# 2025 **UQ Guide**

Study Abroad or Incoming Exchange

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These dates are subject to change – please check the Academic Calendar at uq.edu.au/events for final dates.

#### Disclaimer

The information in this Guide is accurate at May 2024. However, the University has many programs and courses, and refreshes and updates its programs and course offerings from time to time and without notice. It is your responsibility to visit study.uq.edu.au for up-to-date information.

All costs and fees quoted in this publication are in Australian dollars (A\$) except where otherwise indicated.

#### ESOS compliance

The provision of education services to international students by Australian education institutions is governed by the *Education Services for Overseas Students (ESOS) Act 2000* and the National Code of Practice for Providers of Education and Training to Overseas Students 2018.

The ESOS Act and related legislation is designed to protect the interests of students coming to Australia on student visas. The legislation aims to protect and enhance Australia's reputation for quality education, to provide tuition protection and support the integrity of the student visa program.

The University of Queensland, in providing education services to overseas students, complies with the National Code of Practice of the Department of Education and Training and the Universities Australia code of ethical practice.

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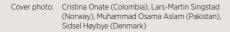
education.gov.au/esos-framework

#### Privacy

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# Welcome to UQ

An international study experience will broaden your horizons and is bound to change your understanding and world outlook. It will help you create positive change around you.

As a Study Abroad or Incoming Exchange student at The University of Queensland (UQ), you will enjoy exceptional opportunities to develop the skills and knowledge you need to transform your world.

Consistently ranked among the world's top universities, UQ offers inspiring teaching across more than 3,500 courses, world-class indoor and outdoor learning environments, and outstanding facilities.

The University is located in a region renowned for its subtropical climate and vibrant lifestyle, close to natural attractions including beaches and rainforests.

UQ offers extensive academic and personal support to help you make the most of your time here, and a great mix of extracurricular activities such as sport, live performances, exhibitions, and a choice of more than 200 student clubs and societies. Whatever you choose, your UQ experience will help shape you into a well-rounded global citizen able to inspire change in others.



# Choose UQ

### for Study Abroad or Incoming Exchange

UQ's Study Abroad and Incoming Exchange programs provide you with an exciting opportunity to gain an international perspective on your education at a leading Australian university. As a student already enrolled at an accredited university outside Australia, you can explore your interests and talents by studying at UQ for one or 2 semesters.

study.uq.edu.au/study-options/study-abroad



#### Best place to learn in Australia

With more national teaching awards than any other Australian university, our educators are highly regarded. Recognised for transforming the way students learn at university, they will inspire and guide you with the latest knowledge and ideas.



#### World-class facilities

UQ offers inspiring teaching in world-class indoor and outdoor learning environments, and outstanding facilities. Our campuses are renowned as some of the world's most beautiful. We also have research centres located throughout Queensland, taking advantage of the state's diverse ecosystems and climate.



#### Be supported

UQ offers extensive academic and personal support to help you make the most of your time here, and a great mix of extracurricular activities such as sport, live performances, exhibitions, and a choice of more than 200 student clubs and societies.



#### **Extensive choice**

You can choose from more than 3,500 courses, with many offering theoretical or practical components unique to UQ. Numerous courses focus on Australian topics or offer field trips to fascinating locations in South East Queensland, while others promote group project work or research opportunities.



#### An enviable student lifestyle

Boasting an unforgettable student experience, the University is located in a region renowned for its subtropical climate and vibrant lifestyle. Mix study with travel and take advantage of Brisbane's location as a gateway to the many tourist destinations that make Queensland famous.



#### Balance study with your interests

As a Study Abroad student, you have the option of choosing the standard 4-course (full-time load) Study Abroad program, or the 3-course program at a reduced tuition fee. Incoming Exchange students can choose either 3 or 4 courses.



# Did you know? As a Study Abroad student, you have the option to take 4 courses (a full-time study load) or just 3 for a reduced tuition fee.

The 3-course option will allow you more time to take on extracurricular activities, career development opportunities or internships.

# Our global reputation



# =40th

in the world QS World University Rankings 2025



UQ researchers are named among the world's most influential 36 UQ researchers have been named in the prestigious 2023 Highly Cited Researchers List.

More national teaching awards than any other Australian university **37th** in the world NTU Performance Ranking of Scientific Papers for World Universities 2023

22nd

QS Best Student Cities Ranking 2024

### ★★★★★ rating

for student demand, staff qualifications and learning resources Good Universities Guide 2023 51st in the world Academic Ranking of World Universities 2023

94.7%

enjoy the UQ campus environment International Student Barometer 2023

# 2nd

Nature Index tables Top Academic Institutions 2023



**1st** in Australia Australian Financial Review Best Universities Ranking 2023

63rd in the world QS Graduate Employability Rankings 2022





## Top 5 in the world in 2 subjects\*

Top 40 in the world in 13 subjects\*

2nd	Ň	Sports-related subjects
4th		Mineral and Mining Engineering
<b>18</b> th	Ø	Environmental Sciences
<b>18</b> th	404	Petroleum Engineering
<b>19</b> th	φ	Agriculture and Forestry
<b>27</b> th		Hospitality and Leisure Management
30th	$\sum^{\prime\prime}$	Pharmacy and Pharmacology
33rd	$\square$	Dentistry
33rd	( <sup>(0)</sup>	Psychology
34th		Veterinary Sciences
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\*QS World University Rankings by Subject 2024

# A welcome as warm as the weather

240 days of sunshine a year and generally temperate weather are a way of life in Queensland. World Heritage-listed rainforests, mountain ranges and golden surf beaches await you.



Moreton Island wrecks (Courtesy of Brisbane Economic Development Agency)





Perth





# The perfect place to study

We offer one of the best campus experiences in the world in a location renowned for its relaxed and safe lifestyle, subtropical climate and vibrant and diverse culture.



Brisbane (Meanjin), the home of UQ's St Lucia, Herston and Dutton Park campuses, is the capital city of the state of Queensland and its economic and cultural hub. Innovative and progressive, the city is a thriving global centre in the Asia-Pacific for business, investment, technology, major events, and education. It is also home to over 200 nationalities and 220 languages. As one of Australia's fastest-growing capital cities, Brisbane has unstoppable momentum and is embracing opportunity.

