



**Southern Cross  
University**  
Australia

# Quick International Course Guide 2021

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**Southern Cross  
University**

Southern Cross University is a different kind of university. We combine academic and research excellence with outstanding learning opportunities and a commitment to what matters, from protecting and managing our precious natural environments to understanding and advancing our human world.

Voted number 1 in Australia for its outstanding student support, Southern Cross offers a world-class education combined with a great lifestyle.



**3 campuses  
7 branch  
campuses**



**65,000+  
graduates**



**Trimester  
calendar**



**9 Research  
centres**



**20,000+  
students**

Image: Christian Miller/Citizens of the Great Barrier Reef

Site of the Larval Restoration Project at the Marine World pontoon, 45km off the coast of Cairns. The globally significant project, led by Southern Cross University's Professor Peter Harrison, aims to regenerate the reef by harvesting coral sperm and eggs, growing new larvae and releasing them back onto heavily degraded sections of the Great Barrier Reef.



Southern Cross University acknowledges and pays respect to the ancestors, Elders and descendants of the Lands upon which we meet and study. We are mindful that within and without the concrete and steel of buildings, these Lands always were and always will be Aboriginal Land.



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**5-Star Student Support**  
**5-Star Social Equity**



**Top 150 Young Universities**  
**Top 3% in Life Sciences, Top 4% Physical Sciences**



**World Standard or Above In 23 Key Research Areas**



**STUDENT BENCHMARK PARTNER**  
**THE GLOBAL BENCHMARK**  
**FOR THE STUDENT EXPERIENCE**

**Number 1**  
**for international student support 2018**

Cover image: Lee Conneely

Fluorescent microscope image of glandular trichomes (leaf hairs) from a major study by Southern Cross Plant Science, a leader in research underpinning the cultivation and utilisation of plants.

# Our campuses

**We are a multi-campus university on Australia's east coast with main campuses at the Gold Coast in Queensland and at Lismore and Coffs Harbour in New South Wales.**

The regions we call home all have unique characteristics as study locations – from cosmopolitan cities, thriving industries and coastal lifestyles to living laboratories of great natural beauty and ecological diversity, right next to the campus.

We also have branch campuses in Sydney, Melbourne and Perth which operate in collaboration with EduCo, and The Hotel School Sydney, Melbourne and Brisbane in partnership with Mulpha Australia. We opened a new branch campus at Coomera on the Gold Coast in 2019.

## Gold Coast



## Lismore



## Coffs Harbour





300 days of  
sunshine per year

6th largest city  
in Australia

## Gold Coast

Our Gold Coast campus is located at Coolangatta, just 400 metres from North Kirra Beach, and adjacent to the Gold Coast Airport. Many vantage points offer stunning views of the Pacific Ocean.

The campus is spread across three contemporary buildings that house innovative learning spaces, health science laboratories, computer labs, student lounges, the University's Digital Enterprise Lab and an on-campus Health Clinic. You can also study information technology, music and digital media at our new Coomera branch campus.



Health Clinic



Digital Enterprise  
Lab



Transport hub

## Lismore

Lismore was the first Southern Cross campus, located in the heart of the Northern Rivers. Set on acres of lush rainforest, Lismore campus is a creative hub within easy reach of both national parks and the ocean.

It is also home to state-of-the-art engineering and environmental science facilities, specialist health labs and simulated hospital wards, a Learning Centre and library complex, heated pool and gym, and an on-campus Health Clinic. Koalas and water dragons are a common sight on campus.



On-campus  
accommodation



Health Clinic



Fitness centre  
and pool



Arts and  
cultural hub

Surrounded by  
World Heritage  
nature reserves



Coastal tourist  
destination

Close to the  
Solitary Islands  
Marine Park

## Coffs Harbour

The University is part of an education precinct in Coffs Harbour, co-located with TAFE NSW and the Coffs Harbour Innovation Hub.

A multi-million-dollar Health Sciences Building opened on campus in 2019, with state-of-the-art teaching facilities for our health science students. The campus includes a fitness centre, extensive landscaped grounds and close proximity to beaches and the growing regional centre of Coffs Harbour. The University's National Marine Science Centre is located in nearby Charlesworth Bay.



National Marine  
Science Centre



On-campus  
accommodation



Fitness centre

# Our graduates

Choosing a university degree is a moment you'll always remember. It might be the start of a study journey and a career you had not even imagined. It might be where you are introduced to ideas and people who will take your life in a completely new and exciting direction.



5-star  
student support

Our graduates are the best examples of where a degree from Southern Cross can take you, be it a career of substance in your own backyard or anywhere in the world.

Read more graduate stories

[scu.edu.au/graduates](https://scu.edu.au/graduates)



**Vavine Nadesalingam**  
Bachelor of Business graduate

## The social entrepreneur who is building communities

Founder, NGO Voices For Village Foundation Inc.

Vavine Nadesalingam is founder of the NGO Voices For Village Foundation Inc. She helps villages in rural areas of PNG access education, health, sanitation, clean water and electricity and technology through a network of supporters and business partners.

“Southern Cross University gave me a platform to grab hold of many learning opportunities. We need a level playing field to encourage more women in leadership as they play a great role in the development of a nation and in their communities. I want to share my story to inspire other young people who are facing challenges, to tell them they can always find a way to be a positive impact in their community as well.”



**Victoria Suzuki**  
Bachelor of Information  
Technology

## Developing a career path

### Junior Developer, Coding Labs

After a long break from studying, Brazilian-born Victoria discovered Southern Cross was more than she could have hoped for. She completed English for Academic Purposes and the Diploma of Business through SCU College, before her IT degree.

“I was nervous at the start and may not have completed my Bachelor degree without the tools and confidence I received during the SCU College courses. I was encouraged to believe in my potential and majored in User Experience, creating games and interactive applications using many programs and design tools,” says Victoria.

Victoria was awarded SCU College Alumnus of The Year in 2017 and continues to enjoy the Gold Coast on a graduate work visa.

“My job at Coding Labs enables me to showcase my programming and design skills. I want to become a great developer in the future, create amazing games and applications and make a contribution to the industry.”



**Thomas Lynch**  
Bachelor of  
Contemporary Music,  
Bachelor of Laws

## The lawyer and artists' champion

### Solicitor, Kay & Hughes Entertainment Lawyers

Thomas – Tom – Lynch is the sort of rock star you'd want to end up in the courtroom with.

The passionate yet humble drummer and self-confessed 'garage producer' is a solicitor with Kay & Hughes Entertainment Lawyers in Sydney.

