

## LOCATIONS

Our six campuses are located in the state capital cities of Melbourne, Sydney, and Brisbane, the national capital, Canberra, and the regional centre of Ballarat. Each campus has its own unique environment, in either a city or suburban location:



**Brisbane**  
(McAuley at Banyo)



**North Sydney**  
(Mackillop)



**Strathfield**  
(Mount St Mary)



**Canberra**  
(Signadou)



**Melbourne**  
(St Patrick's)



**Ballarat**  
(Aquinas)



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Brisbane | Sydney | Canberra | Melbourne | Ballarat

## FURTHER INFORMATION

### Prospective Student Offices

#### Melbourne

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#### North Sydney

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#### Brisbane

Australian Catholic University  
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### Meet us online

Scan this code with your mobile phone



### How to Apply

ACU has a secure application facility on its website. You can complete our electronic application form, upload scanned documents and submit your application directly to the University. Visit: [www.acu.edu.au/iapply](http://www.acu.edu.au/iapply)

### Application Deadlines

31 October for February (1st semester) intake  
30 April for July (2nd semester) intake

### Admissions Office

#### North Sydney

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## WHY STUDY AT ACU?

### Australian Catholic University (ACU) is an Australian Government funded University

ACU is a public university open to all students and staff regardless of their national, cultural or religious background. We are currently teaching students from more than 75 different countries.

### Qualify for Life

As well as providing a quality academic experience, ACU provides students with the skills that enable them to qualify for life. We are proud to teach, encourage and support students who want to make a difference both personally and professionally.

### High quality academic programs

ACU is a national leader in the fields of teacher education, exercise science and nursing. We also offer excellent degree programs in accounting, business information systems, environmental science, physiotherapy, social science and visual arts and design. A high percentage of our degrees have professional accreditation.

### Competitive tuition fees

ACU is proud of the fact that for several years it has been able to keep its tuition fees relatively low compared to other Australian universities.

### ACU offers students the opportunity for professional or practical experience in most degrees

We recognise the importance of balancing theoretical knowledge with practical experience. Our degrees are therefore designed to produce graduates who are well-prepared for a successful entry into the workforce.

### Access to career and employment advice

ACU careers advisers facilitate the development of skills required by employers. They do this by offering a range of free workshops and an individual counselling service that is accessible on all campuses.

### ACU offers students the opportunity to study abroad as part of their degree.

ACU has a large number of international partners. We encourage our students to consider spending at least one or two semesters at a partner university as part of their ACU degree. Financial assistance may be provided to those who choose this exciting option.

### Guaranteed Pathways to degree programs

ACU offers a number of Diploma Pathway programs that lead to our undergraduate degrees. We also offer a range of English language programs for both undergraduate and postgraduate students. All of these programs are offered on-campus.

### A community environment

Each campus is friendly and intimate. Dedicated staff, including specialist International student Advisers and Counsellors, are committed to looking after the wellbeing of students.

### We offer our degree programs in five different Australian cities

While students are offered the broadest choice of study programs in Sydney and Melbourne, they may also choose from a range of programs on our campuses in Brisbane, Ballarat and Canberra.

## ARTS & SCIENCES

Our arts courses provide you with opportunities to explore, understand and appreciate the humanities, arts and social sciences, as well to develop skills and knowledge relevant to the workplace.

Within the Faculty, study areas include Australian studies, Asian studies, behavioural science, communication, counselling, design and technology, drama, economics, environmental science, geography, history, legal studies, literature, mathematics, media, music, psychology, social sciences, social work, visual arts and youth work.

Graduates are valued because for their capacity to think systematically and critically, to gather and evaluate evidence from many sources and to communicate clearly.

### Featured Programs

Bachelor of Media Communication  
Bachelor of Environmental Science  
Bachelor of Psychology  
Master of Social Work

Arts  
Environmental Science  
Media Communication  
Music  
Psychology  
Social Science & Social Work  
Visual Arts & Design



## BUSINESS

Each business faces constantly changing demands. Our courses will teach you how to succeed from graduate entry through to strategic managerial positions. You will develop an understanding of, and proficiency in, the principles of business required in a variety of commercial, industrial and service organizations.

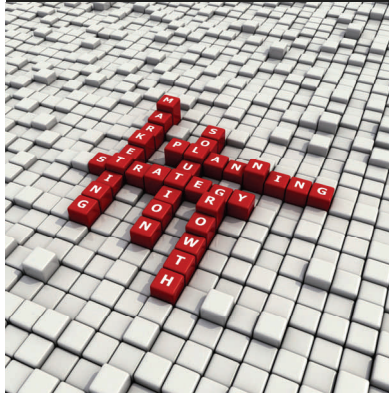
Students also have the option of undertaking a work placement as part of their undergraduate studies. It is no surprise that ACU graduates consistently achieve one of the highest employment rates of all new graduates from Australian universities.

