



UNIVERSITY
OF WOLLONGONG
AUSTRALIA

Postgraduate Guide 2023

Why postgrad?

Choosing to go back to uni, or staying at uni for a postgraduate degree, is a big decision. But at UOW, it's one that comes with all the support you need to earn a recognised qualification that will help you accelerate your current career or start a new one.

LEARN FROM INDUSTRY EXPERTS

You'll be learning from people who have vast industry experience and are working on cutting-edge research in your field. UOW's reputation is founded on world-class research and teaching.

FLEXIBLE STUDY

UOW's postgraduate offerings include short courses and degrees with flexible delivery, allowing you to fit study around a busy work and life schedule.

BUILD YOUR NETWORK

Connect with like-minded people in your class, as well as more than 36,000 students from over 160 countries. UOW's presence in Malaysia, Singapore, Hong Kong and Dubai means you can connect with employers around the world who are familiar with UOW's reputation and the quality of our graduates.

MAKE IT OFFICIAL

Fast track your career progression by expanding your knowledge beyond your workplace experience and formalising your qualifications. Postgraduate study at UOW will ensure you're up-to-date with best practice and leading industry knowledge.

AFFORDABLE COURSE FEES

In 2023, UOW postgraduate courses have Commonwealth Supported Places (CSPs). For eligible students, this means the government will fund up to 75 per cent of your degree. You may also be able to access the HECS-HELP loan scheme, meaning no upfront payments. See page 2 for more information.

SPECIALISE OR DIVERSIFY

By studying a UOW postgraduate degree you can gain highly valued, specialised skills that will see you become a leader in your industry, or you can diversify your skills to broaden your career opportunities.



Number 1

University in NSW for postgraduate skills development

QILT 2021



Top 20

14th best modern university in the world

QS top 50 under 50 rankings 2021



Top 1%

Rating for graduates by global employers

QS World University Rankings 2022



Top 200

Universities in the world

QS World University Rankings 2022

The next step in your career starts here.

As economic, technological and social forces transform the way we work, gaining up-to-date skills and knowledge can elevate you into new opportunities. The University of Wollongong offers a range of online, flexible and on-campus courses to help you get there.

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Get up to 75% off postgraduate fees*

Postgraduate study at UOW is now more affordable, with Commonwealth supported places available for all coursework postgraduate degrees in 2023*. Apply now to secure your place in 2023.

COMMONWEALTH SUPPORTED PLACES

A Commonwealth Supported place (CSP) is a University place where, for eligible domestic students, tuition fees are made up of two parts:

- an Australian Government contribution (for some courses, up to three-quarters of the tuition fee is funded by the Australian Government)
- a student contribution (which may be deferred and repaid later via a HECS-HELP loan)

If you apply for any CSP eligible course at UOW, your eligibility is automatically considered when we assess your application.

While there are eligibility criteria to meet, if you are an Australian citizen, or a New Zealand Special Category Visa holder who meets the long-term residency requirements, or a holder of a permanent humanitarian visa – you're more than halfway to meeting these criteria.

Eligible students may also be able to access HECS-HELP to defer all or part of their course fees.

FULL-FEE PAYING PLACES

Courses without Commonwealth supported places, for example the Master of Business Administration (Executive) are considered full-fee paying places (FFPP). The Australian Government does not contribute towards the cost of the course fees for these courses. You may be eligible to access a FEE-HELP loan to cover part of or all of your tuition fees.

Check studyassist.gov.au for the most up-to-date information. Find course fees for your preferred course at coursefinder.uow.edu.au

DOMESTIC COURSEWORK SCHOLARSHIPS

There are a selected number of coursework scholarships available. Refer to the website for details uow.info/postgrad-scholarships

* Excluding Graduate Certificate in Business Administration (Executive), Graduate Diploma in Business Administration (Executive), and Master of Business Administration (Executive)










Choose your course

Discover UOW postgraduate courses, delivery modes, locations, and when you can start.