He spends his days helping artists of all kinds navigate the colourful life of being a creative who makes a living.

“Law touches every aspect of our lives and I love helping to arm artists with the tools they need to be sure that their work is valued and protected,” says Tom. In his 'spare' time, Tom now lectures in Media Law at the Australian Institute of Music.



**Ashleigh Woods**  
Bachelor of Nursing

## Empathy and compassion are tools of the trade

### Registered Nurse, The Tweed Hospital

From an early age, Ashleigh Woods knew she wanted to be a nurse and a midwife.

After graduating with her nursing degree from Southern Cross in 2015, she completed postgraduate studies in midwifery. Ashleigh now works as a nurse at The Tweed Hospital's emergency department and Women's Care Unit, helping to deliver babies.

During her nursing degree, Ashleigh volunteered in Nepal, assisting community health workers and teaching healthy hygiene practices.

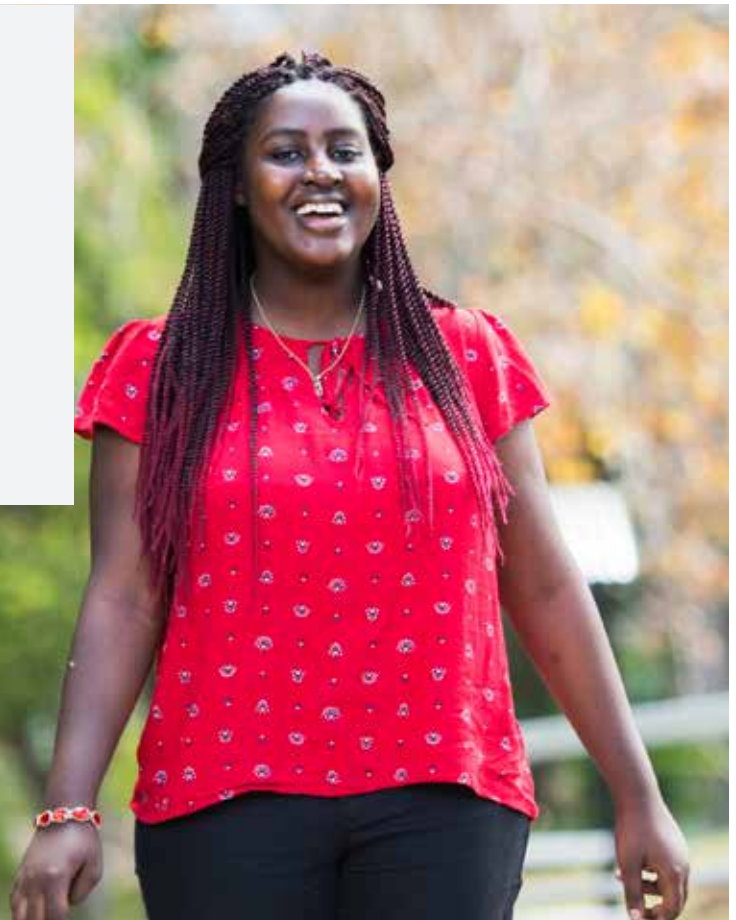
“I really hope to make a difference in people's lives by providing compassionate care to my patients. The incredible facilities at Southern Cross that simulate a hospital environment really helped me before getting out into the actual hospital environment.”

# Scholarships

**One application.  
380+ scholarships.  
Value up to \$60,000.**

Scholarships really make a difference. They make your education attainable by reducing the financial burden – enabling you to focus on your studies and put your learning first.

International scholarship recipient Janine received the Mayor of Lismore Scholarship. She plans to use some of the scholarship to fund an overseas placement.



Scholarships range in value from \$150, which could help you buy textbooks, to \$60,000, which could help pay your fees or rent.

Scholarships are available to undergraduate and postgraduate international students for:

- Financial support
- Academic achievement
- Aspirations to succeed.

Applying is easy. With just one application, commencing students are in the running for all scholarships for which they are eligible.

More details and how to apply at [scu.edu.au/scholarships](https://scu.edu.au/scholarships)

The Australia Awards Scholarships are an Australian government initiative to support partner countries to progress their developmental goals. We proudly support Australia Awards scholars from diverse backgrounds. Visit the Department of Foreign Affairs and trade for more information:

[dfat.gov.au/australia-awards/](https://dfat.gov.au/australia-awards/)



# Student life

**Going to university is not only about getting a first-class education and setting yourself up for that dream career. It's also about having fun, making lasting friendships and enjoying the social side of university life.**

Our UniLife program aims to encourage both your academic success and support your wellbeing. Students can get involved in social sports clubs and societies, and University-wide events such as the University Student Awards, snow tour, learn-to-surf camps, beach and water safety programs, and other national competitions.

See the full list of programs and activities offered at [scu.edu.au/unilife](https://scu.edu.au/unilife)



# Supporting your studies

No student is an island. No matter the extra help you need – we've got you covered.



**Careers and employability**



**Student access and inclusion**

**UniMentor**

**Connecting students**



**Academic skills support**



**Counselling services**



**Chaplaincy and pastoral care**



**Indigenous student support**

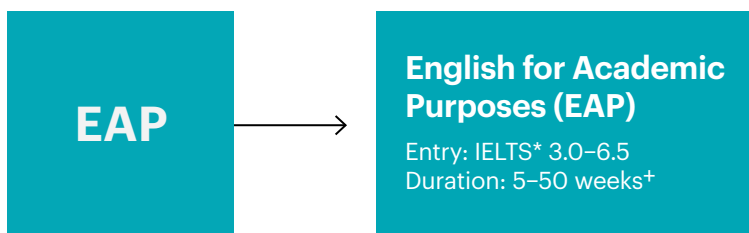


**Student advisers**

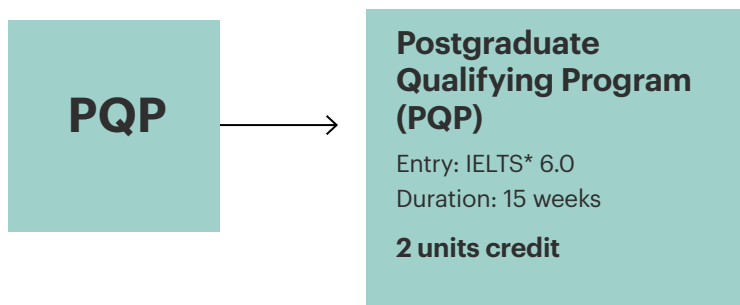
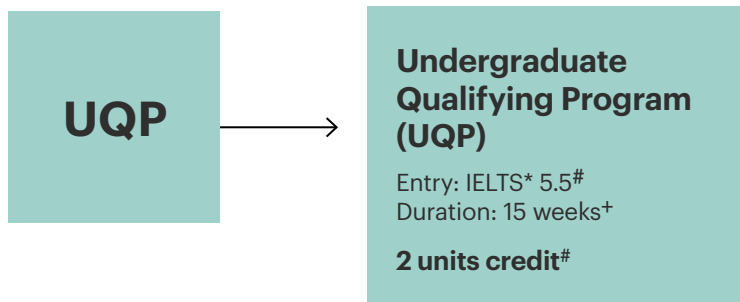
# Pathways to university

There are many pathways to Southern Cross University degrees through the University's SCU College.

