

# STUDY ABROAD: HEALTH SCIENCE

Spend a semester studying abroad and achieve a **Study Abroad Certificate of Specialisation** in Health Science by completing two units from the approved list.

## About Swinburne

Swinburne is a world-class, multidisciplinary institution leading the way in science, technology, business, design and innovation.

An internationally recognised research-intensive university, Swinburne's rankings – top 50 universities in the world under 50 years old by the 2019 QS World University Rankings – prove the success of the University's focus on and investment in high-quality teaching and research.

## Study in Melbourne, Australia

Swinburne is located in Melbourne, Australia, which has consistently ranked as one of the most liveable cities in the world by the Economist Intelligence Unit (EIU). Melbourne's vibrant lifestyle includes Australia's best shopping, leisure and sporting events, and a renowned arts scene. Its vast multicultural community, combined with its commitment to quality education, makes Melbourne one of the world's most dynamic cities.

Swinburne's main campus is based in Hawthorn, a suburb located only 10 minutes away from Melbourne's CBD by train. The campus is located in a vibrant shopping hub that offers students a large variety of cafes, restaurants, shops and supermarkets, as well as parks and a movie theatre right across the road from campus.

## Study Abroad

Study Abroad is a unique opportunity to travel and experience life in Melbourne. You get to live as the locals do, expand your horizons and make treasured life-long memories, while continuing your academic progress.

At Swinburne, undergraduate and postgraduate students are allowed to choose subjects from any faculty. You can choose to study for one or two semesters, beginning in either Semester 1 (February - June) or Semester 2 (July to November).

Australian student visa regulations require international students to study full-time. This means that you must undertake either three or four units per semester.

At the end of your program, you will receive a Swinburne academic transcript and will be able to request credit transfer to your home institution.

## Academic Semesters

### Semester 1

25 February to 23 June, 2019

### Semester 2

29 July to 24 November, 2019

## English Entry Requirements

Applicants from non-English speaking backgrounds may be required to provide evidence of English language proficiency. This may include one of:

- IELTS: 6.0 overall (no band score below 5.5)
- Internet-based TOEFL: 75 (no band score below 17).



# CERTIFICATE OF SPECIALISATION

## HEALTH SCIENCE

In order to receive a Study Abroad Certificate of Specialisation, you must complete at least two units of study from the list below.

In addition to this list, there is an exciting range of units that you can enrol in alongside your certificate. For a full list of Study Abroad units, please visit:

[www.swinburne.edu.au/current-students/study-abroad-exchange/melbourne/how-to-apply/](http://www.swinburne.edu.au/current-students/study-abroad-exchange/melbourne/how-to-apply/)

You also have the option of completing a dual certificate by choosing two other units under another specialisation.

### Undergraduate

#### SEMESTER 1 (Feb-Jun)

HEA10001	Introduction to Health Sciences
HEA10004	Digital Health Foundations
HEA30006	Technology, Health and Health Care Participation Across the Life Course
HEP20002	Health Promotion and Disease Prevention
HEP30002	Interventions to Promote Health and Prevent

#### SEMESTER 2 (Jul-Nov)

HEA10001	Introduction to Health Sciences
HEA10003	Health Data and Information Management
HEA20007	Research Methods for Health Science
HEA30001	Health Sciences Project
HEP30001	Health Promotion Project
HEP30002	Interventions to Promote Health and Prevent

^This is a non-award certificate. The subjects listed above are subject to Faculty approval and prerequisites may be required.

Swinburne's *Study Abroad Certificate of Specialisation in Health Science* gives you the opportunity to discover careers in health promotion and wellbeing.

Explore Australian and international health challenges, examine the physical, psychological and social aspects of health in a variety of settings and learn about contemporary issues in health science, such as biomedical testing or health communication, and how to address them.



### GET IN TOUGH

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