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Te Whare Wānanga o Waikato

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WELCOME

At the University of Waikato, we look forward to providing you with the essential learning and experience that will provide the foundation for a successful career and achievement of all of your personal goals in life.

You will find the University of Waikato offers a friendly and welcoming environment to all students. Our amazing international student community makes a significant contribution to our university and the wider social, cultural and academic experience of all students at the University.

At Waikato, you'll enjoy quality learning experiences and smaller class sizes, flexible degree structures, and work placements to ensure you are career-ready.

We are proud to provide teaching and research of international standing across our programmes, which has shown through our recent significant rise in the 2023 QS World University Rankings, where we have been recognised as number one in New Zealand for research impact.

We place great emphasis on providing a high quality, flexible learning environment for all students that is responsive to your needs if circumstances change.

Our Student Services team will provide you with excellent support during your studies. We are dedicated to ensuring that you gain the knowledge you require to succeed in your career, and that you enjoy the full university experience that Waikato offers.

We are delighted to welcome you onto our campuses, and to New Zealand. If you are considering initially joining the University from outside New Zealand, you can start your journey with us through online study, or through one of our many overseas partners.

University of Waikato graduates are known for making a difference in the world around them and we look forward to helping you do the same as you embark on your learning and career goals with us.

Ngā mihi nui,

Professor Neil Quigley
Vice-Chancellor

NEW ZEALAND - AOTEAROA

The perfect study and lifestyle destination

Culturally diverse, beautiful and safe, New Zealand has a work-life balance that is the envy of the world. It's why we consistently lead international quality-of-life surveys.



Beautiful

The scenery and landscapes in New Zealand are stunning and diverse, with mountains, beaches and native bush all within easy travelling distance from the University of Waikato campuses in Hamilton and Tauranga.

New Zealand's towns and cities have less pollution and congestion than most other parts of the world, and nowhere in New Zealand is more than 119 kilometres from the sea. Visit [newzealand.com](https://www.newzealand.com) to learn more.

Affordable

The cost of living in New Zealand may be more or less expensive than you are used to, but you can expect to enjoy a high standard of living. The cost of living in Hamilton is generally lower than most major cities in the world. New Zealand has a high standard of healthcare and we pride ourselves on our locally grown produce and New Zealand-made products.

For more information on living costs in New Zealand, visit [newzealandnow.govt.nz](https://www.newzealandnow.govt.nz)

Diverse

New Zealand is culturally diverse and home to people from all around the world. The culture, language and traditions of Māori (Indigenous New Zealand people) play a vital role in shaping our national identity.

Employment opportunities

The New Zealand economy has grown significantly in recent years. Some skills are in demand and Immigration New Zealand publishes lists of skill shortages – start your search on [newzealandnow.govt.nz/work-in-nz](https://www.newzealandnow.govt.nz/work-in-nz)

Peaceful and Prosperous

New Zealand has been consistently ranked in the top 10 globally by the Legatum Prosperity Index for the past 10 years. This index looks at economic quality, business environment, governance, education, health, safety and security, personal freedom, social capital and natural environment. For more information, visit prosperity.com/rankings

New Zealand welcomes international students and ranks the second most peaceful country in the world, according to the 2022 Global Peace Index.

Study to work in New Zealand

Students graduating with a bachelor's degree, bachelor honours degree, postgraduate diploma, master's or doctoral degree and who have studied that programme full time in New Zealand for a minimum of 30 weeks will be eligible to apply for post-study work rights. The duration of post-study work visas now match the duration of a student's study in New Zealand, except for master's and PhD students who will continue to be eligible for a three-year post study work visa.

To learn more about the study-to-work options and the Skilled Migrant Category, visit [immigration.govt.nz/new-zealand-visas](https://www.immigration.govt.nz/new-zealand-visas)

WHY CHOOSE WAIKATO?

FOR THE PEOPLE – KO TE TANGATA

Waikato prides itself on being a student-centric university. You, our students, are at the forefront of what we do. Your journey to success starts at Waikato by preparing you for the ever-changing world.

Gain a globally recognised education and enjoy a unique student experience in a country renowned for its stunning landscapes and innovative thinking. Through our strong connections with local, national and global industries, we create opportunities for you to apply your knowledge and skills in real work environments.

We understand that each student is unique so we offer personalised programmes and lots of support. Enjoy the benefits of a smaller university where you will be known as an individual and nurtured throughout your time with us by our dedicated team of international student support advisors. When asked, the overwhelming majority of current Waikato students recommended the university to others*. The University of Waikato offers the perfect combination – quality education, a supportive academic environment and a beautiful friendly city which is easy to live in. We look forward to welcoming you soon.

**According to the 2021 student barometer survey.*

WORLD RANKING

We are ranked 331st globally in the 2023 QS World University Rankings. We have a strong research capability with QS giving us the highest ranking for research amongst New Zealand universities. Our research tackles issues of national and global importance and as students you will benefit from being taught by our highly qualified academic staff. QS ranked 15 of our subjects and subject areas in their most recent 2022 QS Subject Rankings, with the following 9 subjects being ranked in the top 300 globally:

- Accounting and Finance
- Education
- English Language and Literature
- Communication and Media Studies
- Geography
- Hospitality and Leisure Management
- Law
- Philosophy
- Sociology

WORLD-CLASS

Our QS Stars five-star rating confirms our status as a world-class university with a high reputation for employment, cutting-edge facilities, internationally renowned research, outstanding teaching and student satisfaction.



TIMES HIGHER EDUCATION 2022 IMPACT RANKINGS

In the Times Higher Education 2022 Impact Rankings, Waikato achieved a global ranking of 83rd. We're particularly proud to be ranked 6th in the world for SDG 15 (Life on Land) and 23rd for SDG 14 (Life Below Water).

TRIPLE CROWN ACCREDITATION

Waikato Management School is in the top 1% of business schools globally, having achieved Triple Crown Accreditation from AACSB, AMBA and EQUIS. This is an international benchmark of excellence in business education.





Emelie Verseput
Zeeland, The Netherlands

Bachelor of Business
Community Manager, Phase One Ventures, Auckland

I have a strong connection with New Zealand and especially the Bay of Plenty. It is the place where I feel like I can reach my full potential and make an impact for good. I moved to New Zealand at 18 after I finished high school, I love it here.

Studying at Waikato was an amazing journey, I met some of my best friends at university and had the opportunity to study at both campuses. The Tauranga campus is new and growing and that makes it an interesting environment to study in, it is also close to the ocean where I spend most of my free time.

During my degree, I did multiple internships in Tauranga. Working part-time at Venture Centre NZ led to a graduate role as a Marketing Specialist. I soon got involved in the local entrepreneurial ecosystem and I now help startup founders reach their full potential and access support for growth in Aotearoa.

Make sure you enjoy New Zealand and your time at university. Use its immense beauty to find a spot where you can practice mindfulness and recharge for the next step in your journey. I love escaping to the mountains to go snowboarding or SCUBA dive Tauranga's amazing dive sites.

OUR CAMPUSES

Hamilton and Tauranga

The Waikato and Bay of Plenty regions of New Zealand offer a wealth of outdoor activities and attractions, as well as access to a world-class university education and vibrant city life.

HAMILTON CITY | WAIKATO REGION

The University of Waikato main campus is located in Hamilton, a vibrant and multicultural city with strong links to the Kingitanga and Waikato-Tainui, who are the traditional owners and custodians in the Waikato region. Located on the banks of the Waikato River, Hamilton is home to more than 160,000 people and boasts magnificent parks and gardens. Annual events include Balloons over Waikato and the Fieldays, the largest agricultural event in the southern hemisphere, drawing crowds from all over New Zealand and beyond.

Explore and travel

Hamilton and the surrounding region, locally referred to as 'The Mighty Waikato', offer world-class mountain bike trails, surf beaches and award-winning restaurants and cafes. Hamilton city has a vibrant night life, supported by a young population - around half of residents are under 30 years old.

Hamilton itself is a gateway to many of the beautiful features of the Waikato region, including a world-famous left-hand surf break at Raglan and the Hobbiton Movie Set at Matamata.

For those who enjoy the outdoors, there are more than 145 parks and 63 sports areas. In addition, Hamilton is a diverse and friendly city, home to more than 80 ethnic groups.

Auckland city and international airport are just an hour and a quarter drive north, connected by the new Waikato Expressway and the new Te Huia passenger rail service, which launched in April 2021.

Living costs

Living costs in Hamilton are lower compared to other cities in New Zealand such as Auckland and Wellington as detailed within Stats NZ findings. Students studying at the University of Waikato can take advantage of lower fees both for on and off-campus accommodation, as well as a lower day-to-day cost of living.

Strong economy

As well as a great lifestyle and world-class education, the Waikato region benefits from having one of New Zealand's largest and most varied economies.

Hamilton is a growing city, and is the fourth largest in New Zealand. It is regarded as a centre of excellence in agriculture and agritech, manufacturing and innovation, information technology (IT), construction, science and research, logistics, healthcare, education and a variety of sectors.

Waikato is part of New Zealand's 'Golden Triangle', an area bound by Auckland, Hamilton and Tauranga, that makes up over half of the country's gross domestic product and fills more than 50% of all jobs in New Zealand.

Family-friendly

Hamilton is the ideal choice if you are looking to bring your family with you to New Zealand. With high-quality schools, an active outdoor lifestyle and a safe environment, your family will settle into Kiwi life in no time at all. Our friendly International Student Services team can provide help and advice for you and your family every step of the way.





TAURANGA CITY | BAY OF PLENTY REGION

Tauranga, New Zealand's fifth largest and fastest growing city, is situated in the sunny Bay of Plenty region. The University of Waikato has been providing tertiary education in Tauranga for more than 20 years.

Central city campus

In 2019 we opened a state-of-the-art campus in the heart of the city.

Designed to promote collaboration and social learning, the city campus offers a multipurpose space where students, researchers, the community and industry can work together.

The city campus is part of an ever-growing educational precinct that includes well-equipped science and engineering labs, marine science research centre, aquaculture research facility, high-performance sports facility, and a new tech innovation lab.

Students have the same access to lectures, course materials, teaching staff and student support services as Hamilton-based students.

Celebrating connections

Through a series of artworks and installations, the city campus incorporates an impressive cultural narrative that honours local history and Māori (Indigenous New Zealand people) heritage, embraces the diversity of our communities, and celebrates our relationships across the Bay of Plenty, Aotearoa New Zealand and beyond.

Local industries

Tauranga has the largest port in New Zealand in terms of cargo volume and is home to global export giants including Zespri (kiwifruit) and Comvita (mānuka honey), and is well-served in the engineering and robotics sectors.

With rapid growth of aquaculture across the greater Bay of Plenty, Tauranga is expected to become an important industry hub. The region offers great opportunities for work-integrated learning placements and future employment.

Coastal lifestyle

The cosmopolitan city of Tauranga is well known for its blue skies, warm climate, beautiful beaches and relaxed lifestyle.

Our city campus is located just a few minutes' walk from the bustling waterfront precinct. Students can take a lunchtime swim in the ocean, relax in the park or enjoy a meal at one of the many cafés or restaurants.

Mount Maunganui beach, often voted one of New Zealand's best beaches, is also close by so you can enjoy sun, sand and sea while you study. Whether you want to swim, surf, dine, shop or explore the captivating culture and history, Tauranga has everything you need.

As we continue to grow our presence in the Bay of Plenty region, so do our range of programmes. Programme availability differs between campuses. For more information, please visit waikato.ac.nz/study/course-finder

OFFSHORE STUDENTS

START ONLINE, TRANSFER LATER

In 2023, the University will continue to provide international students with the ability to start a limited number of our qualifications online, and transfer to one of our campuses later. Please be aware that if you start online and plan to transfer mid-trimester, you must enroll full-time.

To learn more about our online offerings please visit waikato.ac.nz/campaigns/international/internationaloffshore

With strong wrap-around support and financial scholarships, international students undertaking online study are engaged and nurtured in our innovative learning community.

We offer a dedicated orientation session for online students, showing you how to use our online platforms. Our student learning team will be there alongside you, available to answer all your questions, offering you the same level of support as our on-campus students.

No matter where you are in the world, you will have virtual access to our high-quality education, excellent lecturers and easy-to-use student learning platform, Moodle.

Online students at the University of Waikato will experience an interactive teaching environment where meaningful relationships are encouraged between lecturers and students. In addition, friendships and peer-to-peer relationships between students are supported - meaning that you become part of a welcoming Waikato learning community even when studying virtually.

To accommodate students in different time zones, we offer synchronous and asynchronous teaching. We also provide students with the flexibility to access learning materials at a time that suits them.





Farina Renato
India

Master of Business and Management (Online)

As an international student I couldn't have asked for a better online experience. The amount of support provided is unbelievable. The University has several modes of support and all of the staff and faculty are extremely compassionate and accommodating.

Learning and working with students from across the globe on group presentations has been the highlight of the course for me so far. Coming together virtually with different ideas, putting all of that together and building relationships with each other, and then bringing a presentation to life, has been an experience like no other for me.

Diversity, belonging and inclusion plays a huge part in the success of anything.

OUR LEARNING FACILITIES



Our first-class facilities provide a student-centred learning environment designed to give you all the support you need while you study with us.

STUDENT CENTRE AND STUDENT HUB

Our multi-functional Student Centre on the Hamilton campus is equipped with a library service, computer facilities, quiet study areas and a café. The Student Centre is a central hub for student support, combining traditional library resources with high-tech IT facilities.

In Tauranga, The Hub provides access to information and services including learning support, library and IT support, accessibility services and the student health nurse. A 24-hour computer lab, library service and study spaces are on Level 1, while showers, student kitchen and an on-campus café are on the ground level.

THE PĀ

The University is building an innovative and versatile new facility, The Pā, which will transform the on-campus experience for students, staff, visitors and the broader community.

The Pā will provide a new main entrance to the Hamilton campus, a student hub (including food outlets and social learning spaces) and a new University marae. The Pā will strengthen the overall capability of the campus for University and community events and activities.



COASTAL MARINE FIELD STATION

The Coastal Marine Field Station is located in the heart of the Bay of Plenty's thriving marine precinct. The facility is involved in coastal marine research and discovery, teaching and environmental monitoring, and has become a major centre of research excellence in the region.

GALLAGHER ACADEMY OF PERFORMING ARTS

The Gallagher Academy of Performing Arts, on the Hamilton campus, is a purpose-built facility with a world-class concert chamber and a range of teaching and performance spaces.

AQUACULTURE RESEARCH OF MACROALGAE FACILITY

This new 1000 sqm facility in Tauranga is purpose-built for research focused on the development of a sustainable seaweed aquaculture industry.



WEEL

Waikato Experimental Economics Lab is a state-of-the-art facility used by behavioural researchers and postgraduate students to study a wide range of social science topics.

FINANCE TRADING LAB

This 24-hour computer lab in Waikato Management School allows students to run financial experiments and gain experience in STATA programming and statistical techniques.

SPORTS SCIENCE LABORATORY

Located at the Avantidrome (Cambridge), the University of Waikato Sports Science Laboratory provides specialist fitness testing services for recreational and high performance athletes, sports teams and schools.

ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE INSTITUTE

The Artificial Intelligence Institute takes an interdisciplinary and collaborative approach to developing cutting-edge artificial intelligence (AI) research. It is focused on real-time analytics for big data, machine learning and deep learning and has created some of the world's most popular open source tools.

THE ADAMS CENTRE FOR HIGH PERFORMANCE

The Adams Centre in Tauranga is a cutting-edge facility designed to support the nation's best athletes and prepare them for competition on the world stage. It features a high performance gym, science laboratory, and an environmental chamber for heat, humidity and altitude testing for sports research.