See coursefinder.uow.edu.au for in-depth program details.





FIND YOUR STUDY DESTINATION

As well as UOW Online, the University has two campuses in Wollongong, a series of regional campuses, and two metro campuses; Sydney CBD and South Western Sydney (Liverpool). These symbols let you know at which campus(es) you can study each course.

UOW Online	
Batemans Bay	
Bega	
Innovation Campus (Wollongong)	
Shoalhaven	
Southern Highlands	
South Western Sydney	
Sydney CBD	
Wollongong	

START WHEN YOU LIKE

UOW has different intakes throughout the year. Intakes vary across study areas, so be sure to look out for these symbols to see when you can start.

Session 1 (March)	
Session 2 (July)	
Trimester 1 (Feb)	
Trimester 2 (May)	
Trimester 3 (Aug)	




STUDY YOUR WAY

As a postgraduate student, you can choose from a range of study modes.

On-campus: Some classes are offered on a weekly basis throughout the day or evening, while others run in intensive mode over the weekend to minimise time away from other responsibilities.

Online: UOW has two types of online learning. Self-paced online study in your own environment and distance learning that does not require you to attend campus, but instead allow you to join pre-scheduled virtual classes.

Mixed mode is online with some on-campus requirements.

On-campus	
Online: complete your degree online	
Mixed-mode: online with some on campus requirement	

Quarter 1 (Feb)	
Quarter 2 (April)	
Quarter 3 (July)	
Quarter 4 (Oct)	
Graduate Medicine (Jan)	
Indigenous Trauma & Recovery (June)	

Business – Sydney Business School, UOW

Course	Campus	Delivery	Intakes	Duration	Accreditation
Graduate Certificate in Applied Finance	W S	📍 📖	T1 T3	6 months	
Graduate Certificate in Analytics for Medical Imaging Professionals*		📍 📖	T1 T2 T3	6 months p/t	
Graduate Certificate in Business	W S	📍 📖	T1 T2 T3	6 months	
Graduate Certificate in Business Administration	W S	📍 📖	T1 T2 T3	6 months	
Graduate Certificate in Business Administration (Executive)	S	📍	T1	6 months	
Graduate Certificate in Business Administration Health*	W	📍 📖	T1 T2 T3	6 months p/t	
Graduate Certificate in Business Analytics	W S	📍 📖	T1 T2 T3	6 months	①
Graduate Certificate in Digital Marketing and Data Analytics	W S	📍 📖	T1 T2 T3	6 months	
Graduate Certificate in Forensic Accounting	W S	📍 📖	T1 T2 T3	6 months	
Graduate Certificate in Human Resource Management	W S	📍 📖	T1 T2 T3	6 months	
Graduate Certificate in Innovation & Entrepreneurship	W S	📍 📖	T1 T2 T3	6 months	
Graduate Certificate in Marketing	W S	📍 📖	T1 T2 T3	6 months	
Graduate Certificate in Professional Accounting	W S	📍	T1 T3	6 months	
Graduate Certificate in Project Leadership and Management	W S	📍 📖	T1 T2 T3	6 months	
Graduate Certificate in Sustainable Supply Chain Management	W S	📍 📖	T1 T2 T3	6 months	
Graduate Diploma in Business Administration	W S	📍 📖	T1 T2 T3	1 year	
Graduate Diploma in Business Administration (Executive)	S	📍	T1	1 year	



AACSB INTERNATIONAL ACCREDITATION

UOW is recognised among the top five per cent of business schools in the world, with international accreditation from the Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business. This is public recognition that UOW's business curriculum meets the highest standards, our students learn from the best business minds, and our graduates have the skills, knowledge and experience that global employers are looking for.

