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WORLDWIDE
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PARENTS' GUIDE

Information for parents
and whānau

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WELCOME TO AUT

E ngā mana, e ngā reo

E te iti, e te rahi

E ngā mātāwaka o ngā tōpito o te ao

Ngā mahuetanga iho e kawē nei i ngā

moemoeā o rātou mā

Tēnā koutou katoa

Piki mai rā, kake mai rā,

Nau mai, haere mai ki tēnei o ngā wānanga

Whakatau mai i raro i te korowai āhuru

o Te Wānanga

Aronui o Tāmaki Makau Rau

To the prestigious, the many voices

The few, the great

To those of all races and creeds

We who remain to fulfil the dreams and

aspirations of the ancestors

Greetings one and all

Climb, ascend

Embark on the journey of knowledge

Let us at AUT embrace and empower you

To strive for and achieve excellence

**Te whakatupu i te kōunga, i te mana taurite me ngā
tikanga matatika, i ngā pūkenga ako,
i ngā pūkenga whakaako me te āta rangahau hei hāpai
i ngā hāpori whānui o te motu, otirā, o te ao.**

To foster excellence, equity and ethics in learning,
teaching, research and scholarship, and in so doing
serve our regional, national and international
communities.

ABOUT AUT

NEW ZEALAND'S SECOND LARGEST UNIVERSITY

Ranked in the top 1% of the world's universities, we're one of the best modern universities globally. We embrace new technologies to lead the learning of tomorrow, and prepare our students for the rapidly changing world.



3+3

3 campuses &
3 specialist facilities



CHOOSE FROM OVER

250

COURSES OF STUDY



60+ research centres and
institutes with world-
class expertise



29,100

STUDENTS



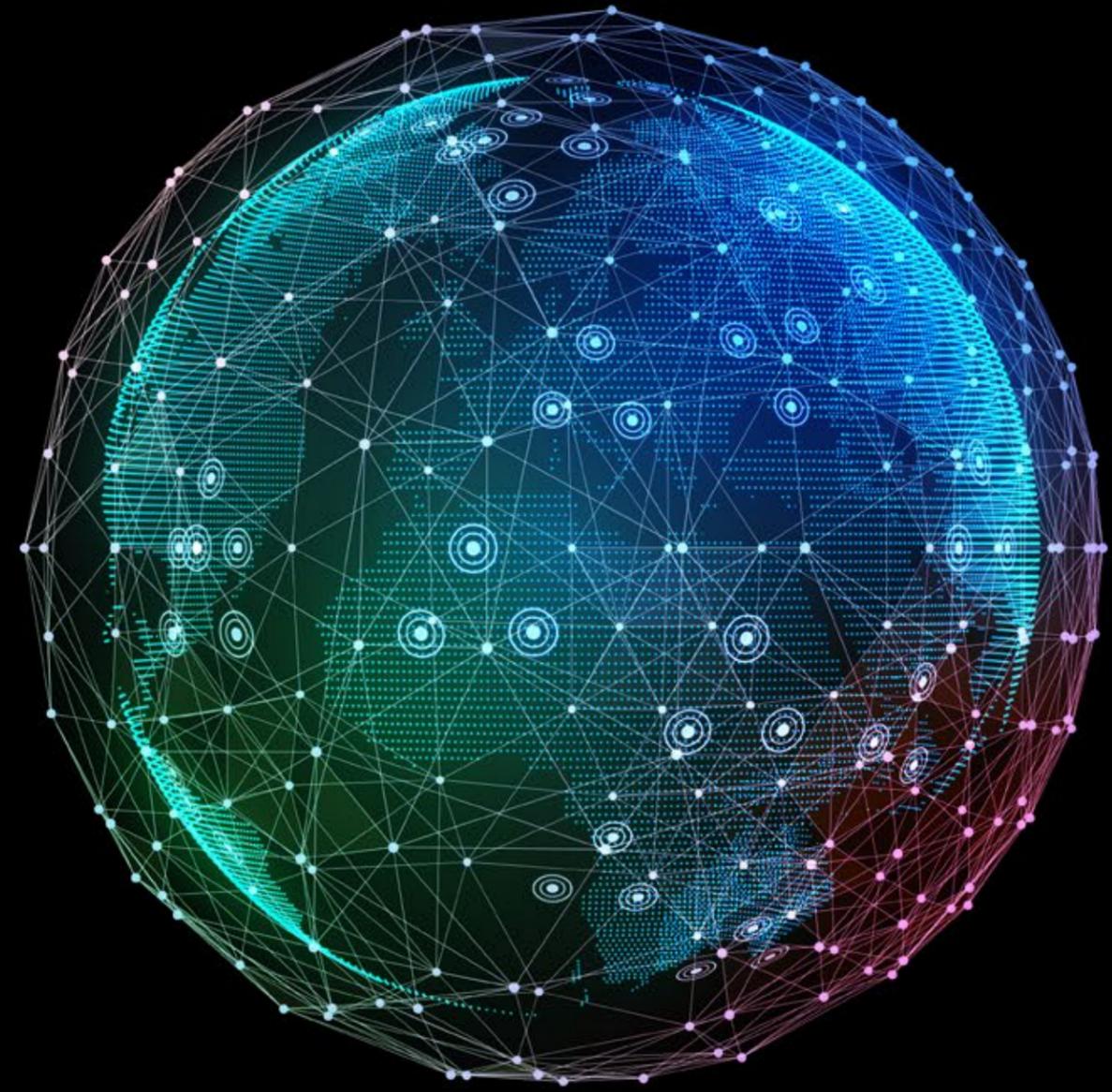
100,000+

alumni

100,000 ALUMNI IN OVER 80 COUNTRIES

AUT's more than 100,000 alumni live and work around the globe in organisations like:

- Adidas**
Portland, USA
- Arla Foods**
Aarhus, Denmark
- BBC**
London, UK
- Canada Soccer**
Vancouver, Canada
- Cleo**
Singapore
- Fonterra Research and Development Centre**
Palmerston North
- Google Singapore**
Singapore
- High Performance Sport New Zealand**
Auckland
- Huawei**
Shanghai, China
- IMG**
London, UK
- Johns Hopkins Hospital**
Baltimore, USA
- KPMG Australia**
Melbourne, Australia
- Ministry of Primary Industries**
Auckland
- Pinterest**
San Francisco, USA
- Qantas**
Sydney, Australia
- Queensland Ambulance Service**
Brisbane, Australia
- Raffles Hotels & Resorts**
Istanbul, Turkey
- Shopify**
Ottawa, Canada
- South Western Ambulance Service NHS Foundation**
Bristol, United Kingdom
- Stanford Hospitality**
San Francisco, USA
- Universidade Federal do Rio Grande do Norte**
Natal, Brazil
- University of California**
San Diego, USA
- University of Cambridge**
Cambridge, UK
- University of Queensland**
Brisbane, Australia
- University of Science and Technology Beijing**
Beijing, China
- V&A Museum**
London, UK
- Verizon**
New York, USA
- Viacom**
Amsterdam, The Netherlands
- Vogue**
Bangkok, Thailand
- Volvo Group Australia**
Brisbane, Australia
- Westpac Singapore**
Singapore
- Weta Digital**
Wellington
- World Health Organization**
Geneva, Switzerland



"We started our successful podiatry clinic in 2014 and now have a large team of podiatrists and admin staff, and provide over 13,000 visits per year. I love that thousands of people in our communities have better foot health, are more independent and have a better quality of life as a direct outcome of our services. I also sit on a few governing boards, including the Australia, New Zealand Leadership Forum (ANZLF) and the Australian Podiatry Association. I'm proud to be an AUT graduate and I love hiring new AUT podiatry graduates into our practice every year."