#### **Entertainment and events**

Brisbane has a thriving live music scene that can be discovered in Fortitude Valley and West End. It is also home to BIGSOUND, the southern hemisphere's biggest new music festival and industry gathering. For comedy, live theatre and dance, head to the Brisbane Powerhouse and the Queensland Performing Arts Centre (QPAC). The expansive Queensland Art Gallery and Gallery of Modern Art (QAGOMA) consistently ranks among the most visited Australian art museums, and keep an eye out for the Brisbane Festival that attracts artists from across the globe. The city also hosts a calendar of seasonal events that celebrates our cultural diversity, such as BrisAsia Festival, Holi Festival of Colours, Paniyiri Greek Festival and more.

#### Sport

Brisbane's amazing weather and top-tier sporting facilities make physical activity a must.

Kayak along the Brisbane River, rock climb your way to the top of the Kangaroo Point Cliffs, ride along kilometres of scenic riverside cycle paths or participate in the extensive social sport opportunities available across Brisbane. If you prefer to spectate, cheer for your team with crowds up to 50,000 strong at a rugby union, rugby league, cricket, 'Aussie Rules' football, tennis, or soccer match at one of our world-famous sporting stadiums.



UQ acknowledges the Traditional Owners and their custodianship of the lands on which UQ is situated. **Reconciliation at UQ** uq.edu.au/about/reconciliation



One of Australia's fastest growing capital cities (Australian Bureau of Statistics, 2023)



 $+21^{\circ}$  to  $+28^{\circ}$  c

average maximum temperature most days of the year

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Brisbane's population is 2.57 million



# 1 in 3 residents

in Brisbane has a multicultural background

#### Food

With a third of Brisbane's population born overseas, you can find cuisine from almost every culture. From affordable lunchtime and 'Cheap Tuesday' offers, to reasonably priced cafes, pubs, and farmers' markets, to award-winning fine dining restaurants - there is a lot to choose from and plenty of new culinary experiences to be had. Coffee culture in Australia is renowned for its quality and you won't be disappointed with how Brisbane's cafes serve up your morning brew. If you want to enjoy alfresco dining on a budget, you can always enjoy a picnic with friends and use the city's free barbecue facilities in one of our scenic parks by the river.

#### **Getting around**

One of the best views of Brisbane is from a CityCat – a ferry service that runs along the river from UQ's St Lucia campus to the city and the riverside suburb of Hamilton. Brisbane also has an extensive bus and train network that makes it easy to get around. A 'go card' will allow you to travel on all Brisbane public transport at discounted student prices.

#### **Around Brisbane**

When you want to head out of the city, there is plenty to discover. Go south for the famous golden sands of the Gold Coast and Byron Bay; north for the unspoilt beaches of the Sunshine Coast, the world's oldest rainforest, and the majestic Great Barrier Reef; west for charming outback towns; or east for the spectacular Mulgumpin (Moreton Island), Minjerribah (Stradbroke Island) and K'gari (Fraser Island). Sydney, Cairns and Melbourne are all short flights away. There is so much to explore on your doorstep.

#### Gatton

Brisbane's city centre by the Brisbane River. Image courtesy Brisbane Economic Development Agency

Gatton, the largest town in South-East Queensland's Lockyer Valley, is the home of UQ's Gatton campus. Bordered by scenic mountain ranges and located only one hour's drive from Brisbane, Gatton has a culturally diverse population of approximately 6,000 people. UQ Gatton students enjoy a laid-back, country lifestyle in a close-knit community.

### Find out more about living in Queensland

study.uq.edu.au/university-life/livingin-queensland

# Our campuses

### St Lucia

Considered one of the world's most beautiful campuses, our main campus at St Lucia is a vibrant mix of old sandstone buildings, modern architecture, parklands and lakes. It is a city within a city, with everything you need to study, live and relax.

#### Food

UQ St Lucia is full of cafe and food options. From great coffee and bakery food, to healthy sandwiches and wraps, pizza, noodles, bubble tea and juice bars, you won't go hungry or thirsty. Options include organic, vegan, vegetarian, halal, and glutenand dairy-free.

campuses.uq.edu.au/informationand-services/shops/food-retail

uqu.com.au/food-retail-outlets

instagram.com/uqfood

instagram.com/uqueats



Take a virtual tour of our campuses and facilities and learn more about life at UQ.

#### Retail

No need to leave campus for shopping. There is a bookshop – where you can buy new books or sell your secondhand ones – a convenience store, post office, stationery and office supplies store, UQ Shop (the official merchandiser of UQ) and Wednesday markets offering handicrafts, gifts, flowers and fashion.

campuses.uq.edu.au/informationand-services/shops/food-retail

#### Entertainment

There is always something do and see at UQ St Lucia. Listen to live music, join a book club, attend a movie night or tour one of our 5 museums. Take part in events, experiences and programs to keep you engaged, motivated and connected. There's something on every week.

life.uq.edu.au

uqu.com.au/whats-on

#### Fitness

UQ Sport is Queensland's largest multi-sport complex, featuring dedicated fitness, aquatic, tennis, and athletics centres, as well as an array of sports fields and courts. Meet new people through weekly social sports or join one of our 35+ UQ-affiliated sports clubs. There are also plenty of group fitness classes offered. From yoga and pilates to Swim Fit and Cardio Tennis, there's an option for everyone.

uqsport.com.au

#### Library

The Library is your gateway to the world of academic information. Our staff and resources are here to help you find the answers to your questions. With safe and welcoming learning spaces, a world-class collection and approachable staff, we can connect you with everything you need to succeed in your studies. There's a library to suit everyone at UQ.

library.uq.edu.au

#### Healthcare

If you need to see a doctor or dentist, or fill a medicine prescription – visit the friendly teams at the UQ Health Care clinic, UQ Dental or the Campus Pharmacy.

uqhealthcare.org.au

### Gatton

Our regional campus is located near the town of Gatton, 87 kilometres west of Brisbane's city centre. It offers a laid-back and friendly lifestyle with on-campus accommodation, a publicly accessible motel and a variety of sporting facilities.

#### Teaching and research facilities

The campus houses production animals, horticultural fields, a plant nursery, post-harvest facilities, research laboratories and greenhouses, a wildlife facility, specialist veterinary and equine hospitals, and some of the best animal teaching facilities in the southern hemisphere.

#### Food and retail

You can buy food and drinks from the Coffee Pod, Dining Hall and Walkway Cafe, and you can purchase and sell books at our retail bookshop. Regular social events for students are held in the Central Walkway.



#### Fitness

Whether you're looking to boost your fitness, meet new people, or relax and unwind, UQ Sport Gatton offers an ideal opportunity to do it all in one location. There's both gym and pool facilities – as well as tennis, basketball, netball and squash courts. You can also enjoy weekly group fitness classes, sporting clubs and social sports.

uqsport.com.au

#### Library

The JK Murray Library is at the heart of campus, open 24/7 for study, relaxation, and meetings. With comfortable study spaces, a world-class collection, and friendly staff to help with all your questions, we can connect you with everything you need to succeed in your studies.