The Master of Accounting has been jointly accredited by CPA Australia and by the Institute of Chartered Accountants in Australia (ICAA).

### Featured Programs

Bachelor of Commerce  
Master of Accounting  
Master of Global Leadership  
Master of Business Administration

Accounting  
Business Administration  
Business Information Systems  
Commerce  
Global Leadership  
Human Resource Management  
Marketing



## THEOLOGY & PHILOSOPHY

Both theology and philosophy have a role in providing an integration of knowledge within a context of faith and reason. The skills and competencies gained through the study of this course are transferable to almost any work environment. Graduates are equipped with strong research skills and the ability to exercise critical judgment. They are able to work with abstract conceptual structures and engage in strategic thinking.

There are many career opportunities for Bachelor of Theology graduates. Not-for-profit organisations, church-based organisations, chaplaincy work, educational institutions, unions, conservation projects, justice and peace centres, government agencies and non-government organisations, law, areas of management, community organisations and some levels of administration are all possible future working environments.

### Featured Programs

Bachelor of Theology  
Master of Arts (Theology)

Theology  
Philosophy



## EDUCATION

ACU has a long reputation as a leading provider of quality teacher education, a distinctive approach to teacher education and research in education. The Faculty offers preservice teacher education programs for beginning teachers and a range of advanced coursework and research programs for specialist and experienced teachers and educational leaders.

You will gain a degree with a reputation of high academic rigour that meets accreditation standards with strength in the national priorities of literacy, numeracy, science and technology.

Our courses prepare you to teach in all sectors: government, independent and Catholic.

In 2008, we provided courses for over 6,000 students, making us the second largest provider of teacher education programs in Australia.

### Featured Programs: Teacher Education

Bachelor of Education (Primary)  
Bachelor of Teaching / Bachelor of Arts  
Graduate Diploma of Education (Secondary)  
Master of Teaching (Primary)

Early Childhood  
Primary  
Secondary  
Religious Education



## HEALTH SCIENCES

The Faculty of Health Sciences prepares highly qualified graduates in the areas of Nursing, Exercise Science and Physiotherapy.

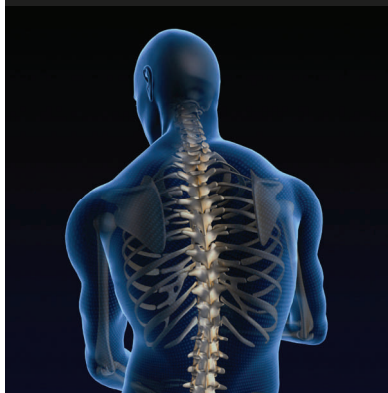
ACU's Bachelor of Nursing aims to prepare students as professional nurses who can work in a variety of health-care organisations and community settings. The course will prepare graduates for entry into the nursing profession. Graduates are eligible to register as professional nurses with the relevant state Nurses Registration Board. Nursing graduates are in demand all over Australia and throughout the world in public and private health-care organisations as well as community service areas.

Our new physiotherapy course will equip students with the skills to practice as a competent physiotherapist in environments ranging from hospitals to private practice

### Featured Programs

Bachelor of Nursing  
Bachelor of Physiotherapy  
Bachelor of Exercise and Sport Science  
Master of Health Science (Health Administration)

Exercise Science  
Health Science  
Nursing  
Physiotherapy



## PATHWAY PROGRAMS

### ELICOS

**General English:** Sydney and Melbourne  
**IELTS Test Preparation:** Brisbane, Sydney and Melbourne  
**English for Academic Purposes:** Brisbane, Sydney and Melbourne

### DIPLOMAS

Diplomas are available in the following study areas: Business, Business Information Systems, Educational Studies, Environmental Science, Exercise Science, Liberal Studies, Social Science, Tertiary Preparation (Nursing), and Visual Arts & Design.

### Featured Pathways

ELICOS > Diploma of Business [1 year] > Business Undergraduate Courses [2 years]  
ELICOS > Diploma of Tertiary Preparation (Nursing) [1 year] > Bachelor of Nursing [3 years]

General English  
IELTS Test Preparation  
English for Academic Purposes  
Diplomas



### Tuition Fees

For comprehensive information about Tuition Fees at ACU, go to: [www.acu.edu.au/international](http://www.acu.edu.au/international)

### Career Development and Employment Service

Careers Advisers are available on each campus of ACU to assist students with making career decisions, identifying personal career goals, developing employability skills, searching for employment and preparing employment applications.