Mary-Ellen Redmayne
Queensland Young Businesswoman of the Year 2019
Founder/Director, The Foot Stop Podiatry Services,
Gold Coast, Australia
Bachelor of Health Science (Podiatry)



"I'm responsible for leading the commercial revenue programme for the Blues, including corporate partnerships, hospitality, merchandise and licensing, venue utilisation and economics, third party agreements and corporate social responsibility funding. Over two thirds of Kiwis follow rugby; it's part of our fabric and I enjoy contributing to the show. Before joining Blues Rugby, I was the general manager of commercial and digital strategy at the NRL in Sydney. I helped grow sponsorship revenue by 50% over four years and led the new digital business, which went from \$300,000 to \$7 million revenue in three years."

Todd Hewitt
General Manager of Commercial, Blues Rugby
Bachelor of Communication Studies in Journalism and
Bachelor of Business in Marketing



"I've worked my way through marketing, operations and into my current CEO role. Throughout my career I've taken on numerous roles of interest, including high-profile marketing and brand management roles for Goodman Fielder, APN News and Media, and Bailey Brand Consulting in the US. One of my favourite roles was working as a brand director in the US. We reworked a well-known US brand and then drove the adoption of it globally. We had an elite team working together, and time for strategy and creative thinking was built into our day."

Sarah Wood
CEO, realestate.co.nz
Bachelor of Business in Marketing
Diploma in Advertising

AUT BY THE NUMBERS

Top
1%
of universities
in the world

2nd
largest university
in New Zealand

Top
40
in the world for
universities under
50 years old

#1
for global
research impact
in New Zealand

7,170
qualifications awarded
in 2020, including
1,050 master's and 120
doctorates

1,000
doctoral candidates

Students from
143
countries

60+
research institutes
and centres

4,700
international students

5/5
QS stars

92%
of undergraduate
students complete a
work placement or
internship

29th
in the world
& **1st**
in New Zealand
for international
outlook

AUT SUBJECTS ARE WORLD CLASS

QS World University Rankings by Subject 2021

- TOP 27 Sports
- TOP 100 Hospitality & Leisure Management
- TOP 150 Accounting & Finance
- TOP 150 Art & Design
- TOP 150 Communication & Media Studies
- TOP 150 Nursing
- TOP 250 Business & Management Studies
- TOP 350 Economics & Econometrics
- TOP 400 Medicine
- TOP 450 Computer Science & Information Systems
- TOP 450 Electrical & Electronic Engineering
- TOP 500 Mechanical Engineering

Times Higher Education Subject Rankings 2021

- TOP 101-125 Health subjects
- TOP 176-200 Social Sciences
- TOP 201-250 Arts & Humanities
- TOP 251-300 Life Sciences
- TOP 301-400 Education
- TOP 401-500 Business & Economics
- TOP 401-500 Psychology

Shanghai Ranking (Academic Ranking of World Universities)

- TOP 39 Sport Science
- TOP 100 Hospitality & Tourism Management
- TOP 150 Clinical Medicine
- TOP 150 Public Health
- TOP 300 Nursing

UNIVERSITY CAMPUSES

THREE TEACHING CAMPUSES



City

At the University's biggest campus located in Auckland's CBD, students study architecture, business, communications, law, design, hospitality and tourism, economics, computer and mathematical sciences, language and culture, social sciences, engineering and science, amongst others. The campus offers a number of state-of-the-art buildings, including the Engineering, Computer and Mathematical Sciences building.



North

The North Campus, situated on Auckland's North Shore, is home to the University's health, teacher education and sport and recreation programmes, and includes the AUT Integrated Health community clinics on Akoranga Drive. The clinics offer services across oral health, occupational therapy, podiatry, counselling psychology, psychotherapy, nursing, and physiotherapy.



South

Located in Manukau, the South Campus provides undergraduate and postgraduate programmes in education, business, computer and information sciences, design, health science, sport and recreation, and law. The campus is also a hub for community engagement and events. The South Campus is the home of the award-winning Mana Hauora building.

THREE SPECIALIST FACILITIES

Warkworth Radio Astronomical Observatory

Located 70km north of Auckland, New Zealand's only radio astronomical observatory houses two radio telescopes maintained by AUT's Institute for Radio Astronomy and Space Research.



AUT Millennium

AUT Millennium, located in Mairangi Bay, is a high-performance sports development and sports research centre, which aims to help the community be healthy and New Zealand's top athletes to excel.



AUT Centre for Refugee Education

Located in Mangere, the centre provides an on-arrival six-week education programme for the refugees who arrive in New Zealand each year under the government quota scheme.



FACULTIES AND SCHOOLS

FACULTY OF BUSINESS, ECONOMICS AND LAW

TE ARA PAKIHI, TE ŌHANGA ME TE TURE

Business School

Te Kura Kaipakihi

The Business School offers programmes that focus on accounting, business information systems, finance, human resource management and employment relations, international business, management and marketing. The school has been awarded the prestigious EQUIS and AACSB accreditations, putting it in the top 5% of business schools in the world.

Law School

Te Kura Ture

AUT's Law School offers the Bachelor of Laws degree and postgraduate programmes including the Bachelor of Laws (Honours), Master of Laws and Doctor of Philosophy degrees.

School of Economics

Matauranga Ōhanga

The School of Economics offers programmes in micro and macroeconomics, econometrics, industrial organisation, economics, natural resources and society, growth and development economics, economics of labour and health policy, international trade economics, and international corporate finance.

FACULTY OF CULTURE AND SOCIETY

TE ARA KETE ARONUI

School of Education

Te Kura Mātauranga

The School of Education delivers the University's programmes in early childhood education, and primary and secondary teaching, as well as a wide range of postgraduate qualifications.

School of Hospitality and Tourism

Te Kura Taurimatanga me te Mahi Tāpoi

Ranked in the top 100 in the world, AUT's School of Hospitality and Tourism offers programmes in international hospitality and tourism management, event management, culinary arts and pâtisserie.

School of Language and Culture

Te Kura Reo me te Ahurea

The School of Language and Culture teaches programmes that focus on language in its widest sense, with qualifications in creative writing, English and new media studies, international studies, Chinese, Japanese, interpreting, New Zealand Sign Language and language teaching.

School of Social Sciences and Public Policy

Te Kura Pūtaiao ā-iwi me ngā Kaupapa Tūmatanui

The inter-connected fields of social sciences and public policy come together in this school, with programmes in conflict resolution, criminology and criminal justice, psychology and social sciences.

FACULTY OF DESIGN AND CREATIVE TECHNOLOGIES

TE ARA AUAHA

School of Art and Design

Te Kura Toi a Hoahoa

AUT's School of Art and Design delivers the Bachelor of Visual Arts and Bachelor of Design, as well as a range of postgraduate art and design programmes.

