

# University profiles

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Australian  
universities  
educate

**1.5M**

students.

Australian  
universities  
employ

**128,000**

full-time  
equivalent staff.

Australian  
universities  
contribute

**\$41B**

to the economy.

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# Foreword

**Universities sit at the heart of their communities** – inspiring and celebrating the bright ideas that have real impact each and every day. Woven into the national fabric, our universities are trusted partners in solving the biggest challenges and building a productive future.

They are also places where we forge our understanding of ourselves and the world around us.

Our universities educated more Australian students than ever before in 2020 – 1.06 million domestic and over 410,000 international students. Almost 340,000 students graduated that same year.

Equipping students with the skills they need for the workforce of today and tomorrow is a fundamental priority for our universities. They offer courses in natural and physical sciences, information technology, engineering, architecture and building, agriculture and environmental studies, health, education, management and commerce, society and culture, creative arts, and food hospitality and personal services.

Universities are constantly adding new disciplines of study to accompany traditional course offerings that reflect the changing shape of Australia's workforce.

Australia relies on our world-class university research to find solutions to challenges facing the nation and to grasp the most promising opportunities. University expertise, ingenuity and innovation help to develop new industries and new jobs that will shape Australia's future.

Through collaborations with business, university researchers help them solve their toughest problems and bring their ideas to fruition.

Through this research, education and community engagement, universities improve the lives of individuals, families, communities and the nation.

This is your guide to thirty-nine outstanding member universities of Universities Australia.

We commend it to you.

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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 22,000 equivalent-full-time students and 3,000 staff, all working to create progress. Ours is a university of outstanding quality — ranked among the top 1% globally — in the heart of Australia's most liveable city.

**Relentlessly progressive**

Adelaide has always broken new ground. We were Australia's first university to welcome female students. The first offering science and business degrees. 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. That's in addition to 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 23 subject areas. In nine — 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.



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Brisbane  
Canberra  
Melbourne  
North Sydney  
Strathfield  
Rome

An ACU education builds on the Catholic understanding of faith and reason working together in pursuit of knowledge and promotion of human dignity and the common good.

An ACU education seeks to transform lives and communities. Students are challenged to look beyond the classroom, solve real-world problems, develop their own search for meaning, and cultivate strong professional ethics. They are invited to stand up for people in need and causes that matter.

ACU is open to all. As is common with great Catholic institutions the world over, the university is inclusive and supportive of everyone, every day – regardless of their faith or tradition.

ACU is a young university making a serious impact. Ranked in the top two per cent of universities worldwide and in the top 10 Catholic universities, ACU is also first in Australia for graduate employment. The university has seven campuses around Australia, a campus in Rome, Italy, and an online campus – ACU Online.

Opportunities for personal and professional growth are critical to ACU. This is a university of service – so much so that it is built into the curricula. All ACU courses offer work placements, internships, or volunteering opportunities.



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Canberra Hospital, Clinical  
School  
Kilola Coastal Campus  
Mt Stromlo Observatory  
North Australia Research  
Unit  
Siding Spring Observatory

Founded in 1946, in a spirit of post-war optimism, our role was to help realise Australia's potential as the world recovered from a global crisis and that vision has been our mission ever since.

Today, we work not only to ensure our national prosperity, but to help Australia tackle the complex challenges facing humanity, like the climate crisis and global pandemics.

We are an inclusive community open to all people who have the talent and passion to succeed, regardless of their background. We seek to reflect our nation and our region.

Connections are important to us – be they to people or to country. We connect both locally, where our ties to the Australian Government and policy makers enable our researchers to help shape national policy, and on the international stage, where our trusted experts act as a conduit for Australian contribution to the global community.

Our campus is a meeting place for our community to converge and collaborate, as First Nations people have done on these lands for thousands of years.

What we do can be difficult work, but it's work we proudly do – because connecting talented people with diverse perspectives, equipping and encouraging them to address the most complex of tomorrow's problems, and ensuring Australia's future is not just our approach – it's also our role and responsibility as Australia's national university, and it's a responsibility from which we'll never waiver.



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Dedicated to a deliberately different, personalised approach to education, Bond University is Australia's leading independent, not-for-profit university. Bond is driven by a desire to produce standout graduates with the skills necessary to transform industries and lead the charge across sectors.

Bond students receive a unique educational experience founded on smaller class sizes, abundant opportunities for connection and professional development, and accelerated degrees that put them at the forefront of a rapidly changing career landscape. Throughout their time at Bond, students also have access to world-class academics with real industry experience who are personally invested in their personal and professional growth.

**Number one for student experience**

Bond has been ranked number one in Australia for student experience for the past 16 years, according to the 2022 Good Universities Guide. This also encapsulates five-star ratings in every student experience category: student-teacher ratio, learner engagement, learning resources, skills development, student support, and teaching quality.

**Employable, future-focused graduates**

Bond is proud to produce highly employable graduates with global outlooks and relevant, transferrable workplace skills. One of the ways the university accomplishes this is through a strong employability focus embedded into every degree.

Students have access to unlimited lifelong career guidance through the Career Development Centre, which can help with setting up internships and work experience, provide industry engagement opportunities, and even interview and resume writing tips. There's also the Beyond Bond professional development program, the Core curriculum – in which all undergraduate students learn key 'soft skills' such as leadership, communication and critical thinking – and its co-curricular entrepreneurship program, Transformer.



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China  
Bhutan  
Vietnam  
Singapore

The University of Canberra (UC) is embedded in the fabric of Canberra, Australia's capital, and this shapes our mission – fostering innovation, meeting community needs, and equipping future leaders with professional careers and lifelong connections.

We take pride in our unique focus on community health, and drive exciting new frontiers in science and technology.

We live and breathe sport – it is the heart of our community – and we provide a home for Canberra's creative industries.

We are instrumental in building an education workforce for the advancement of future generations.

Our expertise in business, government and legal frameworks supports the region's economic growth, the nation's political acumen and the overall evolution of law.

UC ensures our students' success through progressive teaching, impactful research, and strong ties with industry. Our students enjoy immersive learning, that incorporates real-world experience through internships and placements, and delivers employability outcomes.

We set our graduates up for stellar career opportunities, as evident in our number one ranking for full-time employment and starting salaries in Canberra. (*Good Universities Guide, 2022*).

Recognised as a fast-rising university in Australia (QS, 2022), we are ranked in the top 20 of the *Times Higher Education* (THE) Young University World Rankings (2022), and number one globally for reducing inequalities in the THE Impact Rankings (2022).

As we continue to expand our campus, UC has maintained its distinctive character for over 30 years. Our location in Australia's capital has shaped us as progressive and dynamic – dedicated to the community and building a sustainable, prosperous future.