CYBER SECURITY LAB

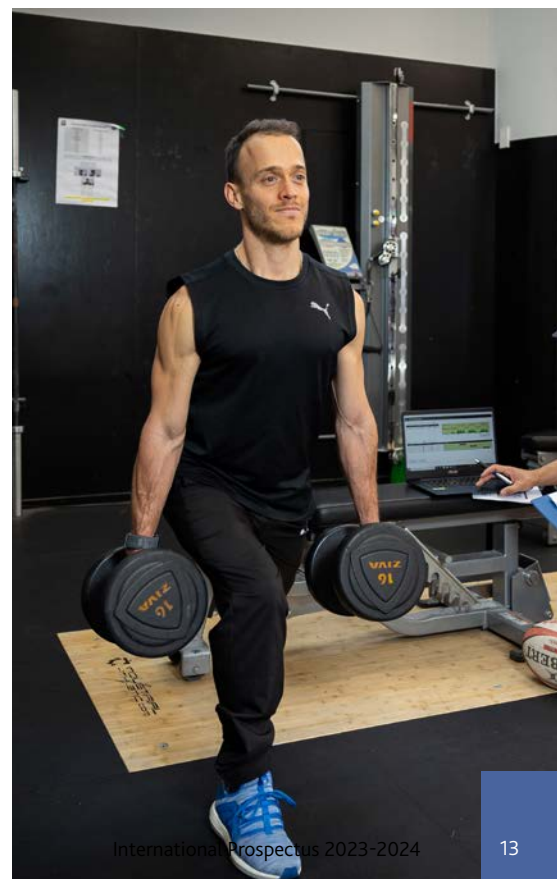
Situated in the School of Computing and Mathematical Sciences in Hamilton, the Cyber Security Lab was one of the first such labs in New Zealand. The lab's focus is on developing solutions that enable users to know their data source, and to preserve the privacy and utility of data.

RESEARCH INSTITUTES

We have eight research institutes that support research in environmental science, population and demography, business and leadership, security and crime science, professional learning and development, education, cyber security and Māori and Indigenous development.

OUR FACULTIES AND SCHOOLS

- School of Arts
- School of Computing and Mathematical Sciences
- School of Education
- School of Engineering
- School of Graduate Research
- School of Health
- Faculty of Law
- Faculty of Māori and Indigenous Studies
- School of Psychology
- School of Science
- School of Social Sciences
- Waikato Management School
- University of Waikato College



STUDENT SUPPORT

Whether you need career advice, help with your assignment writing or getting ready for an exam, our dedicated student support team will aim to assist you in any way we can to help make your stay in New Zealand and online study hassle-free. Our staff will provide you with the advice and support you need to ensure your time at Waikato is successful.

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT SERVICES OFFICE

The International Student Services team is available to assist you during your time at the University of Waikato. Staff oversee:

- International orientation for new students
- Immigration requirements and student visa queries
- Medical and travel insurance
- Domestic and international government scholarships
- Study abroad and exchange support
- International student events
- Buddy programme
- Manaaki New Zealand Scholarship students

For more information visit waikato.ac.nz/go/international-support

ACADEMIC SUPPORT

The tutors in Student Learning can help you with assignment writing, time management, note-taking skills, and test and exam preparation. Join a workshop, have a face-to-face consultation or read about their online services at waikato.ac.nz/students/student-learning

CAREERS ADVICE

Career Development Services provide free advice and support to current students and recent graduates. The careers team can assist with career planning, writing job applications, and interview preparation. For more information visit waikato.ac.nz/students/careers

THE KAIMAI SHUTTLE

The University offers a free shuttle service between the Hamilton and Tauranga campuses. The service is available to enrolled students of the University who need to travel from one campus to another for classes, research supervision or matters related to their university study. Bookings required and are subject to availability.

IT AND COMPUTER LABS

When you're fully enrolled, you will be provided with a user name and a computer account to access free WiFi. There is 24-hour access to computer labs at both campuses.

WAIKATO STUDENTS' UNION

The Waikato Students' Union is the home of student-led support, engagement and advocacy. Working closely with the University, the union creates student experiences and activities like O-Week (Orientation) and Clubs Day, helps student clubs to grow and thrive, and ensures your voices are heard on the issues that are important to you in Hamilton and Tauranga. For more information visit wsu.org.nz

Please note our on-campus support services may differ between our Tauranga and Hamilton campuses.

SCHOOL OF GRADUATE RESEARCH

Te Mata Kairangi School of Graduate Research provides high quality service to students, staff and external stakeholders for scholarships and the University's Higher Research Degree (Doctoral and MPhil) qualifications. For more information visit waikato.ac.nz/sgr



HEALTH AND WELLBEING



ACCESSIBILITY SERVICES

Accessibility Services can help with lecture materials, learning support, alternative test and exam arrangements, access to assistive technology, ergonomic furniture, hearing equipment and much more.

For more information visit

waikato.ac.nz/students/accessibility-services



STUDENT HEALTH

The University has a great team of doctors, nurses and counsellors dedicated to supporting the health and wellbeing of all students. All standard general practice (GP) doctor and nurse services are available at the Hamilton on-campus Health Centre, along with a free and confidential counselling service for those students seeking professional support. The Hamilton campus also has a pharmacy. For more information visit waikato.ac.nz/students/health

At our Tauranga campus we have a student health nurse who can provide a range of health services. Counselling and general practice (GP) services are available near the campus.

THE WELLBEING HUB

This is a dedicated space on our Hamilton campus for all students where you can relax, hang out, study and generally take time to rest and recharge. Pop in and make a cup of tea and relax on the couches and bean bags, play a board game or do a puzzle, or have a nap in one of the nap stations. There are also wellbeing talks, mindfulness sessions and creative activities. For more information visit waikato.ac.nz/students/wellbeing-hub

In Tauranga, there are plenty of places to relax on all levels of the campus, including the student deck with views across the city and harbour. Games, activities and workshops to improve your feeling of wellbeing are regularly held in The Hub or the ātea (outside courtyard).

STUDENT LIFE

Whether you're studying in Hamilton or Tauranga, our welcoming atmosphere, range of clubs, social events and fully equipped campuses provide everything you need to explore your interests, experience life-changing moments and make life-long friends.



JOIN A CLUB

Our students have many talents and interests, catered for by the wide range of clubs and student organisations on campus. With almost 50 student clubs across our campuses, there is something for everyone. Visit [wsu.org.nz](https://www.wsu.org.nz)

SPORTS AND RECREATION

UniRec, our Hamilton on-campus gym, is one of the best-equipped gyms in the region with weights and cardio equipment, group exercise classes, Endless Pools™, squash courts and a sports hall. In Tauranga students have access to gym membership through our partner gym providers – The Gym and Toi Ohomai Aquatic and Fitness Centre.

We also have an excellent social sport programme. Social sport is a great way to make new friends with similar interests. Social sport offers indoor and outdoor leagues in netball, touch (a social form of rugby) and six-a-side soccer (football).

[waikato.ac.nz/sportandwellbeing](https://www.waikato.ac.nz/sportandwellbeing)

SPORTS FACILITIES

Waikato has a range of sports facilities on our Hamilton campus available for your use, including an outdoor 50-metre swimming pool and diving pool (open in summer months), tennis and netball courts, sports fields and an indoor cricket facility. In Tauranga students have access to a thermally heated pool through our partnership gym, and nearby sporting facilities. [waikato.ac.nz/sport/facilities](https://www.waikato.ac.nz/sport/facilities)

ESPORTS

Waikato is the first New Zealand university to develop a purpose-built esports arena. The new facility houses 14 high-tech OMEN gaming computers that are used for training, competitions and socialising. Athletes can join our high performance team and compete in the annual Melbourne Esports Open. For more information visit [waikato.ac.nz/sport/esports](https://www.waikato.ac.nz/sport/esports)

FACILITIES ON CAMPUS

- Accommodation
- Cash machines*
- Cafés and food outlets
- Doctors*
- Gym and recreation centre*
- Library
- Multi-faith chapel* and prayer rooms
- Outdoor pool*
- Pharmacy*
- Post Office*
- Sports fields, tennis and squash courts*
- Student Centre
- Student kitchens
- Wellbeing Hub
- 24-hour computer labs

** Hamilton campus only. However, as our Tauranga campus is located in the heart of the CBD, many of these facilities are available within a short walking distance.*

LIVING COSTS


BASIC WEEKLY EXPENSES*	DETAIL	FEE
Accommodation	Halls of Residence or University apartment accommodation.	Self Catered - \$219 - \$286 Fully Catered - \$352 - \$430
Food	Food is included in fully catered accommodation cost.	\$100 - \$150
Internet	Free access in bedrooms and/or throughout your building.	Included in accommodation fee
Mobile phone	This will vary depending on whether you use prepay or contract and how much you use your phone.	\$10
Transport	This will vary depending on your transport choice. This cost is based on owning a private vehicle.	\$40
Entertainment	This will vary depending on what you decide to do for entertainment.	\$50

Total weekly cost \$420 - \$540

ANNUAL OR ONE-OFF COSTS	DETAIL	FEE
Halls of Residence deposit	Includes \$150 non-refundable administration fee.	\$550
Student Services fee	The quoted fee is based on enrolment in 120pts at a cost of \$7.39 per point.	\$886.80
Textbooks, course readings and printing	This will vary depending on your programme of study and how much printing you do.	\$1,000
University internet		Included
Parking	Based on a one-year Halls of Residence permit.	\$350
Clothes and toiletries	This will vary depending on the type of clothing and toiletries you purchase.	\$800

Total annual cost \$3,492

Extra Costs

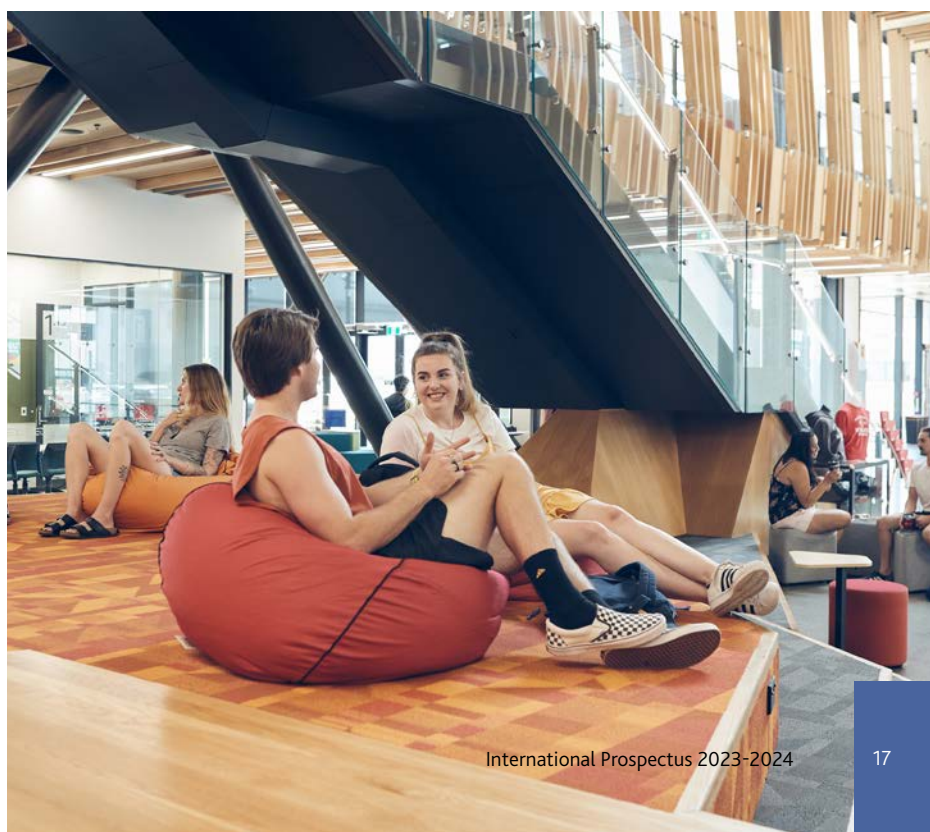
-  Bus fare from \$1.70
-  Coffee from \$4.00
-  Groceries from \$50 a week (in a shared accommodation setting)
-  Student Deal movie ticket \$15
-  Meal in a restaurant from \$15
-  Campus car-parking \$2 a day in Hamilton
-  Campus gym \$10.95 a week (Student premium membership)

For information for families and budgeting, visit

waikato.ac.nz/study/costs/cost-of-living

Note: All costs on this page are in New Zealand Dollars.

*Based on our Halls of Residence.



ACCOMMODATION

Many students choose to live on or near campus in our Halls of Residence or apartment-style options. Others choose to live in nearby residential suburbs in private flats or apartments with other students, or with their families.

	FULLY CATERED PER WEEK COST	SELF-CATERED PER WEEK COST	DEPOSIT	ADMIN FEE	ACTIVITY FEE	ON CAMPUS	FACILITIES PROVIDED
Bryant Hall (Hamilton)	\$352	\$219	\$400	\$150	\$100	Yes	Free WiFi, utilities, recreation room, self-service laundry, bike and motorbike shed.
Student Village (Hamilton) Upgrade	\$392	\$224	\$400	\$150	\$100	Yes	Free WiFi, utilities, recreation room, self-service laundry, bike and motorbike shed.
Student Village (Hamilton) Standard	\$352	\$224	\$400	\$150	\$100	Yes	Free WiFi, utilities, recreation room, disability access, self-service laundry, bike and motorbike shed.
College Hall (Hamilton)	\$430	\$224	\$400	\$150	\$100	Yes	Free WiFi, utilities, library, TV rooms, leisure centre, self-service laundry, bike and motorbike shed.
Orchard Park (Hamilton)	N/A	\$219	\$400	\$150	\$100	Yes	Free WiFi, utilities, recreation room, disability access, self-service laundry, computer room, bike and motorbike shed.
Orchard Park Studio with ensuite* (Hamilton)	N/A	\$267	\$400	\$150	\$100	Yes	Each room has its own ensuite bathroom and shared kitchen facilities. Free WiFi, utilities, mini fridge in room, recreation room, disability access, self-service laundry, computer room, bike and motorbike shed.
Silverdale Apartments Single* (Hamilton)	N/A	\$300	\$400	\$150	\$100	Yes	Each apartment has its own fully equipped kitchen, living/study, space, bathroom and queen bed. Shared laundry and recreation room. Free WiFi and utilities.
Silverdale Apartments Couple* (Hamilton)	N/A	\$360	\$400	\$150	\$100	Yes	Each apartment has its own fully equipped kitchen, living/study space, bathroom and queen bed. Shared laundry and recreation room. Free WiFi and utilities.
Selwyn Street Studios with ensuite (Tauranga)	N/A	\$295	\$400	\$150	\$100	No	Includes ensuite bathroom, furniture, mini fridge, WiFi, shared kitchenette and social spaces on each level. Shared laundry, kitchen and storage on basement level. Accessibility studios available.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Linen

Whether you are in fully catered or self-catered, students can either choose to bring their own linen, or purchase a linen pack for \$105.00 (King single), or \$135.00 (Queen – apartments only). Each pack includes a duvet inner, pillow(s), sheet set, duvet cover set and towels.

Parking

Limited reserved parking is available on site at our Hamilton Halls of Residences. Applications open January 2023 and are offered on a first in first served basis. Alternatively, you can purchase a License to Hunt Permit via the 'Pay my Park' app, to park at one of the various University car parks.

*Postgraduate / mature students only

Note: All costs on this page are in New Zealand Dollars.

All fees quoted in this publication are 2023 fees and subject to change. For more details on accommodation costs, please visit waikato.ac.nz/study/costs/accommodation



OTHER ACCOMMODATION OPTIONS

Homestay

Homestay accommodation is ideal for students who prefer a family-oriented lifestyle. Homestay (living with a local family in a private home) may be compulsory for international students under the age of 18 years. You will be provided with your own room and most meals are provided by the homestay family. Homestays are located close to a bus route to the campus. The cost of homestay accommodation is NZ\$280 a week, including food, power, laundry, but does not include phone, internet and transport costs. A non-refundable application fee of NZ\$350 and the first four weeks of homestay (NZ\$1,120) must be paid before a homestay placement can be made.

Flatting

Many of our students choose to share accommodation with others in a private house located off campus – this is known as 'flatting'. The approximate cost of flatting for each person (based on recent figures with two to four flatmates) is between NZ\$160 - \$260 per week for a room, excluding food and utilities. Prior to arrival in New Zealand you can search online for flats or available rooms. We recommend you arrive at least two weeks before trimester starts in order to find suitable accommodation and get settled.