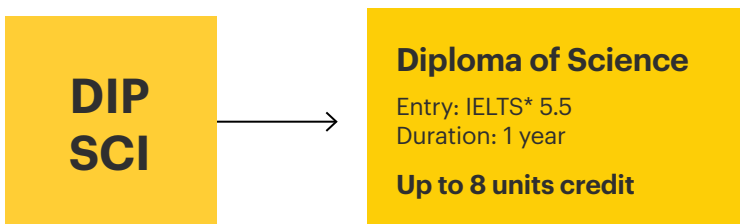
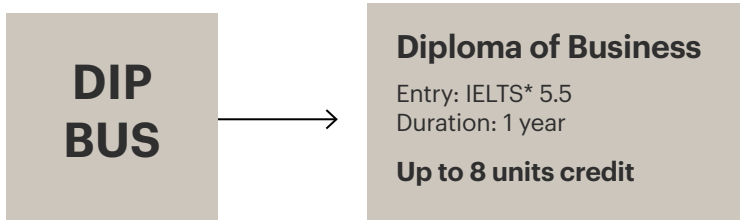
## Academic English Pathways



## Academic Skills Pathways



## Diploma Pathways



<sup>+</sup> Duration will depend on English language level at application.

<sup>\*</sup> View course pages for English language requirements. Refer to [www.ielts.org](http://www.ielts.org) for more information about the International Language Testing System (IELTS).

<sup>#</sup> Allied health stream requires IELTS 6.5 and has no advanced standing.

# SCU College

SCU College offers academic and English language pathways to university study. Our classes are small and extra support is available to all students.

Successful completion provides you with direct entry into a Southern Cross University degree, and may also include advanced standing.

Course Name	Course Fee	IELTS		GC	L	CH	Duration
<b>Pathways</b>							
<b>Undergraduate Qualifying Program (UQP)</b> CRICOS 091558G	\$12,800	5.5	UQP prepares students for undergraduate study in business, information technology, tourism and hospitality. The course combines English language and academic skills development with academic and content-based studies. <b>Advanced standing:</b> 2 units credit (specified degrees). Visit: <a href="http://scu.edu.au/scucollege">scu.edu.au/scucollege</a> for stream availability.	Feb Jun Oct	Feb Jun		15 weeks
<b>Undergraduate Qualifying Program (UQP)</b> <i>Allied health stream</i> CRICOS 091558G	\$12,800	6.5	A specialised pathway into allied health (occupational therapy and podiatry only) degrees. No advanced standing is available in this stream.		Oct		15 weeks
<b>Postgraduate Qualifying Program (PQP)</b> CRICOS 091557J	\$12,800	6.0	PQP develops postgraduate study skills in accounting, business, engineering management, information technology and tourism and hotel management. <b>Advanced standing:</b> 2 units credit (specified degrees). Visit: <a href="http://scu.edu.au/scucollege">scu.edu.au/scucollege</a> for stream availability.	Oct			15 weeks
<b>English for Academic Purposes (EAP)</b> CRICOS 064715B	\$450 per week plus \$240 enrolment fee	3.0–6.5	EAP prepares students for study at Southern Cross University. It builds on existing English language abilities in reading, writing, speaking and listening. It then develops a student's academic and digital literacy practices. Duration of EAP will depend on a student's English language level at application. Visit: <a href="http://scu.edu.au/scucollege">scu.edu.au/scucollege</a> for start dates.	•	•		5 to 50 weeks
<b>Diploma of Business</b> CRICOS 0079231K	\$26,800	5.5	Develops academic skills in business and information technology. <b>Advanced standing:</b> 8 units credit (specified degrees).	Feb Jun Oct			1 year
<b>Diploma of Science</b> CRICOS 086408J	\$30,400	5.5	This course prepares students with a grounding in scientific knowledge and a choice of units in engineering, environmental science, physical sciences and mathematics. <b>Advanced standing:</b> 8 units credit (specified degrees).		Feb		1 year

**Also available:**  
**Career Start (Study Abroad) which includes 10 weeks of EAP.**  
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## Tomoki

Tomoki Mishina wants to make the impossible possible. The Bachelor of Marine Science and Management student is from the small rural city of Ota in the prefecture of Gunam, Japan.

He spent last summer working alongside Professor Symon Dworjanyn on a research project into sustainable practices to grow aquarium fish, and he has been included as a co-author on his first scientific paper - quite a feat for an undergraduate student. Travelling between the Lismore and

Coffs Harbour campuses, Tomoki spends his weekdays studying and striking up conversations with strangers for two purposes: to improve his English and make friends.

"I make myself go and talk to everyone," says Tom, who is also throwing himself into another Australian tradition - surfing. He started with a Southern Cross surf camp where he first rode a board. "I just want to spend my time on the water," he says.

# Why study with us?

## Arts and Humanities

In our technology-driven world, critical skills and knowledge in languages, art, history, ethics, philosophy, psychology and human development are more important than ever.

Our arts and humanities degrees equip you with the skills you need for a career in today's dynamic media and cultural industries.

## Careers in Arts and Humanities

- Arts administrator
- Communication specialist
- Ethical adviser
- Film producer
- Historian
- Journalist
- Multimedia designer
- Political analyst



### Tailor-make

your degree to become a specialist in your chosen field



### No.1 in Australia

for learning resources in humanities and social sciences  
(Good Universities Guide 2020)

## Business

Business professionals of tomorrow need more than an understanding of core business disciplines – they need adaptability, curiosity and agility to respond to a changing future.

Our business degrees have a strong emphasis on applied knowledge and include internships and the opportunity to study abroad.