#### Free inter-campus bus service UQ provides a free inter-campus bus service between UQ Gatton and UQ St Lucia for students and staff.

### Herston

Just 3 kilometres from Brisbane's city centre, UQ Herston is our specialist campus for health and medical teaching and research.

#### Teaching and research facilities

Home to UQ's Medical, Public Health and Dentistry schools, as well as the UQ Oral Health Centre and several globally significant centres for clinical research, UQ Herston is supported by a broad network of health partners. Sharing premises with the Royal Brisbane and Women's Hospital, the Surgical, Treatment and Rehabilitation Service (STARS), and the QIMR Berghofer Medical Research Institute, it allows students and visitors to engage with leading health researchers, academics and professionals.



UQ Herston (above), UQ Dutton Park (below)



### **Dutton Park**

A short distance from St Lucia campus, UQ Dutton Park is a health and biotechnology research and teaching hub.

#### Teaching and research facilities

The primary teaching and research location for UQ's School of Pharmacy, it is also home to the Queensland Alliance for Environmental Health Sciences and the Cornwall Street Medical Centre (UQ Health Care). Adjacent to the Translational Research Institute, housing UQ's Frazer Institute, UQ Dutton Park has strong connections with health and government partners. The campus adjoins the Princess Alexandra (PA) Hospital and is nearby the Mater Research Institute–UQ in South Brisbane.

Find out more about UQ's campuses: study.uq.edu.au/university-life/campuses-research-sites

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# UQ study options



Study at one of the most comprehensive universities in Queensland, with more than 3,500 courses on offer for you to choose from. On the next few pages are some popular choices for Study Abroad and Incoming Exchange students.

You can choose courses from any of UQ's study areas, as long as they are approved by your home institution.

### Popular courses

Course title	Course code	Sem 1	Sem 2	Field trip	Gatton campus	Herston campus	Online
AGRICULTURE, ANIMALS AND FOOD							
Agronomy	AGRC2040	٠			•		
Animal and Plant Biosecurity	AGRC3042	•			•		
Arthropods and Human Health	BIOL3009	•					
Biostatistics and Experimental Design	BIOL2006	•					
Cell and Tissue Biology for Agriculture and Veterinary Science	AGRC1041		•		٠		
Export Marketing and Practices	IBUS3960	٠			•		
Food and Fibre Case Studies	AGRC1012	•			•		
Food Microbiology	MICR2001		•				
Food Structure and Sensory Science	F00D3007		•				
Horticulture Production	HORT7002		•	•	•		
Marine Wildlife Conservation	BIOL3024		•				
Plant Protection	PLNT3009		•		•		
Principles of Food Preservation	F00D1001	٠					
Production Horticulture	HORT3003		•	•	•		
Soil Plant Relationships	LAND3005	•			•*		
Urban Ecology	BIOL3030	•		•			
BUSINESS, ECONOMICS AND LAW							
Applied Market Research	MKTG3960		٠		٠		
Business Law	LAWS1100	•	•				
Business Process Management	BISM2203		•				
Economics for Business	ECON1011	٠	•				
Entrepreneurial Growth Strategies	TIMS3302	٠					
Entrepreneurial Mindset and Ideation	TIMS1301	•	•				
Foundations of Marketing	MKTG1501	•	•				
International Business Management	IBUS2301	٠	•				
Introduction to Finance	FINM1415	٠	•				
Introduction to Management	MGTS1301	•	•				
Introductory Statistics for Social Sciences	ECON1310	٠	•				
Money and Mind	ECON1200		•				
Organisational Behaviour	MGTS1601	٠	•				
Principles of Tourism, Hospitality and Events	TOUR1000	•	•				
Social Entrepreneurship	TIMS3304	•					
Strategic Hospitality Management	HOSP3004		•				
Working with Groups and Teams	MGTS1982		•		•		
Sustainability in Tourism, Hospitality and Events	TOUR1003	•					

Course title	Course code	Sem 1	Sem 2	Field trip	Gatton campus	Herston campus	Online
ENGINEERING, ARCHITECTURE AND INFORMATION TECHNOLO	DGY						
Architecture in Society	ARCH2140	•					
Modern Architecture and the Metropolis	ARCH2240		•				
Introduction to Environmental Engineering	CIVL2135	٠					
Wind Engineering	CIVL4340	•					
Artificial Intelligence	COMP3702		•				
Introduction to Software Engineering	CSSE1001	•	•				
Introduction to Information Systems	INFS1200	٠	•				
Introduction to Web Design	DEC01400	•					
Design: Experience	DSGN1200		•				
Design for a Better World	DSGN1500	•					
Introduction to Electrical Systems	ENGG1300	٠	•				
Thermodynamics: Energy and the Environment	ENGG1500	•	•				
Statics and Materials	ENGG1700	٠	•				
Engineering Asset Management	ENGG4103	٠					
Professional Practice and the Business Environment	ENGG4901/2	•	•				
Introduction to Fire Safety Engineering	FIRE3700	•					
Data Mining	INFS4203		•				
Introduction to Engineering Design and Manufacturing	MECH2305	٠					
Fundamentals of Fluid Mechanics	MECH2410	•					
ENVIRONMENT AND PLANNING		-					-
Applied Marine Science	MARS2001	•		•			
Biogeography and Geomorphology	GEOS2103		•				
Climate Change and Environmental Management	ENVM3115	•	-				
Coastal Processes and Management	ENVM3200	•		•			
Community Participation in Planning	PLAN3005	•		-			
Conservation Planning and Management	ENVM3220	•					
Digital Geographies: Geospatial Data and Analysis	GEOG2001	•	•	•			
Ecology, Culture and Field Research	ANTH2060	•		•			
Foundations of Sustainable Development	ENVM2100		•				
Geographical Information Systems	GEOM2001	•	-	•			
Global Change: Problems and Prospects	GEOS3102	-	•	-			
Global Population Issues	GEOG2205	•					
History of the Built Environment	PLAN2005	•					
Introduction to Environmental Studies	ENVM1501	•					
Introduction to Planning	PLAN1001	•					
Landscape Ecology	ENVM3017	•		•			
Living Oceans	MARS1001			-			
Transport Planning	PLAN2100	•	•				
Urban Design	PLAN2003	•	•				
Urban Geography	GEOG2104		•	٠			
HEALTH AND SPORTS SCIENCE							
Biophysical Development, Measurement and Assessment	BIOL1900	•					
Developmental Psychology	PSYC2030	•	•				
Health and Fitness through Diet and Exercise	NUTR1023	•					
Learning and Cognition	PSYC2050	•	•				
Nutrition and Exercise	NUTR3000	•					
Parenting and Family Psychology	PSYC3312	•					
Pharmaceutical Sciences 2A	PHRM2201	•					
Pharmacokinetics and Medicines Management	PHRM2500	•					
Positive Psychology	PSYC2381	•					



#### Course selection help

Attend an academic advising session during Orientation Week. Academics from all areas will be available to assist you with course choices and provide permission for new courses if necessary.