School of Communication Studies

Te Kura Whakapāho

The School of Communication Studies offers programmes focused on advertising creativity, digital media, journalism, public relations, radio and audio media, and screen productions.

School of Engineering, Computer and Mathematical Sciences

Te Kura Mātai Pūhanga, Rorohiko, Pāngarau

The University's School of Engineering, Computer and Mathematical Sciences offers programmes in computer science, electrical and electronic engineering, information technology and software engineering, mathematical sciences and mechanical engineering.

School of Future Environments

Huri te Ao

The School of Future Environments delivers AUT's architecture and built environment programmes, which focus on design for future generations. It's also the home of the mixed-discipline creative technologies degrees.

TE ARA POUTAMA

FACULTY OF MĀORI AND INDIGENOUS DEVELOPMENT

Te Ara Poutama offers programmes with a focus on Māori development, language revitalisation, Māori media and te reo Māori, as well as leadership, innovation and technology.

FACULTY OF HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES

TE ARA HAUORA A PŪTAIAO

School of Clinical Sciences

Te Kura Mātai Haumanu

The School of Clinical Sciences delivers programmes leading to professional registration in midwifery, nursing, oral health, podiatry, occupational therapy, and physiotherapy. The school also offers New Zealand's only university degree in paramedicine.

School of Public Health and Interdisciplinary Studies

The School of Public Health and Interdisciplinary Studies' programmes cover the fields of psychology, psychotherapy and counselling, and public health. The school also delivers the interdisciplinary courses in the Faculty of Health and Environmental Sciences degree programmes.

School of Science

Te Kura Pūtaiao

Programmes in the School of Science have a focus on scientific innovation and include majors in biomedical science, chemistry, environmental science and food science.

School of Sport and Recreation

Te Kura Hākinakina

Programmes taught through the School of Sport and Recreation cover health, physical education and coaching, physical activity, nutrition and the outdoors, sport and exercise science, and sport leadership and management. AUT is ranked in the top 27 in the world for sports subjects by global university rankings organisation QS.

WHY CHOOSE AUT

New Zealand's leading modern university

AUT is proud to be one of the world's best modern universities. Times Higher Education has ranked us among the top 1% (251-300) of universities in the world and in the top 40 universities under 50 years of age. We have an overall five-star rating from university rankings organisation QS, in addition to five-star ratings for Teaching, Employability, Research, Internationalisation, Facilities, Innovation and Inclusiveness.

We're the second largest university in New Zealand and the fastest growing postgraduate study destination, with over 250 programmes, 2,200 academic staff and more than 100,000 alumni all over the world.

Collaboration and partnership underpin everything we do and we're connected to an extraordinary range of organisations worldwide; sharing expertise and resources, collaborating on groundbreaking research, and connecting students with industry leaders and employers.

Widely known for academic excellence

AUT's mission is to create great graduates, and each member of our staff contributes to this. We offer exceptional learning experiences that prepare students to be successful wherever in the world their career may take them.

Study with us and you can enrol in our range of world-ranked subjects, which include New Zealand's top-ranked health programmes and one of the world's best sport science schools.

Across all of our programmes, we encourage innovation and entrepreneurship, and the ability to explore new technologies, challenge routine thinking and solve problems in new ways. We embrace new technologies to lead the learning of tomorrow and prepare our students for the rapidly changing world. As a contemporary university we also place an emphasis on working across disciplines in our research, and teaching and learning.

Thanks to our innovative teaching, excellent reputation and combination of theoretical and practical learning, AUT graduates are highly favoured by employers.

Research that shapes tomorrow

AUT leads New Zealand in global research impact. We're ranked first in New Zealand by Times Higher Education and the US News Global Universities Rankings for the number of times our research is cited globally.

We have more than 60 research centres and institutes delivering leading research – from space science to artificial intelligence and robotics, and ecology to physical activity and nutrition.

AUT research benefits all New Zealanders and addresses issues facing the environment and society. Our discoveries are widely used, both in New Zealand and around the world. Our research also feeds back into the classroom, and students can contribute to and learn from these research discoveries.

An innovative teaching and learning environment

AUT's three university campuses feature modern buildings that don't just win architecture awards but also provide excellent collaborative environments where students can develop skills that help them stand out in their future careers.

We have a number of world-class facilities including one of only a handful of motion capture studios in the country; New Zealand's top sports science facility, AUT Millennium; and the country's only two major radio telescopes, which are involved in projects with international research partners.

Our state-of-the-art buildings were created using sustainable principles and feature inviting and functional learning areas, lecture theatres, auditoriums and research spaces. This includes the Engineering, Computer and Mathematical Sciences building, which has unique design features that mean it can be used as a teaching tool and 'living lab' where students can get hands-on experience.

AUT's success in creating transformational educational spaces has been recognised with a five-star ranking for teaching and facilities, awarded by the world university rankings organisation QS.

World-leading academic staff

Our academic staff are research-active and at the forefront of their disciplines. They are frequently awarded prestigious research grants and fellowships, and are sought after for their expertise as postgraduate supervisors. Many of them are internationally known as experts in their fields, and organisations around the world draw on their expertise for key projects.

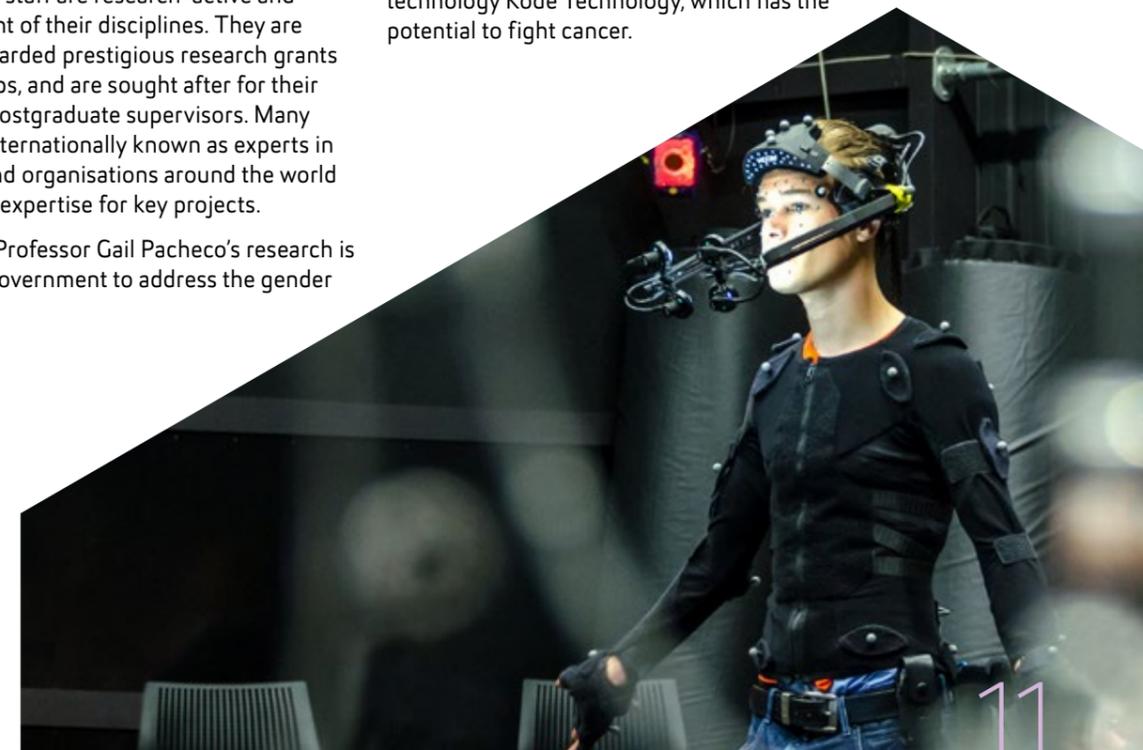
For example, Professor Gail Pacheco's research is used by the Government to address the gender

pay gap, Associate Professor Felicity Lamm is the Government's chief advisor for health and safety, and Professor Tim Maloney has been appointed as the chief economist at the Ministry of Social Development.