## Careers in Business

- Aviation expert
- Business intelligence analyst
- Entrepreneur
- Financial consultant
- Marketing executive
- Public relations manager



### Top 5%

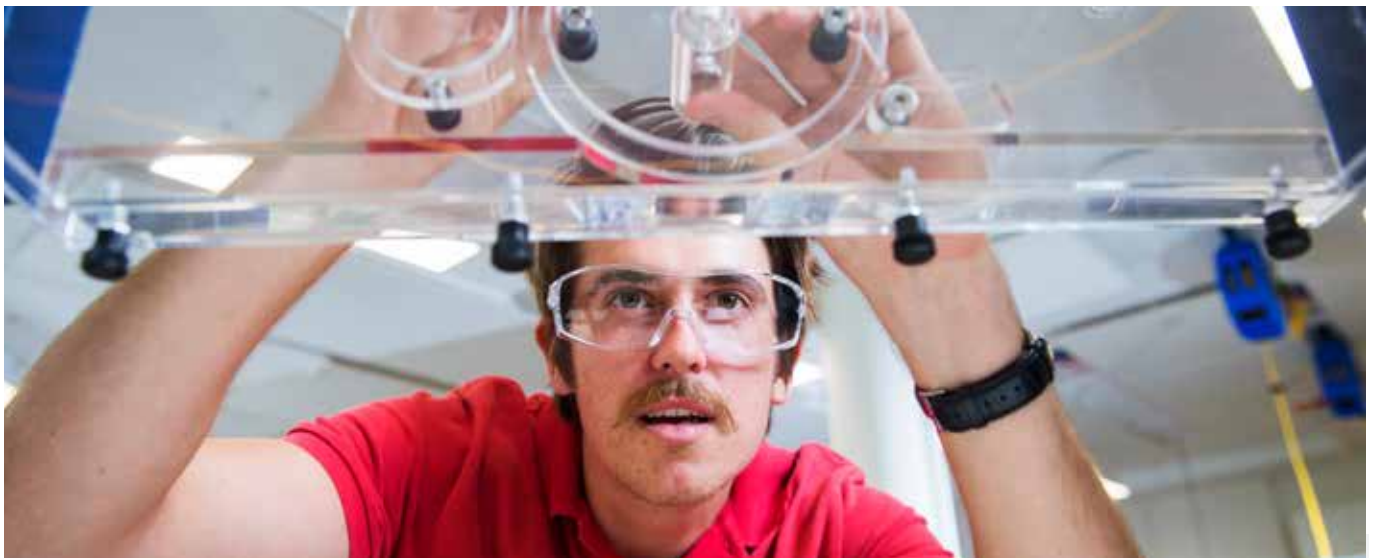
of universities worldwide in Business and Economics  
(Times Higher Education World University Rankings 2020)



### 5-Star

rating for teaching quality and student support in Business and Management  
(Good Universities Guide 2020)





## Engineering

Are you curious about our world and what makes it work? Our degrees will prepare you to problem solve the biggest challenges facing civil, mechanical and coastal systems engineering.

Our engineering laboratories are fitted with state-of-the-art technology, including a 10-tonne self-reacting frame, climate-controlled rooms, a 10-metre tilting water flume, concrete technology and universal machine testing, and 3D printers.

## Careers in Engineering

- Asset management engineer
- Civil engineer
- Coastal systems engineer
- Environmental engineer
- Hydrology expert engineer
- Mechanical engineer
- Renewable energy consultant
- Robotics engineer



### Industry connections

for work placement opportunities and networking



ENGINEERS AUSTRALIA

### 16 key competencies

identified by Engineers Australia inform course structure

## Education

Teachers can have a lasting and profound impact on the lives of their students, from the early childhood years right through to secondary school.

Our education courses are designed to amplify the scope of your teaching practice and all degrees include extensive and meaningful work placements.



### 5 Star

rating for learning resources in Teacher Education (Good Universities Guide 2020)



### Higher starting salary

than national average in Teacher Education (Graduate Outcomes Survey 2017-2019)

## Careers in Education

- After School program coordinator
- Careers advisor
- Education researcher
- Preschool director
- Teacher
- Principal

# Health

The healthcare and social assistance industry is Australia's largest and fastest growing industry. If you have an interest in the human body and a passion for helping others, your career prospects are promising.

Our degrees are designed in consultation with health sector associations to ensure you are well-prepared for what the industry needs.

## Careers in Health

- Exercise physiologist
- Indigenous allied health specialist
- Nurse or Midwife
- Occupational therapist
- Osteopath
- Pathology scientist
- Podiatrist
- Speech pathologist
- Sports scientist
- Psychologist



### 2 Health Clinics

on-campus provide safe and supervised environments for practicums



### No.1 in Australia

for overall quality of education experience, student support and learning resources in Psychology (Good Universities Guide 2020)



# Indigenous Knowledge

Discover how learning and knowledge is shared in the world's oldest living cultures. Our degree explores Indigenous histories, knowledge systems, health and wellbeing, and ways of living. You can also tailor your studies by choosing a major in either community and land management or in Aboriginal health care.

Graduates are well-prepared for careers in a range of professional sectors including health, community services, tourism, business, justice sector or policy and research.

## Careers in Indigenous Knowledge

- Community worker
- Cultural heritage consultant
- Engagement adviser
- Environmental consultant
- Indigenous land manager
- Indigenous programs adviser
- International aid worker
- Paralegal work
- Policy officer



### Culturally safe

dynamic and innovative course for all people



### Strong links

with local Elders and communities as well as international relationships

# Information Technology

The jobs of tomorrow require agile digital specialists who can create, deliver and distribute content and resources seamlessly across channels and technologies.

Our degrees offer not only a thorough grounding in the technology and communications of today, but the ability to see what's coming next.

## Careers in Information Technology

- Big data expert
- Business analyst
- Cybersecurity expert
- Digital entrepreneur
- Network planner
- Software engineer
- User experience expert
- Web developer



### 86% of IT graduates

employed within four months of completing their course

(Graduates Outcomes Survey 2017-2019)



### Digital Enterprise Lab

on-campus enables you to work on real-world projects

# Law

Whether it's defending a client in court, challenging a ruling in a sport tribunal, building a case to protect the environment or kick-starting a corporate career, a legal degree can get you there.

Stand up for what's important to you and personalise your degree with elective units in areas such as human rights, race and the law, animal law, climate law and policy, psychiatry, psychology and the law, and ecological jurisprudence.