# Teaching methods and assessment

At UQ, our teaching methods range from lectures and tutorials to online workshops. Assessment requirements for different courses vary; you can find assessment outlines in the individual course profiles.

my.uq.edu.au/informationand-services/student-support/ study-skills



# Summer and Winter Research Programs

Enhance your employability, extend your knowledge of an area of interest, and develop your analytical, critical thinking and communication skills by participating in the Summer or Winter Research Program. Successful applicants are eligible for funding to support their participation in the program. Study Abroad and Incoming Exchange students who study at UQ for 2 semesters are eligible to participate.

employability.uq.edu.au/ summer-winter-research

Course title	Course code	Sem 1	Sem 2	Field trip	Gatton campus	Herston campus	Online
Psychology of Sport, Physical Activity and Health	PSYC2000		•				
Psychotherapies and Counselling	PSYC3082		٠				
Social and Organisational Psychology	PSYC2040	•	•				
Social Pharmacy and the Health System 2A	PHRM2300		٠				
Sport Coaching: Learning, Talent and Performance	SPCG1000	•					
The Brain and Behavioural Sciences	NEUR1020	•	٠				
The New Psychology of Health	HLTH3132	•					
Youth, Sport and Physical Culture	EDUC3011		•				
HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES							
Australian Popular Culture	AUST2000		٠				
Being Human: Cultural Diversity and Experience	ANTH1008	•	•				
Contemporary Australia	AUST1000		٠				
Discovering Archaeology	ARCA1000	•					
Introduction to Criminology	CRIM1000	•	٠				
Introduction to International Relations	POLS1201	•	٠				
Introduction to Music Psychology	MUSC1300	٠					
Introduction to Popular Music Studies	MUSC1700		٠				
Introduction to Sociology	SOCY1050	٠					
Looking at Art	ARTT1106	٠					
Music, Wellbeing and Health	MUSC2310	٠					
Photography from the Daguerrotype to Instagram	ARTT3140		•				
Religions, Spiritualities and Non-Religion	RELN1000	٠	٠				
Terrorism and Insurgency in World Politics	POLS2207	٠					
The Australian Experience	HIST1201		٠				
The History of the Supernatural	RELN1510	•	•				
The Sound Patterns of Language	LING1005		•				
Witchcraft and Demonology in Early Modern Europe and its Colonies	HIST2411	•					
INDIGENOUS STUDIES							
Australia Pacific Indigenous Arts	ARTT2103	•					
Critical Anthropology and Indigenous Australians	ANTH2010		•				
Indigenous Gender Matters	ABTS2010	•					
Introduction to Aboriginal Studies	ABTS1000	•					
MEDICINE AND PUBLIC HEALTH							
Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health	INDH1005		٠				
Cells to Organisms	BIOL1040		•				

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				Field	Gatton	Herston	
Course title	Course code	Sem 1	Sem 2	trip	campus	campus	Online
Exploring Wicked Problems in Health	PUBH1110		•				
Genetics	BIOL2202		•				
Human Anatomy	BIOM2020	•					
Integrative Cell and Tissue Biology	BIOM2011	•					
Introduction to Clinical Telehealth	HLTH2001	٠	•				•^
Introduction to Public Health	PUBH1102	٠					
Nutrition in the Lifespan	NUTR2003		•			•	
Systems Physiology	BIOM2012		•				
Understanding Digital Health	HLTH2000	٠	•				•^
Understanding Health Behaviours	PUBH2004		•				
SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS							
Chemistry 1	CHEM1100	•	•				
Coding and Cryptography	MATH3302	٠					
Computational Physics	PHYS3071		•				
CSI UQ: Introduction to Forensic Science	SCIE2020		•				
Field Geology	ERTH2050	٠		•			
Financial Mathematics	MATH3090	٠					
Graph Theory and Design Theory	MATH3301		٠				
Introductory Chemistry	CHEM1090	٠					
Issues in Biotechnology	BIOT2002		•				
Marine Geoscience and Techtonics	ERTH3120	•					
Microbes and Human Health	MICR3001		•				
Microbial Genomics	MICR3004		•				
Molecular Basis of Life	BIOC1011	•			•		
Molecular Biophysics	BIOC2001		•				
Molecular Microbiology	MICR3003	•					
Optimisation Theory	MATH3404		•				
Palaeobiology	ERTH2002		٠	•			
Planet Earth: The Big Picture	ERTH1000	•	•	•			
Quantum Mechanics II	PHYS3040	•					
Science Engagement in the Community	SCIE3010		•				
Space Science and Stellar Astrophysics	PHYS2082		•				
Theory and Practice in Science	SCIE1000	•	•				
Virology	MICR3002	•					
COMMUNICATION AND MEDIA							
Australian Film and Television	MSTU2006		•				
Communicating Across Cultures: Theory and Practice	COMU1002	•	•				
Communication for Social Change	COMU2311		•				
Creative Writing: Narrative Fiction	WRIT1110	•					
Data and Society	COMU1130		•				
Gaming Cultures	COMU2100	•					
Intercultural Communication	COMU2170	•	•				
International Journalism and Mass Communication	JOUR2221		•				
Journalistic Narratives	JOUR1112	•					
Media and Society	COMU1120	•	•				
Multimedia	COMU1140	•	•				
Understanding the News	COMU1050	•	•				
Writing and Editing for the Professions	WRIT2000	•	•				
	WRIT2000 WRIT1001	•	-				
Writing for International Students	WKITIOUT	•	•				

\*Course is also available at UQ St Lucia. ^External mode. International students can enrol up to 25% of their program online. Note 1: Some courses may require faculty or school approval. Refer to my.uq.edu.au/programs-courses for further information. Note 2: Courses and semester offerings are subject to change. Please refer to my.uq.edu.au/programs-courses for course details.

# Find a UQ course



#### Go to

my.uq.edu.au/programs-courses Enter a search term in the search bar – you can search by course code or area of interest – and choose 'Courses' from the drop-down menu on the right-hand side to explore available courses.