Professor Rhema Vaithianathan is globally recognised for using data science and machine learning tools for social good; implementing machine learning tools for child protection and other high stakes government systems.

Associate Professor Barbara Bollard's innovative use of drones to monitor remote ecosystems has caught the attention of scientists from NASA who recognise this approach could also help them find evidence of life on Mars.

Professor Steve Henry was the first person in Australasia to secure a spot in the world-leading Johnson & Johnson Innovation JLABS in Houston to further his work on surface-modification technology Kode Technology, which has the potential to fight cancer.





"I liked the culture at AUT, as it was more supportive and there were fewer harmful competitive attitudes. I was grateful to learn from some of the best lecturers in the country, such as Professor Warren Brookbanks, who literally wrote the textbook on criminal law. His empathetic approach was also inspiring for the way I wanted to practise. As a criminal defence lawyer now, I'm acting for legally aided clients charged with a crime. My role includes reviewing the evidence, researching and preparing submissions, advising my clients and representing them in court. I love talking to my clients and advocating for them."

Averil McIntyre

Criminal Defence Lawyer, Public Defence Service Manukau
Master of Laws
Bachelor of Laws (First Class Honours)

"The sincerity and care that I experienced during my time at AUT left a lasting impression, and helped me develop the sense of resilience and passion that I still try to apply in my physio career today. I loved the extremely close cohort and the diversity of learning and clinical placement opportunities we had as part of the degree, especially working on the stroke ward in Waikato and at ABI (Acquired Brain Injury) Rehabilitation in Ranui. My role now allows me to work directly with the players and staff, and help rehabilitate them using the most recent and up-to-date research and protocols."



Brendan Wyatt

Tainui

Team Physiotherapist, St George Illawarra Dragons,
Wollongong, Australia
Bachelor of Health Science (Physiotherapy)



"Industry practice is so valuable once you graduate. You don't realise until after you've graduated how important this part of your study is in giving you a head start once you graduate. This was one of the reasons I chose AUT – it bridges the gap between academic studies and industry practice. I now work at Lululemon in Vancouver in its Go-to-Market Management team. We manage and govern the end-to-end process that is creating products, from the concept to when our products are sent off to the mill for manufacturing before they hit our stores. We have our eyes on everything."

Katrina Sharlott

Product Coordinator, Go-to-Market Management Team (GTM),
Lululemon, Vancouver, Canada
Bachelor of Sport and Recreation in
Exercise Science and Management

"At an AUT science lecture you don't just learn the theory. Our lecturers also introduce and discuss a lot of real-life applications of chemistry during the lectures. It has been fascinating to understand how the science we learn is put to use in the industry. AUT has a very strong School of Science, and I wanted to learn from some of the best minds in the country. I also appreciate that the smaller and more interactive classes give me the chance to engage with other students and work together to complete projects."

Shaun D'souza

3rd-year student, Bachelor of Science in Chemistry



STUDENT SERVICES AND SUPPORT

AUT is a modern and innovative university with endless opportunities and a supportive culture that celebrates diversity. Studying with us is a chance for students to meet new people and develop lifelong skills, while getting the support they need to succeed at university and beyond.

We're proactive in enabling students to succeed, and our comprehensive student support services ensure that our students have an amazing experience inside and outside the classroom and are prepared for any challenge in front of them.

Easy to get help

At AUT, we don't want anything to get in the way of our students enjoying their experience and achieving their goals. So no matter what the problem, the Student Hub is here to help. There is a Student Hub on each of our three campuses or online, and our team can help with anything from advice for applicants, academic and personal support, StudyLink and fees advice, ID cards and Auckland Transport tertiary travel discounts, to wellbeing needs and services for our diverse communities.

Getting around

Whether it's finding the way to campus or getting around between lectures, AUT offers a range of resources to help students navigate their new environment. AUT has shuttle buses that travel between the AUT City and South Campus (including New Zealand's first electric bus), delivers campus and city tours during Orientation, and provides MazeMaps online, a mapping tool designed to help navigate complex environments and highlight any obstacles for people with accessibility needs.

Settling into university life

Studying at university can be quite an adjustment. That's why AUT helps new students transition to university life by delivering a wide-ranging orientation programme on campus and online at the start of each semester. AUT Orientation is complemented by a fun social programme to help students meet new friends and celebrate the exciting new journey they're on. Orientation is just one aspect; we also offer activities throughout the semester. To help students navigate the student journey, the AUT App also provides up-to-date news, events and information about AUT anytime, anywhere.

Finding the right place to live

Living in AUT student accommodation is a great option; especially for students in their first year of study or from outside Auckland. Our student accommodation is secure, with specialised staff and security available on-site 24/7. Located just minutes away from our City or North Campuses, AUT's self-catered student accommodation is convenient and modern apartment-style living, designed to help students build friendships and achieve academic success. Refer to page 18 for more details about AUT's student accommodation.

Helping students plan their future career

The AUT Employability team prepares students for their future career by developing job search, interview and networking skills, building students' personal brand and more.

A launchpad for entrepreneurs

AUT is a great place for aspiring entrepreneurs. Students who want to turn their entrepreneurial ideas into a viable business can join our ten-week CO.STARTERS@AUT programme or participate in the X Challenge to compete for a range of cash prizes to help students take the next step on their entrepreneurial journey. AUT students and alumni who have a promising idea for a start-up could also work with AUT Ventures Ltd to bring their ideas to market. We can help them access commercial funding sources, protect intellectual property and avoid the pitfalls many start-ups face.

Connections to the workplace

We run a full programme of employer presentations, events and workshops throughout the year – on campus and online – with employers offering advice and insights into their industries or recruiting future employees. Four graduate job boards, including an international one, offer great work opportunities for AUT graduates and interns.

Gaining an edge on the competition

The AUT Edge and Beyond AUT Awards help students gain an extra edge in the competitive marketplace by developing highly employable skills through volunteering, leadership and employability activities.

We speak your language

Our students come from 143 countries, so we know that sometimes it's easier to have things explained in their first language. That's why some of the Student Hub team are bilingual. All students need to do is ask if we have anyone who speaks their preferred language.

Joining a gym or sports team

AUT is New Zealand's leading sports university, with state-of-the-art sports facilities, on-campus gyms, the brand new recreation centre in the Te Āhuru Mayoral Drive Student Accommodation complex, and a huge number of sports teams and events. AUT students can participate in a wide variety of sports, from social on-campus games to elite international competitions. As a part of University Tertiary Sport (UTSNZ) students may also have the chance to represent AUT against some of the best student athletes in the country.