Renting

You can rent a house in a nearby residential suburb for you and your family for approximately NZ\$490 - \$600 per week for a three bedroom home, excluding utilities and food.

Prior to arrival in New Zealand it is possible to search online for houses available for rent. Search for accommodation online at studentflat.co.nz or trademe.co.nz/property

FULLY CATERED ACCOMMODATION

This option provides you with your own single bedroom, shared bathroom and dining facilities with other students. Three healthy meals a day, seven days a week are provided. A bed and mattress protector are provided in all bedrooms.

SELF-CATERED ACCOMMODATION

This style of accommodation is suitable for all students. Accommodation is shared with other students, each with their own bedroom and some options available with own bathroom.

Cooking and cleaning is shared between the groups and all basic necessities are provided. For our graduate and more mature students, we also offer independent apartments. Each apartment has its own kitchen, bathroom, living/study space and bedroom with Queen bed. Students can either provide their own kitchenware, or purchase a pack for \$145.00.

Our Tauranga accommodation offers 91 studio rooms each with their own ensuite. Cleaning of common areas is completed by a housekeeper. Full kitchen facilities are available for students to cook for themselves or communally with other residents. For more information on accommodation and to apply, visit waikato.ac.nz/student-life/accommodation



SCHOLARSHIPS AND DISCOUNTS

Vice Chancellor's International Excellence Scholarship Suite

Up to NZD \$15,000

These scholarships are awarded to new onshore international students who can demonstrate academic excellence in their previous studies. The scholarships are a merit based and may contribute up to NZD \$15,000 towards tuition fees for international students. Entering undergraduate programmes and up to NZD \$15,000 for students entering postgraduate level programmes. Five different scholarships are available - one each for China, India, Vietnam, Malaysia and one for the rest of the world.

University of Waikato International Entrance Scholarship for School Leavers

Up to NZD \$15,000

This scholarship is for onshore international students who have met direct entry from a New Zealand high school in the year prior to enrolling in a degree-level programme at Waikato University. Students who achieve University Entrance in NCEA will receive NZD \$10,000 towards tuition fees in their first year of study. In addition, students who achieve NCEA with merit endorsement will receive an additional NZD \$2,000 in their second year and students who achieve NCEA with excellence endorsement, will receive an additional NZD \$3,000 in their third year. No application is required, the scholarship will be automatically applied to tuition fees.

University of Waikato Doctoral Scholarships

Up to NZD \$100,000 scholarship

The University of Waikato Doctoral Scholarships are open to full-time international doctoral students studying at the University.

Successful applicants will receive up to NZD \$27,500 a year for up to three years full-time study (payable in monthly instalments), plus domestic tuition and student services fees during the term of the scholarship. Applications are considered three times a year as part of the application for doctoral enrolment process.

Students must fully complete their enrolment application to be considered for the scholarship.

For more information, go to waikato.ac.nz/scholarships/s/university-of-waikato-doctoral-scholarship

University of Waikato Research Masters Scholarship

Up to NZD \$15,000

As part of our commitment to graduate research, the University provides a Research Masters Scholarship to support students undertaking a master's thesis at the University. This scholarship is for students intending to enrol full-time in a 500-level thesis of at least 90 points as part of their first master's degree at the University. International students must have completed at least 120 points of study at a New Zealand university to be eligible.

For more information, go to waikato.ac.nz/scholarships/s/university-of-waikato-research-masters-scholarship

Manaaki New Zealand Scholarships and New Zealand Commonwealth Scholarships

The New Zealand Government provides scholarships for people from developing countries that are designed to foster and build potential leaders, as well as equipping individuals with skills and knowledge to benefit their country. New Zealand scholarships are available to people from the Pacific and some countries in Asia, Latin America, the Caribbean and Africa. For more information visit nzscholarships.govt.nz

For more information about the scholarships listed above, and to see what other awards might be available, refer to waikato.ac.nz/go/scholarships

INTERNSHIPS AND INDUSTRY EXPERIENCE



Varun Ramesh Vartak
India

Master of Health, Sport and Human Performance graduate

The University of Waikato provided volunteering opportunities for students in order to help them get acquainted to New Zealand's work culture. Through the Employability Plus Programme (EPP), I volunteered for several non-governmental organisations and gained a lot of expertise. This also helped me get myself a permanent part-time job at the YMCA as an out-of-school care leader.

At Waikato we encourage our students to gain work experience while studying. Internships, industry placements and projects allow you to apply what you have learned in lectures and tutorials to real-life situations - this gives you an advantage when you apply for a permanent position after graduation.

We offer a wide range of papers at undergraduate and postgraduate levels that have internship and industry experience components, with dedicated staff and systems that support our students during their work-integrated learning experience. We help from start to finish, including preparing you for your placement, to finding your placement, to mentoring you to get the best out of the experience.

The University of Waikato has close links with many businesses and community not-for-profit organisations that are eager to host and work with students during their studies.

BENEFITS OF INDUSTRY EXPERIENCE

- Apply your skills and knowledge in a workplace setting
- Develop your industry connections
- Increase your professional networks
- Increase your chances of being offered a permanent position
- Familiarise yourself with New Zealand's workplace culture

WORK-INTEGRATED LEARNING

Our work-integrated learning (WIL) papers (unit/modules) create a link between academic learning and the practical applications of this learning in the workplace. WIL is a compulsory component of all University of Waikato undergraduate degrees. Students will acquire, understand and apply essential professional skills that will prepare them for the future workforce, while allowing them to demonstrate their disciplinary knowledge to employers.

CASE STUDIES

Many of our programmes require students to develop a case study on a particular issue, question or problem on behalf of a local organisation. Students get the opportunity to learn first-hand how an organisation functions, by working through a case study with other students, then presenting the solution to the employer.

EMPLOYABILITY PLUS PROGRAMME

The Employability Plus Programme (EPP) gives University of Waikato students the opportunity to gain work-ready skills through volunteer activity, university participation and attending workshops. EPP is an easy way to connect with dozens of local non-profits and looks great on your resume. You'll receive an official EPP Supplementary Record when you graduate, which outlines all of the ways you've been involved on-campus and in the wider community. When you're job hunting, the practical skills and experience that you've gained will help you stand out to prospective employers.

STUDY ABROAD AND GLOBAL EXPERIENCES

Already enrolled at a university? If so, consider studying at Waikato for one or two trimesters as a study abroad student.

Be part of a vibrant community of students from all over the world. Participate in student clubs, live with local students, explore our beautiful country, or complete an internship (through the Study+ Intern Programme) all while receiving a world class education.

Papers (courses) can be selected from across the University and almost all papers are open to study abroad students, making it easy to get the credits you need. Some of our most popular papers taken by Study Abroad students are unique papers focusing on New Zealand and Māori culture.

To apply as a study abroad student, you must:

- Have a minimum B grade average (equivalents vary by country).
- Meet English Language proficiency requirements.
- Have completed at least one year of full-time study and be currently enrolled at a recognised overseas tertiary institution.

You may apply directly or use the services of a study abroad agency. Study abroad students pay a set fee that includes tuition, additional charges and official transcript. The study abroad fee excludes costs such as insurance, accommodation, text books and field trips.

ENGLISH + STUDY ABROAD PROGRAMME

If you do not meet English proficiency requirements, you can enrol in an English language programme and increase your overall IELTS level by 0.5. The English language programme takes 8-10 weeks and is completed just prior to beginning your main trimesters.

For more information please visit waikato.ac.nz/go/studyabroad



GAP YEAR STUDY EXPERIENCE

At the University of Waikato, enjoy the typical 'Kiwi' first-year student experience. Live in one of our fully catered halls of residence, choose from hundreds of 100 level papers (courses), and participate in fun University-organised adventures.

Requirements

Gap Year Student Experience students must:

- Be at least 18 years old at time of enrolment
- Live in one of the fully catered residence halls (Bryant Hall, Student Village, or College Hall)
- Enrol in a minimum of 45 and maximum of 60 credit points at 100 level
- Meet New Zealand university entry requirements both for academics and English language

For more information please visit waikato.ac.nz/go/gap-year

WAIKATO OVERSEAS EXPERIENCE

Complete part of your University of Waikato degree overseas through our exchange programme, with over 50 universities world wide to choose from.

Challenge yourself, immerse yourself in a new culture, expand your education and boost your career options - all while completing your Waikato degree. Transfer points earned to your Waikato degree all while paying your usual tuition fee to Waikato.

Eligibility:

- Be enrolled in a University of Waikato undergraduate degree (some postgraduate opportunities available).
- Completed two trimesters of study at Waikato when you go on exchange.
- B grade average when you apply.
- Check out our Exchange partners and discover how you can expand your Waikato study experience.

To view, visit waikato-oe.waikato.ac.nz and select 'Semester Exchanges'.

HOW TO APPLY



RECOMMENDED DATES FOR APPLICATIONS

We do not have any deadlines but we would like to make sure you can organise your student visa, accommodation and flights (if applicable) in time for our orientation programme.

The following are suggested dates for submitting your application:

- 1 December 2022 for A trimester 2023
- 2 May 2023 for B trimester 2023
- 1 September 2023 for C trimester 2023

You can also submit an application for 2024 now.

If you submit your application after these dates, we will still process it as quickly as possible.

Some programmes start outside of the main trimesters so please check the qualification page for each degree on our website.

Note: Applying for a research degree generally takes longer than applying for taught programmes. Acceptance into a research degree is also subject to the availability of an appropriate supervisor.

APPLICATION PROCESS

1

Choose your preferred degree. Explore our programmes on pages 28-78. For advice on your degree selection, email international@waikato.ac.nz

2

Check that you meet the academic and English language requirements (pages 80-86). If you aren't eligible, we may be able to provide you with a pathway programme.

3

Apply online at waikato.ac.nz/go/international-apply* Or through one of the University's authorised overseas representatives. A full list is available at waikato.ac.nz/study/international/education-agents

4

Complete all sections of the online application form.

5

Complete any additional application requirements

- Research degree applicants (PhD, MPhil, DHSc, DMA, EdD, SJD) are required to provide supplementary information, which can be found in the online application portal. Information on the PhD application process can be found on page 89.
- The following programmes have additional prerequisites/entrance requirements and/or an additional selection process may apply: Bachelor of Computer Science, Bachelor of Design, Bachelor of Engineering (Hons), Bachelor of Laws, Bachelor of Music, Bachelor of Teaching, Graduate Diploma in Teaching, Postgraduate Diploma in Teaching, Master of Teaching and Learning, Master of Applied Psychology, Postgraduate Diploma in the Practice of Psychology and Postgraduate Diploma in Psychology (Clinical). Please see the relevant qualification page on our website for details.

**For all applications except PhD.*

Some online programmes may require some attendance on-campus or have additional eligibility criteria. Fees are an approximate tuition fee at the time of printing, and may differ from your final tuition fee. Please visit waikato.ac.nz for the most up to date fees.

STUDENTS STUDYING IN TAURANGA

Programmes and majors that are available on our Tauranga campus are listed on the relevant qualification pages. However, not all papers (units or modules that make up a degree) will be available across both campuses and students may need to attend classes at both Hamilton and Tauranga campuses.

Students who study papers at both campuses may need to apply to Immigration New Zealand for a variation to the conditions of their student visa.



UNIVERSITY OF WAIKATO COLLEGE

English language and pathway programmes

The University offers pathway programmes for students who have not gained direct entry to our undergraduate and postgraduate qualifications.

The University of Waikato College prides itself on providing a range of learning opportunities that are research-informed, locally and internationally connected, dynamic and distinctive. Whether you want to prepare for university study at undergraduate or postgraduate level, or improve your English, the college has the right programmes. The college also supports international study groups in a range of disciplines.

ENGLISH LANGUAGE PREPARATION PROGRAMMES FOR ENTRY TO UNIVERSITY

Students who have an IELTS (Academic)*, TOEFL or Pearsons (PTE academic) examination score will enter an English language preparation course. Students who do not provide evidence of an external examination will sit an English language placement test during the first week to determine the level they may enter. For other tests that are accepted by the college visit pathways.waikato.ac.nz/admissions/entry-requirements

Programmes offered in Hamilton include:

- Certificate of Attainment in Foundation Studies (CAFS)
- Certificate of University Preparation (CUP)
- Certificate of Attainment in English Language (CAEL)
- International Diploma (Business) - page 30
- International Diploma (Computer Science) - page 30
- Diploma in Postgraduate Preparation (Pre Masters) - page 27
- General English
- Group and study tours

Start online

For information about starting your studies online while you are located outside of New Zealand, please see page 10 and visit pathways.waikato.ac.nz

LEVEL STARTED	ENTRY REQUIREMENTS	PATHWAY TO
Certificate of Attainment in English Language (CAEL): Level 4	IELTS (Academic)* score of 4.0 overall, including 4.0 in the writing band and no less than 3.5 in the other bands.	Certificate of Attainment in English Language (CAEL): Level 5.
Certificate of Attainment in English Language (CAEL): Level 5	IELTS (Academic)* score of 4.5 overall, including 4.5 in the writing band and no less than 4.0 in the other bands. TOEFL iBT* score of 32-34 overall, with no less than 12 in the writing band.	Certificate of Attainment in English Language (CAEL): Level 6.
Certificate of Attainment in English Language (CAEL): Level 6	IELTS (Academic)* score of 5.0, including 5.0 in the writing band and no less than 4.5 in the other bands. TOEFL iBT* score of 35 overall, with no less than 14 in the writing band.	University of Waikato Foundation Studies programme with a B grade average.
Certificate of Attainment in English Language (CAEL): Level 7	IELTS (Academic)* score of 5.5 overall, including 5.5 in the writing band and no less than 5.0 in the other bands. TOEFL iBT* score of 46 overall, with no less than 14 in the writing band.	Most University of Waikato bachelor degrees with a B grade average.
Certificate of Attainment in English Language (CAEL): Level 8	IELTS (Academic)* score of 6.0 overall, including 6.0 in the writing band and no less than 5.5 in the other bands. TOEFL iBT* score of 80 overall, with no less than 21 in the writing band.	Most University of Waikato Postgraduate degrees, and some bachelor degrees, with a B grade average.

*The IELTS (Academic) or TOEFL iBT results can be dated no older than 12 months before the intended start date.

Duration: 8-10 weeks per level (block). Fees (2023): NZ\$5,600 per level (block).

FOUNDATION STUDIES

The University offers foundation programmes on the Hamilton campus for high school students who have not met the academic requirements for entry into degree study. This programme is offered either as a standard (30 week/ two trimesters) programme or an accelerated (15 week/one trimester) programme for better-prepared students.

Foundation Studies classes are shared with domestic students (except for English classes) which encourages international students to improve their English and make local friends. Classes are held on the same campus as all degree programmes, which helps students to become familiar with the campus and the way the University works.

STANDARD FOUNDATION STUDIES PROGRAMME

The course is made up of eight papers. Three are compulsory and students choose the other five from a range of subjects, depending on their planned degree study.

Entry requirements (academic)

- Students must have completed a high school qualification from their home country; or
- 40 credits at NCEA level 2 with no fewer than 12 credits in each of three university approved subjects, plus numeracy and literacy.

Entry requirements (English)

- IELTS (Academic) score of 5.5 (with at least 5.0 in the writing band); or
- iBT (Internet Based TOEFL) minimum score of 46 with a writing score of 14; or
- B grade or better at Level 6 in the Certificate of Attainment in English Language; or
- PTE Academic overall score of 42 and no less than 36 for writing.
- All other evidence is considered on a case-by-case basis.

Compulsory papers

- English (two papers)
- Study Skills

Electives

Accounting, Arts, Biology, Business Studies, Calculus, Chemistry, Critical Thought and Expression, Mathematics and Statistics, Physics, Science, Social Sciences.

ACCELERATED FOUNDATION STUDIES PROGRAMME

The course is made up of four papers. One is compulsory and students choose the other three from a range of subjects, depending on their planned degree study.