Course	Campus	Delivery	Intakes	Duration	Accreditation
Master of Applied Finance (Investing & Financial Services)	W S	📍 📖	T1 T3	2 years	②
Master of Applied Finance (Financial Services OR Investing)	W S	📍 📖	T1 T3	1.5 years	②
Master of Business	W S	📍 📖	T1 T2 T3	1.5 years	③
Master of Business Administration	W S	📍 📖	T1 T2 T3	1.5 years	
Master of Business Administration (Executive)	S	📍	T1	2 years p/t	
Master of Business Administration Advanced (Accounting, Business Analytics, Finance, Innovation and Entrepreneurship, Human Resource Management, Marketing, Project Management, or Supply Chain Management)	W S	📍 📖	T1 T2 T3	2 years	
Master of Business Administration Health*	W	📍 📖	T1 T2 T3	1.5 years	
Master of Business Analytics	W S	📍 📖	T1 T2 T3	1.5 years	④
Master of Financial Management	W S	📍 📖	T1 T2 T3	1.5 years	③
Master of Human Resource Management	W S	📍 📖	T1 T2 T3	1.5 years	
Master of Innovation and Entrepreneurship	W S	📍 📖	T1 T2 T3	1.5 years	
Master of International Business	W S	📍 📖	T1 T2 T3	1.5 years	
Master of Management	W S	📍 📖	T1 T2 T3	1.5 years	
Master of Marketing	W S	📍 📖	T1 T2 T3	1.5 years	
Master of Professional Accounting	W S	📍	T1 T3	1.5 years	⑤
Master of Professional Accounting Advanced (Business Analytics, Financial Management or International Business)	W S	📍	T1 T3	2 years	⑤
Master of Project Management	W S	📍 📖	T1 T2 T3	1.5 years	
Master of Supply Chain Management	W S	📍 📖	T1 T2 T3	1.5 years	⑥

- ① Graduates will be awarded with the SAS Joint Certificate. ② Graduates may be eligible for membership of the Financial Services Institute of Australasia (FINSIA) and the Finance & Treasury Association (FTA). ③ Graduates may be eligible for membership of the Financial Services Institute of Australasia (FINSIA). ④ Graduates will be awarded the SAS Joint Certificate and the Advanced SAS Joint Certificate. ⑤ Graduates meet the educational and membership requirements of CPA Australia, Chartered Accountants ANZ, the Institute of Public Accountants, and international professional associations ACCA and CIMA. ⑥ Master of Supply Chain Management is accredited by the Chartered Institute of Procurement and Supply (CIPS). For more information visit uow.edu.au/business-law/professional-recognition

*New course – subject to final approval

Education

Course	Campus	Delivery	Intakes	Duration	Accreditation
Graduate Certificate in Autism			S1 S2	1 year p/t	
Graduate Certificate in Education			S1 S2	6 months	
Graduate Certificate in TESOL			S1 S2	6 months	①
Graduate Diploma in TESOL			S1 S2	1 year	①
Master of Autism			S1 S2	1.5 years	
Master of Education (Educational Leadership, Digital Technologies for Learning, Special Education, TESOL or Interdisciplinary Studies in Education)			S1 S2	1.5 years	①
Master of Education Extension (Educational Leadership, or TESOL)			S1 S2	2 years	
Master of Teaching (Primary)			S1	2 years	②
Master of Teaching (Secondary)			S1	2 years	②

① UOW is recognised by the Department of Education (DE) as a provider of EAL/D qualifications for primary/secondary trained teachers. DE accreditation will be dependent upon subject choice. ② This degree is accredited and recognised as a national professional teaching qualification. Students seeking work outside NSW or Australia are advised to check with potential employers and other teacher registration authorities for any additional requirements.



There have been so many things that I have learnt in my degree that have been valuable in my everyday work. Particularly in the areas of educational leadership and working collaboratively, because I've had to step up and run big teams of about 50 or 60 people. The task work is innovative and it has been so good for my professional development.