Getting involved in campus life

Joining a club is a great way to meet like-minded people and make lifelong friends outside of lectures. Students can choose from a range of student-run social, sustainability, academic and cultural clubs – a great way to meet new people, participate in events and get involved in campus life.

High-performance athlete support

We encourage athletes to succeed both on and off the sporting stage through the Elite Athlete Programme with support to combine sporting goals with education, career and other life aspirations.

Disability student support & resources

Our Disability Support team can support students with an impairment to help them participate as fully as they can in learning and student life. We work with students before they start at AUT to help identify their specific needs and ensure they're set up for success while they're studying with us by developing an Academic Accommodation Plan. AUT is strongly committed to equity of access and opportunity for students, staff and visitors, and supports the principles of Kia Ōrite: Code of Practice for an inclusive tertiary environment.

Committed to Māori advancement

AUT values all Māori students and whānau, and is committed to promoting Māori presence and involvement in all facets of university life. We have a range of support services to help, including learning services, study and cultural spaces, student groups, mentors, kaupapa Māori events and Takawaenga Māori student advisors who are dedicated to helping our Māori students.

Pacific student success

AUT offers a range of services designed to support our diverse Pacific communities, including academic tutoring, and a comprehensive mentoring and leadership programme.





We embrace all faiths

We take a multifaith approach by providing spiritual support to students from various beliefs. AUT encourages understanding, tolerance and harmony, respecting everyone's spiritual views. Students can access our faith and prayer rooms on campus, attend events, or get support from our team of chaplains.

The AUT rainbow community

AUT was the first university in New Zealand to appoint a full-time rainbow community co-ordinator to provide dedicated support for rainbow students. This role provides support, services and resources for all rainbow students and all rainbow identities at AUT. AUT also has a dedicated rainbow room where students can study and connect, and where student groups can meet. As a Rainbow Tick university, AUT also takes part in city-wide rainbow events and offers rainbow students further opportunities through rainbow scholarships.

Financial assistance

We understand that studying can be tough on students' finances. The Student Hub team offers financial assistance to students who are experiencing financial difficulty while studying at AUT. We may be able to provide assistance with food and transports vouchers or living expenses like overdue rent or utility bills.

Helping students succeed in their studies

Our library and learning support team offers a wide range of services and resources, and there are digital resources available to develop your academic skills. The Library also runs a range of workshops to help students get the most out of their studies and work smarter, rather than harder. Our extensive peer mentoring programme provides academic support from others who have already completed the same course. You can also access Studiosity, our online 24/7 academic support service for guidance and feedback on academic writing and skills.

Free access to digital tools and resources

We offer students all the digital tools needed to succeed, including free wifi on campus, the full Microsoft Office 365 suite for up to five devices and access to LinkedIn Learning (lynda.com), a world-leading online learning platform.

Student ambassadors ready to help

AUT has more than 200 knowledgeable student ambassadors that support events and activities across AUT. One of their key roles is to help new students as they settle into their studies. We also have RUOK advisors who focus on students' wellbeing, and make sure students are aware of the support services and resources available.

Safe and friendly campuses

We make sure our students are safe when they're on campus. Our friendly security staff are available day and night to help if students have any concerns.

Staying healthy and well

At AUT it's OK to ask for help. We actively encourage all students to be aware of their own wellness needs – mind, body and spirit. Students have access to free or low-cost medical treatment at our full-service medical centres. We're also committed to helping students build resilience, mental strength and the skills to manage stress. That's why all students can get free, confidential counselling sessions and mental health support. Our advisors in the Student Hub can help students with a range of queries. Students can talk to us about any topic; study-related or personal. We also organise Bright Side at AUT events where students can develop better self-knowledge and a greater sense of purpose.

Representing students' interests

The AUT Student Association (AUTSA) exists to advocate and represent the interests of all students attending AUT. The association also publishes the university magazine Debate, and runs social activities during Orientation and throughout the year.

Top internships around the world

New AUT graduates have once-in-a-lifetime opportunities to apply their learning in a global context thanks to the AUT Internz International Scholarship programme. More than 200 AUT graduates started their careers by completing internships for organisations like Facebook Creative Shop, Icebreaker, Allbirds, Lululemon, FCB West, Paramount Recording Studios, Sundance Institute, the Metropolitan Museum of Art and The Smithsonian Institution through the AUT Internz Scholarship Programme.

A chance to see the world

An international student exchange offers an amazing opportunity for students to study overseas as part of their degree. Students can spend a semester or a year at one of our partner universities around the world, and immerse themselves in another culture, make lifelong friends and get international experience before they graduate.



STUDENT ACCOMMODATION

Living on campus can be a great option for students – they will only be minutes away from AUT and it's an easy way to meet other students.

AUT accommodation options

Wellesley Student Apartments City Campus (for 4–5 students)

- Three minutes' walk from AUT's main buildings
- Each apartment is fully furnished with four or five bedrooms, two bathrooms, a shared lounge/dining area and a kitchen
- There are three bedroom sizes to choose from and every bedroom has a king single bed, wardrobe, desk, chair, bookshelf and heated towel rail
- There are 13 bedrooms in the facility available for students with special access needs
- On-site services and facilities include staff who are available 24/7, outdoor spaces and laundry

Te Āhuru Mayoral Drive Student Accommodation City Campus (for 1 student)

- One-minute walk from AUT's main buildings
- Brand-new, purpose-built, high-spec studio units
- Each unit includes a king single bed, kitchenette with fridge and microwave, bathroom, study desk and chair, storage space
- There are 25 bedrooms (one on each floor) for students with special access needs
- On-site services and facilities include a recreation centre and sports court, 24/7 security, and shared study, social and dining spaces

Akoranga Student Village North Campus (for 4–5 students)

- Five minutes' walk from AUT's main buildings
- Each apartment is fully furnished with four or five bedrooms, two bathrooms, a shared lounge/dining area and a kitchen
- Some bedrooms have a double bed and some have a single bed
- All bedrooms have a wardrobe, desk, chair and bookshelf
- There are eight bedrooms in the facility available for students with special access needs (including bathrooms open to the person)
- On-site services and facilities include staff who are available 24/7, outdoor spaces and laundry

