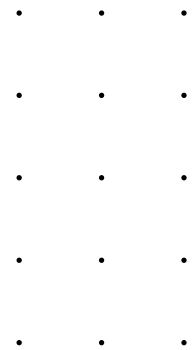


AUSTRALIA



International Postgraduate

# Course Guide\_2027

Swinburne University of Technology



## BECOME A NEXT GENERATION LEADER AT SWINBURNE.

We're reinventing the way you'll learn, grow and succeed, with real industry experience and cutting-edge courses co-created with industry. Build your network and make connections at a university for the ambitious. Then, take the next step in your career – whether in Australia or around the globe.

Join us, and become a part of the next generation\_now.

### Acknowledgement of Country

We respectfully acknowledge the Wurundjeri People of the Kulin Nation, who are the Traditional Owners of the land on which Swinburne's Australian campuses are located in Melbourne's east and outer-east, and pay our respect to their Elders past, present and emerging.

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### TOP 1% GLOBALLY

Swinburne is ranked in the top 300 universities worldwide.

THE World University Rankings 2026

### HIGH GRADUATE EMPLOYMENT

92% of graduates found full-time jobs within four months of finishing their course.

QILT: Graduates Outcomes Survey 2022-2024

### TOP 150 GLOBALLY

Swinburne is ranked #146 in the world.

US News: Best Global Universities Rankings 2025-2026

### GLOBAL TOP 6% BUSINESS SCHOOL

We are accredited by the Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB) – a prestigious accolade enjoyed by only 6% of the world's business schools.

### TOP 100 GLOBALLY

For automation and control, business administration, computer science and engineering, electrical and electronic engineering, and hospitality and tourism management.

ARWU Global Ranking of Academic Subjects 2025

### CUTTING-EDGE FACILITIES

Our \$5.2M Siemens Swinburne Energy Transition Hub, Space Technology and Industry Institute, Factory of the Future and more are enabling groundbreaking and greener solutions.



# In demand and paid more

BUSINESS	EDUCATION	ENGINEERING	HEALTH
<b>A\$109K</b>	<b>92.7%</b>	<b>A\$86.7K</b>	<b>90.6%</b>
is the median income for graduates in full-time employment.	of graduates found employment within four months of finishing their course.	is the median income for graduates in full-time employment.	of graduates found employment within four months of finishing their course.
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY	PSYCHOLOGY <b>#1 in Melbourne</b>	SCIENCE <b>#1 in Melbourne</b>	
<b>A\$98K</b>	<b>A\$96K</b>	<b>93.9%</b>	
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QILT: Graduates Outcomes Survey 2022-2024



# Our grads work for the biggest and best

- North and South America**  
 Tesla, Microsoft, Amazon, Deloitte, Salesforce, Morgan Stanley, Pfizer, Goldman Sachs, PayPal, Meta.
- Europe**  
 Diageo, PwC UK, University of Cambridge, British Airways, Deloitte UK, Google, American Express, HSBC, Adidas, IBM.
- Asia**  
 Ernst & Young, Shell, Intel, Nokia, Apple, Accenture, IBM, Microsoft, Dell, Telstra.
- Africa and Middle East**  
 Qatar Airways, Accenture, BHP, Fujita Corporation, Etihad Airways, First Abu Dhabi Bank (FAB), Emirates, Ernst & Young, Cisco, Zenith Bank International.
- Australia/Oceania**  
 NAB, IBM, NBN Australia, Australia Post, Telstra, ANZ, Qantas, Deloitte, Commonwealth Bank, AGL Energy, Woolworths Group, Virgin Australia, KPMG.

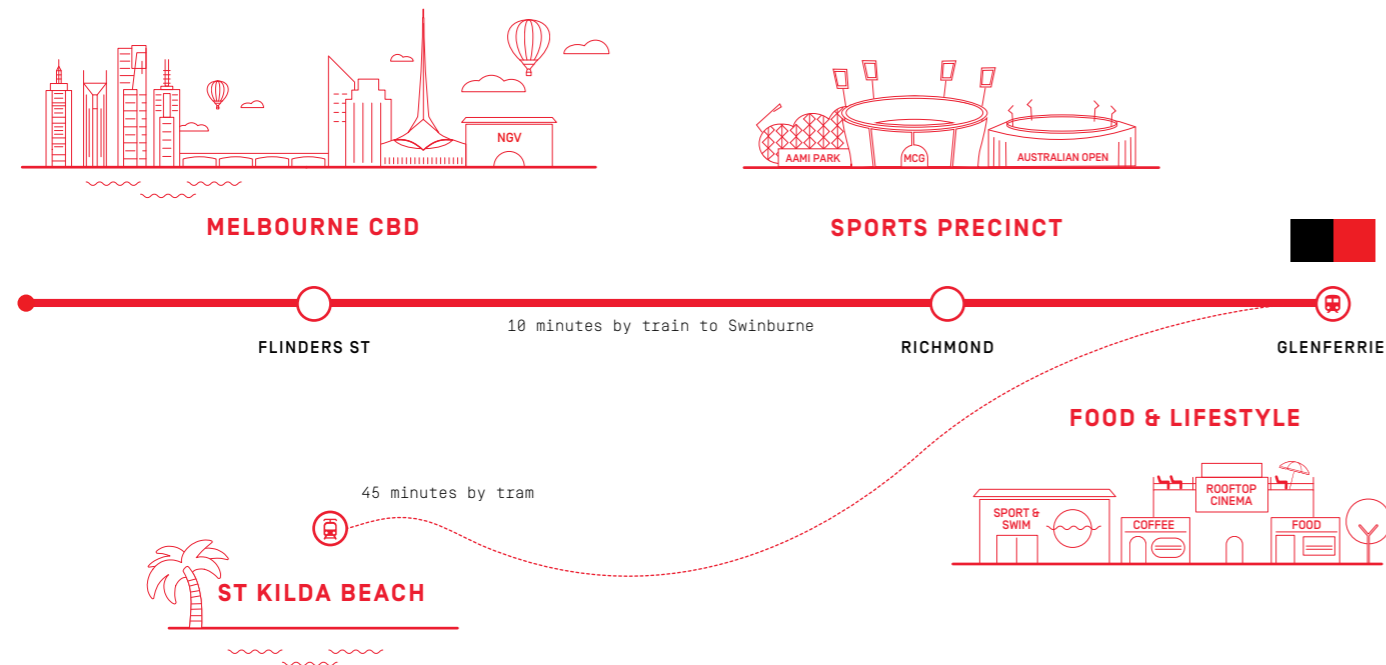
Source: LinkedIn

# Making Melbourne home

Melbourne is Australia's top student city and fifth in the world.<sup>1</sup> It is home to Australian rules football, a thriving arts scene, beautiful sandy beaches, world-class shopping, and more than five million people representing around 140 cultures from around the globe.<sup>2</sup>