Entry requirements (academic)

- Students with a stronger record of high school achievement from their home country may be able to apply for the shorter accelerated programme.
- NCEA level 2 certificate with no fewer than 12 credits in each of three university approved subjects, plus numeracy and literacy.

Entry requirements (English):

- IELTS (Academic) score of 5.5 (with at least 5.5 in the writing band and no band less than a 5.0); or
- iBT (Internet Based TOEFL) minimum score of 46 with a writing score of 18; or
- B grade or better and a B grade in Writing at Level 6 in the Certificate of Attainment in English Language; or
- PTE Academic overall score of 42 and no less than 38 for writing.

Compulsory paper

- English

Electives

Accounting, Arts, Biology, Business Studies, Calculus, Chemistry, Critical Thought and Expression, Mathematics and Statistics, Physics, Science, Social Sciences, Study Skills.

PROGRAMME	INTAKE	DURATION	FEES(NZD)
Standard Foundation Studies programme waikato.ac.nz/go/cafs	Intake(s): February/July/November <i>If you start in July or November, you can fast-track your studies and finish in eight months by studying over the summer.</i>	Two trimesters (full-time) (approx. 8-9 months)	Approximate programme cost (2023) \$24,264
Accelerated Foundation Studies programme waikato.ac.nz/go/cafs	Intake(s): February/July/November	One trimester (full-time) (approx. 4 months)	Approximate programme cost (2023) \$12,132

INTERNATIONAL DIPLOMA – BUSINESS OR COMPUTER SCIENCE

The International Diplomas combine the first year of the relevant bachelor's degree with a programme of English Language, academic support, and development activities to provide you with direct-entry to the second year of the bachelors programme.

International Diplomas are the perfect solution for students who narrowly missed out on meeting the criteria for direct entry to the Bachelor of Business, Bachelor of Science or Bachelor of Computer Science programmes. International Diplomas are available in Business and Computer Science and are recognised by all New Zealand universities.

Business

Providing direct-entry into the second year of the Bachelor of Business (see pages 39), this diploma is delivered in partnership with Waikato Management School – a Triple Crown accredited, internationally recognised business school ranked in the top one percent worldwide. Students gain real-world experience while studying towards the Bachelor of Business through the work-integrated learning project.

Progression

Successful completion of 120 points in the International Diploma (Business) enables students to progress to any majors offered in the Bachelor of Business at the University of Waikato.

English language entry requirements:

An overall IELTS (Academic) score of 5.5 (with no less than 5.0 in any band) or equivalent.

Computer Science

Providing direct-entry into the second year of a Bachelor of Computer Science and selected majors in the Bachelor of Science (see page 47), this diploma is delivered in partnership with the School of Computing and Mathematical Sciences. Students will gain practical experience in labs equipped with some of the most up-to-date high tech, computing facilities in New Zealand. Both degrees also include opportunities to work on projects with New Zealand companies through the work-integrated learning project.

Progression

Successful completion of 120 points in the International Diploma (Computer Science) enables students to progress to the Bachelor of Computer Science (core) and the following majors offered in the Bachelor of Science at the University of Waikato:

- Computer Science (Hamilton and Tauranga)
- Data Analytics (Hamilton only)

English language entry requirements:

An overall IELTS (Academic) score of 5.5 (with no less than 5.0 in any band) or equivalent.

Fees (NZD)

International Diploma (Business) \$28,664

International Diploma (Computer Science)
\$30,320

DID YOU KNOW?

You can complete an International Diploma and your undergraduate degree in just three years.





DIPLOMA IN POSTGRADUATE PREPARATION – PRE MASTERS (DIPPP)

The Diploma in Postgraduate Preparation - Pre Masters (DipPP) is an eight-month (two-trimester) Level 7 diploma that aims to prepare international students for postgraduate studies at the the School of Computing and Mathematical Sciences or Waikato Management School, which is a Triple-Crown accredited business school.

The DipPP provides international students, who either do not have the equivalent of a New Zealand bachelor's degree or do not meet the requirements for direct entry, with an alternative pathway into a master's programme at the University of Waikato.

Delivered by the University of Waikato College, the programme teaches English language, academic literacies and the personal and professional skills that students need to succeed with postgraduate studies at a New Zealand university.

Once students have successfully completed the programme, students can gain entry to a choice of nine masters programmes at the University of Waikato, including:

- Master of Applied Finance
- Master of Nursing Practice
- Master of Business and Management
- Master of Digital Business
- Master of Information Technology
- Master of Professional Accounting
- Master of Management in Supply Chain Management

This programme may also be extended to other University of Waikato conversion master's qualifications.

Entry requirements

- The equivalent of two years' full-time successful tertiary study, and
- A qualification equivalent of Level 6 on the New Zealand Qualifications Framework (NZQF), and
- An IELTS (Academic) score of 6.0 (with no less than 5.5 in any band) or approved equivalent.

Fees (NZD)

\$26,464

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Key

H - Hamilton Campus

T - Tauranga Campus

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CERTIFICATES AND DIPLOMAS

If you are looking to quickly acquire new specialist skills for a new career or continue professional development in the same area, a graduate or postgraduate certificate or diploma may be for you.

GRADUATE CERTIFICATES AND DIPLOMAS

Graduate certificates and diplomas are intended to develop your knowledge and skills in a subject area that is different from your first degree's major. Some Graduate Certificates and Diplomas can be completed full-time or part-time, please check with your relevant division/school for more information.

GRADUATE CERTIFICATE	GRADUATE DIPLOMA
Intake(s): February/July	Intake(s): February/July
6 months/60 points (full-time)	1 year/120 points (full-time)
Fees (NZD): \$14,012 - \$20,880	Fees (NZD): \$28,025 - \$41,760 per year
waikato.ac.nz/go/GradCert	waikato.ac.nz/go/GradDip

POSTGRADUATE CERTIFICATES AND DIPLOMAS

A postgraduate diploma can often lead to a master's degree. Postgraduate certificates and diplomas are available to graduates who wish to build on an earlier degree. Some Postgraduate Certificates and Diplomas can be completed full-time or part-time, please check with your relevant division/school for more information.

POSTGRADUATE CERTIFICATE	POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA
Intake(s): February/July	Intake(s): February/July
6 months/60 points (full-time)	1 year/120 points (full-time)
Fees (NZD): \$17,010 - \$21,788	Fees (NZD): \$34,085 - \$43,575
waikato.ac.nz/go/PGCert	waikato.ac.nz/go/PGDip





Subject areas include:

For a full list of available subjects and their intake visit [waikato.ac.nz/study/subjects](https://www.waikato.ac.nz/study/subjects)

- Artificial Intelligence
- Accounting
- Agribusiness
- Anthropology
- Business Analytics
- Chemistry
- Computer Science
- Cyber Security
- Design
- Digital Business
- Dispute Resolution
- Disability and Inclusion Studies
- Earth Sciences
- Ecology and Biodiversity
- Economics
- Education
- Education and Society
- Educational Leadership
- Engineering
- English
- Environmental Planning
- Environmental Sciences
- Finance
- Geography
- Health, Sport and Human Performance
- History
- Human Development
- Human Resource Management
- International Management
- International Languages & Cultures
- International Relations and Security Studies
- Language and Literacy Education
- Law
- Leadership Communication
- Legal Studies
- Marketing
- Māori and Indigenous Studies
- Materials and Processing
- Mathematics Education
- Molecular and Cellular Biology
- Music
- Pacific and Indigenous Studies
- Philosophy
- Political Science
- Population Studies and Demography
- Project Management
- Psychology
- Public Policy
- Public Relations
- Science, Technology and Environmental Education
- Screen and Media Studies
- Social Policy
- Sociology
- Statistics
- Strategic Management
- Supply Chain Management
- Teaching (Early Childhood Education, Primary, Secondary)
- Tourism and Hospitality Management

ARTS, DESIGN AND COMMUNICATION

The arts disciplines are united in their focus on the value of the arts, how they enrich our lives and the civilising role of culture. Studying the arts prepares our graduates to contribute to the wider and measurable impacts the arts have on our economy, health and wellbeing, society and education.



Waikato graduates are in demand for their flexible skills, practical outlook and the depth of understanding they bring to their roles. They operate as critical thinkers, capable of generating innovative ideas and responding intelligently to problems, issues or obstacles in work and life.

Our students learn and apply the power of language, literature, screens, music, movement and performance. In doing so, students develop communication skills, creative and design practices that express ideas, develop concepts and promote services.

The School of Arts also offers a specialist Bachelor of Music degree, with options of three streams: Academic, Performance or Composition. From 2023 the Bachelor of Music will also be available in Tauranga.

Career options:

- Composer
- Creative Performer
- Cultural Advisor
- Designer
- Editor
- Events Manager
- Foreign Affairs Advisor
- Journalist
- Media Producer
- Museum Curator
- Politician
- Presenter
- Professional Writer
- Screenwriter
- Translator
- Communications Advisor
- Creative Art Director
- Web Designer

DID YOU KNOW?

Arts subjects can be taken in five qualifications (BA, BC, BDes, BMus and BSocSc)



For more information or entry requirements scan the QR code or visit waikato.ac.nz

BACHELOR OF ARTS (BA)

The Bachelor of Arts (BA) focuses on understanding the human condition, the unique ways we experience the world and the different forms of culture manifested from our ingenuity, imagination, resourcefulness and intellectual creativity.

With a BA you gain an internationally recognised degree, leading to diverse career opportunities. Through your study you will develop sector-specific analytical abilities and research experience, well-honed written and verbal communication skills, and a broad perspective on the world and its various cultures. All our degrees integrate Indigenous perspectives in the context of the discipline. Our papers are taught by staff whose cutting-edge research directly informs your learning.

Depending on the major subject you choose, the BA may be taken within the School of Arts, the School of Psychology, the School of Social Sciences, the School of Education, Te Piringa Faculty of Law or the Faculty of Māori and Indigenous Studies. A BA will provide you with valuable inter-cultural fluency, communication skills and strategies. You will gain a comprehensive understanding of a broad range of cultural practices and their significance and impact on society.

Law as a major in the BA:

Choose to study a Bachelor of Arts with a Law major and transform your study of Humanities. Unique to the University of Waikato, this non-practising law-based qualification is ideal for those who want to develop knowledge of the law and its implications and a sense of justice and public responsibility. Studying law within your BA develops the ability to argue from a basis of evidence, hone your research skills, and develop well-rounded critical analysis abilities - all skills that can be transferred to many careers.

	MAJORS	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
BACHELOR OF ARTS BA waikato.ac.nz/go/BA	Anthropology	H F	Years	February / July	\$28,025 - \$35,420
	Economics	H F			
	English	H F			
	Environmental Planning	H F			
	Geography	H F			
	History	H			
	International Languages and Cultures	H F			
	Law	H T F			
	Linguistics	H F			
	Māori and Indigenous Studies	H T			
	Māori Language/Te Reo Māori	H			
	Music	H			
	Pacific and Indigenous Studies	H			
	Philosophy	H F			
	Political Science	H T O			
	Population Studies	H T F O			
	Psychology	H T F			
	Screen and Media Studies	H F O			
	Social Policy	H T F O			
	Sociology	H T F O			
Theatre Studies	H				
Writing Studies	H CBC				

MASTER OF MEDIA AND CREATIVE TECHNOLOGIES (MMCT)

This degree provides you with a distinct edge in an increasingly competitive communication, design and media environment.

The Master of Media and Creative Technologies (MMCT) allows you to specialise in research through and about creative practice, in doing so utilising a broad range of creative technologies, production methods and media platforms. Each area offers you the opportunity to blend theory, research, artistic and technical forms in new combinations. The MMCT will give you extensive collaborative project experience, supported by technical expertise and advanced creative skills.

For graduates seeking to enter the MMCT who do not possess sufficient levels of media and creative production skills from undergraduate study, the University is able to offer a short course to equip them with the necessary creative and research skills.

Includes practical experience

Alongside taught papers, you will work on a year-long supervised programme where you will develop a major work (or works) that serves as the flagship of your graduate portfolio of creative works.

	SUBJECTS	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
MASTER OF MEDIA AND CREATIVE TECHNOLOGIES MMCT waikato.ac.nz/go/MMCT	Screen and Media Studies	H F	1.5 Years	February / July	\$34,190 - \$51,290 <i>approximate total tuition fee</i>

	MAJORS	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
BACHELOR OF COMMUNICATION BC waikato.ac.nz/go/BC	Applied Digital Communication	H F	3 Years	February / July	\$32,725 p/yr
	Creative Media	H F			
	Marketing	H F			
	Media Production	H F			
	Public Relations	H F			

	MAJORS	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
BACHELOR OF DESIGN BDes waikato.ac.nz/go/BDes	Communication Design	H F	3 Years	February / July	\$34,745 p/yr
	Industrial Design	H F			
	Interface Design	H F			
	Media Design	H F			

	STREAMS	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
BACHELOR OF MUSIC BMus waikato.ac.nz/go/BMus	Academic	H T	3 Years	February / July	\$33,090 p/yr
	Composition	H T			
	Performance	H T			



	MAJORS	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
BACHELOR OF SOCIAL SCIENCES BSocSc waikato.ac.nz/go/BSocSc	Anthropology	H F	3 Years	February / July	\$28,025 - \$35,420 p/yr
	Economics	H			
	Environmental Planning	H F			
	Geography	H F			
	History	H			
	Linguistics	H F			
	Māori and Indigenous Studies	H T			
	Pacific and Indigenous Studies	H			
	Philosophy	H F			
	Political Science	H T O			
	Population Studies	H O			
	Psychology	H T F			
	Screen and Media Studies	H F			
Social Policy	H T F				
Sociology	H T F O				
	SUBJECTS	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
MASTER OF ARTS MA waikato.ac.nz/go/MA	Anthropology	H	1 - 1.5 Years	February / July	\$34,190 - \$58,370 <i>approximate total tuition fee</i>
	English	H			
	Geography	H			
	History	H			
	International Relations and Security Studies	H			
	Māori and Indigenous Studies	H			
	Music	H			
	Pacific and Indigenous Studies	H			
	Philosophy	H			
	Political Science	H			
	Psychology	H			
	Sociology and Social Policy	H			
	Screen and Media Studies	H F			
Theatre Studies	H				

	SUBJECT	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
MASTER OF ARTS (APPLIED) MA(Applied) waikato.ac.nz/go/MA-Applied	Applied Linguistics	H	1 Year	February / July	\$34,190 <i>approximate total tuition fee</i>
	SUBJECTS	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
MASTER OF DESIGN MDes waikato.ac.nz/go/MDes	Design	H F	1.5 - 2 Years	February / July	\$58,505 <i>approximate total tuition fee</i>
	SUBJECTS	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
MASTER OF MUSIC MMus waikato.ac.nz/go/MMus	Music	H	1 Year	February / July	\$38,260 <i>approximate total tuition fee</i>
	SUBJECTS	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
MASTER OF PROFESSIONAL WRITING MPW waikato.ac.nz/go/MPW	Professional Writing	H	1.5 Years	February / July	\$51,290 <i>approximate total tuition fee</i>
	SUBJECTS	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
MASTER OF SOCIAL SCIENCES MSocSc waikato.ac.nz/go/MSocSc	Anthropology	H	1.5 Years	February / July	\$51,290 -\$58,370 <i>approximate total tuition fee</i>
	Economics	H			
	Geography	H F			
	Health Development and Policy	H			
	History	H			
	Māori and Indigenous Studies	H			
	Pacific and Indigenous Studies	H			
	Philosophy	H F			
	Political Science	H O			
	Population Studies and Demography	H F O			
	Psychology	H F			
	Public Policy	H			
	Social Policy	H F O			
	Sociology	H F O			

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CBC - please reach out to the university for a case by case scenario

Some online qualifications may start online but cannot be completed online.

Online (start and complete online) qualifications are usually fully online and cannot be studied while a student is in New Zealand, as this is a breach of visa requirements. They may require students to attend short block periods of study on campus.

Fees are an approximate tuition fee at the time of printing, and may differ from your final tuition fee.