## Careers in Law

- Barrister
- Court officer
- Criminologist
- Human rights advocate
- Paralegal
- Property conveyancer
- Specialist or general lawyer



### No.1 in NSW

for learning resources and student support in Law and Paralegal

(Good Universities Guide 2020)



### Accelerated study

options at Law Summer and Winter Schools



## Music and Creative Arts

Do you dream of showcasing your creative work in galleries or on stages around the world? Our music and creative arts degrees will prepare you for the 21st century creative industries. You'll be taught by lecturers who are successful and influential within their respective industries.

Study tours and exchange opportunities to international creative arts hubs are offered as part of your studies.

### Careers in Music and Creative Arts

- Art curator
- Composer
- Event promoter
- Film producer
- Graphic designer
- Musician
- Recording studio manager
- Sound engineer
- Visual artist



### Major festival connections

such as Splendour in the Grass, Mullum Music Festival and Byron Writers Festival



### Extensive facilities

Outstanding visual arts, recording and performing studios



## Science and Environment

Answers to the world's largest challenges and greatest opportunities are hidden in the sky, in the sea and under the soil. Support the change generation by seeking solutions to the issues which keep you awake at night.

Our four science laboratories for biology, chemistry, geology and aquaculture are fully equipped with advanced analytical equipment. Our new major in regenerative agriculture blends extensive transdisciplinary expertise.

### Careers in Science and Environment

- Aquaculture or fisheries manager
- Ecological researcher
- Ecotourism manager
- Environmental policy analyst
- Forest science technician
- Marine biologist
- Natural park scientist
- Regenerative agriculture expert
- Sustainable resource consultant
- Waste management planner



### No.1 in NSW

for teaching quality and skills development in **Science and Mathematics** (Good Universities Guide 2020)



### World renowned

National Marine Science Centre near Solitary Islands Marine Park, Coffs Harbour



## Social Sciences and Community Services

Are you a people person? Whether you want to create an impact on one individual's life or the lives of many, a rewarding and fulfilling career awaits.

You can focus our degrees towards your passion by selecting a major which will lead you towards your dream career – such as disability and working with children, or politics and sociology.

### Careers in Social Sciences and Community Services

- Community support worker
- Counsellor
- Disability services manager
- Mental health worker
- Policy analyst
- Social scientist
- Social or youth worker



**Global top 5%**

**in Social Sciences**  
(THE World University Rankings 2020)



**No.1 in Australia**

**for student support and learning resources in Social Work**  
(Good Universities Guide 2020)

## Tourism

Tourism is a super-growth industry driving the Australian economy. With more than nine million international visitors every year\*, here's your chance to be a part of the boom.

Whether you hope to pursue a career in luxury travel, resorts, events and entertainment or travel management, a degree in tourism gives you transferable skills for a career rich with diversity.

\* Australian Bureau of Statistics, 2018-2019

### Careers in Tourism

- Ecotourism operator
- Event manager
- Food and beverage manager
- Guest relations manager
- Hotel or resort manager
- Tourism operator
- Tourism policy adviser
- Travel agent



**No.1 in NSW**

**for full time employment in Tourism, Hospitality, Personal Services, Sport and Recreation**  
(Good Universities Guide 2020)












**89% of graduates**














**employed within four months of completing their course**  
(Graduates Outcomes Survey 2017-2019)













# Southern Cross courses

	Annual Fee	IELTS	Location	Duration	Starts	Professional accreditation
<b>Arts and Humanities</b>						
<b>Undergraduate</b>						
<b>Bachelor of Arts</b> CRICOS 016183A MAJORS in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>History</li> <li>Creative Writing</li> <li>Cultural Studies</li> <li>Digital Media</li> <li>Politics and International Relations</li> </ul> + Shared majors available <b>EAP 1</b>	\$26,800	6.0	<b>Lismore</b> Not all majors and specialisations are available at all locations. Check the website for details.	3 years	February, June	
<b>Bachelor of Digital Media</b> CRICOS 102203G <b>EAP 1</b>	\$26,800	6.0	<b>Lismore, Coomera</b>	3 years	February, June (June start Lismore only)	
<b>Business</b>						
<b>Undergraduate</b>						
<b>Diploma of Business</b> CRICOS 079231K <b>UQP EAP 1</b>	\$26,800	5.5	<b>Gold Coast</b>	1 year	February, June, October	
<b>Bachelor of Business and Enterprise</b> CRICOS 102201J MAJORS in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Aviation Management</li> <li>Business Analytics</li> <li>Entrepreneurship and Innovation</li> </ul> + Shared majors available SPECIALISATIONS in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Accounting</li> <li>Financial Services</li> </ul> <b>UQP EAP 1 DIP BUS</b> <b>Bachelor of Business and Enterprise Major in Aviation Management</b> CRICOS 012200K	\$26,800	6.0	<b>Gold Coast</b>	3 years	February, June, October	<b>CPA Australia, CA ANZ (Accounting major). ASIC RG146 accreditation (Finance Services major)</b>
<b>Postgraduate</b>						
<b>Graduate Diploma in Business</b> CRICOS 079661K <b>EAP 1</b>	\$29,200	6.0	<b>Gold Coast</b>	1 year	February, June, October	
<b>Graduate Diploma in Accounting</b> CRICOS 055689G <b>PQP EAP 2</b>	\$29,200	6.5	<b>Gold Coast</b>	1 year	February, June, October	
<b>Master of Business Administration</b> CRICOS 079662J <b>PQP EAP 2</b>	\$29,200	6.5	<b>Gold Coast</b>	2 years	February, June, October	