#### Refine your search

On the search results page go to the left navigation menu and select as many filters as you want: for example, refine your search to include only pre-approved courses for Study Abroad students and/or courses offered in a particular semester.

**TIP:** If you do a new search, you will have to refine it again.





#### Click on a course code or title

Check the level of the course (undergraduate or postgraduate) and the semester and campus it is offered: click on the semester for course description.

**NOTE:** Course information for 2025 will not be available until September/October 2024. Until that time select the most recent year to view the course description.





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#### Check the course description page

Here you will find a short description of the course as well as a link to a detailed course profile: if the course is pre-approved for Study Abroad and Incoming Exchange students, there will be a note on the sidebar on the left stating this (if the course is not pre-approved, you must meet the prerequisites to apply). To access additional course information such as learning objectives, resources, activities and assessment, click on the most recent course profile link in red.



# Explore: Focus areas and extracurricular activities

We've selected courses in a range of fields and paired them with extracurricular activities to help you make the most of your UQ experience. You can choose all your courses from our focus areas or mix and match with any UQ course.

study.uq.edu.au/study-options/study-abroad/ study-options#focus-areas

#### **Indigenous Australia**

Learn about the world's oldest continuous culture – Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples have inhabited Australia for at least 65,000 years.

Extracurricular activities:

- Learn about Indigenous Australia outside of your classes by enrolling in a Summer or Winter research program.
- Attend UQ events that commemorate NAIDOC Week and National Reconciliation Week.

#### Design and design computing

Through practical studio-based projects, you'll work in teams to challenge assumptions, prototype innovative and sustainable solutions, and systematically solve problems in creative and novel ways.

Extracurricular activities:

- Explore UQ Innovate a unique makerspace to meet, collaborate and create, with access to modern technology such as 3D printers and scanners.
- Participate in the Enterprise Skills Program.
- Bring your ideas to life with UQ Ventures programs.
- Join an industry-related student club or society.

#### Australian environments and sustainability

Take advantage of being in Australia and learn about our diverse environment.

Extracurricular activities:

- Volunteer for an ecology project.
- Attend a marine science seminar.
- Join a club or society such as UQ Biology Society, Marine Society UQ, or the Environment Collective.

#### Entrepreneurship and innovation

Interested in learning how to take a new idea to market by building a new business from the ground up? Courses in this area will introduce you to the core principles of innovation and entrepreneurship.

Extracurricular activities:

- Explore UQ Innovate a unique makerspace to meet, collaborate and create, with access to modern technology such as universal robot and 3D printers.
- Bring your ideas to life with UQ Ventures programs.
- Join the UQ Innovation and Entrepreneurship Society.
- Become an analyst for the Student Managed Investment Fund and manage a portfolio of Australian equity securities using real money.



Why not visit Heron Island on the Great Barrier Reef, off the coast of Queensland, where UQ has a marine research station?

#### Pre-med and health

Broaden your health knowledge by choosing from our suite of pre-med, pharmacy or sport and exercise science courses.

Extracurricular activities:

- Attend a research seminar series.
- Explore the Marks-Hirschfeld Museum of Medical History.
- Visit the Integrated Pathology Learning Centre.
- Join the UQ Public Health Association, Queensland Pharmacy Students' Association or the Human Movement and Nutrition Sciences Student Society.
- Volunteer with UQ Sport.

#### Psychology

Choose from a range of psychology courses covering everything from the basic workings of the human brain to consciousness, memory, reasoning and language to personality and mental health.

Extracurricular activities:

- Enrol in the PsychUnited Mentoring program.
- Join the UQ Psychology Students' Association.

#### Media and communication

Gain the skills to reach the right people with the right message, from concept right through to delivery. All courses combine practice and theory, giving you the skills to make your mark on the world.

Extracurricular activities:

- Join the UQ Journalism and Communication Society.
- Apply to join Australia's first student-run communications agency to work with real clients with real outcomes.

#### Improve your English

Looking to take your English language skills to the next level? If you have already met the English requirements to study at UQ, you can enrol in a range of writing and language courses that provide plenty of opportunities to practise and improve your English skills.

Extracurricular activities:

- Attend UQ Life events.
- Register to Get Involved at UQ.
- If you speak English as an additional language, attend our free English for Academic Communication courses.
- Join a club or society.

# Student support

As a Study Abroad or Incoming Exchange student you're only here for a short time, so we want it to be an amazing time. We offer sporting, cultural and recreational activities; help you find somewhere to live; and anticipate your unique needs from arrival to departure.

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#### Settling in

#### **Getting started**

Make your transition to UQ a smooth one by attending one of our Getting Started sessions either when you arrive or during O-Week. Attendance is compulsory for all international students. In the session, you find out how to enrol, register for classes, get your student ID card, and key UQ dates and terminology. We also tell you about what services and facilities are on campus, how to register for public transport, student discounts, and what your best options are for getting to and from UQ.

my.uq.edu.au/orientation

my.uq.edu.au/starting-at-uq

Transition to UQ life with ease by registering for the Jump Start Academic Preparation Program (JSAPP), held before semester starts.

my.uq.edu.au/information-andservices/student-support/studyskills-and-learning-advice/studyskills-and-learning-advice-overview/ jumpstart-uni-preparation-program

#### O-Week and your first weeks

O-Week is a great introduction to life at UQ and is held one week before semester starts. You can browse clubs and societies, listen to live music, meet new and interesting people at events, pick up free stuff and, most importantly, attend the Study Abroad and Incoming Exchange welcome session.

my.uq.edu.au/orientation

#### Safety on campus

Our campuses are safe places for students and staff. St Lucia and Gatton campuses have 24-hour security teams. St Lucia also offers a safety escort service if you would like someone to accompany you to public transport or your car, and a Safety Bus that runs from 6pm onwards around the campus.

Plus, you can download the free UQ SafeZone app, which connects you directly with security officers or emergency services.

campuses.uq.edu.au/informationand-services/security/campus-safety

#### Academic and life support

#### **Student Central**

If you need help navigating university administration, visit UQ Knowledge Base online or head to Student Central for help with enrolment, employability development, your Student ID card, counselling, study skills and more.

my.uq.edu.au/contact/student-central

#### Academic workshops

Gain new skills and prepare for exams by attending free workshops held by our Student Services team. We have workshops on writing assignments, improving your memory, thesis writing, presentation skills, time management, academic language and grammar, and more.

my.uq.edu.au/information-andservices/student-support/workshops

#### **Student Advisers**

Our Student Advice Team can help you with a wide range of professional and confidential services. This includes support for welfare and wellbeing, diversity and inclusion, career development, counselling, and more. You can make a private appointment with a student adviser or counsellor by contacting Student Services.

my.uq.edu.au/contact/student-central

The Student Union (UQU) can also help you with legal or migration support.

uqu.com.au

#### Peer Assisted Study Sessions

Learn more about studying at UQ from second- and third-year students who have achieved top grades in your course. They can provide advice on coursework and content, and suggest effective study habits that will help you make the most of your time. Ask your faculty for more information.