Residential life

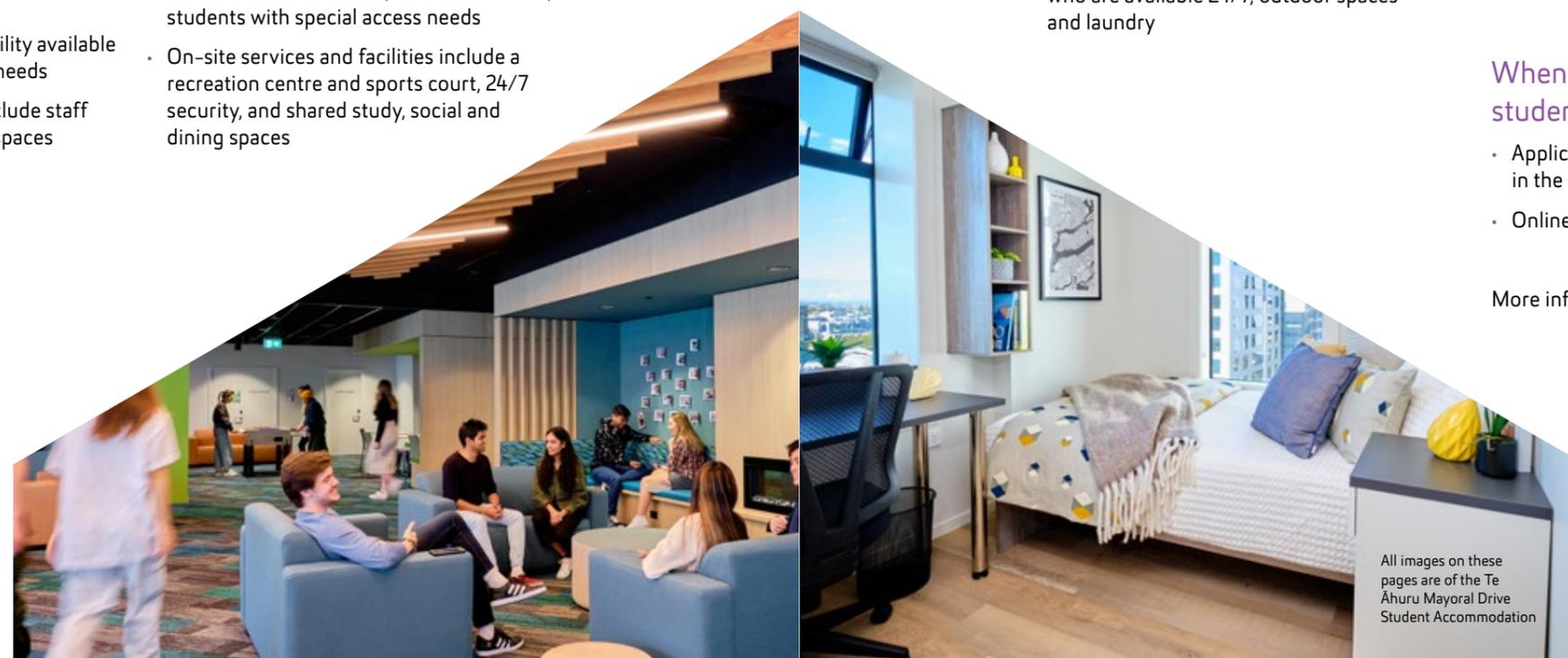
AUT student accommodation runs a variety of social events every month from quizzes and baking challenges to exercise classes and bingo. During Orientation, students will be provided with a calendar of events for the year.

Our social events aim to be accessible to everyone, so students can expect a mix of virtual and in-person activities, for small groups and the full village.

When to apply for student accommodation

- Applications open on 1 August (for Semester 1 in the following year) or 1 May (for Semester 2)
- Online application – no references needed

More information aut.ac.nz/accommodation



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WHAT TO EXPECT

CHOOSING WHAT TO STUDY

Starting university can be both exhilarating and confusing. There's so much to understand and so many choices. Choosing a potential career is easy for some, and for others it can feel like a life-defining decision. It's important for students to research all of their choices and make a decision that will suit not only their talents but also their learning style.

NEED HELP MAKING A DECISION?

Talk to an advisor

Need help understanding AUT programmes, support services and career pathways? Our Future Student Advisors can help your teen plan their degree and provide all the information they need to get started. To book an online course counselling session visit www.aut.ac.nz/course-counselling. You can also call us on 0800 AUT AUT (0800 288 288) or email future@aut.ac.nz

On campus

You can meet our team on campus to find out more about studying at AUT and what university looks like. Book a session with our experienced and qualified career and course advisors to discuss your options.

Contact us to book:

Career and course planning session – a great option whether your teen has some idea about what they'd like to study or doesn't know at all. Can include a campus and accommodation tour.

Campus tour – a chance for your teen to learn more about AUT's fantastic facilities and get a feel for the campus and student accommodation.

aut.ac.nz/oncampus

Download career sheets

Learn about industry trends, job descriptions and the skills your teen needs for careers related to AUT programmes.

aut.ac.nz/future-career-sheets



THE FIRST SEMESTER

The university year has two semesters, with the first semester starting in late February and the second semester starting in mid-July.

Each semester runs for 12 weeks, with exams taking place in weeks 13 and 14.



Orientation for new students typically starts the week before the semester begins. Students who are new to AUT should attend Orientation week as it's a great time to make new friends, explore the campus and find out what services are available to first-year students.

In many programmes, all students take the same courses in the first semester, which gives them a good overview of their study area and makes it easier to choose what areas they want to focus on later on in their studies.

To find out more about key dates in the AUT semester visit aut.ac.nz/keydates



"What I've enjoyed most about my study at AUT is learning and acquiring knowledge from lecturers who are not only knowledgeable on different aspects of construction engineering, but also very affable and generous with their time. One of the messages the AUT Vice-Chancellor usually stresses at the orientation for new university students is that at AUT it's not only about academic achievements but that transferable skills, or C skills, are also encouraged as they're essential to becoming a great graduate within the industry. This message has inspired me."

Annajane Leslie Schutz
4th-year student, Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) in Construction Engineering



"One of the highlights of my time at AUT was seeing how close everyone in our degree became by the time we graduated. We spent three years together working on some of the most awesome, fun, creative projects – and we really became a family by the end of it. As an imaging production engineer I'm now responsible for producing audio that identifies a radio station. Hearing my work play on nationwide radio makes me really proud and keeps me motivated. I've also just been nominated in the Best Station Imaging category at this year's New Zealand Radio Awards together with my colleague. I'm really proud of this."

Melanie Dooley
Imaging Production Engineer, MediaWorks Radio
Bachelor of Communication Studies in Radio



"When I attended AUT LIVE, AUT's open day, I quickly realised that the science lecturers and professors included some visibly passionate and impactful environmental scientists, ecologists and conservationists. They all had great stories to tell from the many organisations and projects they had been a part of, both here in New Zealand and overseas. As they discussed the fieldtrips, projects and research I would likely participate in while studying environmental sciences at AUT, it became clear that AUT's science programme was the perfect starting point for my own environmental stories."

Ellis Nimick
GIS Analyst, New Zealand Carbon Farming
Bachelor of Advanced Science (Honours) in Geospatial Information Systems



"During the COVID-19 pandemic AUT has been very helpful in creating a virtual environment conducive to learning. It made online learning no different from the traditional university approach; very stimulating and engaging. I would definitely recommend this degree. Following my bachelor's degree, I plan to pursue a Master of Computer and Information Sciences, specialising in software development. Eventually, I'd like to have a career as a software engineer, developing software for the justice and healthcare sectors."

Amos Foong
2nd-year student, Bachelor of Computer and Information Sciences

PLANNING YOUR WEEK

Timetables can vary from programme to programme depending on what students are studying. Students generally take four courses each semester (each worth 15 credits). As well as attending lectures and tutorials, students also need to spend time studying the course material and working on assignments.

We strongly recommend that first-year students give themselves time to settle into university life before they take on part-time work.

All AUT campuses have plenty of spaces where students can work on assignments and study between classes, and students can also access AUT's excellent library facilities and computer labs.