Please visit waikato.ac.nz for the most up to date fees.



Beverly Toor
Malaysia

Bachelor of Arts – Psychology

I decided to study at the University of Waikato because for me Waikato offers the simple life. The greenery and beautiful gardens gives it a calming vibe, and is just a very open and approachable university. Having an educational centre in Malaysia for individuals with learning disabilities, teaching and understanding how these individuals think and process information is something that has always interested me, and this is why I decided to study psychology. My most memorable moment of my degree so far has been watching myself grow as a person, allowing me to challenge myself.



BUSINESS AND MANAGEMENT

Be ambitious for your career and enrol at a business school ranked in the top 1% worldwide, thanks to our prestigious Triple Crown Accreditation. Study at Waikato Management School and get the leading-edge business skills you need to help companies adapt, innovate and succeed in today's global markets.

Study at Waikato, New Zealand's leading business school, and be assured that you are gaining a world-class education. Waikato is ranked #1 in New Zealand for Business and Economics in the Times Higher Education Rankings 2022.

Not only will you be gaining a reputable qualification, you will also be learning from the best. Our lecturers are sought-after business consultants, with links to leading companies and government agencies around the world.

Waikato Management School is home to the country's #1 ranked economics department (PBRF), as well as being a world leader in accounting information systems (BYU).

We also have academic strengths in digital business and supply chain management, and recently opened a specialist finance trading lab.

Our public relations programme is the only one in New Zealand that is certified by the Public Relations Society of America - considered as the 'gold standard' for academic excellence.

Each year, we host the nationally acclaimed Waikato Management School Case Competition, where students become 'consultants' and develop a business strategy for a real company.

Career options:

- Accountant
- Banker (Commercial or Investment)
- Business Analyst
- CEO or General Manager
- Consultant
- Communications Advisor
- Community Engagement Manager
- Customer Experience Manager
- Digital Business Manager
- Economist
- Entrepreneur
- Financial Advisor/Analyst
- Human Resource Manager
- International Trade Advisor
- Logistics/Supply Chain Manager
- Marketing/Sales Manager
- Market Researcher
- Operations Manager
- People and Capability Manager
- Policy Analyst (eg. Treasury)
- Project Manager
- Producer - Film, TV, Web Series
- Public Relations Manager
- Sharebroker
- Tourism or Hospitality Manager

Looking to join a club?

There are loads of student clubs to get you involved with activities, including Waikato Management School Students' Association (WMSSA), the Pacific Islands Management Student Association (PIMSA), Beta Alpha Psi, the Women in Business Association (WBA), and the Management Communication Students' Association (MCSA).



Gia Cat Tien (Kathryn) Le Vietnam

Bachelor of Business – Supply Chain Management

My parents helped me to choose the University of Waikato as New Zealand is very peaceful, and the people are very friendly and nice. Supply Chain Management is a really interesting major with good prospects for my future. Waikato staff are really helpful and people here will help you if you ask. If you want to succeed, my advice is to keep improving your English and soft skills, be confident and be yourself.



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BACHELOR OF BUSINESS (BBus)

Become a force for positive change in business. This degree will prepare you to help manage a successful organisation, or start your own entrepreneurial business.

The Bachelor of Business is focused on developing the next generation of business innovators and entrepreneurs.

This three-year degree will equip you with the skills to manage small to large organisations in a responsible and sustainable way.

BBus students gain essential insights into why companies need to be agile and digitally-savvy to succeed in the modern global marketplace.

Graduates will be equipped to understand key economic trends and interpret financial data, lead transformative business projects, find new

ways to make an organisation more profitable and efficient, satisfy customer needs, and use critical thinking to solve business problems.

In the first year, students take at least five core 'business fundamentals' papers that provide an introduction to all the key areas of management. These papers include accounting, economics, finance, marketing, strategic management, digital business and supply chain management.

Discover which career pathways you're most passionate about, before specialising in up to two major subjects later on.

Includes practical experience

In the third year, students test their skills in the real world by completing either a workplace internship or an applied research project with a real organisation.

If your goal is to become a chartered accountant (with CAANZ, CPA Australia or ACCA), you can use this degree to fast-track your career journey by taking an approved suite of accounting and business papers.

Degree planner

Y1	100 level Major	100 level One of Business Fundamentals	100 level One of Business Fundamentals	100 level One of Business Fundamentals	100 level One of Business Fundamentals	100 level One of Business Fundamentals	100 level Elective or Minor	100 level Elective or Minor
Y2	200 level Major	200 level Major	200 level Major	BUSAN205 Data Analytics with Business Applications	MNMGT202 Intercultural Perspectives on Organisations	100 level or above Elective or Minor	200 level Elective or Minor	200 level Elective or Minor
Y3	300 level Major	300 level Major	300 level Major	300 level Major*	300 Level Work-Integrated Learning	200 level or above Elective or Minor	200 level or above Elective or Minor	200 level or above Elective or Minor

Please note: This shows a degree with a single major. You have the option to take a second major or 1-2 minors instead of taking elective papers.

9th Major paper: -Students have the option to replace the 9th Major paper in Year 3 with the Work-Integrated Learning (WIL) paper* and count the WIL towards their major subject. This provides the flexibility to take any management paper at 300 Level instead.

	MAJORS	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
BACHELOR OF BUSINESS BBus waikato.ac.nz/go/BBus	Accounting	H T F	3 Years	February / July	\$32,725p/yr
	Agribusiness	H F			
	Digital Business	H F			
	Economics	H F			
	Finance	H T F			
	Human Resource Management	H F			
	Marketing	H T F			
	Public Relations	H F			
	Strategic Management	H T F			
	Supply Chain Management	H F			
	Tourism and Hospitality Management	H F			

BACHELOR OF MANAGEMENT STUDIES WITH HONOURS (BMS(Hons))

With this exceptional four-year honours degree, you will gain the strategic insights to become a future-focused business leader and help companies achieve international success.

The BMS(Hons) is aimed at top students who aspire to become globally minded business leaders, with the dynamic capabilities to tackle complex challenges facing modern organisations.

The BMS(Hons) includes a mix of strategy and general management papers at postgraduate level, as well as real-world exposure to international business practice.

A key strength of this degree is that you will complete two practical workplace internship papers, instead of just one, so you can hit the

ground running once you graduate.

Our graduates are highly regarded by employers and go on to become senior leaders at organisations around the world.

To excel in business, students need to understand all the key areas of management, from accounting, economics and finance through to marketing, strategy, digital business and supply chain. And that's exactly what this comprehensive degree delivers.

Through challenging assignments and case studies, the BMS(Hons) will equip students to

develop business strategies for growth, drive innovation within firms, and help companies become more profitable and efficient.

Another major highlight is the opportunity to go on the BMS(Hons) Study Tour with your class and visit a number of successful export-focused businesses.

If you'd like to become a chartered accountant (with CAANZ, CPA Australia or ACCA), you can use this degree to fast-track your career journey by taking an approved suite of accounting and business papers.

	MAJORS	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
BACHELOR OF MANAGEMENT STUDIES WITH HONOURS BMS(Hons) waikato.ac.nz/go/BMSHons	Accounting	H O F	4 Years	February / July	\$32,725 p/yr
	Agribusiness	H O F			
	Digital Business	H O F			
	Economics	H O F			
	Finance	H O F			
	Human Resource Management	H O F			
	Marketing	H O F			
	Public Relations	H O F			
	Strategic Management	H O F			
	Supply Chain Management	H O F			
	Tourism and Hospitality Management	H O F			
BACHELOR OF COMMUNICATION BC waikato.ac.nz/go/BC	Applied Digital Communication	H O F	3 Years	February / July	\$32,725 p/yr
	Creative Media	H O F			
	Marketing	H O F			
	Media Production	H O F			
	Public Relations	H O F			
BACHELOR OF CLIMATE CHANGE BCC waikato.ac.nz/go/Climate	MAJOR**	LOCATION	3 Years	February / July	\$36,480p/yr
	Economics	H F			
	Public Relations	H F			
	Strategic Management	H F			

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MASTER OF APPLIED FINANCE (MAppFin)

Invest in your future and prepare for a rewarding career in the banking and financial services sector.

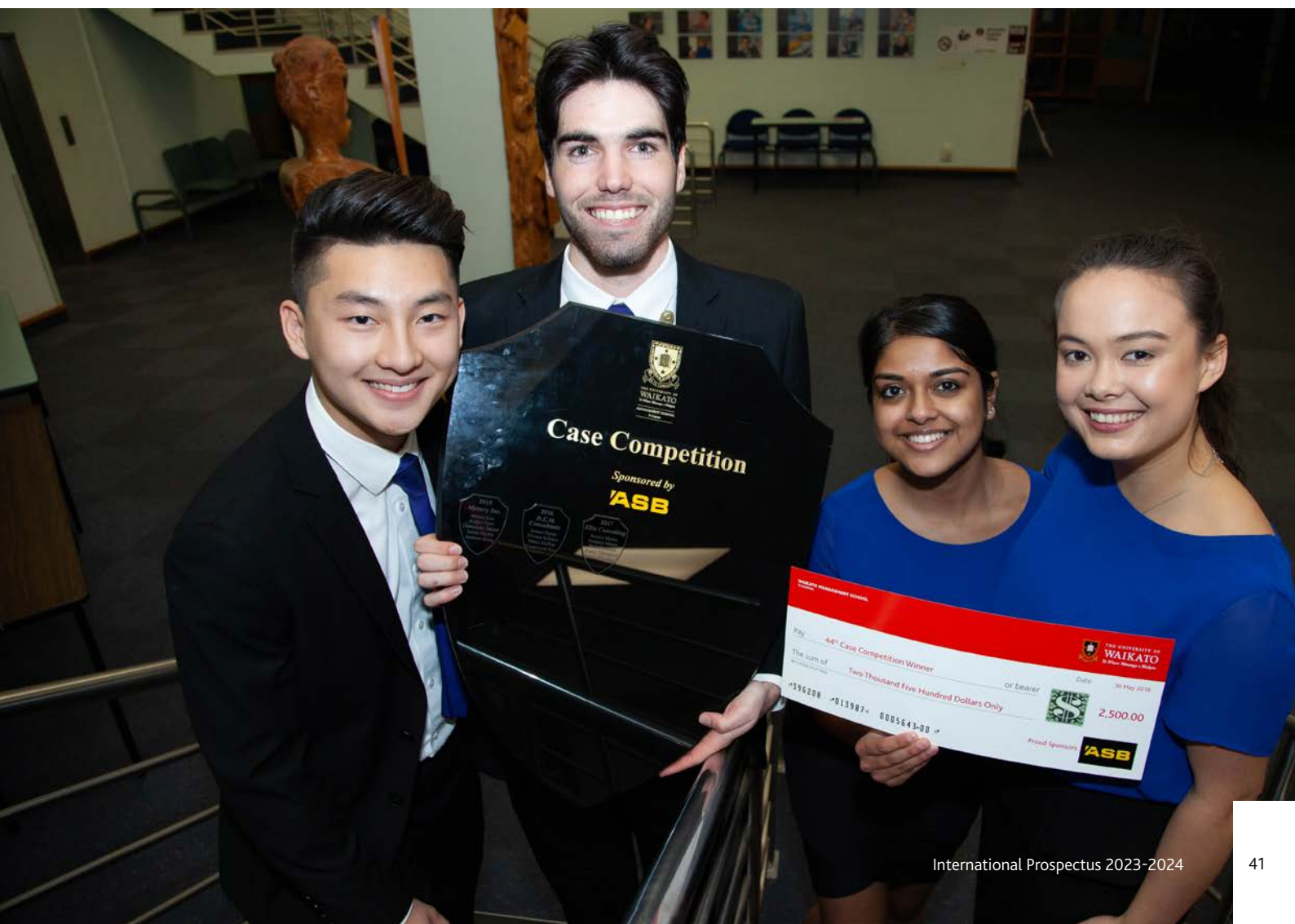
This 12-month accelerated course will equip you with the industry-relevant skills needed to secure financial roles working in businesses, banks, investment firms, and the public sector.

The course has a strong practical focus and is ideal for students who have never majored in finance before, but already have some quantitative analysis skills from their bachelor's degree.

Students who complete the Master of Applied Finance will be well positioned to obtain the Chartered Financial Analyst (CFA) designation. Obtaining the CFA requires meeting the work experience necessary and passing the additional examinations of the CFA Institute.

Students have 24/7 access to our computer labs, where you can run financial experiments and gain experience with STATA programming and statistical techniques.

	SUBJECT	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
MASTER OF APPLIED FINANCE MAppFin waikato.ac.nz/go/MAppFin	Finance	H F	1 - 1/2 years	February	\$51,130 <i>approximate total tuition fee</i>



MASTER OF BUSINESS AND MANAGEMENT (MBM)

Transform your career and increase your earning potential. The Waikato MBM is a one-year master's degree that will prepare you with the skills to become a forward-thinking manager or leader at any organisation in the world.

The Master of Business and Management will complement an undergraduate degree from any discipline such as science, arts, or teaching. It provides practical, comprehensive training in all aspects of management – from strategy and finance through to digital business and marketing.

It is designed to provide a challenging and rewarding learning experience. Significant emphasis is placed on leadership, creative problem-solving, teamwork, real-world case studies and reflective learning.

Internship and work experience

During this degree students work in teams to develop a plan for an entrepreneurial start-up business and take part in a 'Dragons' Den' style competition.

Students also work in teams to complete an applied virtual consultancy project for a real local business.



Vij Singh
India

Master of Business and Management

I chose to study the MBM because of Waikato Management School's Triple Crown Accreditation. The MBM has transformed my outlook on things and has further fuelled my passion for learning. After my first trimester I feel like a different person and I've gained more knowledge and experience than I had expected. I've had the chance to befriend and work with a diverse group of people and am excited for future career opportunities.

Degree planner example

LEADERSHIP AND FUNDAMENTALS

EXMBM511 Communication and Collaboration in Organisations	EXMBM512 Leadership and Change Management	EXMBM521 Strategic Management and Decision Making	EXMBM514 Economics and the Global Context
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THE MANAGER'S TOOLBOX

EXMBM513 Sustainability and Responsible Management	EXMBM523 Digital Business & Supply Chain Management	EXMBM522 Marketing Strategy	EXMBM524 Financial Analysis
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CREATING VALUE FOR BUSINESS

EXMBM531 Applied Research and Consultancy Practices	EXMBM532 Managing Innovation and Value Creation	EXMBM533 Integrative Learning Project
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All papers in the MBM are compulsory, although the order in which you take the papers will vary depending on whether you are part of the February, July or November intake of students.

	SUBJECT	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
MASTER OF BUSINESS AND MANAGEMENT MBM waikato.ac.nz/go/MBM	Business and Management	H F	1 - 1.5 Years	February / July / November	\$51,130 approximate total tuition fee

MASTER OF DIGITAL BUSINESS (MDigiBus)

Waikato's Master of Digital Business is unique in New Zealand, as it focuses on using cutting-edge, smart technologies from a management perspective.

In the Eduniversal Best Masters Rankings 2021, our Master of Digital Business is ranked 1st in New Zealand for Best Masters in E-Business and Digital Marketing.

If you're keen to pursue a career as a tech-savvy manager, this highly practical degree will show you how to exploit the latest digital

technologies to revolutionise an organisation's business operations – to boost profits, optimise performance, and engage in innovative new ways with customers or suppliers.

Our students gain hands-on experience by completing a professional industry internship (8 to 13 weeks) and work on real projects at an

organisation based either in New Zealand or overseas.

By the time you graduate, you will be ready to lead digital transformation projects and strategies on behalf of organisations – as a manager or consultant.



Max (Bo) Li
China

Master of Digital Business

Studying at the University of Waikato has been the perfect way to experience a new routine, different to what I'm used to in China. I have enjoyed exploring New Zealand, meeting people from all over the world and developing my business knowledge.

Waikato's Master of Digital Business has developed my technical skills and taught me the importance of ethics. The University is a peaceful place to study, and the New Zealand lifestyle has a great work-life balance.

