Short Term - Study Abroad

2 July - 30 July 2021
Why Sydney?

Sydney is Australia’s most iconic destination, welcoming over 16 million visitors per year*. It’s one of the world’s most recognisable cities with its scenic landmarks, beaches, historic precincts, and buzzing food and drink scene.

Here at the University of Sydney, we’re located on the doorstep of downtown Sydney, just a 30-minute walk from the Opera House and Harbour Bridge, and a bus or ferry ride from the world-famous Bondi and Manly beaches.

* Tourism Research Australia 2019
The University of Sydney

- Ranked 1st in Australia and 2nd globally for the Universities positive impact on society relating to protecting the environment and sustainable development*
- One of the top 10 best student cities for studying abroad**
- World-class academic reputation: ranked in the top 50 universities worldwide***
- New and stylish student housing: guaranteed, close to campus and in the heart of downtown Sydney

* Times Higher Education (THE) Impact Rankings 2020
** 2019 QS best student cities rankings: Sydney ranked 9th in the world
*** 2020 QS top university rankings: University of Sydney ranked 42nd in the world.
The Short Term Program

**How it works**
- Select up to two intensive units of study over 4 weeks
- Study alongside local students
- Earn the same credits (per unit of study) as you would in a full semester

**Program fees**
- One unit of study: $3,075* AUD
- Two units of study: $6,150* AUD
- Guaranteed accommodation: $413* AUD per week for 4 weeks

**Application deadline**
- 31 March 2021
- For application details: sydneyabroad.specialprograms@sydney.edu.au

* indicative, based on 2020 rates
Our Short-Term Program offers the largest unit of study selection in Australia to Study Abroad and Exchange students. Each unit is taught in an intensive format, while maintaining credit values. Many units of study are taught alongside local students and provide hands-on experiential learning in an Australian context. Students can enrol in either session: “Short-Term A” or “Short-Term B” and select up to two units of study.

Most units of study have no pre-requisites and are great for general elective credit back home. We also have some more specialised, core units of study, designed for Business and Liberal-Arts majors.

In 2021, some of our most popular unit of study options include:

- **Introduction to Gender Studies (GCST1602):** This unit examines how gender organises lives, bodies, sexualities and desires. Students will be introduced to foundational concepts in the study of gender and will critically engage with questions of identity, sexuality, family, the body, cultural practices and gender norms in light of contemporary gender theories.

- **Cross-Cultural Management (IBUS1102):** This unit provides conceptual frameworks and evidence from practice that develops an understanding of the ways in which cultures differ, how these differences can impact management, and how cultural issues can limit organisational effectiveness.
Diet and Nutrition for Health and Sport (EDGU1003): This elective aims to equip students with the knowledge required to make informed food choices and gain skills in analysing their personal diet and nutrition habits. At the conclusion of the elective, each student will be a mythbuster of common diets, supplements and fads touted by the media, and be able to separate fact from fiction.

Sydney Science 2050: Towards the Future (SCIE1001): What is it about many scientific claims that often generate mistrust and confusion in the broader public? Creating and communicating valid scientific evidence and arguments requires a skilful balance of truth, objectivity and evidence. Learn how to leverage ways of interdisciplinary and inter-cultural thinking and points of view to communicate your decisions to a variety of professional and lay audiences.
- International Human Resources Management (WORK3201): This unit considers the opportunities and challenges associated with managing employees in international and cross-cultural contexts, with specific emphasis on international recruitment, selection, preparation, placement, management development, performance management, reward and remuneration in the international, multi-national and transnational corporation.

- Introduction to Indigenous Cultures (INDG1001): This unit introduces students to Indigenous Australia in a stimulating, in-depth study of traditional and contemporary forms of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander cultural expression. Ranging from the Dreaming and ancient knowledges,
ceremony and lore, to the lives and societies of Indigenous peoples today. Students learn in areas such Aboriginal kinship, language, story and art, Indigenous agriculture, aquaculture and astronomy, and contemporary Indigenous cultures and cultural currents.

- **Sport and Learning in Australian Culture (EDUH4058):** This unit provides students with a socially critical perspective on the place, meaning and practice of sport in Australian culture. Focused on the range of learning that takes place through youth’s engagement in sport, it examines the practice of sport at levels ranging from elite international sport to grass roots, community-based and school sport. Students in this unit participate in excursions to local rugby, Australian rules football (AFL), beach sports events, and more!
More unit of study options
Units of study listed are based on tentative offerings and are subject to change. Please contact us for more information and to register your interest for 2021:

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Arts and Social Sciences
- EDGU1003: Diet and Nutrition for Health and Sport
- EDUH4058: Sport and Learning in Australian Culture
- EDUH4052: Learning in Outdoor Education
- GCST1602: Introduction to Gender Studies
- GCST2612: Youth and Youth Culture
- GCST2607: Bodies, Sexualities, Identities
- HSTY1089: Introduction to Australian History
- INDG1001: Introduction to Indigenous Culture
- PHIL1012: Introductory Logic

Business
- IBUS1102: Cross-Cultural Management
- MKTG1001: Marketing Principles
- WORK3205: Organisational Communication

STEM
- SCIE1001: Sydney Science 2050: Towards the Future
- SRSU3101: The Social Brain: Learning and Wellbeing
Guaranteed accommodation

We provide peace of mind to our students by providing accommodation at Urbanest (Short-Term A, for 6 weeks) or Queen Mary Building (Short-Term B for just under 5 weeks). Both buildings are situated 15 minutes’ walk from campus and are on the doorstep of downtown Sydney. Each provider has their own social calendar, including activities such as a weekly sausage sizzle (BBQ) and pancake breakfast to promote a community atmosphere.

Residents are a mix of international and domestic students, providing ample opportunity to meet and make friends with local students.

Students have access to great facilities and services including:

- Fully furnished apartments
- Internet included
- Social and study spaces
- 24/7 security system
- Gym and yoga room
- Cinema and games room
- Onsite laundry facilities

All students participating in the Short Term program are required to stay at one of our guaranteed accommodation providers.
Mates Abroad
Mentoring program

To ease your transition into Sydney student life, promote a multicultural environment and share exciting adventures with new friends, students are encouraged to join our Mates Abroad mentoring program.

In this program, you will be paired with a local student mentor and benefit from the following opportunities:

- Meet and connect with your Aussie mentor (pre-arrival) via email, and social media
- Support upon arrival as you settle into Sydney life
- Share your mentor’s support network and friends
- Learn the ropes of Sydney public transport with your mentor

Joining the Mates Abroad program is an excellent way to see the city as a local, while jump-starting your social circle here in Australia:
- [facebook.com/groups/matesabroad](https://www.facebook.com/groups/matesabroad)

Social Program
The University of Sydney offers a terrific social program for you throughout your stay, including welcome and departure events, a harbour cruise, a learn to surf camp and Breakfast with Koalas.
Discover what the University of Sydney could have in store for you

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- Mates Abroad mentor program
- Amazing social events calendar
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