#### Information sessions

Our range of information sessions and modules will help you get ready for life at UQ and transition to studying in Australia. These sessions take you through preparing to arrive in Brisbane, enrolment, orientation and how to navigate our websites.

my.uq.edu.au/informationand-services/student-support/ information-sessions

### English language support during your study

Develop and refine your Academic English language skills needed for study at UQ by enrolling in our free English for Academic Communication (EAC) workshops offered in-semester by UQ College. Several academic English study options covering a range of skills and topics are available to meet your needs. Check the website for more information.

uqcollege.uq.edu.au/study-options/ english-courses/eac

#### Spiritual practice

UQ welcomes students from all faiths and practices, and our Multi-Faith Chaplaincy at UQ St Lucia caters to all religions. It's a great place to meet people from different cultures and faiths.

my.uq.edu.au/information-andservices/student-support/religion



Ally Network is our award-winning program for the LGBTQIA+ community.

staff.uq.edu.au/informationand-services/human-resources/ diversity/sexuality/ally-network

#### **UQU Queer Collective**

A UQ Union community group for members of the UQ LGBTQIA+ Community.

#### uqu.com.au/uqu-collectives/ queer-collective/



UQ provides free support, services and facilities for **students** with a disability,

illness, injury or mental health condition. Contact a Diversity, Disability and Inclusion Adviser to ensure your transition to study is as smooth as possible.

my.uq.edu.au/informationand-services/student-support/ diversity-disability-inclusion



#### All UQ campuses are smoke-free

campuses.uq.edu.au/informationand-services/security-and-personalsafety/smoke-free-uq



UQ Study Abroad alum-turned-researcher Professor Bernard Degnan with wife Sandie

#### Further study at UQ

#### Postgraduate study

After completing your undergraduate degree you can return to UQ for postgraduate studies, joining former UQ Study Abroad and Exchange luminaries like Professor Bernard Degnan, who came to UQ from the University of Southern California in one of the first Study Abroad cohorts.

While here, he became enamoured with the Great Barrier Reef and returned to UQ to complete a PhD. More than thirty years later, his work on eradicating the destructive Crown of Thorns starfish is set to revolutionise efforts to preserve the Great Barrier Reef.

Stay active and join a club like UQ Social Basketball uqsport.com.au



#### Make friends

#### **Clubs and societies**

Are you up for expanding your social network and diving into a hobby or passion? Join one of our 200 clubs and societies. From anime to yoga, medievalism to table tennis, and hockey to dancing, you are certain to find like-minded people. If you don't, you can always start your own club.

uqu.com.au/connecting-u/clubs-and-societies

uqsport.com.au/clubs

#### **#UQLIFE**

Your UQLife is more than just study. It encompasses a range of events, experiences and programs to keep you engaged, motivated and connected.

UQ also host festivals throughout the year to celebrate the changing seasons and major cultural events. Join the liveliness of Diwali and Lunar New Year celebrations, and celebrate Australia's Indigenous cultures during NAIDOC Week.

life.uq.edu.au

#### QUEST

See Australia and make new friends. The Queensland University Exchange Student Society (QUEST) is a student-run society that aims to showcase the best UQ and Queensland have to offer. Along with informal pub and movie nights, QUEST organises beach trips, surfing lessons, glow-worm viewing in a world heritage-listed rainforest, as well as multi-day trips to Byron Bay, Girraween National Park and Moreton Island.

uqu.com.au/clubs-and-societies/the-queenslanduniversity-exchange-student-society-quest

#### Student life

Do you want to know more about what it's like to be a Study Abroad or Incoming Exchange student at UQ? Here is just a small snapshot of some of the adventures our students experience.

There are so many things to see and do in Brisbane and around Australia. If you love exploring amazing places, discover why UQ and Queensland are the best choice to study and live.

study.uq.edu.au/university-life

#UQStudyAbroad



Amy from the UK visits Western Australia to be as one with nature. Image courtesy Amy Berry and Anja Förster







Amelia from Norway rock climbs at Kangaroo Point Cliffs in Brisbane.

Foodies will feel at home in Brisbane. Nigel from Singapore feasts with friends at Eat Street Market.



Gabriela from Czech Republic joins friends at one of Brisbane's most popular picnic spots at Kangaroo Point.

# Accommodation

Beyond your books and classes, where you choose to live is also part of the learning journey. Whether you want to experience UQ living on campus or in accommodation outside of university, we're here to help curious minds feel right at home.

#### **On-campus living**

Welcome to a truly immersive university experience. Join us on campus and connect to a community that centres around you and your education.

#### **UQ** Residential Colleges

Our 10 residential colleges provide a place where you can make memories and connections that stay with you long after graduation:

- Cromwell College
- Duchesne College
- Emmanuel College
- Grace College
- International House
- King's College
- St John's College
- St Leo's College
- The Women's College
- Union College.

Living in a UQ college also means access to:

- a welcoming, collegial community
- 24/7 onsite staff support and pastoral care
- well-established academic communities and alumni networks
- inter-college sporting, cultural, community and social activities
- outstanding leadership, career mentoring and wellbeing programs.

With their unique and historical connection to the University, UQ colleges have an ideal on-campus home for everyone.

#### **Gatton Halls of Residence**

If you're studying at Gatton, you can stay in the Gatton Halls of Residence, which have provided our students with a home since 1897. Offering a strong community atmosphere on campus and with 436 well-equipped rooms, there's a place for you at Gatton.

#### UQ Residences

Kev Carmody House is UQ's new student residence exclusively for UQ students. Located in the heart of our St Lucia campus, Kev Carmody House has the convenience of being just minutes away from classes, and features:

- 610 light-filled and spacious one-bedroom rooms with ensuites
- a wide range of social areas to cook and catch up with new friends
- world-class facilities and a stunning rooftop pool deck
- an engaging student life program.

More than a place to study, Kev Carmody House is a true home on campus where you can belong and thrive in a vibrant community to call your own.