You'll feel at home, too, with a vibrant international student community, and a warm, welcoming atmosphere here at Swinburne. Our Hawthorn campus is just ten minutes by train from Melbourne's city centre and surrounded by parks, shops and multicultural dining options.

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## Settling in at Swinburne

Transitioning to a new country and learning environment is a big leap. Swinburne has all the support services and specialists to help you settle in and set up for success.

### Goin' app

A free app made just for international students. Goin' is an easy way to meet people, ask questions and feel comfortable before your studies begin.

### International Student Advisors

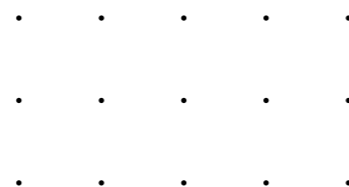
Our dedicated team is here to answer any question you may have, whether big or small. Visas, accommodation, finding a job, help during emergencies and more.

### Learning and Academic Skills Centre

Get help with your assignments and build your study skills. We can support with essay writing, researching and referencing, presentations, and exam preparation.

### Swinburne Student Association

You've come to the right place for clubs and sports, leadership opportunities, legal or financial advice, discounts, events and more!



# Real industry experience. Guaranteed.

At Swinburne, we guarantee real industry experience in all our master degrees. Our award-winning<sup>1</sup> Work Integrated Learning program is immersive, exploratory, innovative and practical, and has been running for more than 60 years. This is how we make sure that you'll become the next generation talent our workforce needs.

We collaborate with industry partners like National Australia Bank (NAB), PwC, Royal Melbourne Hospital, IBM and many more, to give you the industry experience that will connect you to your career faster.

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## Work Integrated Learning opportunities



Get valuable Australian work experience with a part-time internship. Internships are a powerful addition to your résumé, and will help you stand out in your future job search. They usually take place over the course of a semester, are typically unpaid, and are covered by your visa conditions – meaning they should not impact your ability to work part-time. We offer internships in a range of IT, engineering and business master degrees.



Work with clients, respond to industry briefs, develop proposals or prototypes and gain experience using tools and techniques from your field of study. You'll collaborate with fellow students to find solutions to real, current issues, and get feedback from industry experts. Industry projects are offered in business, engineering, IT, and media and communication master degrees.



In some study areas, such as education, engineering, dietetics, law, occupational therapy, physiotherapy and psychology, work placements are a built-in requirement of your degree, providing you with vital hands-on experience in your discipline.



Sachith

SRI LANKA

Master of Engineering [Civil]

Senior Project Engineer, ACCIONA Construcción

"At Swinburne, you get so much exposure to the practical side of things. Many Swinburne professors are in industry. In fact, one of my professors introduced me to a field engineer at the Snowy Hydro power scheme. That's how I got a job on the project!"

### Did you know?

Securing a placement or internship is competitive, just like a real job – meaning you'll need to create a résumé, cover letter and participate in an interview as part of the selection process. Our Careers and Employability team can help guide you the whole way through.

<sup>1</sup>Employability category of the Australian Financial Review's Higher Education Awards 2024

<sup>1</sup> QS Best Student Cities 2026

<sup>2</sup> City of Melbourne 'Multicultural communities' webpage

# Built Environment and Architecture

Design and build a future everyone can thrive in.

## TOP 260 GLOBALLY for architecture and built environment

QS World University Rankings by Subject 2026

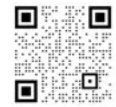
## AUSTRALIA'S FIRST

Our Master of Architecture and Urban Design is the first and only double degree of its kind in Australia



for teaching quality, learner engagement and student support

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## NEXT GEN CAMPUS

## PROTOLAB

This digital fabrication facility is frequently used for industry collaboration. Home to industrial robots, 3D printers, laser cutters and more, it's also where students from architecture and design go to create their prototypes.



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Ruby

Master of Architecture

"Working in the ProtoLAB was one of the highlights of my university education. Using laser cutters and 3D printers would have once really scared me. But the staff are amazing, they're there to help you, and always trying to help you use up-and-coming tech."

### Master of Architecture

Our Master of Architecture provides you with theoretical knowledge along with practice-based studio learning. It offers a framework for exploring modern design practices that involve evidence-based approaches, and the use of information retrieval, search algorithms, and optimisation techniques. This qualification allows you to practice as a registered architect.

#### English language requirement

IELTS overall band of 6.5 (Academic Module) with no individual band below 6.0.

#### Entry requirements

A recognised bachelor degree (or higher award) in architecture or a related field, and submission of an online portfolio.

#### Professional accreditation

Architects Accreditation Council of Australia.

- 2 years
- Melbourne
- 098495F
- March, August

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#### Career opportunities

- Architect
- Architectural designer
- Draftsperson.

### Master of Architecture and Urban Design

Learn to create urban designs that allow modern cities to thrive. This course suits professionals who can embrace 3D space, big data, and other environmental factors that address 21st century design challenges. You will learn about speculative and creative design thinking and how to engage with people, data, and advanced technologies to achieve the best results.

#### English language requirement

IELTS overall band of 6.5 (Academic Module) with no individual band below 6.0.

#### Entry requirements

A recognised bachelor degree (or higher award) in architecture or a related field, and submission of an online portfolio.

#### Professional accreditation

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- March, August

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#### Career opportunities

- Architect
- Urban designer
- Town planner
- Strategic planner
- Draftsperson.