To give you an idea what an average timetable may look like, here are some examples for different AUT degrees. Each student's timetable will depend on the courses they are studying that semester.

Engineering

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1 ⁰⁰		WY204: ENGE501/51	WS221: ENSE504/54				
2 ⁰⁰		Engineering Workshop Practice [BE (Hons)]	Introduction to Computing		WG416: ENEL516/57		
3 ⁰⁰					Electrical Principles B		
4 ⁰⁰					WE230: ENME511/51		
5 ⁰⁰							

Computer Science

	< Mon 26 Feb	Tue 27 Feb	Wed 28 Feb	Thu 01 Mar	Fri 02 Mar	Sat 03 Mar	Sun 04 Mar >
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8 ⁰⁰		WT301: INFS500/13		WZ255: ENEL504/12			
9 ⁰⁰	WA220: COMP501/15	Enterprise Systems		Computer Network			
10 ⁰⁰	WZ137: INFS500/13	WB306: COM501/15			WG403: COMP500/13		
11 ⁰⁰	Enterprise Systems						
12 ^{pm}	WZ255: ENEL504/12			WG403: COMP500/13			
1 ⁰⁰	Computer Network						
2 ⁰⁰				WT307: COMP500/13			
3 ⁰⁰		WG403: COMP500/13		Programming 1			
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KEY

- WY204: ENGE501/51 Engineering Workshop Practice [BE (Hons)]
- WY204 is the room number where the class will be held. WY building, room 204 (level 2)
- ENGE501/51 is the unique code for this particular course. In this case, ENGE stands for an engineering course and the '5' refers to the level of the course
- Engineering Workshop Practice is the name of the course
- BE (Hons) is the programme name - Bachelor of Engineering (Honours)



ASSESSMENTS AND EXAMS

Each course has assignments or exams to see how well students have understood the topics covered in the course. Students need to pass these to successfully pass the course. The number and type of assessments is different for each course.

Assessments and exams will often take place in the final weeks of the semester, so it's important that students manage their time well and are highly organised.

Here is an example of an assessment brief. This explains everything a student needs to know about an assessment – including when it's due, how much it's worth and what it will cover.

Assessment 2: LEARNING LOG AND BUSINESS PROPOSAL

Due dates	Week 4 – 10pm, Sunday 26 March Week 7 – 12pm, Wednesday 19 April Business Proposal – 12pm, Wednesday 19 April
Weighting	5% Learning Log 25% Business Proposal
Typing	Individual assessment
Length	1,500 words
Submission	Weekly Learning Log submission instructions available on Canvas Submit the Business Proposal to Turnitin via Canvas as an electronic file named BP, your family name, initials and Student ID (eg BPSmithGA012345) No coversheet is required
Requirements	In groups you will identify a problem in society at a national or regional level and come up with a business idea in response to the problem. You will be given time in class to do this. For this assessment you are required to individually prepare a Business Proposal based on your group's chosen problem and your group's business idea in response to that problem. Refer to Canvas for additional assessment requirements. Engagement with the weekly materials through the learning log underpins this assessment and will form part of the mark for this assessment.
Programme learning goals	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be knowledgeable in their major field(s) of study • Be critical enquirers and creative problem solvers • Be effective communicators
Course learning outcomes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identify the environment within which business operates • Communicate effectively using multiple mediums • Apply secondary research and critical thinking skills to examine issues relating to business in society • Apply reflective practice skills to examine issues relating to business in society

UNIVERSITY LINGO

Bachelor's degree

A bachelor's degree (or undergraduate degree) is the highest and most common programme of study students can enter directly from secondary school. Students need University Entrance to start a bachelor's degree. For most AUT students a bachelor's degree is the first university qualification they complete. Most bachelor's degrees take three years' of full-time study; some can take four to five years.

Certificate and diploma

Certificates and diplomas can serve as a pathway into a bachelor's degree. For example, the Diploma in Arts is a pathway into the Bachelor of Arts.

Conjoint programmes

A conjoint programme of study enables a student to study two degrees at the same time and complete both in a shorter time than it would take to complete them separately. This is because a number of courses can count towards both degrees. It's usually possible to complete two three-year degrees in four to five years. Students need to maintain a B grade average across all courses each year and do courses from each degree every year. Only some degrees can be studied as conjoint programmes. If your chosen degree combination is not available, you may be able to study double degrees.

Double degrees

To undertake double degrees, students need to apply and enrol separately in each of the two degrees. There may be some courses that can be cross-credited from one degree to the other, but this varies depending on degree combinations. If a student is considering a double degree, we highly recommend they contact AUT to discuss it further.

Major

A major is the subject area a student specialises in. For most bachelor's degrees, students don't have to know exactly what major they would like to specialise in when they start at AUT. For example, in AUT's Bachelor of Sport and Recreation, students get a taste of all the different majors in their first year, and in their second year they start to specialise in their chosen major(s).

A major normally makes up one third of a degree (120 points) and requires completing certain compulsory courses and other requirements. In many degrees, students can choose to study two majors and develop skills in two separate disciplines, as long as their timetable allows this. For some programmes choosing a major is optional and students can also study the degree without a major.

Minor

A minor is also a subject area a student can specialise in, but it's smaller than a major. In many degrees, students can choose to include a minor as part of their degree, as long as their timetable allows this. A minor consists of at least 60 points in a single subject area (a major consists of 120 points).

PhD

PhD is short for Doctor of Philosophy. A PhD is a globally recognised postgraduate degree awarded to candidates who have submitted a thesis or dissertation, based on extensive and original research in their chosen field. A PhD is usually the highest qualification awarded at a university.

Points

Every course has a point value associated with it, which indicates its contribution to a qualification. A typical undergraduate bachelor's degree is worth 360 points. Most courses are worth 15 points each.

Postgraduate

This is the highest level of study at a university. To enrol in a postgraduate programme students generally need to have completed a bachelor's degree in a related field. Some postgraduate programmes are made up of courses students need to complete, while others include the opportunity to complete research in an area of interest. The Master of Philosophy and Doctor of Philosophy are research-only degrees – ideal for students who want to solely focus on their research project and not complete any courses.

Undergraduate

Generally, this is the first level of study a school leaver will do at university. A bachelor's degree is the most common form of undergraduate study.

Workplace experience

For many of our bachelor's degrees, the final part is a supervised work placement or a project for an organisation of the student's choice. It's a great chance for students to apply what they've learnt in the classroom and develop their skills. Employers value the fresh ideas and latest thinking our students bring to the organisation, and for many of our students the workplace experience also leads to a permanent role in their host organisation.

APPLYING TO AUT

APPLICATION TIMELINE

This page gives you an idea of the different steps within the application process, and when they happen throughout the year.