	Annual Fee	IELTS	Location	Duration	Starts	Professional accreditation
<b>Business (continued)</b>						
<b>Postgraduate</b>						
<b>Master of Professional Accounting</b> CRICOS 078675A  	\$29,200	6.5	Gold Coast	2 years	February, June, October	CPA Australia, CA ANZ, IPA
<b>Education</b>						
<b>Undergraduate</b>						
<b>Bachelor of Arts/Bachelor of Education (Primary)</b> CRICOS 085928D	\$26,800	7.5	Gold Coast, Lismore	4 years	February, June	NESA QCT AITSL
<b>Bachelor of Arts/Bachelor of Education (Primary/Early Childhood)</b> CRICOS 085927E	\$26,800	7.5	Gold Coast, Lismore	4 years	February, June	NESA QCT AITSL ACECQA
<b>Engineering</b>						
<b>Undergraduate</b>						
<b>Bachelor of Engineering Systems (Honours)</b> CRICOS 0102158 SPECIALISATIONS in: • Civil Engineering • Coastal Systems Engineering • Mechanical Engineering  	\$32,000	6.0	Lismore	4 years	February, June	EA
<b>Postgraduate</b>						
<b>Master of Engineering Management, Master of Business Administration</b> CRICOS 094098G  	\$29,200	6.5	Gold Coast	2 years	February, June, October	AIM
<b>Health</b>						
<b>Undergraduate</b>						
<b>Bachelor of Biomedical Science</b> CRICOS 0102161 	\$27,600	6.0	Gold Coast	3 years	February	
<b>Bachelor of Clinical Sciences (Osteopathic Studies)</b> CRICOS 091528C 	\$27,600	7.0	Gold Coast, Lismore	3 years	February	OBA
<b>Bachelor of Exercise Science and Psychological Science</b> CRICOS 0102160 	\$29,600	6.0	Gold Coast, Coffs Harbour	4 years	February, June	APAC, ESSA (qualifying accreditation)
<b>Bachelor of Midwifery</b> CRICOS 078636G	\$27,600	7.0	Gold Coast, Coffs Harbour	3 years	February	NMBA
<b>Bachelor of Nursing</b> CRICOS 016165C	\$27,600	7.0	Gold Coast, Lismore, Coffs Harbour	3 years	February	NMBA

	Annual Fee	IELTS	Location	Duration	Starts	Professional accreditation
<b>Health (continued)</b>						
<b>Undergraduate</b>						
<b>Bachelor of Nursing (for Enrolled Nurses)</b> CRICOS 093295K	\$27,600	7.0	<b>Gold Coast, Coffs Harbour</b>	<b>2 years</b>	<b>February</b>	<b>NMBA</b>
<b>Bachelor of Occupational Therapy</b> CRICOS 082680C Optional MAJOR in: • Indigenous Health  	\$27,600	7.0	<b>Gold Coast, Coffs Harbour</b>	<b>4 years</b>	<b>February</b>	<b>OTA OTC</b>
<b>Bachelor of Podorthics</b> CRICOS 086343K 	\$27,600	7.0	<b>Gold Coast</b>	<b>3 years</b>	<b>February</b>	<b>PAA</b>
<b>Bachelor of Podiatry</b> CRICOS 085519K  	\$27,600	7.0	<b>Gold Coast</b>	<b>4 years</b>	<b>February</b>	<b>ANZPAC</b>
<b>Bachelor of Podiatry, Bachelor of Podorthics</b> CRICOS 097466G 	\$27,600	7.0	<b>Gold Coast</b>	<b>5 years</b>	<b>February</b>	<b>PAA ANZPAC</b>
<b>Bachelor of Psychological Science</b> CRICOS 071464B 	\$27,600	6.0	<b>Gold Coast, Coffs Harbour</b>	<b>3 years</b>	<b>February, June, October</b> (October start Gold Coast only)	<b>APAC</b>
<b>Bachelor of Speech Pathology</b> CRICOS 085520F	\$27,600	8.0	<b>Gold Coast, Coffs Harbour</b>	<b>4 years</b>	<b>February</b>	<b>SPA</b>
<b>Bachelor of Sport and Exercise Science</b> CRICOS 059883F MAJORS in: • Exercise Science • Education • Nutrition Studies 	\$27,600	6.0	<b>Gold Coast, Lismore, Coffs Harbour</b>	<b>3 years</b>	<b>February, June</b>	<b>ESSA FA ASCA</b>
<b>Postgraduate</b>						
<b>Master of Clinical Exercise Physiology</b> CRICOS 071787E 	\$29,600	6.5	<b>Gold Coast, Lismore</b>	<b>1.5 years</b>	<b>February</b>	<b>ESSA</b>
<b>Master of Osteopathic Medicine</b> CRICOS 098206J 	\$29,600	7.0	<b>Gold Coast, Lismore</b>	<b>1.5 years</b>	<b>February</b>	<b>OBA</b>
<b>Information Technology</b>						
<b>Undergraduate</b>						
<b>Bachelor of Information Technology</b> CRICOS 019840D MAJORS in: • Business Analytics • Networks and Cybersecurity • Software Development • User Experience   	\$26,800	6.0	<b>Gold Coast, Coomera</b> Not all majors and specialisations are available at all locations. Check the website for details.	<b>3 years</b>	<b>February, June, October</b> (October start not available in Coomera)	

	Annual Fee	IELTS	Location	Duration	Starts	Professional accreditation
<b>Information Technology (continued)</b>						
<b>Postgraduate</b>						
<b>Master of Information Technology</b> CRICOS 097605B   	\$29,200	6.5	Gold Coast	2 years	February, June, October	
<b>Indigenous Knowledge</b>						
<b>Undergraduate</b>						
<b>Bachelor of Indigenous Knowledge</b> CRICOS 093086G MAJORS in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Community and Land Management</li> <li>Aboriginal Health Care</li> </ul> 	\$26,800	6.0	Lismore	3 years	February	
<b>Law</b>						
<b>Undergraduate</b>						
<b>Associate Degree in Law (Paralegal Studies)</b> CRICOS 016182B Optional MAJOR in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Conveyancing</li> </ul> 	\$26,800	6.0	Gold Coast, Lismore	2 years	February, June (June start Gold Coast only)	NSW Fair Trading (Conveyancing major)
<b>Bachelor of Laws (Graduate Entry)</b> CRICOS 016164D  	\$26,800	6.0	Gold Coast, Lismore	3 years	February, June (June start Gold Coast only)	
<b>Bachelor of Laws (Undergraduate Entry)</b> CRICOS 050150E  	\$26,800	6.0	Gold Coast, Lismore	4 years	February, June (June start Gold Coast only)	
<b>Bachelor of Legal and Justice Studies</b> CRICOS 022342G Optional MAJOR in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Conveyancing</li> </ul> 	\$26,800	6.0	Gold Coast, Lismore	3 years	February, June (June start Gold Coast only)	NSW Fair Trading (Conveyancing major)
<b>Double degrees in Law</b>						
<b>Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Laws</b> CRICOS 022343F  	\$26,800	6.0	Lismore	5 years	February	
<b>Bachelor of Business, Bachelor of Laws</b> CRICOS 019853K  	\$26,800	6.0	Gold Coast, Lismore	5 years	February, June (June start Gold Coast only)	
<b>Bachelor of Laws and Creative Writing</b> CRICOS 096002D  	\$26,800	6.0	Lismore	4 years	February	