# Business

Accelerate your corporate career or kickstart your own business.

**#8 IN AUSTRALIA  
#31 IN THE WORLD**  
for business administration

ARWU Global Ranking of Academic Subjects 2025

**A\$109K ANNUAL SALARY**

What our graduates in full-time employment earn

QILT: Graduates Outcomes Survey 2022-2024

**TOP 6% IN THE WORLD**

We are accredited by the Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB) - a prestigious accolade enjoyed by only 6% of the world's business schools

**CO-CREATED WITH INDUSTRY**

Our industry partners include IBM, Siemens, Medibank, Pitcher Partners and Tableau



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**Chelsea**

CHINA

Master of Marketing

"I chose Swinburne for its strong integration of theory and practice. Through career guidance and industry partnerships, I've gained real-world experience. Here, you'll gain not just a degree, but a journey full of possibilities."

## Master of Professional Accounting

Investigate alongside industry partners in the KordaMentha Financial Crime Lab, and gain expertise in concepts like AI and financial crime with the Australian-first Financial Technology specialisation. Our exclusive partnership with Chartered Accountants Australia and New Zealand puts you on the fastest path to CA certification in Australia. Forge industry connections and graduate with a flexible toolkit to advance into senior roles.

### English language requirement

IELTS overall band of 6.5 (Academic Module) with no individual band below 6.0.

### Specialisations

Financial Technologies.

### Entry requirements

A recognised bachelor degree (or higher award) in any discipline, or completion of the Postgraduate Qualifying Program.

### Professional accreditation



🕒 2 years  
📍 Melbourne  
📄 116706B  
📅 March, August

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### Career opportunities

- Auditor
- Financial analyst
- Financial accountant
- Financial crime investigator
- Management accountant.

## Master of Business Administration

Step beyond convention as you master next-gen leadership at the intersection of technology, sustainability and social responsibility. Progress through four dynamic learning phases, selecting ambitious specialisations and engaging in signature Immersion units to put theory into practice. Expand your professional network through our partnership with the Institute of Managers and Leaders.

### English language requirement

IELTS overall band of 6.5 (Academic Module) with no individual band below 6.0.

### Specialisations

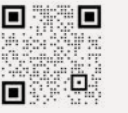
Business Information Systems, Digital Marketing, Human Resource Management, Project Management, Social Impact, and Supply Chain Innovation.

### Entry requirements

A recognised bachelor degree (or higher award) in any discipline, or completion of the Postgraduate Qualifying Program.

🕒 2 years  
📍 Melbourne  
📄 102648M  
📅 March, August

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### Career opportunities

- Middle to senior management
- Supply chain management
- Project management
- Human resource management
- Entrepreneur.

## Master of Business Information Systems

The Master of Business Information Systems bridges the gap between coders and business decision-makers. Become proficient at both skillsets and emerge ready to occupy an untapped space. You'll develop technical skills, analytical communication, data visualisation, and strategic skills that you can apply to a number of practical opportunities.

In the Business Analytics and International Business specialisations, you can apply for an internship - a semester-long, part-time undertaking with a reputable host organisation.

### English language requirement

IELTS overall band of 6.5 (Academic Module) with no individual band below 6.0.

### Specialisations

Accounting, Business Analytics, Digital Marketing, Entrepreneurship, Finance, Financial Technologies, Human Resource Management, International Business, Project Management, Research, Social Impact, and Supply Chain Innovation.

### Entry requirements

A recognised bachelor degree (or higher award) in any discipline, or completion of the Postgraduate Qualifying Program.

### Professional accreditation



🕒 2 years  
📍 Melbourne  
📄 092700K  
📅 March, August

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### Career opportunities

- Data analyst
- Business analyst
- ICT project manager.

## Master of Finance

Master the essentials of finance, banking, investment, and analysis with our revamped Master of Finance. Aligned with the CFA Institute and a CAIA Academic Partner, the program covers fintech, AI, blockchain, cyber security, alternative investments, business analytics, and sustainability.

### English language requirement

IELTS overall band of 6.5 (Academic Module) with no individual band below 6.0.

### Entry requirements

A recognised bachelor degree (or higher award) in any discipline, or completion of the Postgraduate Qualifying Program.

### Professional accreditation



🕒 2 years  
📍 Melbourne  
📄 102233A  
📅 March, August

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### Career opportunities

- Fintech business analyst
- AI-driven financial analyst
- ESG investment analyst
- Alternative investment analyst
- Cyber security specialist in finance.

### Master of Human Resource Management

Building a team with the right people is critical to the success of any business. Our Master of Human Resource management provides you with the knowledge to effectively lead people in a rapidly changing business environment. Learn to embrace the radical emerging shifts in the way we work to become a high-performing human resource manager in this industry-accredited hands-on course.

In the Business Analytics and International Business specialisations, you can apply for an internship – a semester-long, part-time undertaking with a reputable host organisation.

#### English language requirement

IELTS overall band of 6.5 (Academic Module) with no individual band below 6.0.

#### Specialisations

Accounting, Business Analytics, Business Information Systems, Digital Marketing, Entrepreneurship, Finance, Financial Technologies, International Business, Project Management, Research, Social Impact, and Supply Chain Innovation.

#### Entry requirements

A recognised bachelor degree (or higher award) in any discipline, or completion of the Postgraduate Qualifying Program.

#### Professional accreditation



- 2 years
- Melbourne
- 102651E
- March, August

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#### Career opportunities

- Human resources
- People development
- Change management
- Diversity and inclusion
- Talent management.

### Master of Marketing

Our Master of Marketing gives you a deep understanding of target markets and how to communicate with them. Learn how to influence behaviour and communicate creatively across different digital platforms, devising innovations that are novel and disruptive.

In the Business Analytics and International Business specialisations, you can apply for an internship – a semester-long, part-time undertaking with a reputable host organisation.

#### English language requirement

IELTS overall band of 6.5 (Academic Module) with no individual band below 6.0.