### Airport welcome and shuttle service

If you are a new international student to UQ, we'll welcome you when you arrive and provide you with free transportation from the airport. During peak flight arrival times, our International Student Welcome Crew will greet students arriving at Brisbane International Airport. Students can use the UQ-provided complimentary airport shuttle service that drops off at key locations across Brisbane and the Gatton campus.

my.uq.edu.au/informationand-services/student-support/ accommodation/accommodationoverview/international-studentairport-welcome-and-shuttle-service

#### UQ Accommodation team

Our UQ Accommodation team can help you find your ideal home. Offering free information sessions before classes start, the team can also give you advice, check your documentation, and direct you to useful material online.

my.uq.edu.au/student-support/ accommodation

#### **Guaranteed accommodation**

When you apply through UQ Guaranteed Accommodation, you're able to secure your accommodation before arriving in Brisbane and commencing studies at UQ. The UQ Residential Colleges (on campus) and UQ-approved providers (off campus) set aside a guaranteed number of rooms so you're easily able to compare, choose and secure the most appropriate accommodation.

my.uq.edu.au/student-support/ accommodation/guaranteedaccommodation

#### **Off-campus living**

From city living to suburban share houses, find a place that suits your lifestyle.

#### Purpose-built student living

Join students from universities across Brisbane at one of our recommended student accommodation providers. A variety of studio, single-bedroom and twin share options is available.

my.uq.edu.au/student-support/ accommodation/purpose-builtstudent-living

#### **Private housing**

Would you like to branch out from the university community? Maybe share a house or apartment with other people? Brisbane's rental market features everything from share houses to high-rise apartments, while Gatton offers a range of affordable share houses. To find a room, apartment or house, first check our UQ Rentals database at **rental.uq.edu.au/** accommodation

Alternatively, there are private rental accommodation websites, and you can rent directly from real estate agents.

Visit my.uq.edu.au/student-support/ accommodation to discover your new home.



**Cromwell College** 























# Cost of living

Brisbane is considered one of Australia's more affordable cities. To make the most of your time here, we recommend you plan and budget for your study, leisure and holiday time.

#### Yearly costs

How much it will cost you to live in Brisbane will depend partly on your lifestyle preferences. From 10 May 2024, the Australian Government Department of Home Affairs announced that student visa applicants will need to show they have a minimum of \$29,710 to cover the cost of living for a year in Australia.

In addition to this amount, you'll also need to consider establishment costs such as buying furniture, paying a rental bond and setting up electricity, gas and mobile phone accounts, as well as other expenses such as visa and medical fees, tuition fees, return airfares, and Overseas Student Health Cover (OSHC). Remember that exchange rate variations may also affect your budget.

#### Monthly expenses

The table below estimates monthly expenses for studying at UQ. These estimates are a guide only and prices vary according to your lifestyle. UQ tuition fees, textbooks and study materials, clothing, entertainment, printing, and healthcare costs are in addition to the figures below.

#### Working while studying

If you have a student visa you can work up to 48 hours per fortnight (2-week period) during university semesters (effective 1 July 2023), and full-time hours during holidays. In general, don't expect to cover tuition fees or living expenses with a casual job.

If you're studying at UQ on a scholarship, you should contact your scholarship provider about how many hours you're permitted to work each week.

immi.homeaffairs.gov.au/visas/ already-have-a-visa/check-visadetails-and-conditions/see-your-visaconditions?product=500

#### Student concessions

As a student, you can use your student ID to receive concession prices for public transport, the cinema, museums, software, technology and much more.

my.uq.edu.au/starting-at-uq/studentfinances/budgeting

#### Visa information

When applying for a student visa, you must meet the Genuine Student requirement (immi.homeaffairs.gov. au/visas/getting-a-visa/visa-listing/ student-500/genuine-studentrequirement) and have sufficient funds to pay your tuition fees and living costs for the duration of your studies.

study.uq.edu.au/university-life/ getting-prepared-to-come-toaustralia/student-visas

Monthly cost of living	STUDENT LIVING IN ON-CAMPUS COLLEGE <sup>^</sup>	STUDENT LIVING OFF-CAMPUS / STUDENT ACCOMMODATION *
Rent	\$2,050-\$3,000*	\$840-\$2,480
Utilities (gas, electricity, water)	included in rent	\$170-\$215**
Food	included in rent ^	\$560-\$1,120
Mobile phone / internet	\$45-\$125	\$45-\$125
Public transport	\$90-\$120	\$90-\$120
TOTAL	\$2,185-\$3,245	\$1,705-\$4,060



#### Cost of living calculator

Study Australia provides a helpful online Cost of Living Calculator to estimate your weekly, monthly and yearly living costs.

costofliving.studyaustralia.gov.au

^ Catered meals are included at UQ Residential colleges. UQ RES (Kev Carmody House) does not include catered meals.

\* On-campus and off-campus accommodation costs are usually lower in Gatton. The cost for a standard resident room in the Halls of Residence in Gatton is from \$378 per week.

\*\* Many student accommodation providers include electricity, gas and internet costs in rent; however, check with your provider to be sure.



# Fees and expenses

As a Study Abroad or Incoming Exchange student, you may need to pay tuition fees, non-tuition fees and other administrative fees. Some courses have additional costs; see individual course listings for details.

#### **Tuition fees**

#### Study Abroad - 4 courses

If you apply for the standard 4-course Study Abroad program for 2025, you will pay a tuition fee of \$14,396 per semester regardless of the number of courses taken. A standard full-time load for one semester at UQ is 8 units (which usually equates to 4 courses).

Please note, this fee is indexed annually and is subject to change.

#### Study Abroad - 3 courses

If you apply for the 3-course Study Abroad program for 2025, you will pay a reduced tuition fee of \$10,797 per semester but you will be restricted to taking 6 units (3 courses) only. Please check with your home university before choosing this option to ensure that you will receive the credit that you need when you return.

Please note, this fee is indexed annually and is subject to change.

#### **Incoming Exchange**

As an Incoming Exchange student, you will pay tuition fees to your home institution based on their fee requirements. A standard full-time study load for one semester at UQ is 8 units (which usually equates to 4 courses). You should contact the Exchange Office at your home institution for details.

study.uq.edu.au/admissions/studyabroad/review-fees-and-costs

#### **Non-tuition fees**

Non-tuition fees are fees paid by a student to the University for such things as books and equipment, health insurance, administration, accommodation, and assistance to apply for or hold a student visa.

study.uq.edu.au/admissions/studyabroad/review-fees-and-costs

#### Health insurance

If you will be coming to Australia on a student visa, you will need to purchase and maintain Overseas Student Health Cover (OSHC) as part of your visa conditions. This is an insurance policy that covers you for basic medical and hospital care and is required from the day you arrive in Australia until you leave. UQ's preferred OSHC provider is Allianz Care.