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- Perth
- Townsville
- Brisbane
- Cairns
- Emerald
- Melbourne
- Rockhampton
- Sydney

Originally founded in Rockhampton in 1967, as the Queensland Institute of Technology (QIT) Capricornia, CQUniversity Australia was granted full university status in 1992 and now has more than 30 000 students studying online and on-campus across Australia.

CQUniversity is proud to be recognised as Australia's most inclusive university with some of the highest ratios of students from disadvantaged, mature age, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander, and first-in-family backgrounds. It is this strong focus on participation and accessibility, that has seen CQUniversity firmly establish itself as one of the largest universities based in regional Australia, and the only university with a presence in every mainland state of Australia.

After more than half a century working with stakeholders in regional Australia, CQUniversity is now a renowned research institution in several key disciplines and the benchmark leader for how universities should engage and collaborate with communities and industry. The university's applied research focus is oriented towards impact and real-world outcomes, by providing solutions to challenges and identifying new opportunities for advancement within the regions the university serves, and beyond.



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Palmerston  
Katherine  
CDU Sydney  
CDU Darwin Waterfront  
Nhulunbuy  
Jabiru  
Tennant Creek  
Yulara

Charles Darwin University (CDU) is Australia's first multi-sector university, bringing people together to acquire and use knowledge to shape a better future. We're a leader in flexible study delivery, recognised for First Nations leadership and conduct impactful research.

CDU is innovative, industry relevant and student-centered offering courses from Certificate I to PhD and everything in between. Our students are at the heart of all that we do.

We have deep connections with industry, and communities in the Northern Territory, across Australia and beyond. Based in Darwin, with campuses and centres throughout the Northern Territory, we value our location, we value our location for our contribution to the future prosperity of Northern Australia and our proximity to our neighbours in the Asia Pacific.

We excel in flexible study options and are a world leader in delivering education to remote communities with a focus on ensuring far reaching access to education. More than 22,000 students study at our campuses and learning centres throughout the NT and in Sydney or through online study delivered across Australia.

CDU research is recognised as excellent in Indigenous and tropical health, environmental science and public policy. Our research portfolio has real-world impact, within and beyond our unique location.



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Dubbo  
Goulburn  
Manly  
Melbourne  
Orange  
Parramatta  
Port Macquarie  
Sydney  
Wagga Wagga  
Wangaratta

At the heart of Charles Sturt University’s approach to education is the Wiradjuri phrase yindyamarra winhanganha – ‘the wisdom of respectfully knowing how to live well in a world worth living in’.

Charles Sturt is Australia’s leading regional university, offering more than 250 courses delivered on a network of regional campuses in Orange, Bathurst, Wagga Wagga, Dubbo, Port Macquarie and Albury-Wodonga. Charles Sturt is also Australia’s most experienced online university and the nation’s online university of choice.

The university is producing world-class research, especially in the fields of agriculture, water and the environment; regional health, and cyber security and data science.

**Students**

Charles Sturt has been Australia’s leading university for undergraduate employment for the last six years, as well as boasting an outstanding record of graduating First Nations students and those from low socio-economic, and rural and remote backgrounds.

The university’s strong links to industry connect students with relevant, real-world experience throughout their courses.

**Research**

In 2022, Charles Sturt has established three research institutes – in AWE (agriculture, water and the environment); regional health, and cyber security and data science – which are delivering outcomes that foster prosperous regional communities.

**People**

Charles Sturt’s staff are its most important asset, recognised by being awarded an Employer of Choice for Gender Equality citation from the Commonwealth Equality Agency (WGEA) for three years.

**Social responsibility**

Charles Sturt is a leader in sustainable practices, ranking in the top five per cent of universities globally in the Times Higher Education Impact Rankings in 2022.



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Singapore  
Dubai  
Mauritius

Curtin is a future-focused university based in Perth, Australia, with campuses in Malaysia, Singapore, Dubai and Mauritius. Curtin is recognised for high-impact research, strong industry partnerships and commitment to preparing students for jobs of the future.

### **Ranked among the best**

Curtin is ranked among the top 1% of universities worldwide (ARWU 2021) and second in the world for the discipline of mineral and mining engineering (QS World University Rankings by Subject 2022). Curtin outranks all other public universities in Western Australia for undergraduate full-time employment and starting salary (Good Universities Guide 2022).

### **A global education**

Curtin students receive a globally relevant education that encourages them to develop an intercultural awareness, question traditional ideas and take advantage of exchange opportunities. Curtin maintains strong relationships with some of the world's most reputable institutions, including with the University of Aberdeen in Scotland and Stanford University in the US.

### **Research and development**

Curtin has established a reputation for research innovation and excels in a range of research fields. It leads major international projects and is involved with several research centres and collaborations. In 2022 Curtin was named the first of Australia's Trailblazer universities to receive a share of more than \$242 million in federal government funding, to develop a research commercialisation hub to turn research outputs into breakthrough services, products and businesses. Curtin will partner with The University of Queensland and James Cook University, and 33 companies across Australia.

### **Learning reinvented**

Curtin students enjoy access to industry placements and technology-rich learning environments – such as a simulated hospital ward, stock market trading room and digital marketing agency – to gain a competitive edge in the job market.



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Warrnambool  
Cloud Campus (online)

Established in 1974, Deakin is one of Australia's most progressive universities, leading in the innovative use of digital technologies and online learning, and blending this capability across its distinctive campus precincts in Melbourne, Geelong and Warrnambool.

**'Balanced excellence' in education and research**

Deakin has achieved a balance of high-quality research with an education experience that is consistently rated as one of the best in the country.

For 12 consecutive years, Deakin has been rated number one for student satisfaction in Victoria. Deakin provides opportunities for learners at all stages of their lives and careers, enabling flexible and non-traditional pathways into education.

The university's four faculties offer a comprehensive range of courses across the arts, science, sport, nutrition, architecture, business, law, medicine, optometry, engineering, nursing, psychology and teaching.

Deakin has a thriving research culture known for its multidisciplinary collaborations and is rated in the top 1 per cent of universities in the world.

**Community, government and industry engagement**

Deakin emphasises mutually beneficial partnerships and real-world impact across its areas of strategic priority: health and wellbeing, smarter technologies, sustainability, society and culture, and building safe and secure communities.

Deakin's industry precincts provide an important link between technological innovation and successful industry outcomes.

**A global university**

Deakin is global in its outlook, activities and impact, with partnerships in 57 countries and offices in China, India, Latin America, Europe, Indonesia, Malaysia, Vietnam, Pakistan and Singapore.