#### Specialisations

Accounting, Business Analytics, Business Information Systems, Entrepreneurship, Finance, Financial Technologies, Human Resource Management, International Business, Project Management, Research, Social Impact, Social Media, Supply Chain Innovation.

#### Entry requirements

A recognised bachelor degree (or higher award) in any discipline, or completion of the Postgraduate Qualifying Program.

- 2 years
- Melbourne
- 102652D
- March, August

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#### Career opportunities

- Marketing manager
- Executive director
- Brand manager
- Market researcher
- Digital marketer.

### Master of Supply Chain Innovation

Successful supply chain managers can think innovatively to gain a competitive advantage. Our Master of Supply Chain Innovation uniquely combines key elements of supply chain management, innovation and business information systems. The course is designed to empower you to improve today's supply chains and equip them for the industry's changing needs.

In the Business Analytics and International Business specialisations, you can apply for an internship – a semester-long, part-time undertaking with a reputable host organisation.

#### English language requirement

IELTS overall band of 6.5 (Academic Module) with no individual band below 6.0.

#### Specialisations

Accounting, Business Analytics, Digital Marketing, Entrepreneurship, Finance, Financial Technologies, Human Resource Management, International Business, Project Management, Research, and Social Impact.

#### Entry requirements

A recognised bachelor degree (or higher award) in any discipline, or completion of the Postgraduate Qualifying Program.

- 2 years
- Melbourne
- 102654B
- March, August

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#### Career opportunities

- Supply chain manager
- Procurement manager
- Logistics manager.



# Design

Influence the design of our everyday lives. Immerse yourself in project-based studio learning that echoes real-life work.

## TOP 150 GLOBALLY for art and design

QS World University Rankings by Subject 2026

★★★★★

for teaching quality, learner engagement and student support

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## YOU COULD WORK FOR

Ford Motor Company, Planet Innovation, Telstra, and Blackmagic Design are just some places our postgrads have found work.



Scan for more info about our design courses



## Florentina

INDONESIA

Master of Design

"In the Master of Design, I get to work on projects with real industry clients. The client gave us feedback not just on the outcome, but also on the process, which is so important to my learning journey. I feel like I am getting real industry experience, which will help me find a job in the future."

### Master of Design

The Master of Design focuses on interdisciplinary collaboration and uses a dynamic, project-based, studio learning environment to expand professional capability. Enhance your expertise within a chosen design field, including visual communication design, industrial design, interior architecture and digital media design.

Choose from two interdisciplinary industry-connected streams. In the Applied Design stream, you'll focus on design practice and entrepreneurship, and work alongside visiting designers and academics on projects that may stem from industry.

In the Design Factory Melbourne stream, the focus is on design innovation and strategy where you'll get the chance to collaborate with industry clients and/or other hubs in the Design Factory Global Network.

#### English language requirement

IELTS overall band of 6.5 (Academic Module) with no individual band below 6.0.

#### Entry requirements

A recognised bachelor degree (or higher award) in design or a related field, or a recognised bachelor degree in any discipline plus relevant professional experience in design or a related field, or completion of the Postgraduate Qualifying Program. Applicants who do not have a qualification in design or a related field must submit a portfolio or detailed CV.

- 2 years
- Melbourne
- 088128A
- March, August

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#### Career opportunities


- Designer
- Strategic design lead
- Design consultant.

# Education

Mentor the next generation. Start practising your teaching skills from day one.

★★★★★  
**#1 IN MELBOURNE** for overall experience  
 QILT: Student Experience Survey 2023-2024

★★★★★  
 for skills development  
 Good Universities Guide 2026

 Scan for more info about our education courses



## Sujit

INDIA

### Graduate Diploma of Early Childhood Teaching

"I chose this course so that I can leave a huge impact on future generations. Initially, it was a career change – I did a Masters of Business earlier, and this field provided me with the opportunity to interlink my previous study. Maybe in the future, I'll have a childcare centre of my own."

### Graduate Diploma of Early Childhood Teaching

Learn how to create engaging and supportive learning environments for children aged from birth to five years. Gain skills in supporting children's learning and development as an early childhood teacher, and complete 452 hours of supervised professional experience as part of the course.

#### English language requirement

IELTS overall band of 6.5 (Academic Module) with no individual band below 6.0.

#### Entry requirements

A recognised bachelor degree (or higher award) in any discipline, or a graded Australian Diploma of Early Childhood Education and Care and a minimum of five years' relevant work experience.

#### Professional accreditation

Australian Children's Education & Care Quality Authority

- 1 year
- Melbourne
- 113014K
- January, April, July, September



#### Career opportunities

- Early childhood teacher
- Early childhood services team leader
- Early childhood centre coordinator
- Early childhood centre director.

### Master of Educational Leadership

Learn from industry experts using the latest pedagogical innovations including masterclasses, personalised coaching, keynotes, and applied workshops. With a strong focus on behavioural neuroscience, this course enhances your efficacy and influence – making you the natural choice for leadership roles in the education sector.

#### English language requirement

IELTS overall band of 6.5 (Academic Module) with no individual band below 6.0.

#### Entry requirements

A recognised bachelor honours degree (or higher award) in any discipline, or a recognised bachelor degree in any discipline plus a minimum of two years' relevant work experience.

- 1 year
- Melbourne
- 117595G
- January, April, July, September



#### Career opportunities

- School principal
- Head of year/department
- Strategic planner
- Centre director
- Government education roles.

### Master of Teaching (Secondary)

Study Swinburne's Master of Teaching (Secondary) to become an accredited teacher in just two years. With the opportunity to complete a paid internship in your second year, you could be leading real classrooms as soon as one year into your studies.

Produced in conjunction with industry partners, course content focuses on classroom management, learning, and responsive teaching, equipping you with the confidence, know-how, and practical skills you need to guide young minds in the modern classroom.

#### English language requirement

IELTS overall band of 7.0 (Academic Module) with no individual band below 7.0 and a score of no less than 7.5 in speaking and listening.

Successful completion of a Casper test is also required.

#### Entry requirements

A recognised bachelor degree (or higher award) that includes a major in at least one approved secondary teaching area, and a minor in at least one other approved teaching area.