MAY 2021 - FEB 2022

Future student applies to AUT

Student receives acknowledgement email from AUT, confirming the application has been received



MAY 2021 - FEB 2022

Future student receives AUT correspondence

They will receive one of the following for each programme they applied for:

Provisional offer of place

You have met some of the entry criteria to your chosen programme and we would like to offer you a provisional place to study at AUT. This essentially means that we're 'saving your spot' in the programme as long as you achieve certain requirements in your final exams/assessments (eg gaining University Entrance). If you don't meet the rest of the requirements then this offer will be withdrawn

Awaiting decision

Some popular programmes have limited places because of physical or other resource constraints, and rank applicants according to their academic achievement. Your UE results will be required before a final decision is made. High achieving applicants for popular programmes may be given a provisional offer

Decline/Referral

You don't meet the entry requirements or all places are taken. We may offer you an alternative programme (eg another bachelor's degree or a relevant certificate)



JAN 2022 - FEB 2022

Future student's Year 13 results received

Students who previously received a provisional offer of place or are waiting for a decision will receive one of the following for each programme they applied for:

Confirmation of place

AUT will confirm your study for 2022

Decline/Referral

You don't meet the entry requirements or all places are taken. We may offer you an alternative programme (eg a relevant certificate)

In many programmes students can also start in Semester 2 (in July).

TOP TIPS FOR APPLYING

To study at university, students need to meet the entry requirements for their chosen programme. For all bachelor's degrees, University Entrance (UE) is the minimum requirement all students need to meet. However, some programmes also have additional requirements, so it's important to check what is required for your chosen programme.

Check if a driver's license is required for your teen's chosen programme or if there are certain subjects needed or other requirements. Some AUT programmes – like the Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) – also use a rank score as part of their entry requirement process.

You can find what is required for your chosen programme in the relevant programme brochure or the AUT website.

Apply early

It's best to apply before Term 4. That way, students can focus on their end of year exams without worrying about the university application process.

Email address

Email is our main form of communication. This is a good time for students to create a more professional sounding email address, rather than using their school email address.

Back up plans

Applying isn't committing anyone to anything, so it's always good to have a plan A, B and C. Students can apply for up to five different programmes at AUT.

How to apply

Students can apply online. To find out more about how to apply to AUT visit aut.ac.nz/apply



FEES & SCHOLARSHIPS

Fees

To give you an idea of approximate costs, the 2021 tuition fees are shown below (based on full-time study and completing 120 points per year). All fees are in NZ dollars and include GST. The 2022 tuition fees will be advertised on aut.ac.nz/fees as soon as they have been set.

Domestic student tuition fees

Undergraduate tuition fees can range from approximately \$3,155.00 to \$10,476.00 per year.

Eligible first-time domestic students are entitled to one year of free fees.

International student tuition fees

Fees can range from approximately \$16,000.00 to \$42,831.00 per year.

Other fees students may have to pay

- Compulsory Student Services fee \$790.40 for 120 points
- Building Levy fee \$77.52 for 120 points
- Additional fees for course materials or elective courses

Fees-free study

Eligible students starting tertiary education receive one year of full-time study fees-free.

If the student:

- Is a New Zealand citizen (which includes those from the Cook Islands, Niue and Tokelau); or
- Is an Australian or New Zealand resident who has lived in New Zealand for at least three years while holding a residence class visa; or
- Is a New Zealand resettled refugee

And

- Was enrolled at school during or after 2017 but isn't currently enrolled; or
- Hasn't previously undertaken tertiary study of more than 60 credits (equivalent to half a year full-time) at NZQF level 3 or above, except while they were at school

Included in the free fees are all compulsory fees (tuition, services etc) up to \$12,000 and tertiary study at any level. The policy will cover one year's study which is usually 1 EFTS/120 credits or points.

For more information visit aut.ac.nz/fees

Scholarships and awards

Scholarships and awards are a great way to fund university study. There is a wide range of scholarships and awards available to AUT students at all stages of their study. This includes AUT's Find Your Greatness Scholarship for school leavers and the Welcome to Auckland Scholarship for students from outside of Auckland. To find out more about what scholarships are available visit aut.ac.nz/scholarships



FIND OUT MORE

Visit our website

For the latest information on AUT programmes and to keep up-to-date with what's happening at AUT visit [aut.ac.nz](https://www.aut.ac.nz)

You can:

- **Download programme guides** for each study area, which cover course information, entry requirements, and student and alumni profiles
- **Browse career sheets** to get an understanding of the many career opportunities available
- **Visit our parents' section** for essential information to help families with the transition from school to university

AUT LIVE - the most open day

At the end of August each year, AUT LIVE showcases everything AUT has to offer to help you make an educated decision about university study. Hear our staff and students talk about what it's like study to study at AUT, and get to grips with the practicalities – including tuition costs, living expenses, learning experiences and so much more. To find out more, visit [aut.ac.nz/live](https://www.aut.ac.nz/live)

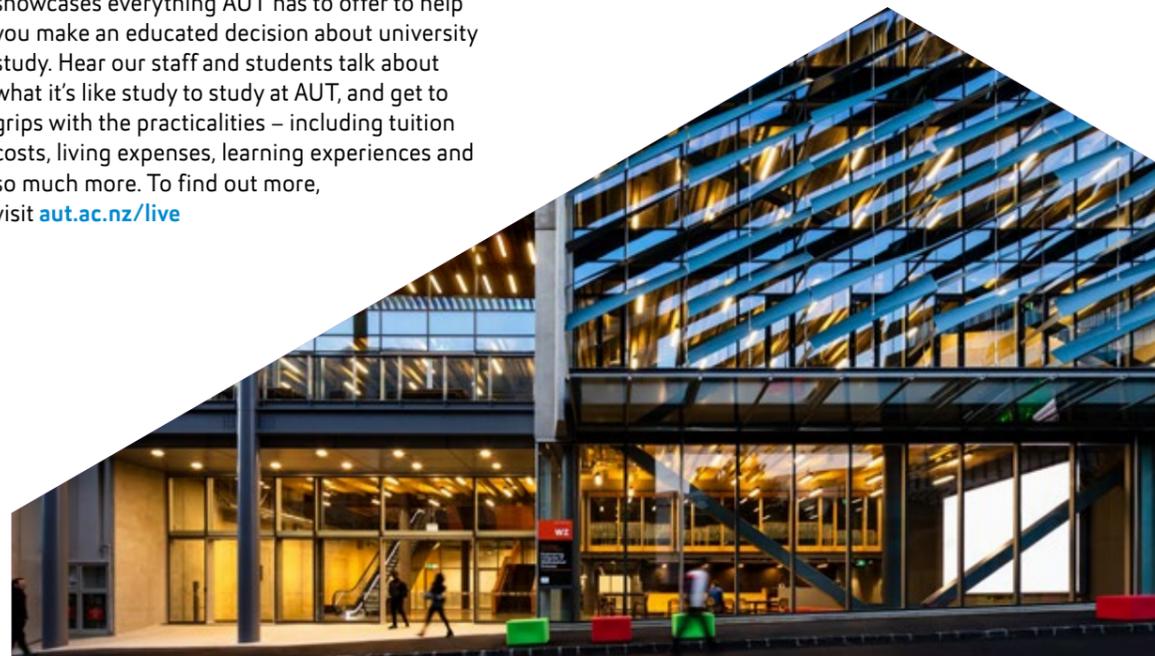
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If you're thinking about coming to university yourself, our friendly advisors can talk through your study options and provide professional, one-on-one advice. Email us at postgradadvisor@aut.ac.nz

Campus tours

If you're curious about AUT's fantastic facilities and would like to get a feel for the campus and accommodation environment, email future@aut.ac.nz to book a campus tour.





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