Over 325,000 alumni live and work across the globe and their achievements are the best measure of Deakin's success.



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Edith Cowan University (ECU) provides the ideal learning environment for people who want to graduate world ready.

Located in Western Australia, our industry-relevant teaching and research, supportive study environment and award-winning facilities enable ECU students to do more than just survive in this world – they thrive in it.

ECU courses are developed in consultation with industry, and teaching staff have extensive industry experience and networks. It's why ECU students can expect work integrated learning placement opportunities, fieldwork, practicums and networking events as part of their studies.

This approach has been rewarded with five-star ratings for teaching quality over the past 15 years, along with consistently high ratings for overall education experience, skills development, student support and learning resources, as reported in the Good Universities Guide.

ECU's world-class research focuses on working with communities, business and government organisations to solve real-world problems in Australia and beyond.

The university was named after Edith Dircksey Cowan, the first woman to be elected to an Australian Parliament. She believed that education was the key to growth, change and improvement in society.

**At a glance**

ECU has more than 30,000 undergraduate and postgraduate students, including international students from 102 countries.

Our eight schools collectively deliver a diverse range of courses across medical and health sciences, engineering, education, arts and humanities, business and law, nursing and midwifery, science and the Western Australian Academy of Performing Arts.

Courses are offered across three campuses – ECU Joondalup and ECU Mount Lawley in metropolitan Perth and ECU South West in Bunbury, as well as online study options.



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Gippsland  
Wimmera

At Federation, we aim to make a real difference to the lives of every student who walks through our doors, and to the communities we help build and are proud to be part of.

We are one of Australia's oldest universities, known today for our modern approach to teaching and learning within our higher education and TAFE offerings. For 150 years we have been reaching out to new communities, steadily building a generation of independent thinkers united in the knowledge that they are greater together.

Today, we are proud to have more than 18,500 domestic and international students and 118,000 alumni across Australia and the world. Into our supportive, inclusive and thriving community, we welcome people from all backgrounds and cultures.

We are rated by the Good Universities Guide 2022 as the number one university in Australia for first generation student enrolment and number one in Victoria for undergraduate full-time employment, student support and social equity. We are also number one in Victoria for undergraduate and postgraduate skills development.

The research conducted at Federation University is world class with Clinical and Health, Education, Life Sciences, Psychology, Social Sciences and Business and Economics included in the Times Higher Education (THE) Subject rankings for 2022. We are rated in the top 250 THE Young Universities worldwide and in the top 25% worldwide in Impact Rankings.

Federation drives regional economic growth and builds our communities. Our graduates thrive, because Federation is deeply engaged with industries and employers.



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Katherine Nhulunbuy

Regional South Australia  
Riverland  
Greater Green Triangle

Flinders University is fearlessly growing its international reputation as a world leader in research, an innovator in contemporary education and a source of enterprising graduates equipped to change the world.

We offer undergraduate and postgraduate courses for some 26,000 students. Our 5,000 international students come from more than 90 countries, and our main campus at Bedford Park features on-site accommodation for 560 students.

Ranked in the top 2% of world universities, we are #1 nationally for full time postgraduate employment and South Australia's #1 for undergraduate learner engagement, student support and starting salary.

Uniquely we offer innovation and enterprise studies to every student, supported by the Flinders New Venture Institute, a global entrepreneurship leader.

Some 90 per cent of our research is at or above world class. Strengths include biomedical and clinical sciences, culture, policy and society, health and human behaviour, molecular science and technology, defence, engineering, water, and environment.

Our main campus is expanding with a landmark Health and Medical Research Building underway at our Flinders Village development, while a new vertical CBD campus will be operational in 2024.

Flinders University's footprint reaches from Adelaide to Darwin. Committed to inclusion and equity, our Northern Territory Medical Program supports students to complete a Flinders Doctor of Medicine on Country in Darwin, Alice Springs, Katherine and Nhulunbuy. Rural medical, nursing, and allied health courses are identical in structure to those in Adelaide.

Globally focused, we deliver joint courses with leading universities in China, Hong Kong, Malaysia, Singapore, and Indonesia.



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Logan  
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Nathan  
South Bank

Griffith University was designed to do things differently — and has proudly been doing so for almost 50 years. From pioneering degrees in fields such as modern Asian studies and environmental science to its long-standing commitment to inclusivity, social justice and sustainable practices, Griffith has always focused on creating a brighter future for all.

A lot has changed in the past five decades, but Griffith's commitment to a better tomorrow remains as strong and as relevant as ever. That's why it engages in teaching and research that creates positive, meaningful change in the lives of its students, their families and friends, and the whole of society.

Today, the university offers more than 200 undergraduate, postgraduate and research degrees, developed in consultation with industry, across business, medicine, dentistry and health, education, law, sciences, humanities, and the creative arts. Ranked in the top 2 per cent of universities worldwide, the university features prominently in national teaching awards and citations. Griffith has also consistently rated highly as a young university, appearing regularly in the QS Top 50 Under 50 university rankings and Times Higher Education Young University Rankings.

In the 2018 Excellence in Research for Australia (ERA) results, Griffith was rated at world standard or above in 59 specific fields of research, 20 of which were rated at the highest possible standard. This reflects its ambitious and innovative research that draws together a network of disciplines and partners to find solutions to some of the most significant social, cultural and environmental challenges of our time.



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Townsville, Douglas

James Cook University is unique among Australian universities, woven into the intellectual, economic and social fabric of its tropical locations.

JCU is defined by the tropics. Its main campuses are in the heart of the tropics – Cairns, Singapore and Townsville. The campuses are complemented and extended by regional and remote study centres and research stations. JCU's Australian campuses and field stations are located near the World Heritage-listed Great Barrier Reef Marine Park and the rainforests of the Wet Tropics region. This unique environment attracts students from around the world.

JCU plays a key role in preparing the professional workforce for northern Australia, and the university offers a comprehensive suite of professionally accredited programs including medicine, dentistry, pharmacy, physiotherapy, occupational therapy, speech therapy, veterinary sciences, psychology, nursing, sport and exercise science, engineering, law, education, and a range of programs in business, science, social science and humanities.

JCU is ranked among the world's top 300 universities (Academic Ranking of World Universities). The university has an international reputation for the quality of its teaching and research, with recognised strengths in environmental science and management; coral reef science, ecology, and fisheries sciences; geology; evolutionary biology; organic and inorganic chemistry; oceanography; physical geography and environmental geoscience; medical microbiology, tropical health and medicine, vector-borne diseases; immunology; archaeology; and linguistics.

JCU is home to more than 20 major research centres and institutes, including the ARC Centre of Excellence for Coral Reef Studies, The Cairns Institute and the Australian Institute of Tropical Health and Medicine.