	Annual Fee	IELTS	Location	Duration	Starts	Professional accreditation
<b>Law (continued)</b>						
<b>Double degrees in Law</b>						
<b>Bachelor of Legal and Justice Studies, Bachelor of Laws</b> CRICOS 026999M <b>EAP 1</b>	\$26,800	6.0	Gold Coast, Lismore	5 years	February, June (June start Gold Coast only)	
<b>Music and Creative Arts</b>						
<b>Undergraduate</b>						
<b>Associate Degree of Creative Writing</b> CRICOS 040061M <b>EAP 1</b>	\$26,800	6.0	Lismore	2 years	February, June	
<b>Bachelor of Art and Design</b> CRICOS 096003C <b>EAP 1</b>	\$26,800	6.0	Lismore	3 years	February	
<b>Bachelor of Contemporary Music</b> CRICOS 026996C <b>EAP 1</b>	\$26,800	6.0	Lismore, Coomera	3 years	February	
<b>Bachelor of Digital Media</b> CRICOS 102203G <b>EAP 1</b>	\$26,800	6.0	Lismore, Coomera	3 years	February, June (June start Lismore only)	
<b>Science and Environment</b>						
<b>Undergraduate</b>						
<b>Diploma of Science</b> CRICOS 086408J <b>EAP 1</b>	\$30,400	5.5	Lismore	1 year	February	
<b>Bachelor of Environmental Science</b> CRICOS 0102159 MAJORS in: • Land and Water Management • Fauna and Flora Conservation • Environmental Stewardship + Shared majors available SPECIALISATION in: • Regenerative Agriculture <b>EAP 1</b> <b>DIP SCI</b>	\$30,400	6.0	Lismore	3 years	February, June	EIANZ
<b>Bachelor of Marine Science and Management</b> CRICOS 058084A <b>EAP 1</b> <b>DIP SCI</b>	\$30,400	6.0	National Marine Science Centre Coffs Harbour, Lismore	3 years	February, June	
<b>Bachelor of Environmental Science/ Bachelor of Marine Science and Management</b> CRICOS 086340B <b>EAP 1</b> <b>DIP SCI</b>	\$30,400	6.0	Lismore	4 years	February, June	EIANZ
<b>Bachelor of Forest Science and Management</b> CRICOS 019851A <b>EAP 1</b> <b>DIP SCI</b>	\$30,400	6.0	Lismore	4 years	February, June	IFA

	Annual Fee	IELTS	Location	Duration	Starts	Professional accreditation
<b>Science and Environment (continued)</b>						
<b>Postgraduate</b>						
<b>Graduate Diploma of Forest Science and Management</b> CRICOS 071788D  <b>EAP 1</b>	\$32,000	6.0	Lismore	1 year	February, June	IFA
<b>Master of Forest Science and Management</b> CRICOS 068266A  <b>EAP 2</b>	\$32,000	6.5	Lismore	2 years	February, June	IFA
<b>Master of Marine Science and Management</b> CRICOS 083426J  <b>EAP 2</b>	\$32,000	6.5	National Marine Science Centre Coffs Harbour	2 years	February, June	
<b>Social Sciences and Community Services</b>						
<b>Undergraduate</b>						
<b>Bachelor of Community Welfare</b> CRICOS 102202H  <b>EAP 2</b>	\$26,800	6.5	Gold Coast, Coffs Harbour	3 years	February, June	ACWA
<b>Bachelor of Social Work</b> CRICOS 102204F  <b>EAP 3</b>	\$26,800	7.0	Gold Coast, Lismore	4 years	February, June	AASW
<b>Postgraduate</b>						
<b>Master of Social Work (Professional Qualifying)</b> CRICOS 082686G  <b>EAP 3</b>	\$26,800	7.0	Gold Coast	2 years	February	AASW
<b>Tourism</b>						
<b>Undergraduate</b>						
<b>Diploma of Hotel Management</b> CRICOS 0100351	\$27,600	5.5	The Hotel School Sydney, Melbourne and Brisbane	1 year	February, June, October	
<b>Bachelor of Tourism Management</b> CRICOS 102217A MAJORS in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Sustainable Tourism Management</li> <li>Sustainable Convention and Event Management</li> <li>Sustainable Hospitality Management</li> </ul> + Shared majors available  <b>UQP EAP 1 DIP BUS</b>	\$26,800	6.0	Gold Coast	3 years	February, June, October	
<b>Bachelor of Business in Hotel Management</b> CRICOS 086102E	\$27,600	6.0	The Hotel School Sydney, Melbourne and Brisbane	3 years	February, June, October	

	Annual Fee	IELTS	Location	Duration	Starts	Professional accreditation
<b>Tourism (continued)</b>						
<b>Undergraduate</b>						
<b>International Hotel and Tourism Management Program</b> CRICOS 0101386	\$27,600	6.0	The Hotel School Sydney, Melbourne and Brisbane	2 years	February, June, October	
<b>Postgraduate</b>						
<b>Graduate Diploma of Business in Global Hotel Leadership</b> CRICOS 0101395	\$26,400	6.0	The Hotel School Sydney, Melbourne and Brisbane	1 year	February, June, October	
<b>Graduate Diploma in International Tourism and Hotel Management</b> CRICOS 066578A	\$26,400	6.0	Gold Coast	1 year	February, June, October	
<b>EAP 1</b>						
<b>Master of Business in Global Hotel Leadership</b> CRICOS 0101393	\$26,400	6.5	The Hotel School Sydney, Melbourne and Brisbane	2 years	February, June, October	
<b>Master of International Tourism and Hotel Management</b> CRICOS 085173J	\$26,400	6.5	Gold Coast	2 years	February, June, October	
<b>PQP</b> <b>EAP 2</b>						
<b>Master of International Tourism and Hotel Management, Master of Business Administration</b> CRICOS 097604C	\$29,200	6.5	Gold Coast	2 years	February, June, October	
<b>PQP</b> <b>EAP 2</b>						
<b>Master of International Tourism and Hotel Management, Master of Business Administration</b> CRICOS 097604C	\$29,200	6.5	Gold Coast	2 years	February, June, October	

**Start months:** These include orientation, see key dates on page 25.

**English for Academic Purposes:**

**EAP 1** – entry to courses with IELTS 5.5 and 6; **EAP 2** – entry to courses with IELTS 6.5; **EAP 3** – entry to courses with IELTS 7.0.

## The Hotel School

The Hotel School is a unique partnership between Southern Cross University and Mulpha Australia, a global hotel investment group. With campuses in the centres of Sydney, Melbourne and Brisbane, the Hotel School is perfectly located not only for study but also for internships in leading leisure and hospitality businesses.