#### Professional accreditation



- 2 years
- Melbourne
- 0100750
- January, April, July, September



#### Career opportunities

- Secondary school teacher
- Education program developer
- Educational researcher.



# Engineering

Upgrade your technical skills and position yourself as an expert in your field.

**#1 IN AUSTRALIA  
#9 IN THE WORLD**

for automation and control

ARWU Global Ranking of Academic Subjects 2025

**TOP 100 GLOBALLY**

for electrical and electronic engineering

ARWU Global Ranking of Academic Subjects 2025

★★★★★

**#1 IN MELBOURNE** for learner engagement

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**NEXT GEN CAMPUS**

## FACTORY OF THE FUTURE

Here, collaborative robots, advanced simulation tools, 3D printers and high-precision scanners assist in modernising, innovating, optimising and prototyping.



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## Kuenzang

**BHUTAN**

### Master of Construction and Infrastructure Management

Kuenzang works on Bhutan's Chhuka Hydropower Plant and credits his Swinburne degree with laying the groundwork for his career.

He says the group projects, software, and coursework were all reflective of current Australian practice and translated well to the Bhutanese construction sector.

Meeting other engineers from different backgrounds in his course expanded his perspective and built an invaluable network for the future.

### Master of Construction Management Practice

This course will prepare you for professional roles in managing people, equipment, materials, and projects in building construction and civil infrastructure works. You'll study advanced management and engineering approaches, as well as the innovative tools, including software, needed to manage construction projects.

#### English language requirement

IELTS overall band of 6.5 (Academic Module) with no individual band below 6.0.

#### Entry requirements

A recognised bachelor honours degree (or higher award) in an approved cognate field, or approved equivalent.

- 1 year
- Melbourne
- 107394K
- March, August

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#### Career opportunities

- Construction manager
- Project manager.

### Master of Construction and Infrastructure Management

This course will prepare you for future professional roles in managing people, equipment, materials, technological processes, projects and funds. You'll study advanced management and engineering techniques as well as learn to use innovative tools and software to help you gain employment in the construction and infrastructure management sector.

#### Entry requirements

A recognised bachelor degree (or higher award) in an approved cognate field, or approved equivalent.

#### Professional accreditation



#### English language requirement

IELTS overall band of 6.5 (Academic Module) with no individual band below 6.0.

- 2 years
- Melbourne
- 088131F
- March, August

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#### Career opportunities

- Construction manager
- Project manager.

### Master of Engineering Practice

The Master of Engineering Practice allows you to build on the knowledge gained from your existing undergraduate degree. Choose a speciality area to focus on and gain a deeper technical education to set yourself aside from other graduates in the field. There is scope to work on industry-based research projects to give you practical experience into how the industry works.

#### Specialisations

Advanced Manufacturing, Civil Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Electronic and Telecommunications, Mechanical Engineering, Structural Engineering.

#### Entry requirements

A recognised engineering honours degree (or higher award) in an approved cognate field, or approved equivalent.

- 1 year
- Melbourne
- 103428D
- March, August

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#### Career opportunities

- Senior electrical engineer
- Renewable energy engineer
- Telecommunication network designer
- Civil engineering project manager.

### Master of Engineering Practice/ Master of Construction Management Practice

This dual qualification will develop advanced knowledge and skills in civil or structural engineering and construction management practice related to design, construction, operation and maintenance of buildings and civil infrastructure.

#### Specialisations

Civil Engineering, Structural Engineering.

#### Entry requirements

A recognised engineering honours degree (or higher award) in Civil or Infrastructure or Construction or approved equivalent.

- 2 years
- Melbourne
- 107395J
- March, August

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#### Career opportunities

- Construction manager
- Project manager
- Senior civil engineer
- Senior structural engineer.

### Master of Engineering Science

The Master of Engineering Science has a strong focus on independent research work and builds on the knowledge learned from your existing undergraduate engineering degree. You'll expand your specialised technical knowledge either in the same discipline, or one which is related.

You can also apply for an internship. The commitment is usually two days per week for the duration of a semester with a reputable host organisation.

#### English language requirement

IELTS overall band of 6.5 (Academic Module) with no individual band below 6.0.

#### Specialisations

Advanced Manufacturing, Civil Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Electronic and Telecommunications, Mechanical Engineering, Structural Engineering.

#### Entry requirements

A recognised engineering degree (or higher award) in an approved cognate field, or approved equivalent.

#### Professional accreditation



- 🕒 2 years
- 📍 Melbourne
- 📞 0973356
- 📅 March, August

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#### 📋 Career opportunities

- Senior electrical engineer
- Renewable energy engineer
- Manufacturing systems designer
- Civil engineering project manager.

### Master of Professional Engineering

Strengthen your skills within your chosen field of engineering. In the Master of Professional Engineering, you'll apply advanced technical and management skills to the design, procurement and maintenance of engineering projects. Gain real industry experience through two project units, and get career-ready with specialist workshops and coaching.

#### English language requirement

IELTS overall band of 6.5 (Academic Module) with no individual band below 6.0.

#### Specialisations

Civil and Structural Engineering, Construction Engineering Management, Electrical and Electronic Engineering, Engineering Management, Mechanical and Production Engineering, Renewable Energy, Robotics and Mechatronics, Sustainable Manufacturing.

#### Entry requirements

A recognised engineering degree (or higher award) in an approved cognate field, or approved equivalent.

- 🕒 2 years
- 📍 Melbourne
- 📞 085866B
- 📅 March, August

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#### 📋 Career opportunities

- Construction engineer
- Engineering consultant
- Specialist engineer.



### Swinburne-CSIRO National Industry 4.0 Testlab

In collaboration with the Australian government agency CSIRO (Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation), this lab provides digitally-supported engineering and manufacturing solutions for automotive, aerospace, and production sectors.

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# Health

Use cutting-edge tech for deeper learning. Improve lives and communities.