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Shepparton  
Sydney

For over 50 years, La Trobe University has been transforming people and societies.

Ranked in the top one per cent of universities worldwide, we're addressing the major issues of our time. Proudly, all our broad areas of research are rated 'at', 'above' or 'well above world standard', and our graduates are 2nd in Victoria for overall employer satisfaction.

We embrace the power of equality and diversity and believe in a student experience closely aligned with industry.

Our focus on social impact and inclusivity is why we're ranked fourth globally for our overall contribution to the UN's Sustainable Development Goals. This includes being first in Australia for gender equality and fifth internationally for our research in disease, health and healthcare areas.

Across all seven of our campuses, we're committed to ensuring our students, researchers and partners remain at the forefront of innovation and technology. We aim to encapsulate that in our upcoming \$5 billion University City of the Future at Bundoora Campus.

We have an eye firmly set on the future and we're making impact today.



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North Ryde, Sydney

**A university powered by human collaboration**

Macquarie is ranked among the top one per cent of universities in the world. Since our foundation nearly 60 years ago, we have aspired to be a different type of university: one focused on fostering collaboration between students, academics, industry and society. Together we're advancing world-class theoretical thinking and translating it into real-world solutions.

**Where collaboration meets innovation**

Macquarie is uniquely located in the heart of Australia's largest high-tech precinct. With more than 300 leading companies located on or around the campus, our 45,000 students can tap into industry connections that give them an edge in their careers, while our 3000 staff have access to outstanding research and innovation opportunities with some of the world's leading organisations.

**Expanding the frontiers of knowledge**

Macquarie enjoys an enviable reputation for research excellence: 100 per cent is ranked at world standard or above. We rank among the top 10 universities in Australia in computation theory and mathematics, philosophy, atmospheric sciences, horticultural production, analytical chemistry, genetics and pure mathematics.

**A proud tradition of innovating**

Macquarie has a robust record of innovation, pioneering the technology that underpins wi-fi, the first synthetic funnel-web spider antivenom, and a sterile insect technique that's combatting fruit flies. Today, we're focused on finding cures for motor neurone disease, Parkinson's disease and dementia.

**Building successful graduates**

Our pioneering approach to teaching and learning is built around a connected learning community: our students are considered co-creators in their learning experience, while their degrees are linked to the latest research discoveries.



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Burnley  
Creswick  
Dookie  
Shepparton  
Southbank  
Werribee

The University of Melbourne is situated on the unceded lands of the Wurundjeri Woi Wurrung people, the Bunurong people, the Yorta Yorta people and the Dja Dja Wurrung people.

As a place of outstanding discovery and enquiry, our purpose is to benefit society through the transformative impact of education and research.

Our graduates are renowned for their knowledge, skills and societal influence as citizens and future leaders.

Our talented academics nurture ambition and lead discovery, understanding and impact through their research.

Students and scholars converge at the shifting borders of knowledge, addressing important questions and tackling problems.

The university's international community of alumni is united by knowledge and its connection to the City of Melbourne, our region and the world.

Diversity and inclusiveness enrich our vibrant community and make us who we are. Our students and staff bring with them different backgrounds, experiences and perspectives, and have equal access to opportunities to fulfil their talents and potential.

The scale and breadth of our cross-disciplinary curriculum and our collaborative research culture bring together diverse perspectives and expertise.

Across our campuses and precincts and through strong relationships with community, industry and government, we make contributions to our local communities, our nation and global society.

Great societal leaps forward have always had knowledge at their core. With diversity of thought and bold and creative thinking, knowledge transforms into ideas, innovations and solutions that make a difference.



**MONASH**  
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**Australian campuses**

- Caulfield
- Clayton
- Parkville
- Peninsula

**International locations**

- China
- India
- Indonesia
- Italy
- Malaysia

Monash University is a modern, global, research-intensive university, delivering education and research excellence in Australia and across the Indo-Pacific.

Monash is making positive change. We seek collaborations with universities, governments and industry to create lasting global change, and through innovation and enterprise to advance new ideas and translate exciting technologies. Our Strategic Plan, *Impact 2030*, charts the path to realise our purpose which is through research and education to address the challenges of the age – climate change, geopolitical security and thriving communities – for the betterment of our communities.

Monash has four campuses in Australia on the lands of the Kulin Nations. We're committed to actively contributing to a society that recognises, respects and includes Indigenous peoples, cultures and knowledge by working with and celebrating Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples as well as Indigenous peoples of other places where Monash has a campus or major presence.

We have campuses in Malaysia, Jakarta (where we are the first foreign university established in Indonesia), Mumbai, India and Suzhou, China, and a major centre in Prato, Italy. This growing global network enables us to enrich our education and research, and nurture deep and enduring relationships across the region.

Our global reputation for education and research excellence ranks us in the world's top-100 universities (40th in the 2022 US News and World Report Best Global Universities Rankings; 57th in the 2022 Times Higher Education World University Rankings). We are a founding member of the Group of Eight, Australia and we are a member of the Association of Pacific Rim Universities (in full).



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Rockingham  
Dubai  
Singapore

Murdoch University is a place where you can be yourself and be appreciated for who you truly are, it is a place that encourages students to think freely and think for themselves. Since its founding in 1973, Murdoch University has been committed to providing students with the kind of education that helps them to find new ways to push past the status quo and tackle the world's biggest challenges through a mix of outstanding research and hands on learning, ultimately educating students who thrive in both society and industry.

Murdoch's 2022 five-star QS Stars rating sees it shine amongst some of the world's leading universities. Murdoch achieved five stars in teaching, employability, research, internationalisation, innovation, and inclusiveness, and an overall rating of five stars for experience.

A research-led university, focusing on multidisciplinary translational research with real-life impact, Murdoch provides students with a holistic learning experience that engages with the challenges of our time. Through work-integrated learning and embedded career learning units, students are equipped with the skills and confidence to make an immediate, valuable contribution to the workforce.

Murdoch University's flagship campus in Perth is one of the largest urban campuses in Australia and boasts a vast expanse of natural bushland teeming with unique wildlife.

With the introduction of a new teaching building in Semester 1, 2023 Murdoch is looking to shape its student learning experience by providing a dynamic space to learn, collaborate and socialise.

Murdoch's Mandurah campus, located in Perth's fast-growing southern corridor, is home to popular nursing degrees taught in state-of-the-art simulation suites. A third campus in Rockingham hosts Murdoch's pro bono law clinic SCALES and the university's successful pathways and enabling programs, which give students from a variety of backgrounds the opportunity to access a tertiary education through alternative entry streams.



