)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Science (Biomedical Science)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Science (Mineral Geoscience)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Science (Space Science and Astrophysics)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Science (Veterinary Bioscience)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Veterinary Technology</li> <li>• Bachelor of Viticulture and Oenology</li> <li>• Bachelor of Science (High Performance Computational Physics) (Honours)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Teaching (Secondary) with Bachelor of Science</li> </ul>
Technology	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bachelor of Computer Science</li> <li>• Bachelor of Computer Science (Advanced)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Software)</li> <li>• Bachelor of Information Technology</li> </ul>



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The University of Adelaide is committed to empowering and uplifting Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students. Wirltu Yarlu provides a culturally enriching environment that nurtures students throughout their educational journey.

## Starting from high school

The Karnkanthi Education Program delivered by Wirltu Yarlu is a groundbreaking initiative that aims to provide Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander High School students (years 10 to 12/13) with early support, tools and inspiration to succeed in their studies, helping future students build their academic confidence to consider and pursue a university education. This innovative program has no cost to students or their families.

## To applying for University

Wirltu Yarlu helps make the application and transition to university life more accessible. The Unit is dedicated to making university life enjoyable for its students offering a wide range of services and support that complement the University's existing resources, including tailored support from the Wirltu Yarlu Student Services Officers (SSOs).

## And on-going support when you're here

The SSOs work closely with Faculties and other University services to enhance the student experience, applying a cultural and holistic lens at every step of the journey, enabling a space and community that fosters growth and celebrates Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students to feel proud of their Culture and confident in their academic abilities.







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**My fondest memories of studying at the University of Adelaide are definitely of the friendships formed with other students, especially at Wirltu Yarlū. The support, encouragement, and belief in my achievement that I received kept me going in the tough times and ensured I had some light moments of relief even when assignments and exams loomed large.”**

**Rebecca Richards**

Adnyamathanha and Barngarla  
University of Adelaide graduate  
and Australia’s first Indigenous Rhodes Scholar



# Applying to the University of Adelaide

## How to apply

Applications to University of Adelaide undergraduate programs are made online via SATAC: [satac.edu.au](https://satac.edu.au)

The application closing date for 2025 entry is 30 September 2024. Bachelor of Bachelor of Medical Studies/Doctor of Medicine, Bachelor of Oral Health and Bachelor of Dental Surgery applicants should refer to the UCAT ANZ website for information on the University Clinical Aptitude Test (UCAT ANZ) including application and test dates: [ucat.edu.au/ucat-anz](https://ucat.edu.au/ucat-anz)

International students should refer to: [international.adelaide.edu.au/admissions/apply](https://international.adelaide.edu.au/admissions/apply)

## Entry pathways

There are many pathways applicants can take to apply to the University of Adelaide, including Year 12, International Baccalaureate (IB), Subject-based entry, STAT, TAFE, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Access Pathways, preparatory programs, foundation study and more.

To find out more about the available pathways, visit [adelaide.edu.au/study/](https://adelaide.edu.au/study/) undergraduate and select 'Entry Pathways' from the menu.

## HECS Higher Education Loan

The Australian Parliament has recently passed amendments to the Higher Education Support Act 2003, which will affect students studying in a Commonwealth supported place from 1 January, 2021. The changes include:

- Adjusting the maximum Student Contribution amounts for different areas of study, for students commencing a new program in 2021
- Grandfathering Student Contribution amounts for continuing students
- Re-introducing the 10% HECS-HELP discount, for HECS-HELP eligible students who make an up-front payment of \$500 or more towards their Student Contribution amount
- All Commonwealth supported students, and students accessing any of the HELP loans, must provide their valid Unique Student Identifier (USI).

For more information, please visit [education.gov.au/job-ready/faqs](https://education.gov.au/job-ready/faqs)

## Student services and amenities fee

Students are charged an annual student services and amenities fee (SSAF) to assist with the funding of student services and amenities at the University. In 2024, the SSAF amount for full-time students was \$351, and for part-time students it was \$263. Fees may increase in 2025. Eligible students may defer this fee to an SA-HELP loan.

For further information about the SSAF and SA-HELP, visit [adelaide.edu.au/student/finance/ssaf](https://adelaide.edu.au/student/finance/ssaf) and select 'Student Services & Amenities Fee (SSAF)'.

## Additional costs

Students may be required to pay for specialist equipment, reading materials, etc. Students are advised not to purchase any equipment until they receive their faculty/school handbook, available during orientation.

For more information on other program-related fees and charges, visit [adelaide.edu.au/student/finance](https://adelaide.edu.au/student/finance) and select 'Other Fees and Charges'.

## 2024 fees and costs

(may increase for 2025) [adelaide.edu.au/student/finance/domestic/contribution](https://adelaide.edu.au/student/finance/domestic/contribution)

Areas of study	Student contribution per 1 EFTSL (24 units)	Student contribution per 0.125 EFTSL (3 units)
<b>Band 1:</b> Agriculture, English, Languages, Mathematics, Nursing, Postgraduate Clinical Psychology, Teaching	\$4,445	\$555
<b>Band 2:</b> Allied Health, Architecture, Engineering, Environmental Studies, IT, Performing Arts, Professional Pathway Psychology*, Science	\$8,948	\$1,118
<b>Band 3:</b> Dentistry, Medicine, Veterinary Science	\$12,720	\$1,590
<b>Band 4:</b> Accounting, Administration, Behavioural Science (not Professional Pathway Psychology*), Economics, Humanities, Law, Media, Social Studies	\$16,323	\$2,040



### Adjustment factors

SATAC centrally administers two South Australian Universities adjustment factors schemes. The two schemes are the SA Universities Equity Scheme and the SA Language, Literacy and Mathematics Adjustment Factors Scheme.

For more details, visit [adelaide.edu.au](https://adelaide.edu.au) and search 'adjustment factors'.

### Degree intake

Many undergraduate degrees will allow students to begin study in February or July. Please refer to individual degrees on Degree Finder ([adelaide.edu.au/degree-finder](https://adelaide.edu.au/degree-finder)) to check whether midyear entry is available.

Where Degree Finder states 'subject to availability' applicants should contact our Future Students Team for more information: [future.ask@adelaide.edu.au](mailto:future.ask@adelaide.edu.au)

### Deferring your studies

Most undergraduate degrees can be deferred for up to two years. Please refer to specific degrees for exceptions.

### English language requirements for international students

All international students undertaking an Australian Year 12 program are required to achieve a Pass grade or above in one of the approved English as a Second Language or English language subjects. If an applicant attempts, but does not pass, the English language subject, then alternative options, such as an acceptable English language proficiency test result, may be arranged.

Successful completion of the International Baccalaureate (IB) diploma meets the English language requirements of the University of Adelaide.

### Unique Student Identifier

A Unique Student Identifier (USI) is a reference number that creates an online record of your qualifications attained in Australia. All students undertaking a higher education qualification, need a USI in order to receive a qualification upon successful completion from 2023, and to receive commonwealth financial assistance from 2021.

For more details, visit [usi.gov.au/students/get-a-usi](https://usi.gov.au/students/get-a-usi)

### More information

Find answers to your questions using our online Knowledge Base, or our helpful staff can respond via email to your enquiries. Please see back cover for contact details.













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