Degree planner

REQUIRED PAPERS (120 POINTS)

DIGIB555 Digital Business Management (30 points)	DIGIB552 Applied Research Methods and Project (30 points)	DIGIB558 Contemporary Issues in Digital Business (30 points)	DIGIB519 Professional Field Internship (30 points)
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ELECTIVE PAPERS IN HAMILTON (60 POINTS)

STMGT503 Entrepreneurship Theory and Practice (15 points)	STMGT502 Strategic Innovation (15 points)	SCMGT577 E-Enabled Supply Chains (30 points)
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ELECTIVE NET PAPERS (60 POINTS)

INMG588 International Business Strategy (30 points)	DIGIB559 E-Business Technologies (15 points)	LCOMM502 Managing Virtual Team Communication (15 points)	MRKTG552 Advanced Advertising Strategy (30 points)	INMG517 Current Issues in International Management (30 points)
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	SUBJECTS	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
MASTER OF DIGITAL BUSINESS MDigiBus waikato.ac.nz/go/MDigiBus	Digital Business		1 - 1.5 Years	February / July	\$34,085 - \$51,130 <i>approximate total tuition fee</i>

MASTER OF MANAGEMENT (MMgmt) - SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT

Kick-start your professional career in Supply Chain Management.

This one-year specialised course is ideal for recent university graduates, or anyone in the early to mid-stages of their career who want to become a supply chain/logistics manager.

Gain the skills to design and manage domestic or global supply chain networks that are more efficient, competitive and responsive to customers' needs - ensuring that goods are delivered exactly when and where they are needed.

Students will become adept at solving complex business problems, and get hands-on experience with industry software such as Microsoft Project and SAP.

The course starts with four management papers that provide a broader global business context for your learning. Then you will take papers that build advanced knowledge in Supply Chain Management, and apply your skills through a high-impact applied project.

The University of Waikato is an ideal place to study Supply Chain Management - our Hamilton campus is located next-door to the Ruakura Superhub, a 30ha inland port and 89ha logistics precinct currently under construction, which will provide direct rail and road links to the ports of Auckland and Tauranga.

Hamilton is also home to more than a quarter of New Zealand's export-driven businesses.

	SUBJECT	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
MASTER OF MANAGEMENT MMgmt waikato.ac.nz/go/MMgmt	Supply Chain Management	H F	12 Months	February / July	\$34,085

MASTER OF MANAGEMENT STUDIES (MMS)

Rise to the top of your profession and become an industry leader by undertaking postgraduate research in a specialist area of management.

The Master of Management Studies will bring you closer to the frontiers of knowledge in your specialist field and prepare you for leadership or research roles that require a high level of critical thinking and information analysis.

The MMS normally includes both taught and research papers, but can also be taken as a full research degree. The MMS provides the ideal pathway to undertake PhD doctoral study. A wide range of specialist subjects are available for this degree.

MASTER OF MANAGEMENT STUDIES MMS waikato.ac.nz/go/MMS					
	Accounting	H F	1 - 1.5 Years	February / July	\$34,085 - \$51,130 <i>approximate total tuition fee</i>
	Agribusiness	H F			
	Economics	H F			
	Finance	H F			
	Human Resource Management	H F			
	International Management	H F			
	Leadership Communication	H F			
	Marketing	H F			
	Public Relations	H F			
	Strategic Management	H F			
	Supply Chain Management	H F			
	Tourism Management	H F			

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MASTER OF PROFESSIONAL ACCOUNTING (MPAcct)

Establish your career pathway towards becoming a chartered accountant with this accelerated 14-month master's degree, endorsed by three leading professional accounting bodies.

This intensive 14-month programme is designed for students who have never studied accounting before at university, and is open to graduates of all disciplines.

Completing the MPAcct will prepare students for a professional career in accounting and ensure they meet the academic requirements to gain provisional membership of Chartered Accountants Australia and New Zealand (CA ANZ), CPA Australia, or the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants (ACCA). This ensures a qualification that is globally recognised by employers.

Waikato is ranked in the world's top 300 universities for accounting in the QS Subject Rankings 2022.

DID YOU KNOW?

We are also ranked #1 in the world for experimental research in accounting information systems, according to the BYU Global Accounting Rankings.

	SUBJECT	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
MASTER OF PROFESSIONAL ACCOUNTING MPAcct waikato.ac.nz/go/MPAcct	Accounting	H F	14 Months	January / November	\$57,915 <i>approximate total tuition fee</i>



(Raniel) Cloie Yvonne Mina
Philippines

Master of Professional Accounting

I chose to further my studies at the University of Waikato because of its international accreditation and stunning landscapes. Pursuing a Master of Professional Accounting, Waikato provided me with technical knowledge and expertise for when I went out into the real world. From number crunching to creative thinking, the accounting programme at Waikato has set me up well.

Thanks to the different workshops and networking sessions held by the University, I was accepted into a graduate programme at PricewaterhouseCoopers (PwC).

COMPUTER SCIENCE

Learn from some of the world's sharpest minds and work alongside computer science experts who are leading cutting-edge research, bringing theory into practice.

We hold an international reputation for our expertise in machine learning, software engineering, human-computer interaction, and our work using the Internet of Things (IoT). We have developed open source machine learning tools that have been downloaded more than 10 million times. Our tools and textbooks are used in universities and businesses around the world.

We are also forging new frontiers in cyber security to keep people's data safe, and working with communities to bring content, like historical records, to life, using our open source digital library system Greenstone.

At Waikato we are passionate about enabling our students to solve real-life problems from day one and we work closely with industry every step of the way, ensuring our students hit the ground running when they graduate.

From mobile app development, to database-driven websites, you will learn how to build user-friendly, efficient solutions to address the most pressing challenges of our time. We also offer a range of programmes in design, with the option of four different majors, including interface design.

There's never been a better time to study Computer Science and lead the digital charge.

Career options:

- App Developer
- Interactive Media Design
- Programmer
- Software Engineer
- Systems Designer
- Web Developer
- Website Designer
- Software Architect
- Software Developer
- Systems Engineer
- User Experience Designer
- Network Engineer

DID YOU KNOW?

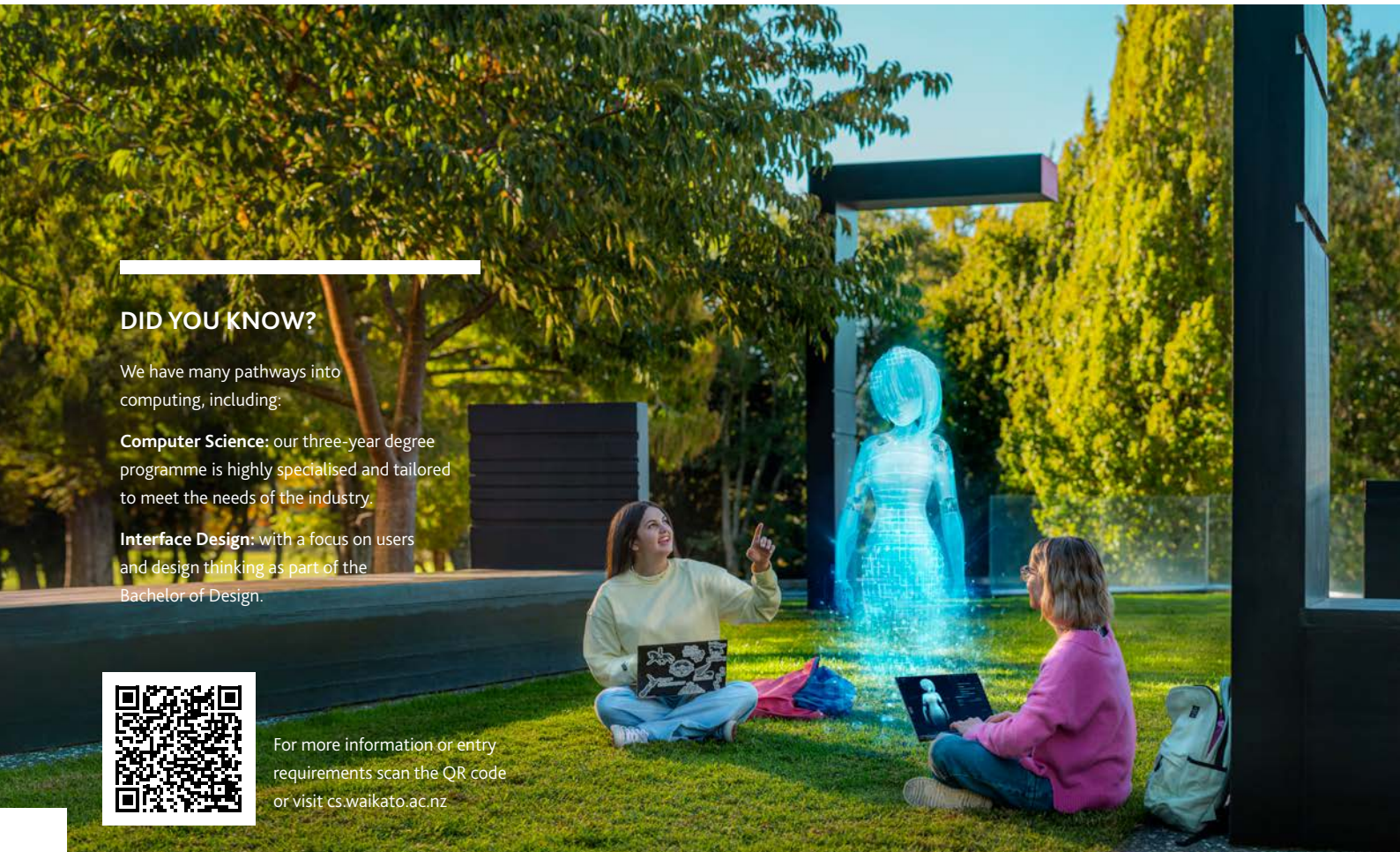
We have many pathways into computing, including:

Computer Science: our three-year degree programme is highly specialised and tailored to meet the needs of the industry.

Interface Design: with a focus on users and design thinking as part of the Bachelor of Design.



For more information or entry requirements scan the QR code or visit cs.waikato.ac.nz





BACHELOR OF COMPUTER SCIENCE (BCOMPSC)

Study a Bachelor of Computer Science at Waikato and develop the skills and thinking to creatively and effectively use technology. Solve challenges faced by businesses and communities and become a leader in the industry.

The Bachelor of Computer Science is a comprehensive three-year degree which will give you the broad skills required to excel in the fast-paced Information Communication Technology (ICT) industry. The structure of the degree ensures you cover a wide range of core computer science topics and technologies including web, mobile, cyber security, networks, databases, algorithms and user experience. In addition to the core degree you have an option to pursue one of two specified programmes that address specific needs in the ICT industry.

Specified Programmes

You have the option of selecting one of two specified programmes that address specific needs in the ICT industry:

Data Analytics

Learn about the capture and treatment of large volumes of data that is generated across all types of industries and aspects of life.

Embedded Systems

Combine software and hardware solutions to design and develop smart devices, sensors and the IoT, targeting cutting-edge applications in ambient intelligence, smart cities, agritech, environmental monitoring, industrial control and many more areas.

Industry Relevant

Students will complete a work-integrated learning paper in their third year and can also elect to complete a larger work placement to further develop their real-world experience. If students choose this option then help in securing a placement will be provided by our Work-Integrated Learning Team.

	SPECIFIED PROGRAMME	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
BACHELOR OF COMPUTER SCIENCE BCompSc waikato.ac.nz/go/BCompSc	Data Analytics	H F	3 Years	February / July	\$34,745 p/yr
	Embedded Systems	H F			

BACHELOR OF DESIGN (BDes)

The Bachelor of Design (BDes) combines papers in visual creative media design, communication and production.

This qualification meets the increasing demand for experts with skills in design and design thinking across different platforms. The programme has been developed in collaboration with the design and creative industries.

Students will begin their qualification by developing a foundation in the core elements and principles of visual communication, design and form. They will also learn essential

techniques to broaden visual and verbal skills. Graduates of this degree will possess experience thoroughly exploring the relationship between visual communication and screen-based technologies and will have tested the boundaries of visual communication, having taken on the professional challenges during work-integrated learning and substantial projects that cross many media.

Includes practical experience

Students have the opportunity to undertake a real design project in the third-year paper DSIGN350. In this project students work independently and collaborate with their peers and members of the professional design industry. This involves a self-directed brief which culminates each year in a Degree Show.

BACHELOR OF DESIGN BDes
waikato.ac.nz/go/BDes

Communication Design	H F	3 Years	February / July	\$34,745 p/yr
Industrial Design	H F			
Interface Design	H F			
Media Design	H F			





Jeff Garae
Vanuatu

Master of Cyber Security

I was the first student to graduate with a Master of Cyber Security from the University of Waikato. Before studying I was a network analyst in Vanuatu, while in that role I witnessed many cyber-attacks but had minimal knowledge of how to fix them. This is what led me to pursue further studies within cyber security.

If you want to study cyber security there is no better place than Waikato, with its Cyber Security Lab and industry connectedness spanning the Pacific and wider world. I am now working towards my PhD, aimed at increasing security visualisations for mobile platforms.

MASTER OF CYBER SECURITY (MCS)

The Master of Cyber Security (MCS) is the first of its kind to be offered in New Zealand. Studying for the MCS allows students to develop the skills needed to become a specialist in this area.

There's an increasing international demand for trained cyber security professionals, as a result of global ransomware attacks becoming increasingly common. Our graduates are in high demand with most of our alumni working in the top public and private organisations within New Zealand and internationally.

Students will gain an advanced understanding and knowledge of cyber security from the point of view of preventative security, detection of

security breaches, and offensive security (such as computer system penetration testing).

Studying cyber security at Waikato gives students the opportunity to work with and learn from leading cyber security experts.

Our academics also have strong international connections with industry and government, such as the National Cyber Policy Office and INTERPOL.

Learn from the best

The University of Waikato is home to New Zealand's first cyber security lab, where the Cybersecurity Researchers of Waikato (CROW) operate from. Master of Cyber Security students are guided by this team of international experts and are part of an established team from day one of their studies. You will have 24-hour access to some of the best computing facilities in New Zealand.

Degree planner

PART ONE

COMPX518 Cyber Security	COMPX519 Malware Analysis and Penetration Testing	One of COMPX527 or COMPX529	One of COMPX513 , COMPX514 or COMPX515	LEGAL526 Legal Aspects of Cyber Security (30 points)	500 level Elective	500 level Elective
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PART TWO

COMPX592 Dissertation

	SUBJECT	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
MASTER OF CYBER SECURITY MCS waikato.ac.nz/go/MCS	Cyber Security	H	1.5 Years	February / July	\$58,505 <i>approximate total tuition fee</i>

MASTER OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (MInfoTech)

The Master of Information Technology (MInfoTech) degree is jointly awarded with the University of Auckland and is designed to help students become “industry ready”.

The MInfoTech involves a high degree of business enterprise and project based learning, setting it apart from other more theory-based qualifications. One trimester will be devoted to a paid internship* with an industry partner, working under supervision on a real-world project.

Students with an undergraduate degree in computer science (or equivalent) can apply for the 1.5 year (180 points) programme. The combination of papers focuses on improving ICT skills as well as communication and critical-thinking skills.

Students without an undergraduate degree in computer science can apply for the two year (240 points) programme. The first trimester of this programme is an intensive one so students can gain fundamental skills in software development including object-oriented programming and design, web technologies, and databases.

** Students will receive a scholarship for their internship.*



Harpreet Singh
India

**Data Analyst, Imagination School
Master of Information Technology**

In New Zealand, we have a lot more freedom while completing assignments; this has allowed me to become a better learner and find things out for myself. As a result, I'm confident I can handle any challenge that comes my way.

I was offered three different internship opportunities during my studies, but my passion for gaming made it easy to choose Imagination School - I am now proud to say I have a full-time job here.