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Tamworth

**Australia’s oldest regional university**

With a history dating back to the 1930s, the University of New England (UNE) is one of Australia’s great multi-modal teaching, training and research universities.

In pioneering distance education, UNE has contributed to the nation’s development for nearly 100 years, enriching the lives of many people who would otherwise have been unable to pursue university studies.

**Education – wherever you are**

Approximately 80% of UNE’s students study online. With campuses in Armidale and Tamworth (under construction), nine regional study centres and in western Sydney, students can tailor their learning experience to suit their personal and professional needs.

Students, including international students from over 70 nations, can also choose to enjoy a vibrant residential experience. Accommodation options range from traditional, catered colleges to independent apartment-style living, a sporting complex and cultural facilities.

**Unsurpassed quality**

UNE has achieved the maximum five stars for overall student experience for the past 16 years; a feat unmatched by any other Australian public university, and is rated number one in NSW for teaching quality and student support.

Students can choose from a range of courses in the arts, humanities, education, health, economics, business, law, medicine, social and behavioural sciences, sport and exercise, and environmental sciences. UNE’s bespoke courses allow working adults to design a personalised degree program to suit their specific needs.

**Real-world research**

UNE is internationally recognised for contributions to applied animal genetics and breeding, agriculture, law, social sciences, and health and medicine in a regional context. The UNE PhD (Innovation) program embeds practical research projects in industries and communities.



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Paddington  
Canberra at ADFA

UNSW Sydney is a powerhouse of cutting-edge research, teaching and innovation. We are one of the top 50 universities in the world, with more than 65,000 students and a research community of over 7000.

**Research for public good**

Since our foundation in 1949, our aim has been to improve and transform lives through excellence in research, outstanding education and a commitment to advancing a just society.

At UNSW, we strive to honour our motto – Knowledge through heart, hand and mind. Pioneering research and sustained innovation are addressing some of the critical issues of today, from climate change and renewable energies, RNA research and lifesaving medical treatments through to informing policy and expert commentary in human rights, the constitutional recognition of Indigenous Australians and public health.

**A solid global profile**

We continue to climb the global rankings: UNSW ranks 43rd in the 2022 QS World University Rankings, 70th in the 2022 Times Higher Education World University Rankings and 65th in the 2021 Academic Ranking of World Universities.

**Robust international networks**

We are proud of our national and international networks, which support our belief that strength through collaboration will enable society to solve its greatest challenges. UNSW is a founding member of the Group of Eight, a coalition of Australia's leading research-intensive universities, and the prestigious Universitas21 international association.

The main UNSW campus is on 38-hectares at Kensington, seven kilometres from the Sydney CBD. Other major campuses are the Art & Design campus in Paddington and UNSW Canberra at the Australian Defence Force Academy.



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Central Coast  
Port Macquarie  
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Singapore

At the University of Newcastle, we are committed to being a world-leading university for our regions. We are ranked in the top 200 universities in the world and for more than 55 years we have been delivering superior education and undertaking world-class research to help improve the lives of our communities.

**Outstanding student experiences**

Our vibrant campuses across Newcastle, the Central Coast, Sydney and Singapore provide spaces to learn, socialise and collaborate. These welcoming spaces are designed to inspire our more than 39,000 students and our staff to make a difference. We pride ourselves on offering an outstanding experience for our students and, regardless of their course, every student is encouraged to take up the opportunity to work with industry as part of their study – it means our graduates are not only job ready, but life ready.

**A foundation of equity and excellence**

We believe that every student with drive and aspiration is supported to succeed at the University of Newcastle, regardless of background or circumstance. That's why we are proud that one in two of our undergraduate students are the first in their family to undertake tertiary education and why we are committed to creating pathways to university for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students. This commitment is fundamental to how we teach and research, how we work with industry partners and local communities, and how we engage with our staff and students.

**Better connected**

We are a globally-connected university that is committed to our region and ranked No.1 in Australia for industry collaboration. We know that a better tomorrow lies in our ability to find new solutions to some of the planet's greatest challenges and our students can feel confident they are receiving a world-class education from experts in their fields, no matter what their area of study.



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Sydney  
Broome

The University of Notre Dame Australia is a national catholic university with more than 12,000 students across its campuses in Fremantle and Broome, Western Australia, and Sydney, New South Wales. The university also has seven clinical schools located in regional NSW and Victoria.

The university's three faculties (the Faculty of Arts, Sciences, Law and Business, the Faculty of Education and Philosophy & Theology, and the Faculty of Medicine, Nursing, Midwifery and Health Sciences) offer undergraduate, postgraduate and research degrees.

The university provides excellent standards of teaching, scholarship, professional training, and research with established networks in healthcare, education, and social services. The university has developed a solid platform of research engagement across its six focus areas of ethics, philosophy, theology, Catholic education, health, and Indigenous studies, stemming from three principal research institutes: the Institute for Ethics & Society in Sydney, the Institute for Health Research in Fremantle, and the Nulungu Research Institute based in Broome.

The university aims to empower a new generation of ethical leaders and help prepare students to navigate the challenges of an ever-changing work environment by encouraging them to view the world from a new perspective. Critical thinking is at the core of each degree at Notre Dame, an approach that equips students for fulfilling lives, as well as successful careers.

In results from the Federal Government's Quality Indicators for Learning and Teaching surveys, Notre Dame is the number one university in Australia for overall employment of graduates (2021 Graduate Outcomes Survey – Longitudinal, undergraduate category).



**THE UNIVERSITY  
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The University of Queensland (UQ) is one of Australia's leading teaching and research universities and is consistently ranked among the world's top universities. In the 2021 Aggregate Ranking of Top Universities, UQ ranked second in Australia and 42nd in the world.

UQ's main campus is located in Brisbane, host city of the 2032 Olympic and Paralympic Games.

**Teaching**

UQ has won more national teaching awards than any other Australian university, including Australian University Teacher of the Year several times.

More than 56,000 students – including 21,000 international and 20,000 postgraduate students – study with UQ. Students can choose from 3,400 courses, with 30 per cent including work integrated learning opportunities. Through our engaged alumni and industry partnerships, our students also have the opportunity to build networks and access internships.

**Research**

UQ has more than 1,500 researchers and 3,842 active research projects, seeking solutions to the world's biggest challenges and opportunities.

Our researchers are the leading recipients of Australian Research Council fellowships and awards nationally. In 2021, 40 UQ researchers were included on the Clarivate Analytics Highly Cited Researchers list across 43 categories of research.

UQ is the leader of research commercialisation in Australasia and the leading university in Australia for active startups.