## 93% OF GRADUATES

found full-time jobs within four months of graduation

QILT: Graduate Outcomes Survey 2022-2024



for skills development and learner engagement

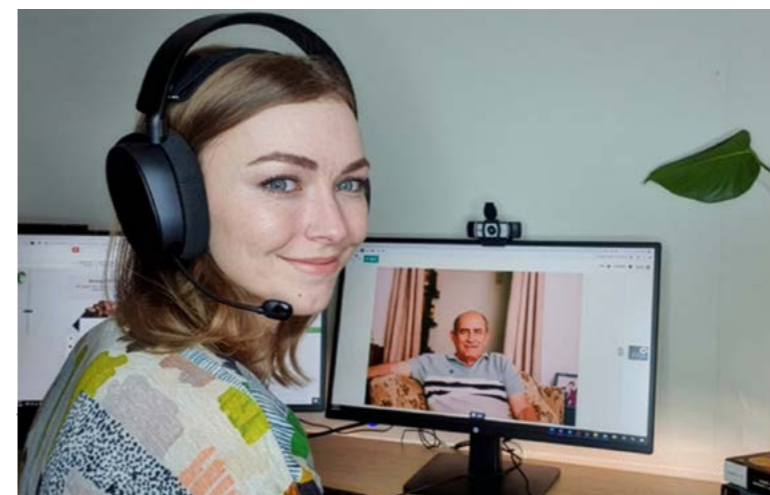
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### Master of Dietetics

Study a Master of Dietetics and help empower people to make informed choices about their health and wellbeing. You'll develop competencies in clinical practice, community, and public health nutrition, along with food service management. You'll be required to complete four professional placement units for a minimum of 100 days.

#### English language requirement

IELTS overall band of 7.0 (Academic Module) with no individual band below 7.0.

#### Entry requirements

A recognised bachelor degree (or higher award) in a relevant study area, or relevant work experience. Subject prerequisites include: chemistry/ biochemistry, human biology and human physiology, and food and nutrition science.

#### Professional accreditation



- 2 years
- Melbourne
- 0100999
- March

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#### Career opportunities

- Clinical dietetics (hospitals)
- Private practice
- Food service management
- Public health services
- Research.

### Master of Occupational Therapy

The Master of Occupational Therapy prepares you with the skills to further your professional healthcare knowledge and help transform the lives of those with neurological, musculoskeletal or mental health issues. This course is designed for self-directed practitioners capable of working in community, acute and rehabilitation settings. You'll undertake 1000 hours of professional practice training, including 800 hours of work placements and at least 240 hours of other professional practice activities in other units.

#### English language requirement

IELTS overall band of 7.0 (Academic Module) with no individual band below 7.0.

#### Entry requirements

A recognised bachelor degree (or higher award) including at least one anatomy and physiology unit, or approved equivalent.

#### Professional accreditation

The Master of Occupational Therapy is accredited by the Occupational Therapy Council of Australia Ltd (OTC) and approved by the Occupational Therapy Board of Australia (OTBA). The program is also approved by the World Federation of Occupational Therapists (WFOT).

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- Melbourne
- 089748J
- June

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#### Career opportunities

- Careers in rehabilitation
- Careers in private practice
- Mental health settings
- Community health settings
- Forensic settings.

### Master of Physiotherapy

Swinburne's Master of Physiotherapy focuses on technology, digital health, leadership, enterprise and self-awareness. Gain the resilience, practical, and research skills for high-level leadership and management positions within the healthcare system. You'll be required to complete a total of 800 hours of clinical practice across both core and clinical placement units.

#### English language requirement

IELTS overall band of 7.0 (Academic Module) with a minimum band score of 7.0 in listening, reading and speaking; and a 6.5 in writing.

#### Entry requirements

A recognised bachelor degree (or higher award) in a health science related field, and at least one unit in each of human anatomy and human physiology.

#### Professional accreditation



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- August

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#### Career opportunities

- Physiotherapist
- Private practice physiotherapist
- Mobile physiotherapist.



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**Chinmayi**

INDIA

Master of Science [Network Systems] graduate

"For my final project, I worked on a client brief. Most units involved this style of learning, and I feel like it really prepared me for the workplace. My course was extremely comprehensive. When I interviewed for my current job, I was able to answer their technical questions with depth and ease, thanks to the training I'd received at Swinburne."

### Master of Cyber Security

The Master of Cyber Security has been designed for students who wish to develop their computer science and cyber security knowledge by focusing on identifying, demonstrating, diagnosing and fixing flaws in software systems. These solutions can apply to web applications, internet-based services and desktop applications.

You'll undertake a capstone project and work with industry clients from external organisations or businesses to deliver viable solutions to real-world problems. You'll also have the chance to apply for an internship which is credited to your degree as work experience.

#### English language requirement

IELTS overall band of 6.5 (Academic Module) with no individual band below 6.0.

#### Entry requirements

A recognised bachelor degree (or higher award) in STEM, or a recognised non-STEM bachelor degree plus at least three years' industry experience in web development, cyber security, software development or related fields.

#### Professional accreditation



- 🕒 2 years
- 📍 Melbourne
- 📞 098492J
- 📅 March, August

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#### Career opportunities

- Security manager
- Reverse engineer
- Penetration tester
- Ethical hacker.

### Master of Data Science

The Master of Data Science is designed for students who want to gain meaningful insights from data that comes from a variety of sources. You'll develop skills in leading-edge techniques and learn the contemporary tools that relate to a data management lifecycle.

You'll undertake a capstone project and work with industry clients from external organisations or businesses to deliver viable solutions to real-world problems. You'll also have the chance to apply for an internship which is credited to your degree as work experience.

#### English language requirement

IELTS overall band of 6.5 (Academic Module) with no individual band below 6.0.

#### Entry requirements

A recognised bachelor degree (or higher award) in any discipline, or completion of the Postgraduate Qualifying Program.

#### Professional accreditation



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- 📍 Melbourne
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#### Career opportunities

- Statistician
- Business analyst
- Data engineer
- Data architect.

### Master of Information Technology

If you don't have a background in Information and Communication Technology, this course will equip you with the skills and knowledge required to work at a professional level in this field. You'll master skills related to the design, construction, operation, support, and maintenance of IT solutions, and undertake a capstone project with an industry client, delivering viable solutions to real-world problems.