Wayne Cox

Master of Educational Leadership
Head of Teaching and Learning
Newington College, Stanwell campus

Health & Medicine

HEALTH					
Course	Campus	Delivery	Intakes	Duration	Accreditation
Graduate Certificate in Health Analytics			S1 S2	1 year p/t	
Graduate Certificate in Health Research			S1 S2	1 year p/t	
Graduate Certificate in Indigenous Trauma and Recovery Practice			IRTP	6 months	
Graduate Certificate in Medical & Health Leadership			S1 S2	1 year p/t	
Graduate Certificate in Public Health			S1 S2	1 year p/t	
Graduate Certificate in Radiography			S1 S2	1 year p/t	
Graduate Certificate in Strength and Conditioning			S1 S2	1 year p/t	
Master of Clinical Exercise Physiology			S1	1.5 years	①
Master of Health Informatics			S1 S2	2 years	
Master of Indigenous Health			S1	1.5 years	
Master of Medical and Health Leadership			S1 S2	1.5 years	②
Master of Nutrition and Dietetics			S1	2 years	③
Master of Public Health*			S1 S2	1 year	
Master of Public Health Extension			S1 S2	2 years	

① Exercise and Sport Science Australia: Upon graduation, students are eligible to apply for membership as an Exercise Scientist and accreditation as an Exercise Physiologist. ② UOW Master of Medical and Health Leadership* is accredited by Royal Australian College of Medical Administrators (RACMA). ③ Dietitians Association of Australia (DAA): all graduates are eligible for the credential of Accredited Practising Dietitian (APD).

*New course – subject to final approval

MEDICINE					
Course	Campus	Delivery	Intakes	Duration	Accreditation
Doctor of Medicine			GM	4 years	①

① UOW Graduate Medicine is accredited by the Australian Medical Council (AMC) and graduates are eligible for registration as a medical practitioner.

NURSING					
Course	Campus	Delivery	Intakes	Duration	Accreditation
Graduate Certificate in Dementia Care			S1 S2	1 year p/t	
Graduate Certificate in Gerontology and Rehabilitation Studies			S1 S2	1 year p/t	
Graduate Certificate in Medical & Health Leadership			S1 S2	1 year p/t	
Graduate Certificate in Nursing			S1 S2	6 months	
Master of Medical and Health Leadership			S1 S2	1.5 years	①
Master of Science (Leadership in Gerontology & Rehabilitation)			S1 S2	1.5 years	
Master of Science (Person-Centred Dementia Care)			S1 S2	1.5 years	

① The Master of Medical and Health Leadership is recognised with the Royal Australasian College of Medical Administrators (RACMA).

Law & Society

LAW, OCEAN LAW & POLICY

Course	Campus	Delivery	Intakes	Duration	Accreditation
Bachelor of Laws (Graduate Entry)	W SW S	📍	S1	3 years	①
Graduate Certificate in Law of the Sea	IC	📍	S1 S2	6 months	
Graduate Certificate in Maritime Studies	IC	📍	S1 S2	6 months	
Master of Fisheries Policy	IC	📍	S1 S2	1 year	
Master of Laws	IC	📍	S1 S2	1 year	
Master of Maritime Policy	IC	📍	S1 S2	1 year	

① By completing your law degree at UOW, you are completing an academic qualification that is recognised for admission as a lawyer in Australia, subject to completing state-approved Practical Legal Training (PLT). Further details for NSW admissions can be found at lpab.justice.nsw.gov.au

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY

Course	Campus	Delivery	Intakes	Duration	Accreditation
Graduate Certificate in Occupational Health and Safety	W	📍	S1	1 year p/t	
Graduate Certificate in Occupational Hygiene	W	📍	S1	1 year p/t	
Graduate Diploma in Occupational Health and Safety	W	📍	S1	1 year	①
Master of Occupational Health and Safety	W	📍	S1	1.5 years	①
Master of Occupational Health and Safety Extension	W	📍	S1 S2	2 years	
Master of Occupational Hygiene	W	📍	S1	1.5 years	②

① Accredited by the Australian Occupational Health & Safety Educators Accreditation Board (AOHSEAB). Accreditation is being sought from the Institution of Occupational Safety & Health (IOSH) of the UK. ② Accredited by the Australian Institute of Occupational Hygienists (AIOH). Accreditation is being sought from the British Occupational Hygiene Society (BOHS).