**Community**

UQ has a global community of 307,000 alumni from 170 countries and 400 partners across 50 countries. This strong global network is key to our commitment of delivering for the public good through excellence in education, research and engagement with our communities – both locally and globally.



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QUT is a major Australian university with a global reputation and a 'real world' focus. Our courses equip our students and graduates with the skills and mindset they need to realise their full potential in a rapidly changing world.

We are an ambitious institution, with a growing research output focused on technology and innovation. QUT ranks in the world's top 200 universities.

Our strategic plan establishes QUT as 'the university for the real world' and charts our provision of transformative education and research that is relevant to our communities.

With more than 50,000 students across two inner-city campuses in Brisbane, QUT offers academic programs in fields spanning business, creative industries, education, engineering, health, law, science, and social justice across five faculties.

We are transforming the learning experience, embedding work integrated learning, and focusing on developing entrepreneurial skills. We offer executive education and professional development through QUTeX, flexible learning through QUT Online, and pathways into our undergraduate programs through QUT College.

QUT is well-known for our strong links to industry and government, and our inter-disciplinary teams create high-impact research in areas as diverse as climate change mitigation, digital media, materials science, and biomedical innovation.

QUT is committed to embedding Indigenous Australian cultures, knowledges, and perspectives across everything we do, and through our Campus to Country strategy we are in the process of transforming our campuses to reflect the past and present culture of Indigenous Australians.



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**Campus Locations**

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Bundoora  
Brunswick  
Ho Chi Minh City  
Hanoi

RMIT is a multi-sector university of technology, design and enterprise with more than 96,000 students and close to 10,000 staff globally. The university's mission is to help shape the world through research, innovation and engagement, and to create transformative experiences for students to prepare them for life and work.

Our three main campuses in Melbourne are located in the heart of the City, Brunswick and Bundoora. Other locations include Point Cook, Hamilton and Bendigo.

RMIT also has two campuses and a language centre in Vietnam and a research and industry collaboration centre in Barcelona, Spain. Programs are offered through partners in Singapore, Hong Kong, Sri Lanka and mainland China, with research and industry partnerships on every continent.

RMIT was ranked 206th in the 2022 QS World University Rankings. The university is also ranked 33rd in East Asia and the Pacific, and eighth in Australia for employer reputation. RMIT was ranked 244th globally in the 2022 US News Best Global Universities Rankings and is in the world's top 400 in the Academic Ranking of World Universities (ARWU). RMIT also ranked in the world's top 350 in the 2022 Times Higher Education (THE) World University Rankings.

Strong industry connections forged over 135 years remain integral to RMIT's leadership in education, applied and innovative research. This is core to our reputation for educating highly employable graduates and global citizens, ready to contribute in complex times.

RMIT is committed to First Nations' community engagement, and to advancing the success of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people through education, research and employment.

For more information, visit [rmit.edu.au/about](https://www.rmit.edu.au/about).



# University of South Australia



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City West  
Magill  
Mawson Lakes  
Whyalla  
Mount Gambier

The University of South Australia (UniSA) is Australia's university of enterprise, known for a culture of creativity and innovation with global and national links to academic, research and industry partners.

UniSA is South Australia's largest university and offers degree programs across a wide range of subjects including business, law, education, arts and social sciences, health sciences, information technology, engineering and the environment. Programs are designed in partnership with industry and the professions to ensure the career relevance of its teaching.

It is considered one of the world's best young universities by Times Higher Education (THE) and Quacarelli Symonds (QS). With a strong history of engagement with industry and the professions, UniSA was rated Australia's best young university for industry research income by THE.

The university undertakes research that is inspired by global challenges and opportunities, delivers economic and social benefits and informs our teaching. The close, collaborative engagement it enjoys with its industry, government, collegiate and community partners is reflected in its the ranking as the number one in Australia for industry sourced research income.

The university is also closely engaged with the communities it serves. It features MOD, Australia's future-focused museum of science, innovation and design; the Samstag Museum which presents a changing exhibitions program of contemporary visual art; and the Hawke Centre which engages with local and international communities through public lectures, seminars, and research projects. The university also has a strong equity mission and was the first South Australian university to unveil a stretch reconciliation action plan.



**Southern Cross  
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Coffs Harbour  
Gold Coast

Southern Cross University is an institution of courage, endeavour and success. Born in 1994 in Lismore, it was committed from the start to the wellbeing, prosperity and educational needs of the Northern Rivers. The Coffs Harbour campus opened in 1996, the National Marine Science Centre in 2002 and the Gold Coast campus in 2010. Branch campuses operate in Sydney, Melbourne and Perth in collaboration with EduCo, while the university's partnership with Mulpha Australia, The Hotel School, has campuses in Sydney, Melbourne, Brisbane and on Hayman Island.

The name of the university symbolises many things – a constellation, a point of reference in the night sky, a motif for independence and adventure.

It is a fitting name for a university that is not seeking to emulate institutions of long-standing tradition and sandstone columns, but that seeks to carve out its own path of excellence, grounded in academic rigour and led by the spirit of free enquiry that underpins its founding Act. The university delivers programs in Health, Social Work, Business, Law, Humanities, Education, Science, Engineering and Information Technology.

The successes have been many. The first university in Australia to introduce a degree in tourism. The first Naturopathy Clinic on a university campus. More than 71,000 graduates, an active, supportive network that stretches around the globe. Three main campuses and seven branch campuses. World-leading research activity in fields like coral reproduction, biogeochemistry and agriculture, producing knowledge that has an impact not just in the regions where the university is located, but all over the world.



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Springfield  
Ipswich

The University of Southern Queensland is where students, researchers, community, and partners access excellence. We are home to some of the most vibrant hubs of education and research innovation in the world.

At the University of Southern Queensland, we've led the nation as the number one university for graduate starting salary for three years running (Graduate Outcomes Survey).

We offer a supportive environment and student-focused commitment to learning and teaching, providing education worldwide from – Toowoomba, Springfield and Ipswich – with an extensive online presence.

By offering a mix of open and flexible programs in business, education, law, arts, health, engineering, surveying, agriculture, and sciences (including paramedicine and aviation), the University of Southern Queensland meets the educational needs of students, industries, and communities all over the world.

The university's research is a catalyst for industry growth, community prosperity and wellbeing through focussed, high-quality research and research training. Researchers work directly with local communities, industry, and international partners to form strong and enduring partnerships that deliver tangible benefits and real impact.

The University of Southern Queensland's world-class research institutes, centres, and faculties are home to unique state-of-the-art facilities (like the Mount Kent Observatory, Queensland's only professional astronomical research facility), enabling our researchers to deliver a broad range of research outcomes across multiple disciplines. Our research services industry needs in a number of flagship areas, including space and defence, agriculture, health, and regional development.