#### English language requirement

IELTS overall band of 6.5 (Academic Module) with no individual band below 6.0.

#### Specialisations

Data Analytics, Information Systems, Mobile and Cloud Computing, Software Development.

#### Entry requirements

A recognised bachelor degree (or higher award) in any discipline, or completion of the Postgraduate Qualifying Program.

#### Professional accreditation



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#### Career opportunities

- Application developer
- Solution architect
- Data modeler
- Business analyst.

### Master of Information Technology (Professional Computing)

The Master of Information Technology (Professional Computing) course teaches advanced theoretical and practical skills related to the design, construction, operation, support, and maintenance of IT solutions. You'll undertake a capstone project and work with industry clients to deliver viable solutions to real-world problems.

#### English language requirement

IELTS overall band of 6.5 (Academic Module) with no individual band below 6.0.

#### Specialisations

Data Analytics, Information Systems, Mobile and Cloud Computing, Software Development.

#### Entry requirements

A recognised bachelor degree (or higher award) in an IT-related discipline.

#### Professional accreditation



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#### Career opportunities

- IT manager
- Business development manager
- Database manager
- Network manager.

# Media and Communication

In this industry, change happens every second. Learn how to stay ahead and thrive.

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All Swinburne students gain free access to over 20 Adobe apps, which can be used for assignments as well as personal projects

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## Anna Bailey

UNITED KINGDOM

Master of Media and Communication

"At Swinburne, you don't just learn things, you learn how to do things. This sets you apart in the job market. When I tell contacts I produced a podcast in my bedroom, made a documentary in my kitchen and two long-form multimedia news stories from my living room, they are impressed."

### Master of Media and Communication

Whether it's creating podcasts, filming documentaries, or writing, the Master of Media and Communication will give you a broad skillset to advance in the industry. Enhance your production, digital technology, research, and project management knowledge with a specialisation.

In addition, you'll have the opportunity to work on a substantial industry-based media project that builds relationships with industry and external stakeholders.

#### English language requirement

IELTS overall band of 6.5 (Academic Module) with no individual band below 6.0.

#### Specialisations

Social Media Management, Strategic Communication.

#### Entry requirements

A recognised bachelor degree (or higher award), or completion of the Postgraduate Qualifying Program.

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- 📍 Melbourne
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- 📅 March, August

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#### Career opportunities

- Content creator
- Social media manager
- Strategic communications manager.

# Science

Home to internationally leading research institutes and centres.

**TOP 175 GLOBALLY  
#13 IN AUSTRALIA  
#3 IN MELBOURNE**  
in Physical Sciences

THE World University Rankings by Subject 2026

**#1 IN MELBOURNE** for overall graduate satisfaction

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**93% OF OUR GRADUATES**  
found full-time jobs within four months of graduation

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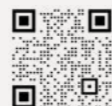
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## Centre for Astrophysics and Supercomputing

We operate OzSTAR, a national supercomputing facility. Our agreement with the Keck Observatory guarantees our researchers at least 15 nights of observation a year, and we have an active research program in the planned Square Kilometre Array project.

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### Master of Science (Biotechnology)

Our Master of Science (Biotechnology) provides advanced education in the theory and practice of biotechnology, preparing you for research-based careers or further education in the field. You'll complete at least one team-based research project where you'll practise scientific research methods and project design, as well as develop your practical and problem-solving skills.

Graduates can pursue employment in medicine and health, agriculture, pharmaceutical and environmental industries.

#### English language requirement

IELTS overall band of 6.5 (Academic Module) with no individual band below 6.0.

#### Entry requirements

A recognised bachelor degree (or higher award) in biological or chemical science.

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- 📍 Melbourne
- ☎ 0552166
- 📅 March, August

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#### Career opportunities

- Diagnostic and pathology services
- Forensic science laboratories
- Wine industry and breweries
- Scientific sales executives
- Veterinary science.

# Higher degrees by research

## Search for new ways of thinking and doing.

At Swinburne, we conduct research that responds to the challenges faced by modern society. Our research and development activities focus on science and technology, future manufacturing, sustainable futures, digital innovation, and personal and social wellbeing. Join a research community sparking real-world impact.

**TOP 100 GLOBALLY** for research quality

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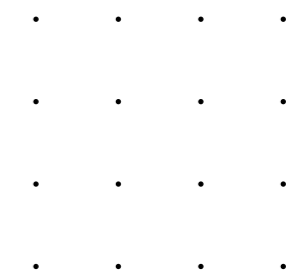
**#1 RESEARCH INSTITUTION  
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for automation and control theory, computer hardware design, film, and optics and photonics

The Australian 2026 Research Magazine



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### Master by Research

Swinburne offers Master by Research degrees in broad study areas including: Arts, Business, Design, Engineering, Health Sciences, Information and Communication Technologies, Law, and Science.

#### English language requirement

IELTS overall band of 6.5 (Academic Module) with no individual band below 6.0 or equivalent.

#### Entry requirements

A three-year bachelor degree with a minimum average of 65% in the final year units of study.

- 🕒 2 years
- 📍 Melbourne
- 🌐 See webpage
- 📅 January, July

### Doctor of Philosophy

Swinburne offers PhD study in broad study areas including: Business; Clinical Psychology; Design; Engineering; Health Sciences; Humanities, Arts and Social Science; Information and Communication Technology; Information Systems; Law; and Science.

#### English language requirement

IELTS overall band of 6.5 (Academic Module) with no individual band below 6.0 or equivalent.

#### Entry requirements

A four-year bachelor of honours degree with a significant research component in the fourth year, or equivalent.

- 🕒 4 years
- 📍 Melbourne
- 🌐 See webpage
- 📅 January, July

### Professional Doctorate

Swinburne offers a Doctor of Psychology in Clinical and Forensic Psychology that combines intensive high-level research training in clinical psychology and training in forensic psychology by way of coursework, clinical placements and a research thesis.

#### English language requirement

IELTS overall band of 7.0 (Academic Module) with no individual band below 7.0 or equivalent.

#### Entry requirements

An APAC-accredited four-year sequence of study in psychology with at least an upper second-class Honours (H2A) or equivalent.