Degree planner

90 POINTS

30 points from **CSMAX570**, **ENGME585** or other approved papers

90 POINTS

90 points from 500 level papers (specialisations in Computer Science or Geographic Information Systems (GIS))

CSMAX596
Computer Science Internship

	SUBJECT	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
MASTER OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY MInfoTech waikato.ac.nz/go/MInfoTech	Information Technology	H F	1 - 2 Years	February / July / November	\$39,000 - \$58,505 p/yr

	MAJOR	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
BACHELOR OF ENGINEERING WITH HONOURS BE(Hons) waikato.ac.nz/go/BEHons	Software Engineering	H	4 - 4.5 Years	February / July	\$41,760 p/yr
	MAJOR	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE BSc waikato.ac.nz/go/BSc	Computer Science	H T F	3 Years	February / July	\$36,480 p/yr
	Data Analytics	H F			
	Mathematics	H F			
	SUBJECTS	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
MASTER OF DESIGN MDes waikato.ac.nz/go/MDes	Design	H	1.5 - 2 Years	February / July	\$58,505 <i>approximate total tuition fee</i>
	SUBJECT	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
MASTER OF SCIENCE MSc waikato.ac.nz/go/MSc	Artificial Intelligence	H	1 - 1.5 Years	February / July	\$38,915 - \$58,370 <i>approximate total tuition fee</i>
	Computer Science	H			
	Mathematics	H			
	Statistics	H			
	SUBJECT	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
MASTER OF SCIENCE (RESEARCH) MSc(Research) waikato.ac.nz/go/MSc(Research)	Artificial Intelligence	H	1 - 1.5 Years	February / July	\$38,915 - \$58,370 <i>approximate total tuition fee</i>
	Computer Science	H			
	Mathematics	H			
	Statistics	H			

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EDUCATION

Ranked in the top 200 for education worldwide, the University of Waikato School of Education is committed to enhancing education through the three interconnected disciplines of teaching, research and professional learning. Within our diverse communities we offer opportunities for students seeking a rewarding programme of study, and researchers interested in networking with like-minded people.

Inspire the next generation of learners with our Initial Teacher Education programmes (ITE) that are flexible in their delivery by enrolling at the Hamilton or Tauranga campuses or for block/distance online study*. Our programmes are based on innovative research and all contain a large component of professional work experience. Through our partnerships with schools and early childhood centres, our students are in schools and centres through the entirety of their programme.

Challenge your thinking about the world around us and how education plays a role in the lives of people. The Bachelor of Social Sciences, focused on Education, delivers a depth and breadth of research-based papers (see page 77 for more information).

Improve your skills, knowledge, expertise and career prospects with our postgraduate and masters options that are current and relevant, with delivery modes that accommodate in-service teachers and those who are working.

**Although some papers may be completed online, there are on campus papers and professional experience placements which requires students to be in New Zealand.*

Please note: Entry into our ITE programmes are subject to the Teacher Selection Process

📄 Career options:

- Corporate Trainer
- Counsellor
- Curriculum Developer
- Early Childhood, Primary, Intermediate or Secondary School Teacher
- Educational Consultant
- Education Policy Analyst
- Learning Consultant
- Ministry of Education Leadership
- Policy Advisor
- Principal
- Recruitment Advisor
- School Leadership

EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

Prepare yourself for a career working in a variety of early childhood settings with children from birth up to six years old. You'll gain practical and theoretical knowledge about how children learn and develop, and an understanding of Te Whāriki, the Early Childhood Curriculum.

PRIMARY

Embark on a career in primary or intermediate teaching and enjoy working with children from five to 13 years. Gain a solid foundation in all aspects of the New Zealand curriculum, classroom management, the teaching and learning process and educational policies and practices. Papers are taught by passionate academic staff that are leaders in their respective fields.

SECONDARY**

Play a major role in helping young people aged 13-18 years old develop their independence. Skilled teachers are in high demand in New Zealand, particularly in areas such as english, mathematics, science and technology.

***Entry into secondary teaching requires that you have prior knowledge of the subjects you wish to teach. Please contact us at international@waikato.ac.nz for more information and to check your eligibility.*

DID YOU KNOW?

We have over 50 years in teacher education, and have graduates who are making a difference all over the world.



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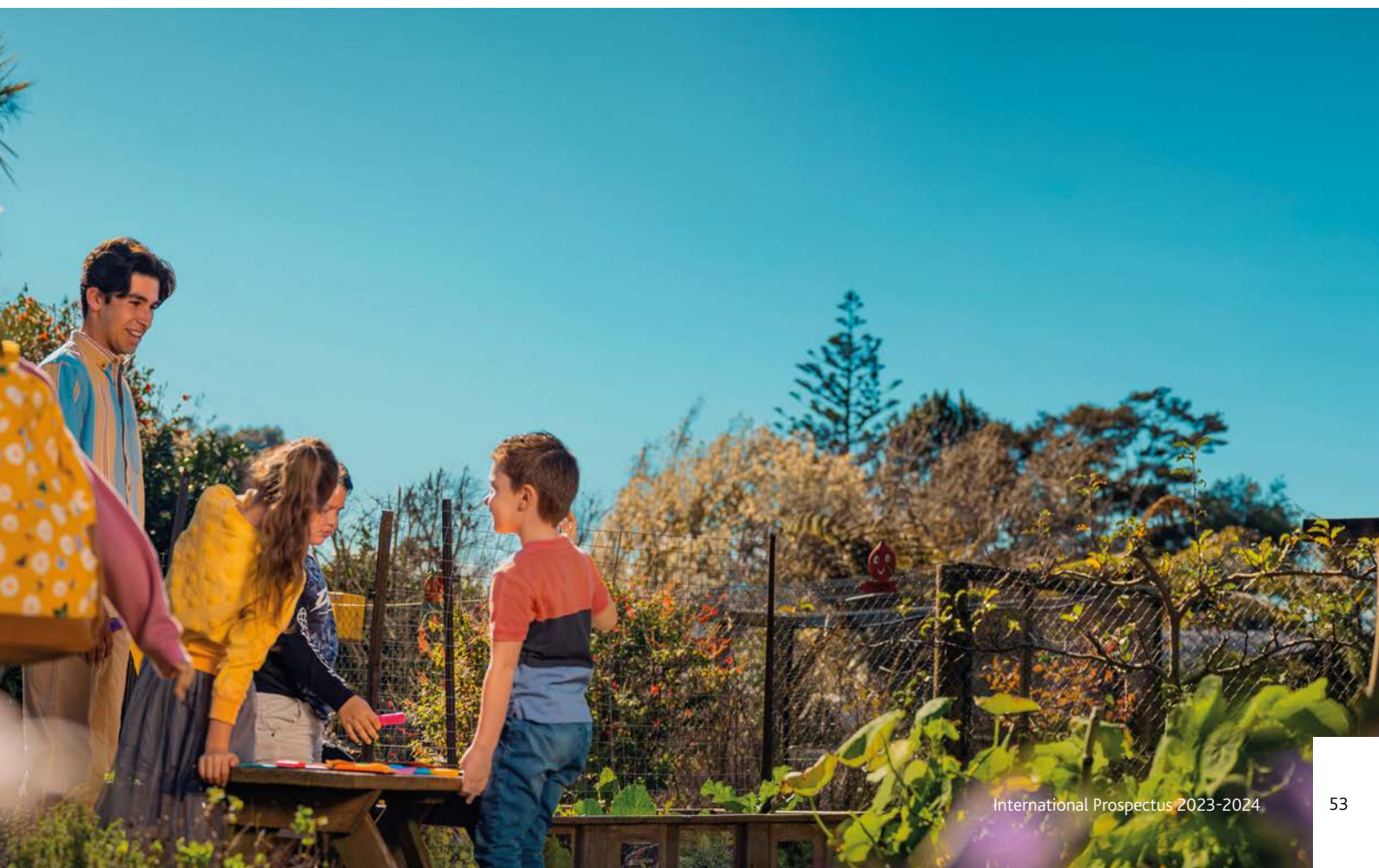
BACHELOR OF TEACHING

Teachers are influential community members making a difference to young people and their learning, knowledge and skill acquisition. They play a major role in helping their students develop their independence and success in their lives.

Begin a rewarding career working in Primary teaching with our three year Bachelor of Teaching. As a graduate of this programme, you will be among the best-prepared teaching graduates and highly regarded by education employers, within New Zealand and overseas. This is an approved Initial Teacher Education programme that leads to registration and provisional certification as a teacher in New Zealand.

	MAJOR	LOCATION*	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
BACHELOR OF TEACHING BTchg waikato.ac.nz/go/teaching	Teaching (Primary)	H T	3 Years	February	\$28,000 p/yr

**Location offerings subject to numbers. Applications close end of November*



GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN TEACHING (GradDipTchg)

Begin a fulfilling career in education in as little as one year, with a Graduate Diploma in Teaching from the University of Waikato. Set yourself up with the skills, knowledge and experience needed to meet the growing demand for qualified teachers in New Zealand and around the world.

This one-year programme will allow you to focus on your chosen area of early childhood, primary or secondary teaching, combining papers with professional experience placements. You will get the tools you need to prepare you for today's learning environments where digital learning is key, relationships matter and understanding diversity is crucial. With a minimum of 80 days spent in schools or centres, learn directly in the environment and enhance your student experience, starting your teaching career prepared and ready. This is an approved Initial Teacher Education programme that leads to registration and provisional certification as a teacher in New Zealand. The GradDipTchg, PGDipTchg and MTchgLn have some papers that are taught together.

	SUBJECT	LOCATION*	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
GRADUATE DIPLOMA OF TEACHING GradDipTchg waikato.ac.nz/go/GradDipTchg	Early Childhood	H	1 Year	January	\$35,000 <i>approximate total tuition fee</i>
	Primary	H			
	Secondary	H			

*Location offerings subject to numbers

Applications close end of November

POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA IN TEACHING (PGDipTchg)

Become a teacher and influence the future of education with a Postgraduate Diploma in Teaching from the University of Waikato. Challenge differences in society, inspire the next generation and amplify voices who are otherwise unheard. Become a community partner, leader and advocate in the education sector.

Begin to explore research opportunities through inquiry-based papers coupled with practical experience. This will equip you with the skills to continuously reflect upon, improve and innovate your teaching practice as a life-long learner.

With a Postgraduate Diploma in Teaching from Waikato, you will be highly sought after by education employers in New Zealand and abroad. Start your career as a well-rounded, reflective and hands-on teacher ready to manage your own classroom and enhance the educational experience of the next generation. This is an approved Initial Teacher Education Programme that leads to registration and provisional certification as a teacher in New Zealand. The GradDipTchg, PGDipTchg and MTchgLn are taught together.

	SUBJECT	LOCATION*	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA IN TEACHING PGDipTchg waikato.ac.nz/go/PGDipTchg	Primary	H T	1 Year	January	\$34,190 <i>approximate total tuition fee</i>
	Secondary	H T			

*Location offerings subject to numbers

Applications close end of November



MASTER OF TEACHING AND LEARNING (MTchgLn)

Develop your critical understanding of research-based pedagogical approaches. Learn theory, inquiry skills and content knowledge to ensure you can effectively teach diverse learners in New Zealand schools, with a Master of Teaching and Learning.

Study an intensive teacher education programme and prepare yourself with specialist skills and enhanced knowledge in the primary or secondary sector. Build on the Postgraduate Diploma in Teaching by taking one extra 30 point paper, or enrol directly into a Master of Teaching and Learning.

You will also gain valuable practical experience with the professional support of Te Kura Toi Tangata School of Education lecturers and mentor teachers. This programme will provide you with 80 days in total in the classroom in two different schools. This is an approved Initial Teacher Education Programme that leads to registration and provisional certification as a teacher in New Zealand. The GradDipTchg, PGDipTchg and MTchgLn have some papers that are taught together.

	MAJOR	LOCATION*	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
MASTER OF TEACHING AND LEARNING MTchgLn waikato.ac.nz/go/MTchgLn	Primary	H T	1 - 1.5 Years	January	\$51,295 <i>approximate total tuition fee</i>
	Secondary	H T			

*Location offerings subject to numbers
Applications close end of November

MASTER OF EDUCATION (MEd)

Advance your career, improve your prospects and develop your leadership skills in a specialist area of education.

Develop your education expertise in curriculum, the method and practice of teaching or policy development with a Master of Education from the University of Waikato.

Study with the guidance of world-renowned staff who are active researchers and are well-known in their specialist area. Prepare yourself

for higher level educational practice and learn how to undertake independent research in your area of study. Upon graduating, take your career to the next step and become a leader in your field.

	SUBJECTS AND SPECIALISATIONS	LOCATION*	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
MASTER OF EDUCATION MEd waikato.ac.nz/go/MEd	Refer to the University Calendar for the full list of offerings	H T CBC	1 - 1.5 Years	February / July	\$34,190 - \$51,295 <i>approximate total tuition fee</i>

MASTER OF EDUCATIONAL MANAGEMENT (MEdM)

Become a results-driven senior leader in the education sector by developing the management, business and financial skills to advance your career with a Master of Educational Management.

This 18-month master's programme is designed for experienced educators who are looking to move into senior leadership or governance roles in the private or public sectors where they can have a greater impact on organisational performance.

Gain the skills, confidence and insights to make management and leadership decisions in complex and unpredictable situations.

Learn how to deliver positive transformative change within organisations while meeting the complex demands of the education and training sector worldwide.

This programme is taught by experienced academics in educational management from the internationally regarded Te Kura Toi Tangata School of Education and Waikato Management School.



Anuja Khamkar
India

Master of Education

The MEd programme gave me flexibility when choosing the papers I wanted to study. Before arriving at Waikato, I was nervous about fitting in with other students. My fears soon subsided and I found it easy to get along with everyone, thanks to my lecturers who encouraged group discussions and activities in a lot of our lectures. I also appreciated the teaching style of my classes, where I was encouraged to bring my own experiences and given the freedom to express my thoughts and opinions during lectures, as well as in assignments. I felt this helped me engage with my own learning and helped me make clearer connections between what I was learning in class and my life experiences.

*Location offerings subject to numbers

	SUBJECT	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
MASTER OF EDUCATIONAL MANAGEMENT MEdM waikato.ac.nz/go/MEdM	Educational Management	H	18 - 21 Months	February / July	\$51,295 <i>approximate total tuition fee</i>

	SUBJECT	LOCATION*	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
MASTER OF DISABILITY AND INCLUSION STUDIES MDInS waikato.ac.nz/go/MDInS	Disability and Inclusion Studies	H T F	1 - 1.5 Years	February / July	\$34,190 - \$51,130 <i>approximate total tuition fee</i>
	SUBJECT	LOCATION*	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
MASTER OF EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP MEdLeadership waikato.ac.nz/go/MEdLeadership	Educational Leadership	H T F	1.5 Years	February / July	\$51,295 <i>approximate total tuition fee</i>
	SUBJECT	LOCATION*	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
MASTER OF COUNSELLING MCouns waikato.ac.nz/go/mcouns	Counselling	H	2 Years	February	\$66,390 <i>approximate total tuition fee</i>

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ENGINEERING

If you're focused on solving real issues that matter to people and want to design, build and test new products, structures and solutions for the real world, then a Bachelor of Engineering with Honours at the University of Waikato is for you.

Now, more than ever, the world needs more creative engineers who can take what they know and put that into practice. At Waikato, that's what we do best. With eight different engineering degree programmes on offer, we lead the way when it comes to high-tech, innovative solutions to real-world problems.

We work with industry every step of the way, so by studying at Waikato you are also preparing yourself to be work-ready when you graduate. Our dedicated team of Work-Integrated Learning (WIL) coordinators will connect you with industry throughout your programme of study, find the right work experience placements for you and even assist with your resume. No other New Zealand university offers such comprehensive assistance.

We also run our own Engineering Design Show for students. This flagship event provides an opportunity to showcase how our students excel in designing, building and testing new products, structures and solutions for the real world.

Whether you choose civil engineering, mechanical engineering or mechatronics, by studying at Waikato you will be industry-ready with an internationally accredited qualification recognised around the world. Join New Zealand's fastest growing engineering school today.

Career options:


- Biochemical Engineer
- Civil Engineer
- Electronic Engineer
- Food Technology Engineer
- Mechanical Engineer
- Product Designer
- Software Engineer

DID YOU KNOW?