PSYCHOLOGY & HUMAN BEHAVIOUR

Course	Campus	Delivery	Intakes	Duration	Accreditation
Doctor of Philosophy (Clinical Psychology)	W	📍	S1	4 years	①
Master of Professional Psychology	W	📍	S1	1 year	①
Master of Professional Psychology (School Psychology)	W	📍	S1	1 year	①
Master of Psychology (Clinical)	W	📍	S1	2 years	①

① Australian Psychology Accreditation Council (APAC).

SOCIAL SCIENCES & PUBLIC HEALTH

Course	Campus	Delivery	Intakes	Duration	Accreditation
Graduate Certificate in Public Health	W	📍	S1 S2	1 year p/t	
Master of Public Health*	W	📍	S1 S2	1 year	
Master of Public Health Extension	W	📍	S1 S2	2 years	
Master of Social Work (Qualifying)	W SW	📍	S1	2 years	①

① Fully accredited by the Australian Association of Social Workers (AASW). It is an entry qualification into the social work profession and has been determined to meet the Australian Social Work Education and Accreditation Standards (ASWEAS). Graduates of this course are eligible for membership of the AASW, which is required by many employers. *New course – subject to final approval.



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I've never met more passionate academics than those within UOW's Work Health and Safety program. They're so enthusiastic about their field of work which excited me about my career.

Through the networking opportunities provided, I was successful in beginning my career in this industry while I was doing the course, which has now led to bigger and more interesting opportunities.

—
Alisha Burcher

Graduate Diploma in Work Health & Safety Injury Management and Wellbeing Officer

Science, Technology, Engineering & Maths

COMPUTER SCIENCE & INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

Course	Campus	Delivery	Intakes	Duration	Accreditation
Graduate Certificate in Computing	W	📍	S1 S2	6 months	
Graduate Certificate in Cyber Security	📍	📱	Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	1 year p/t	
Graduate Certificate in Health Analytics	W 📍	📱	S1 S2	1 year p/t	
Graduate Certificate in Principles of Data Science	W 📍	📱	S1 S2	6 months	
Graduate Certificate in Radiography	W 📍	📱	S1 S2	1 year p/t	
Master of Computer Science (Machine Learning & Big Data, Network & Information Security or Software Engineering)	W SW 📍	📱	S1 S2	2 years	①
Master of Health Informatics	W	📍	S1 S2	2 years	①
Master of Information and Communication Technology Advanced	W	📍	S1 S2	2 years	②
Master of Information Technology (Enterprise Networking, Information Systems Development or IT Strategic Management)	W	📍	S1 S2	2 years	①

- ① Accredited by the Australian Computer Society as meeting the requirements for membership at the Professional Level.
 ② Advanced professional level accreditation by the Australian Computer Society (ACS).

ENGINEERING

Course	Campus	Delivery	Intakes	Duration	Accreditation
Graduate Certificate in Electrical Power Engineering	📍	📱	S1 S2	1 year p/t	
Graduate Certificate in Engineering	W	📍	S1 S2	6 months	
Graduate Diploma in Engineering	W	📍	S1 S2	1 year	
Master of Electrical Power Engineering	📍	📱	S1 S2	2 years p/t	
Master of Engineering (Civil, Computer, Electrical, Environmental, Management, Materials, Mechatronic, Mining, or Telecommunications Engineering)	W	📍	S1 S2	2 years	①
Master of Engineering Management	W	📍	S1 S2	1 year	
Master of Engineering Science (Computer, Electrical, Telecommunications Engineering)	W	📍	S1 S2	1 year	