UQ can organise your OSHC with Allianz when you accept your UQ offer and pay your tuition fee deposit. Alternatively, you can obtain your own OSHC from a government-approved OSHC provider.

study.uq.edu.au/university-life/ getting-prepared-to-come-to-australia/ overseas-student-health-cover

#### Refunds

Refunds are only made to Study Abroad or Incoming Exchange students in certain circumstances and in accordance with our Fee Policy and Student Refund procedures.

policies.uq.edu.au/document/ view-current.php?id=226

# Are you eligible?

#### **Study Abroad eligibility**

The UQ Study Abroad program is available to students currently studying at an accredited institution outside of Australia. As a Study Abroad student, you can study at UQ for one or 2 semesters and will be enrolled as a non-award student.

#### Academic entry requirements

To meet the University's entry requirements for the Study Abroad program you must:

- have completed at least one full-time year of study at an accredited university
- be currently enrolled at an accredited university
- meet specific course prerequisites for admission into certain courses
- hold average to above-average results in university studies to date
- meet UQ's English language proficiency requirements (see below).

## Incoming Exchange eligibility

The UQ Incoming Exchange program is available to students currently studying at an overseas institution that has a student exchange agreement with UQ. As an Incoming Exchange student you can study at UQ for one or 2 semesters and will be enrolled as a non-award student. You should contact the International Exchange Office at your home institution for more information about studying at UQ on exchange. To check if your university is a UQ exchange partner, see: study.uq.edu.au/admissions/ study-abroad/review-entryrequirements/exchange-partners

#### Academic entry requirements

To meet the University's entry requirements for Incoming Exchange you must:

- be currently enrolled at an exchange partner university
- be nominated by your home university
- have completed at least one full-time year of study at an accredited university
- meet specific course prerequisites for admission into certain courses
- hold average to above-average results in university studies to date.

#### **Credit transfer**

Credit gained at UQ is in most cases transferable to your degree at your home university. It is important that your home institution approves the courses you are intending to undertake to ensure smooth credit transfer. Make sure you check with your home university if you must enrol in a full-time load (4 courses) or are able to do the 3-course option. A standard full-time load at UQ is 8 units, which usually equates to 4 courses per semester.

#### **Choosing courses**

You may take courses across multiple faculties as long as your course choices are approved by your home university. Most courses are open to Study Abroad and Incoming Exchange students. However, some have prerequisites or require permission from the relevant faculty or school before you can enrol in them: see pages 13–16.

my.uq.edu.au/programs-courses

### Do you need to improve your English to enter UQ?

If you meet the academic entry requirements for entry to UQ, but need further English language training to meet the English language proficiency requirement, you can apply for a package offer that includes English language studies at UQ College before commencing your semester.

uqcollege.uq.edu.au/study-options/ english-courses

## English language proficiency requirements

You must meet UQ's English language proficiency requirements to undertake courses at the University.

The minimum IELTS and TOEFL scores required for admission to the Study Abroad and Incoming Exchange program at the University are listed in the table below. study.uq.edu.au/admissions/ english-language-requirements

**'Minimum' English: English language tests** You can undertake one of the following English language tests to determine if you satisfy UQ's English language proficiency requirements:

IELTS	TOEFL (INTERNET-BASED)	PEARSON	CAMBRIDGE ENGLISH SCALE	BRIDGING ENGLISH (BE)*
<b>Overall: 6.5</b> Reading: 6, Writing: 6, Speaking: 6, Listening: 6	<b>Overall: 87</b> Reading: 19, Writing: 21, Speaking: 19, Listening: 19		A Cambridge English Scale (CES) score of 176 Reading: 169, Writing: 169, Speaking: 169, Listening 169	<b>Overall: 4</b> Reading: C, Writing: C, Speaking: C, Listening: C

NOTE: Test scores are valid for 2 years from the date of the test to the commencement date at UQ.

\*BE is UQ's English language pathway program delivered by UQ College. An English and Study Abroad package experience is available to help prepare students to meet the English language entry requirements for Study Abroad at UQ with an initial 20-week English language program.

# How to apply



### Decide whether to enrol in the 3-course or 4-course option.

Please note that many university partners require you to enrol in 4 courses to ensure that the required credit for your Study Abroad semester is received. Choose the 3-course option only if you have discussed this with your home university.

# STEP 2 Create

### Create an applicant account to start your online application

Go to UQ's online application portal at **apply.uq.edu.au** and create an applicant account, then choose the appropriate application type:

**Incoming Exchange students:** If you have been nominated by your home university to come to UQ as part of a bilateral exchange agreement, please choose the 'Incoming Exchange' application form.

**Study Abroad students:** If you are not coming as part of a bilateral exchange agreement, please choose one of the Study Abroad application forms:

For the 3-course study option, please choose the **'Study Abroad – 3 courses'** application form.

For the 4-course study option, please choose the **'Study Abroad – 4 courses'** application form.

#### Visas

All international students applying to study in Australia must have a student visa unless they have an alternative visa that enables them to study. If you are granted a student visa, you must comply with all student visa conditions. For all visa enquiries and applications, please contact your local Australian Embassy, High Commission or Diplomatic Mission.

study.uq.edu.au/university-life/ getting-prepared-to-come-to-australia/ student-visas

dfat.gov.au/about-us/our-locations/ missions/our-embassies-and-consulatesoverseas

homeaffairs.gov.au

#### Suspensions, deferrals and cancellations

If you wish to defer (i.e. delay commencing the Study Abroad or Incoming Exchange program), please contact the Study Abroad and Incoming Exchange Office as soon as possible. You may be able to apply for a deferral for up to one year.

Once you commence study, you may also suspend or cancel your enrolment on compassionate or other compelling grounds. The University may also suspend or cancel your enrolment for a number of reasons including misbehaviour, poor academic standing and unsatisfactory academic progress. Please note that any suspensions, deferrals or cancellations may affect your student visa or visa application.

my.uq.edu.au/information-and-services/ manage-my-program/withdraw-deferor-return-study/deferring-studies



Upload

#### Upload all required documentation

This includes a copy of the ID page of your passport (or other national ID), an up-to-date official academic transcript in English and proof of English language proficiency.

If you are applying for Incoming Exchange, you need to be nominated by your home university.

**TIP:** You can save an incomplete form and return later.



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#### Study Abroad and Incoming Exchange Office

#### **Study enquiries**

studyabroad@uq.edu.au study.uq.edu.au/study-options/study-abroad

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