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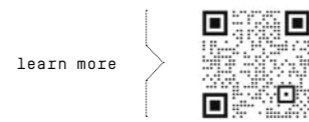


# English language at Swinburne

We accept a range of English language qualifications (such as IELTS) and offer English Language Intensive Courses for Overseas Students (ELICOS) to help you meet the minimum English requirements for your chosen Swinburne course.

ELICOS is delivered through a series of English for Academic Purposes (EAP) levels. Your entry level is determined by your English proficiency, measured by a valid English language test such as IELTS. As your English improves, you progress through the EAP levels.

The table below provides a guide to your ELICOS pathway.



Check your English qualification equivalent here.



# Postgraduate Qualifying Program

The Postgraduate Qualifying Program (PQP) combines English language training and academic studies to equip you with the skills you'll need to succeed in postgraduate study. Successful completion of the PQP provides a guaranteed pathway to the first year of a range of postgraduate degrees.

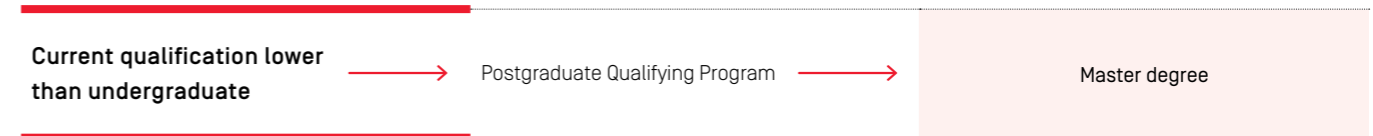
At a glance

Duration	6 months
Location	Melbourne, Australia
Intakes	March, August
CRICOS code	0101744

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## PQP pathway structure



## English Language Intensive Courses for Overseas Students (ELICOS)

CRICOS code: 0102124

I want to study				
		Postgraduate Qualifying Program Requirement: IELTS 6.0 with at least 5.5 in each skill area	Postgraduate coursework degrees (most) OR Postgraduate research degrees OR PhDs (most) Requirement: IELTS 6.5 with at least 6.0 in each skill area	Postgraduate degree in dietetics, occupational therapy Requirement: IELTS 7.0 with at least 7.0 in each skill area  Postgraduate degree in physiotherapy Requirement: IELTS 7.0 with at least 7.0 in listening, reading and speaking; and a 6.5 in writing.
My current English level is equivalent to	IELTS 6.5			EAP5* (10 weeks)
	IELTS 6.0		EAP5* (10 weeks)	EAP4 + EAP5* (20 weeks)
	IELTS 5.5	EAP5* (10 weeks)	EAP4 + EAP5 (20 weeks)	N/A
	IELTS 5.0	EAP4 + EAP5 (20 weeks)	EAP3 + EAP4 + EAP5* (30 weeks)	N/A
	IELTS 4.5	EAP3 + EAP4 + EAP5 (30 weeks)	N/A	N/A†

\*EAP5 exit requirements vary depending on the English proficiency requirements of your chosen course.

†A minimum proficiency equivalent to IELTS 5.0 is recommended for ELICOS pathways into degrees with English language proficiency requirements equivalent to IELTS 6.5.

‡A minimum proficiency equivalent to IELTS 6.0 is recommended for ELICOS pathways into degrees with English language proficiency requirements equivalent to IELTS 7.0.





# Moving to Melbourne

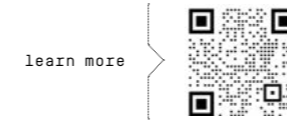
From the day you start planning until the day you graduate – we have all the information you need to make your Swinburne experience amazing.

## Feeling confident

We're here to empower you to feel confident through all aspects of uni life.

### Money, living costs and banking

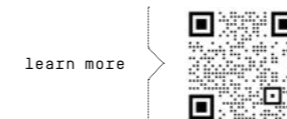
We know how important it is for you to plan your budget carefully. Find out what things cost in Melbourne and how banking works here.



### Support services

We have specialised services to help you with:

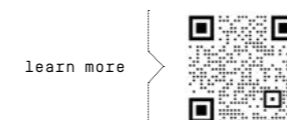
- advocacy and legal advice
- careers and employment
- childcare
- disability support
- health and counselling
- housing
- financial advice.



### Safety services

We take your safety seriously:

- Take the Hawthorn Night Bus home if you live locally.
- Ask a security officer to walk you anywhere on campus.
- Find maps, safety tools and support services on the **Safe@Swin** app.
- Get support with bullying and harassment from our Safer Community team.



## Finding community

Get involved, give back and make forever friendships along the way.

### Life at Swinburne

Immerse yourself in campus life and make the most of the many opportunities available while studying at Swinburne. Find clubs, sport, volunteering and leadership opportunities here.



## Figuring it out

Moving countries is a big, exciting change. We'll help you figure out the finer details.

### Accommodation

From apartments on-campus to living with a host family, or renting privately, we can help you find a place to call home in Melbourne.



### Student visas

Discover all the most up-to-date information on Australian student visas. Get to know the costs, eligibility requirements, processing times, and more.



### Entry requirements

You'll need to meet the minimum English language and academic requirements for your studies. Explore requirements based on your course and country here.



### Overseas student health cover (OSHC)

OSHC is a student visa requirement, and it needs to match your visa duration. We've partnered with Medibank to give you additional benefits if you choose their Comprehensive OSHC.





## Swinburne Sarawak, Malaysia

Swinburne's Sarawak campus is located in Kuching, the capital of the East Malaysian state of Sarawak. The city has been described as one of the most liveable cities in Southeast Asia.

Swinburne Sarawak offers the following postgraduate degrees:

- **Master of Arts (TESOL)**
- **Master of Business Administration (International)**
- **Master of Construction Management Practice**
- **Master of Human Resource Management**
- **Master of Information Technology.**

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## Campuses

Hawthorn	John Street, Hawthorn
Croydon	12 50 Norton Road, Croydon
Wantirna	369 Stud Road, Wantirna
Sarawak	Kuching, Sarawak, Malaysia

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