- ① Some majors are accredited with Engineers Australia, some majors are provisionally accredited. Check coursefinder.uow.edu.au

ENVIRONMENT & BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES

Course	Campus	Delivery	Intakes	Duration	Accreditation
Master of Conservation Biology	W	📍	S1 S2	2 years	
Master of Earth and Environmental Sciences	W	📍	S1 S2	2 years	
Master of Global Science and Management	W	📍	S1 S2	2 years	
Master of Medical Biotechnology	W	📍	S1 S2	2 years	

MATHS, PHYSICS & CHEMISTRY

Course	Campus	Delivery	Intakes	Duration	Accreditation
Graduate Certificate in Radiography	W 📍	📱	S1 S2	1 year p/t	
Master of Global Science and Management	W	📍	S1 S2	2 years	
Master of Mathematical Sciences	W	📍	S1 S2	2 years	
Master of Medical Biotechnology	W	📍	S1 S2	2 years	
Master of Medicinal Chemistry	W	📍	S1 S2	2 years	
Master of Science (Medical Radiation Physics)	W	📍	S1 S2	2 years	①

- ① Accredited by the Australasian College of Physical Scientists and Engineers in Medicine (ACPSEM).
 *New course – subject to final approval.



Our students learn how to solve real-life cyber security problems faced by organisations today.

—
Joonsang Baek
 Academic Program Director
 Cyber Security

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I studied postgrad at UOW because I was looking for career progression. It was also something I wanted to achieve personally.

The cost of the course and delivery format were things that sold me on UOW.

Every six to eight weeks, I would do a three-day intensive learning block and that really suited my lifestyle. I was able to work full-time, spend time with my three daughters and my wife, and then I could study in my own time after we'd had dinner together and they had gone to bed.

Ryan Hunt

Master of Business Administration (Executive)
Senior Product Manager – Conversational AI
Woolworths Group



Key dates

SESSION ONE 2023

Lectures	27 Feb – 7 Apr
Mid-session recess (1 week)	10 Apr – 14 Apr
Lectures	17 Apr – 2 Jun
Study recess (1 week)	5 Jun – 9 Jun
Exams (2 weeks)	10 Jun – 22 Jun

SESSION TWO 2023

Lectures	24 Jul – 22 Sep
Mid-session recess (1 week)	25 Sep – 29 Sep
Lectures	2 Oct – 27 Oct
Study recess (1 week)	30 Oct – 3 Nov
Exams (2 weeks)	4 Nov – 16 Nov

CYBER SECURITY QUADMESTERS (FOUR SESSIONS)

Session 1	30 Jan – 7 Apr
Session 2	24 Apr – 30 June
Session 3	17 Jul – 22 Sept
Session 4	9 Oct – 15 Dec

SYDNEY BUSINESS SCHOOL, UNIVERSITY OF WOLLONGONG

TRIMESTER ONE 2023

Enrolment and Orientation	30 Jan – 1 Feb
Lectures	6 Feb – 14 Apr
Study recess (1 week)	17 Apr – 21 Apr
Exams (1 week)	22 Apr – 28 Apr

TRIMESTER TWO 2023

Enrolment and Orientation	8 May – 10 May
Lectures	15 May – 21 Jul
Study recess (1 week)	24 Jul – 28 Jul
Exams (1 week)	29 Jul – 4 Aug

TRIMESTER THREE 2023

Enrolment and Orientation	14 Aug – 16 Aug
Lectures	21 Aug – 27 Oct
Study recess (1 week)	30 Oct – 3 Nov
Exams (2 weeks)	4 Nov – 16 Nov

How to apply

You can apply online for all postgraduate degrees excluding medicine. There is no application fee for applying to UOW.

apply.uow.edu.au

Learn more

If you have any questions about the information in this guide, we're here to help.

uow.edu.au/study/postgrad

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Chat with a student about their course and what its like to study at UOW.

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