



**Collaborative
opportunities**

with the University of
Wollongong Australia,
India Branch Campus



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The University of Wollongong Australia (UOW) is currently setting up operations in India through its International Branch Campus at GIFT City, Gujarat. Through this campus, UOW will be offering a range of programs starting with a Master of Computing (Data Analytics) and a Graduate Certificate in Computing in July 2024. This will be followed by the introduction of Master of Fintech, Master of Fintech (extension) and a Graduate Certificate in Fintech from November 2024.

To this accord, UOW is deepening and broadening its level of collaborative engagement in India. Over the past two decades, UOW has developed a range of collaborative partnerships with Indian universities and organisations, and is now developing meaningful collaboration with a limited number of Indian organisations and corporates.

UOW India has focused research expertise, especially in knowledge-intensive firms, both internally and through our network of university partners. UOW India seeks to collaborate with Indian organisations in the following ways:

- Provide research expertise and advisory services to assist Indian organisations to develop their activities, products, services and their competitiveness, in an increasingly globalising world.
- Provide training and development opportunities for your employees based on the latest knowledge and research across all aspects of business, management, IT and Fintech.
- Enrich our curriculum through advice from industry leaders and their needs for future.
- Bring your organisation leaders and subject matter experts (SMEs) in our classroom through our 'Experts in Classroom' program.
- Draw upon your assistance in opening up internship opportunities, campus recruitment and industry projects for our students in India and in other countries (if possible and feasible).

UOW is a research-intensive University focused on improving the quality of life in our regions and around the globe. Our academics, students and staff pursue innovative solutions to the world's great challenges. Currently ranked 167th in the world by QS World University Rankings, effectively placing us at number two in India; just behind IIT Bombay (149) and ahead of all other IITs, IISc and other elite institutes of India.

The University ranks in the top 1% in the world and in the top 200 universities for graduate employment rates. We rank in the top 20 of the best modern universities in the world and rank equal 61 in the world for our social and environmental impact, based on the United Nation's Sustainable Development Goals.

We are also one of Australia's most global university, with campuses and presence at more than 45 destination countries, notably Dubai, Malaysia and Hong Kong. Further information on UOW Australia is available [here](#) and UOW India is available [here](#).

Research Expertise and Advisory Services

Led by our interim Vice-Chancellor Professor John Dewar, UOW has consistently delivered research of outstanding quality and impact. The dissemination of our research to user communities, including industry, is one of UOW's key goals and we have a formidable reputation for our engagement with industry. We've made it our mission to help improve society, through research, innovation and collaboration. You can help us have a greater impact by getting involved with UOW research.

Academics within the university are research leaders and contribute knowledge across a wide range of fields. Teams of researchers within the UOW have received ARC Linkage grants and state Government funding for high profile projects. They publish consistently in the top national and international journals and are energetic in growing both the quality and volume of their research and developing and furthering research collaborations in India, Australia and globally. Further information on our research excellence is available [here](#) and [here](#). Further information on our engagement in India can be found [here](#).

UOW comprises of four faculties; **Faculty of the Arts, Social Sciences and Humanities, Faculty of Business and Law, Faculty of Engineering and Information Sciences** and **Faculty of Science, Medicine and Health**. Each faculty comprises of various schools. Holistically, we believe we have academics who can provide expertise and advisory services in most fields of study and business.

Training and Development and Curriculum enrichment

UOW through its global presence focuses on student-centred, research-driven teaching to develop the skills and attributes needed to sustain a successful career and engage in life-long learning. UOW offers a vast range of programs for the development of employees at all levels within the organisation. Over time we shall be introducing and offering these programs through UOW India by developing these further and adding some new programs tailored to the Indian business environment. A glimpse of our current suite of certification of proficiency courses offered through UOW Dubai can be found [here](#).

Additionally, any of the current topic areas or subject areas within the UOW India programs can be tailored to better suit our partner organisation's contextualised needs in the form of a one or multi-day workshop. These workshops would be facilitated at a mutually agreed rate of payment.

We also partner with companies that enable us to enrich our curriculum for our degree programs, but also assist us in developing and facilitating certificate of proficiency programs. One such example is our partnership with global technology giant IBM. Through our Dubai campus, our 7-year **relationship with IBM** is now at a mature stage and soon to be extended to UOW India. UOW India would like to explore opportunities of similar collaboration with your organisation to work together on strategies and collaborative projects. Our students would appreciate guest lectures and other forms of participation from your organisation leaders and other subject matter experts (SMEs).

Industry Projects, Campus interviews and Internships

UOW India is seeking organisations to host students for internships, campus placements and industry projects to help create a dynamic learning community that creates work-ready graduates. UOW India has designed processes and other collaborative mechanisms with current corporate partners to provide students with the opportunity to undertake workplace experience relevant to their study. Completing the workplace experience help give students the edge in the employment market, allowing them to apply the theories and concepts learnt throughout their studies, and build an understanding of contemporary business practices. Partner organisations are given the choice of interviewing and selecting candidates as per their requirements and available vacancies. Campus placement would require the following to be undertaken by both organisations.

1. Pre-placement presentation from the partner organisation
2. Selection criteria
3. Steps of interview process – written exam, group discussion, technical knowledge interview and formal interview
4. Post placement review and discussion for continuous improvement of process and curriculum.

These activities can be facilitated on campus or off campus basis mutually agreeable terms.

Our students are also required to undertake a capstone project for the completion of their degree. Through these partnerships, corporates can offer current or past problems, challenges, opportunities and other projects for students to tackle and make proposals. This would enable students to gain real life experience, the organisation would get alternate solutions to the same problem and the academics to build the relationship further.

We at UOW believe that academia and industry are mutually dependent on each other for success. UOW India through its motto of "Transforming education and empowering futures" seeks your assistance in achieving its vision, mission and objective of establishing a presence in India. We believe through discussions and constructive conversations, together we can establish a mutually beneficial partnership that will enable a brighter future for your employees, our academics, students and society at large.

For further information about how we may be able to collaborate into the future, please contact Nimay Kalyani the Campus Director at campusdirector-india@uow.edu.au or at +91 97270 01014.

Yours faithfully,

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