We're committed to solving problems that matter, with local solutions to global challenges, where our researchers are leading the way in next-generation innovation and inspiring students who are future-focused.



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Gympie  
Caboolture

USC is ranked by students as one of the best universities in Australia for teaching quality – a title we've held for 16 consecutive years.

Our students enjoy hands-on learning and flexible study options across more than 120 programs, at a network of teaching locations between Moreton Bay and the Fraser Coast.

All our programs include practical training and focus on skills you need to succeed in the future workplace, which is why we're considered one of the best universities in Australia for employer satisfaction with graduates.

Our facilities are some of the most advanced in Australia. Students learn in simulated nursing and paramedic labs, world-class sport and training facilities, advanced engineering areas for building and making designs, and a state-of-the-art CAVE2™ 3D visualisation studio.

We are a global leader in sustainability. In the 2021 Times Higher Education's Impact Rankings, USC was ranked third in the world for our work conserving and protecting life underwater. For life on the land, we were ranked fifth – both titles a welcome recognition of our dedication to in these areas.

In total, we have 26 speciality areas where we're recognised for producing world-class research, including environmental sciences, nursing, medical and mental health sciences, biological sciences, engineering, technology, psychology, agriculture, human studies and communication.

We work closely with industry, government and communities to ensure our programs and opportunities align with our region's needs and aspirations.

Find out why students rate us as one of the best universities in Australia for the overall student experience.



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Swinburne University of Technology is a dual-sector institution, defined and inspired by technology and innovation, and renowned for our strong industry and community engagement.

With a vision to bring people and technology together to build a better world, our people are driven by a shared purpose: to create tomorrow's technology and the human capital and talent required for a digital, tech-rich future.

We are building Swinburne as the prototype of a new and different university – one that is truly of technology, of innovation and of entrepreneurship. Our researchers are collaborating with industry, communities and government to co-create the technology solutions our world needs.

Swinburne is consistently ranked in the top 3% of universities globally with an esteemed reputation for world-leading research in astronomy, physics, engineering, materials science, computer science and information technology, design and innovation, health sciences, neurosciences and mental health.

As part of our 2025 Strategic Plan, we are injecting significant research investment into three flagship areas where Swinburne is a world leader: Space and Aerospace Technology; Innovative Planet: smart solutions for sustainability; and Medical Technology.

In Australia, Swinburne has three Melbourne campuses offering tertiary education for higher education and Vocational Education and Training. Our Sydney campus offers postgraduate courses in information technology as well as construction and infrastructure management. Internationally, Swinburne has a campus in Sarawak, Malaysia, and locations in Vietnam and China further connect Swinburne to some of the world's fastest-growing regions. Swinburne is also a leader in online learning through Swinburne Online and Open Universities Australia.



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Sydney Conservatorium  
of Music  
One Tree Island Research  
Station

As Australia's first university, the University of Sydney has a proud history of global leadership in education and research, inspiring people from all backgrounds to contribute to positive real-world change. Our rankings reflect our sustained record of excellence and global reputation – regularly ranked in the top 50 universities worldwide.

We offer a range of disciplines – more than 400 areas of study – and our community includes more than 70,000 students, 8,000 permanent and fixed-term staff and over 380,000 alumni in more than 170 countries. We engage with partners across all industries and government to answer the biggest questions facing society, business and our communities worldwide.

**Reimagining education**

Our undergraduate curriculum allows students to choose their way to learn, gain hands-on experience and be workplace-ready. Our postgraduate courses enable students to advance their careers, pursue a passion and gain a higher qualification.

**Student Experience**

We offer our students opportunities for enriched social interactions through more than 200 clubs and societies. Students benefit from access to sporting and performance facilities, museums, galleries and study spaces.

**Research with impact**

Our research is driven by a desire to make a positive impact. We find solutions to the world's biggest problems by questioning assumptions and thinking differently.

Our researchers combine expertise from many disciplines. We've invested heavily in interdisciplinary research, in areas including obesity, diabetes and cardiovascular disease; inequality; nanoscience; mental health and brain science, and deepening understanding of Southeast Asia and China. We're a world-renowned research institution, with 100% of our research ranked at world standard or above by the Australian Government's Excellence in Research for Australia report.



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**Campus Locations**

Hobart  
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**A university for Tasmania, from Tasmania.**

Our mission is to improve the lives of Tasmanians and care for our island home. But we also look outward to help meet the world's challenges from our unique vantage point here in Tasmania.

The Aboriginal people of lutruwita/Tasmania stewarded the island sustainably for tens of thousands of years and we seek to build a future together with them. Our aim is to see Tasmania become a model for a more sustainable world.

**Our difference**

Home to both pristine wilderness and vibrant cities, Tasmania is a very special place. Our island informs our teaching, our research, and our unique ways of thinking. We have a distinctive culture that produces thinkers, writers, artists, and musicians, whose influence is felt around the globe.

Our location also gives us unique research strengths with access to extraordinary wilderness on land, at sea and in the Antarctic, and with some of the finest agricultural land and most diverse geologies in the world. With a proud maritime heritage, we continue to train the nation's seafarers and design the next generation of vessels for above and below the seas. Having an unrivalled vantage of the Southern skies, we do unique work in astronomy and astrophysics.

**Our students**

At the University of Tasmania, we commit to making our students more than a number, and the island our campus. Through our dedicated teaching staff and class sizes, everyone gets the support they need to thrive. We also offer scholarships and pathways to nurture each individual learning journey.



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The University of Technology Sydney (UTS) is a vibrant young global university located in a vibrant young global city.

The university is considered among the top 200 universities in the world by both the QS (137<sup>th</sup>) and Times Higher Education (143<sup>rd</sup>) global rankings. QS has also named UTS Australia's number one young university in each of the past seven years.

UTS is widely known for its innovative learning and teaching approach, which integrates the best of online and face-to-face experiences. Students benefit from an immersive career-focused education, coupled with strong links to industry. They're prepared for tomorrow, in a way which is relevant today.

The university's inner-city campus has recently been transformed through a \$1.5 billion investment, which has delivered four award-winning buildings, including internationally-renowned architect Frank Gehry's first Australian venture.

Imbued with collaborative spaces and technological capabilities, the distinctive campus is a physical embodiment of UTS' progressive traits.

UTS research spans a range of disciplines, including health, data sciences, sustainability, applied economics, social futures, robotics, civil engineering, future work, microbiology, and quantum computation. 100 per cent of UTS' broad fields of research are benchmarked by the Australian Government at world standard or above, while almost 80 per cent of UTS research is assessed at having a 'high' impact beyond the academic – the highest proportion in the country.