Southern Cross was the first university in Australia to offer a degree in tourism and is consistently ranked among the world's best tourism and hospitality schools, most recently rated number 34 in the Academic Rankings of World Universities.

The Hotel School offers Diploma, Bachelor and postgraduate studies in tourism and hotel management, with extended Work Integrated Learning and placements.





## Shared majors

Want to study Arts, but also passionate about helping to solve global environmental challenges?

Depending on which course you are enrolled in, you may be able to choose a major from a wide range of discipline areas across the University.

A shared major is the equivalent of eight units or one year's full-time study.

Shared majors in 2021

**Art and Design**

**Aviation Management**

**Contemporary Music**

**Creative Urban Renewal**

**Creative Writing**

**Cultural Studies**

**Digital Media**

**Entrepreneurship and Innovation**

**Environmental Solutions**

**Environmental Stewardship**

**History**

**Indigenous Knowledge**

**Law and Justice**

**Politics and International Relations**

**Psychology**

**Regenerative Agriculture**

**Sustainable Convention and Event Management**

**Sustainable Tourism Management**

For details visit: [scu.edu.au/sharedmajors](https://scu.edu.au/sharedmajors)



### Key to professional bodies:

**AASW** Australian Association of Social Workers  
**ACECQA** Australian Children's Education and Care Quality Authority  
**ACWA** Australian Community Workers Association  
**AIM** Australian Institute of Management  
**AITSL** Australian Institute for Teaching and School Leadership  
**ANZPAC** Australian and New Zealand Podiatry  
**APAC** Australian Psychology Accreditation Council  
**ASCA** Australian Strength and Conditioning Association  
**ASIC** Australian Securities & Investments Commission  
**CA ANZ** Chartered Accountants Australia and New Zealand  
**EA** Engineers Australia

**EIANZ** Environment Institute of Australia and New Zealand  
**ESSA** Exercise and Sport Science Australia  
**FA** Fitness Australia  
**IFA** Institute of Foresters of Australia  
**IPA** Institute of Public Accountants  
**NESA** NSW Education Standards Authority  
**NMBA** Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia  
**OBA** Osteopathy Board of Australia  
**OTA** Occupational Therapy Australia  
**OTC** Occupational Therapy Council  
**QCT** Queensland College of Teachers  
**SPA** Speech Pathology Australia  
**PAA** Podiatric Association of Australia

# Study Abroad

Our Study Abroad program offers students the opportunity to study one or two sessions in Australia, with the provision of credit back to your home institution.

Course Name	Annual Fee	IELTS		GC	L	CH	Duration
<b>Study Abroad</b>							
<b>Study Abroad Undergraduate</b> CRICOS 019864G	\$8,400 (4 units) \$9,100 with the Explore Australia trip	6.0	Students can choose from three or four-unit options in a range of study areas including business, marketing and tourism, creative arts, cultural and Indigenous studies, environmental science, health and language.	Feb Jun Oct	Jun Oct		6 months or 1 session
<b>Study Abroad Postgraduate</b> CRICOS 019864G	\$8,100 (3 units)	6.5	Choose to spend 6 months or a year studying abroad with a wide range of units to choose from.	Feb Jun Oct	Jun Oct		6 months or 1 session
<b>Career Start (Study Abroad)</b> CRICOS 096807M	\$12,000	5.0	The course starts with 10 weeks of English for Academic Purposes (EAP), followed by four units of academic study in either business, tourism and hospitality, science or arts streams over one session. See below for stream availability. <b>Advanced standing:</b> 4 unit credit into Diploma of Business or Diploma of Science.	•	•		6 months

Gold Coast streams	Starts
Arts	18 Nov 20
Business	18 Nov 20, 30 Mar, 3 Aug 21
Tourism & Hospitality	8 Nov 20, 30 Mar, 3 Aug 21
Science	18 Nov 20
Lismore streams	Starts
Arts	18 Nov 20, 30 Mar 21
Business	18 Nov 20, 30 Mar 21
Tourism & Hospitality	18 Nov 20, 30 Mar 21
Science	18 Nov 20



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# How to apply

## Step 1. Apply

[scu.edu.au/international](https://scu.edu.au/international)

**Apply online** (preferred) OR complete the **International Application for Admission** form with all supporting documents:

- Original or Certified Copy of academic transcripts, with grading system
- English language test results (e.g. IELTS, TOEFL)
- Academic or employer references (if required)
- Advanced Standing application (if relevant). Advanced standing refers to previous study or work experience which may reduce the duration of your degree. You should apply for advanced standing at the time of application.

Submit your completed **International Application for Admission** form with all supporting documents to [intapps@scu.edu.au](mailto:intapps@scu.edu.au)

Please note: In some countries it is compulsory to apply through an approved Southern Cross University Education agent.

For details visit [scu.edu.au/international/agents](https://scu.edu.au/international/agents)

## Step 2. Assessment

Applications will be acknowledged and responded to within 10 days\*.

Successful applications receive an **International Offer Package (Offer)** including:

- Offer
- Information for Accepting your Offer
- Offer Acceptance Agreement.

\* Time period relates to complete application for the immediate study period.

## Step 3. Accept

1. Review the **Offer** to make sure all information is correct and submit extra documents if requested.  
Once conditions are met, send the signed **Offer Acceptance Agreement**, before the **Offer Lapse Date**.
2. Pay the 'fee payable on acceptance' amount on the **Offer** once Genuine Temporary Entrant (GTE) conditions are met.
3. Once all documents are received and conditions are met, Southern Cross University will issue an electronic Confirmation of Enrolment (**eCOE**) so you can apply for an Australian visa.

## 2021 Key dates

### Session 1

**Orientation:** 22 – 26 February

**Start:** 1 March

**Exams:** 31 May – 11 June

### Session 2

**Orientation:** 28 June – 2 July

**Start:** 5 July

**Exams:** 5 – 15 October

### Session 3

**Orientation:** 27 – 29 October

**Start:** 1 November

**Exams:** 14 – 18 February 2022

**Annual Tuition Fees are in Australian dollars (AUD)**, are correct at time of printing (June 2020) and subject to change. Annual tuition fee is based on completing 8 units per year. Students are required to pay Overseas Health Cover (OSHC) for the duration of their visa in advance. In addition, students will be charged a Student Services and Amenities Fee (SSAF), and indicative non-tuition fees. Visit: [scu.edu.au/international](https://scu.edu.au/international) for more information.

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