Above all, UTS believes in the value of real-world experience and innovation for its students, and making a positive impact on the world around it.



**VICTORIA  
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**Campus locations**

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Footscray Nicholson  
Footscray Park  
St Albans  
Sunshine  
Werribee  
Sydney  
Online

Victoria University (VU) has offered accessible, world-class education to students in Melbourne's west and beyond for more than a century. In the Times Higher Education World University rankings 2022, VU ranked top two per cent of universities for the sixth consecutive year. It also ranked top 6% globally for THE Impact Rankings and was Australia's No. 1 university for employability skills in 2020 and 2021.

**Doing dual differently**

In 2018, VU introduced the revolutionary VU Block Model of teaching and learning, an Australian first. It enables students to study one subject at a time over four weeks in smaller classes, allowing more one-on-one time with lecturers and greater immersion in each subject. Results show increased pass rates and grades.

As one of only six Australian dual sector universities, VU offers flexible, concurrent, and complementary studies – bringing together TAFE, through Victoria University Polytechnic, and Higher Education.

**Research with impact**

With 28 research disciplines ranked at or above world standard in the latest Excellence in Research Australia (ERA) assessments, VU research has a clear impact mandate, ensuring that its outcomes benefit people, place and planet. VU's strengths lie in sport, health and active living, and sustainable industries and liveable cities.

**Industry-leading partners**

Ethical partnering is at the core of what VU does. Strong alliances with regional organisations like Western Health and the Western Bulldogs and partnerships with more than 4,000 organisations are integral in shaping VU's teaching. They provide industry immersed learning experiences and research collaboration to benefit the region and local communities.

**A place of opportunity and diversity**

VU are champions of progressive inclusivity, with more than 40,000 students from over 90 countries studying onshore and 5,400 studying at the university's international partner institutions. Proudly, 51% of students are first-generation - at VU, education comes with opportunity and success.



THE UNIVERSITY OF  
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#### **Campus Locations**

Crawley

Nedlands

Claremont

Albany

Established in 1911, The University of Western Australia (UWA) has an international reputation for life-changing contributions across world-class research, learning and teaching. UWA is Western Australia's first and top-ranked university.

**Location:** UWA is situated on the banks of the Swan River, five kilometres from Perth's central business district and adjacent to Kings Park.

**Student experience:** UWA offers a world-class education. Students learn from leading experts, receive industry experience and develop vital critical skills. Industry-relevant new courses prepare students for contemporary careers. In 2021, 27,000 students were enrolled; and Quacquarelli Symonds ranked UWA first in WA for graduate employability.

**Global Rankings** • Ranked 96 in the 2021 Academic Ranking of World Universities • Ranked 93 in the 2022 QS World University Rankings • Ranked 132 in the 2022 Times Higher Education Rankings.

**Research:** UWA delivers world-class research with key strengths in agriculture (ranked first in Australia for agricultural sciences, ARWU 2021), mining, oceanographic science and medicine. The university's reputation for innovative research continues to attract exceptional minds. Our many research partnerships include endowed and industry chairs, joint centres, collaborative projects, national research infrastructure networks and outstanding medical research institutes.

The university is a member of the Group of Eight (Australia's leading research-intensive universities) and the Matariki Network of Universities.

**Community:** UWA has a strong connection to industry and government and contributes to communities locally and internationally. The university founded the Perth Festival (the first of its kind in the southern hemisphere), and its vibrant campus is home to numerous galleries, museums and theatres.



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**Campus Locations**

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Campbelltown  
Hawkesbury  
Liverpool  
Nirimba (Blacktown)  
Parramatta (Rydalmere)  
Parramatta City  
Penrith  
Sydney City  
Sydney Olympic Park  
Westmead

Western Sydney University is student-focused and research-led, located in Australia's fastest growing, most economically significant region – Greater Western Sydney.

With campuses throughout Australia's global city, we have more than 50,000 students and a cohort, both locally and globally, of more than 200,000 alumni.

**Ranked number 1 in the world**

We are delighted to be ranked the world's best in the 2022 Times Higher Education (THE) University Impact Rankings.

Western Sydney University topped the list out of more than 1,400 institutions for our work tackling issues like sustainability, climate action, equality, inclusivity and social justice.

More than 85 per cent of our research is also rated 'World standard or above' in the Excellence in Research for Australia (ERA) evaluation.

**Future focused teaching and learning**

We ensure our students – 65 per cent of whom are the first in their family to attend university – enjoy the best learning experience possible.

We put students at the heart of everything we do. Our innovative teaching and learning brings students, staff and external partners together to co-create courses that prepare students for employment success in the 21st century.

**Community**

Our Western Growth strategy is co-creating transformative educational infrastructure in partnership with industry, government and higher education providers.

With world-class vertical campuses in Western Sydney growth centres – Parramatta, Westmead and Liverpool – we will soon open a high-rise campus in Bankstown CBD.

These campuses offer technology-rich teaching and research spaces, collaboration with industry, and embed the university in the economic and civic life of the Western Sydney region.



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Innovation Campus  
Batemans Bay  
Bega, Shoalhaven  
South Western Sydney  
(Liverpool)  
Southern Highlands  
Southern Sydney (Loftus,  
Sutherland Shire)  
Sydney (CBD)  
Dubai, Hong Kong  
Malaysia

At the University of Wollongong (UOW), we're proud to be among the best modern universities in the world. We're ranked in the world's top 200 universities and 6th for social and economic impact in the global THE Impact rankings, which benchmarks universities against the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals.

Our graduates are ethical, mobile, technologically literate, and the most employable in Australia, as recently highlighted in The Australian Government's Quality Indicators for Learning and Teaching (QILT) Employer Satisfaction Survey, which UOW rated highest for the employability of its graduates.

Our vision is to inspire a better future through education, research and partnership. Three goals drive us towards our purpose; empowering students for their future, creating knowledge for a better world and making a difference for our communities.

UOW has a strong international focus and reputation, delivering world-class teaching to approximately 7,000 students globally, including at our campuses in the United Arab Emirates, Hong Kong and Malaysia, and teaching locations in China and Singapore. UOW in Dubai celebrated its 25th silver jubilee anniversary in 2018. In January 2022, it opened the doors to a new, 200,000 square-foot 'campus of the future' in Dubai's Knowledge Park.

UOW's newest research facility, Molecular Horizons, is at the forefront of scientific discovery, unlocking the innermost secrets of the living cell and developing new ways to detect and attack disease. Molecular Horizons is dedicated to illuminating how life works at a molecular level and solving some of the world's biggest health challenges.



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