As part of your development into a professional engineer, you will complete 800 hours of work experience in engineering organisations.



For more information or entry requirements scan the QR code or visit eng.waikato.ac.nz

 @WaikatoEngineering



BACHELOR OF ENGINEERING WITH HONOURS (BE(Hons))

If you want to lead the way in innovation, improve infrastructure, build smarter technologies and find alternative energy sources, our Bachelor of Engineering with Honours (BE(Hons)) will help you achieve just that.

The degree focuses on how problems can be solved by using design and engineering processes. At every stage of the degree students will be involved in creating, designing and realising sophisticated engineering products.

In their first year, students complete a number of compulsory papers including Foundations of Engineering, where teams of students are challenged to design and build model boats over the course of a trimester, culminating in a race day on the University's Oranga Lake.

In second year, students begin to specialise, depending on the programme they have chosen to study. By the end of fourth year, students will have also completed a major research and design project with potential for commercial application.

This degree is accredited by Engineering New Zealand and is professionally recognised in 18 countries, including Australia, the UK and the USA.

Includes practical experience

Work placements are a major feature of the BE(Hons). Students will complete 800 hours relevant work experience during their degree. The school's Work-Integrated Learning coordinators actively seek and oversee students' industrial work placements, ensuring a high-quality work experience.

Y1	ENGEN170 Engineering and Society	ENGEN180 Foundations of Engineering	ENGEN101 Engineering Maths and Modelling 1A	ENGEN102 Engineering Maths and Modelling 1B	ENGEN103 Engineering Computing	ENGEN112 Materials Science and Engineering	Stream	Stream	
Y2	ENGEN270 Engineering and Business	Design Challenge 1 (ENGXX280)	ENGEN201 Engineering Maths and Modelling 2	Stream	Stream	Stream	Stream	Stream	ENGEN271 Work Placement 1
Y3	ENGEN370 Engineering and the Environment	Design Challenge 2 (ENGXX380)	ENGEN301 Engineering Maths and Modelling 3	Stream	Stream	Stream	Stream	Stream	ENGEN371 Work Placement 2
Y4	ENGEN570 Engineering and the Profession	Design Challenge 3 (ENGXX580)	ENGEN582 Honours Research and Development Project			Stream	Stream	Stream	

	MAJOR	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
BACHELOR OF ENGINEERING WITH HONOURS BE(Hons) waikato.ac.nz/go/BEHons	Chemical and Biological Engineering	H	4 - 4.5 Years	February / July	\$41,760 p/yr
	Civil Engineering	H			
	Electrical and Electronic Engineering	H			
	Environmental Engineering	H			
	Materials and Process Engineering	H			
	Mechanical Engineering	H			
	Mechatronics Engineering	H			
	Software Engineering	H			

MASTER OF ENGINEERING PRACTICE (MEngPrac)

The MEngPrac is a master's degree that is relevant to current and anticipated future needs from industry.

It will enhance specialist technical knowledge in strategic areas such as electronics and applied electromagnetics, mechanical engineering and mechatronics, and materials and processing.

Due to the rapid advances of existing technologies, the programme is designed for recent graduates and practising engineers who want to upgrade and update their knowledge in these fields.

The programme offers a good selection of business management electives, enhancing career options for those graduates and engineers who wish to take up management roles. The programme's capstone project provides research experience that may support career development and may also prepare students for future PhD study.

Facilities

The School of Engineering's specialised laboratories includes the Large Scale Lab complex that features a suite of workshops and laboratories dedicated to engineering teaching and research. These include 3D printing, a mechanical workshop and computer labs with engineering design software.

Degree planner

CIVIL ENGINEERING

ENGCV506 Civil Engineering Systems Analysis (30 points)	Management Papers (30 points)	Advanced Technical Papers (60 points)	ENG508 Masters Capstone Project (60 points)
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ELECTRONICS

ENGEE506 Electronics Systems Analysis (30 points)	Management Papers (30 points)	Advanced Technical Papers (60 points)	ENG508 Masters Capstone Project (60 points)
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MATERIALS AND PROCESSING

ENGMP506 Materials and Process Systems Analysis (30 points)	Management Papers (30 points)	Advanced Technical Papers (60 points)	ENG508 Masters Capstone Project (60 points)
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MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

ENGME506 Mechanical and Mechatronics Systems Analysis (30 points)	Management Papers (30 points)	Advanced Technical Papers (60 points)	ENG508 Masters Capstone Project (60 points)
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	SUBJECTS	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
MASTER OF ENGINEERING PRACTICE MEngPrac waikato.ac.nz/go/MEngPrac	Civil Engineering	H	1 - 1.5 Years	February / July	\$60,850 <i>approximate total tuition fee</i>
	Electronics	H			
	Materials and Processing	H			
	Mechanical Engineering	H			

	ENDORSEMENTS	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
MASTER OF ENGINEERING ME waikato.ac.nz/go/ME	Chemical and Biological Engineering	H	1 Year	February / July	\$42,310 p/yr
	Civil Engineering	H			
	Electrical and Electronic Engineering	H			
	Environmental Engineering	H			
	Materials and Process Engineering	H			
	Mechanical Engineering	H			
	Mechatronics Engineering	H			
	Robotics	H			
	Software Engineering	H			



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ENVIRONMENT

Help to adapt to and mitigate climate change, protect and enhance our ecosystems, and inspire vibrant, sustainable urban spaces by studying environment sciences or environmental planning at the University of Waikato.

The growing human population is expected to exceed nine billion within the next 40 years. The need to provide for increasing human demands, while protecting and sustainably managing our environment, has never been greater.

A Bachelor of Science with a major in Environmental Sciences at Waikato encompasses biology, earth sciences, and chemistry as well as many other disciplines. It is about understanding and managing human impacts on our land, biodiversity, freshwater, oceans, atmosphere and climate while providing the food, water, energy, and mineral resource needs that are critical to our survival.

You will learn from leading professors and our researchers who are already tackling issues from climate change to biodiversity and conservation.

A Bachelor of Environmental Planning at Waikato will provide you with a solid foundation in urban and environmental planning skills and brings together papers from subjects including environmental planning, science, Māori and Indigenous studies, population studies, political science and geography. With close connections to the wider Waikato region and its wealth of natural resources, our environmental planning programme proves a core foundation and a choice of specialised streams to shape your future career.

This programme is also professionally accredited by the New Zealand Planning Institute (NZPI) – which means when you graduate, you will be work-ready meeting professional standards.

Career options:

- Agricultural Advisor
- Biosecurity Officer
- City Planner
- Coastal Resource Manager
- Community Planner
- Compliance Officer
- Environmental Planner
- Environmental Scientist
- Hydrologist
- Iwi Management Planner
- Oceanographer
- Policy Analyst or Advisor
- Private Consultant
- Project Manager
- Researcher
- Resource Consent Planner

DID YOU KNOW?

The job market for urban and regional planners has increased at a stronger rate than all other vacancies on average and is forecast to grow 3.7% per year to 2023.

Source: [occupationoutlook.mbie.govt.nz](https://www.occupationoutlook.mbie.govt.nz)



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BACHELOR OF CLIMATE CHANGE (BCC)

Be part of the climate solution. The University of Waikato proudly launched a new three-year degree in 2022 - the Bachelor of Climate Change.

The Bachelor of Climate Change is a unique and flexible degree which will arm you with knowledge that transcends traditional subject areas to meet the growing demand for experts who will help solve this complex, global issue. This degree is the first of its kind in the world and combines scientific knowledge of the biophysical world with understanding of economic and political systems and the impacts on Māori, Pacific and Indigenous communities.

While climate change is an incredibly complex problem, the solution is very simple - we need to reduce our greenhouse gas emissions. This requires a fundamental shift in the way we do business and go about our lives. With a Bachelor of Climate Change you will be well placed to support and guide others in this transition, from navigating the world of compliance and policy or helping to shift mindsets and behaviours within organisations and communities.

Career pathways

We need people from all walks of life to contribute their expertise to developing solutions to climate change. This is a degree that will ensure you take up your place in the workforce as a climate-informed citizen.

	MAJORS	LOCATION*	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
BACHELOR OF CLIMATE CHANGE BCC waikato.ac.nz/go/Climate	Anthropology	H CBC	3 Years	February/July	\$36,480 p/yr
	Chemistry	H CBC			
	Data Analytics	H CBC			
	Earth Sciences	H CBC			
	Ecology and Biodiversity	H CBC			
	Economics	H CBC			
	Environmental Planning	H CBC			
	Environmental Sciences	H CBC			
	Geography	H CBC			
	History	H CBC			
	Law	H CBC			
	Māori and Indigenous Studies	H CBC			
	Pacific and Indigenous Studies	H CBC			
	Philosophy	H CBC			
	Political Science	H CBC			
	Psychology	H CBC			
	Public Relations	H CBC			
	Social Policy	H CBC			
	Sociology	H CBC			
Strategic Management	H CBC				

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	MAJOR	LOCATION*	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE BSc waikato.ac.nz/go/BSc	Aquaculture	T	3 Years	February / July	\$36,480 p/yr
	Chemistry	H			
	Computer Science	H F T			
	Data Analytics	H			
	Earth Sciences	H			
	Ecology and Biodiversity	H			
	Environmental Sciences	H T			
	Materials Science	H			
	Mathematics	H			
	Molecular and Cellular Biology	H			
	Psychology	H T			

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	MAJOR	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (TECHNOLOGY) BSc(Tech) waikato.ac.nz/go/BScTech	Chemistry	H	3 Years	February / July	\$36,480 p/yr
	Earth Sciences	H			
	Ecology and Biodiversity	H			
	Environmental Sciences	H			
	Materials Science	H			
	Molecular and Cellular Biology	H			

	STREAM	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
BACHELOR OF ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING BEP waikato.ac.nz/go/BEP	Science and the Environment	H T F	4 Years	February / July	\$36,480 p/yr
	Society and the Environment	H T F			
	Te Ara Taiao: Māori and the Environment	H T			

	SUBJECT	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
MASTER OF ENVIRONMENT AND SOCIETY MEnvSoc waikato.ac.nz/go/MEnvSoc	Environment and Society	H	1.5 Years	February / July	\$58,370 <i>approximate total tuition fee</i>

	SUBJECT	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
MASTER OF ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING MEP waikato.ac.nz/go/MEP	Environmental Planning	H	1 Year	February / July	\$38,915 <i>approximate total tuition fee</i>

	MAIN SUBJECT	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
MASTER OF SCIENCE MSc waikato.ac.nz/go/MSc	Artificial Intelligence	H	1 - 1.5 Years	February / July	\$58,370 <i>approximate total tuition fee</i>
	Chemistry	H			
	Computer Science	H T*			
	Earth Sciences	H T*			
	Ecology and Biodiversity	H T*			
	Environmental Sciences	H T*			
	Mathematics	H			
	Molecular and Cellular Biology	H			
	Psychology	H			
	Statistics	H			

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	SUBJECTS	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
MASTER OF SCIENCE (RESEARCH) MSc(Research) waikato.ac.nz/go/MSc-Research	Artificial Intelligence	H	1 - 1.5 Years	February / July	\$38,915 - \$58,370 <i>approximate total tuition fee</i>
	Chemistry	H			
	Computer Science	H			
	Earth Sciences	H			
	Ecology and Biodiversity	H			
	Environmental Sciences	H			
	Materials and Processing	H			
	Mathematics	H			
	Molecular and Cellular Biology	H			
	Psychology	H			
Statistics	H				

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HEALTH, NURSING AND SPORT

Launch a fulfilling career on the frontline, caring for those in need, or open yourself up to New Zealand's \$12 billion sport and leisure industry by studying health or nursing at the University of Waikato.

Hands-on learning in real-life settings is at the heart of our qualifications. Whether you choose to study a Bachelor of Health, a Bachelor of Health, Sport and Human Performance or a Master of Nursing Practice, you will benefit from our collaborative relationships with some of the country's top organisations and facilities.

If you choose our Bachelor of Health, Sport and Human Performance, you will have the opportunity to work with leading sports organisations including Sport NZ, local district health boards and iwi groups (Indigenous tribes), NZ Recreation Association, Sport Waikato and High Performance Sport NZ. Delivered at both our Hamilton and Tauranga campuses, students also have access to the University of Waikato Sports Laboratory at the Cambridge Avantidrome and The University of Waikato Adams Centre for High Performance in Tauranga.

Our Bachelor of Health is delivered using the concepts of hauora or Māori wellbeing and allow you the opportunity to work with iwi, hapū and marae (Indigenous groups) in our communities. You will also benefit from our diverse team of researchers who are changing the way healthcare is delivered in New Zealand and across the world, through our epidemiological research on cancer, diabetes, primary care and rural health.

There has never been a better time to study health, sport or nursing at Waikato and launch a rewarding and dynamic career.

Career options:

- Applied Sports Scientist
- Clinical Laboratory Scientist
- Coach Developer
- Community Sport Officer
- Health and Physical Education Teacher
- Health Promoter
- Health Policy Writer and/or Advisor
- Health Services Management



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MASTER OF NURSING PRACTICE (MNursPrac)

Become a Registered Nurse in New Zealand and gain a Master's qualification.

Registered Nurses play a vital role in providing, leading and coordinating care that is compassionate, evidence-based and person-centred. They are accountable for their own practice and must be able to work autonomously, or as an equal partner within interdisciplinary teams. In order to respond to the impact and demands of professional nursing practice, they must be emotionally intelligent and resilient individuals, who are able to manage their own personal health and wellbeing and know when and how to access support.

The Master of Nursing Practice (MNursPrac) is a 240-point two-year full time or four year part-time postgraduate qualification that enables graduates from a wide range of disciplines to apply for registration with the Nursing Council of New Zealand (Te Kaunihera Tapuhi o Aotearoa) to practise as a Registered Nurse.

	SUBJECT	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
MASTER OF NURSING PRACTICE MNursPrac	Nursing	H	2 Years	February	\$75,560 <i>approximate total tuition fee</i>
waikato.ac.nz/go/nursing					

	MAJORS	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
BACHELOR OF HEALTH BHealth	Poutū-manahau Population Health	H	3 Years	February / July	\$31,950 p/yr
	Poutū-mārō Biomedical Sciences	H			
waikato.ac.nz/go/BHealth					

	MAJORS	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
BACHELOR OF HEALTH, SPORT AND HUMAN PERFORMANCE BHSHP	Community Health	H T	3 Years	February / July	\$28,025 p/yr
	Human Performance Science	H T			
	Sport Development and Coaching	H T			
waikato.ac.nz/go/BHSHP					

	SUBJECT	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
MASTER OF HEALTH, SPORT AND HUMAN PERFORMANCE MHSHP	Health, Sport and Human Performance	H T	1.5 Years	February / July	\$51,290 <i>approximate total tuition fee</i>
waikato.ac.nz/go/MHSHP					

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LAW

Te Piringa Faculty of Law is founded on the core principles of professionalism, biculturalism, and the study of law in context. Our principled approach to teaching law at Waikato ensures that our graduates are prepared to practice law or pursue a diversity of other professional careers in New Zealand or abroad, using the specialised skills and knowledge gained during law studies.

Studying law at Waikato ensures that students are firmly grounded in the core legal subjects (together with company law, dispute resolution, and tikanga Māori) that provide the building blocks for thinking like a lawyer.

In their final year, students choose from a selection of elective papers focused on other areas of key legal practice, or our specialised research strengths in the areas of Māori and Indigenous governance, the environment, public law and policy, and the law of new technologies that underpin our teaching of law in context.

Those students who excel academically in their second and third years will be invited to join our honours programme where they can push their learning even further.

Career options:

- Solicitor
- Barrister
- Judge
- Policy Analyst and Advisor
- Board Member for Iwi
- Legal Scholar
- Politician
- Business Owner
- Human Resources
- Mediator and Negotiator

DID YOU KNOW?

We have our very own moot court where you can hone your skills in a court environment.



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	MAJOR	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
waikato.ac.nz/go/LLB	BACHELOR OF LAWS LLB Law	H T F	4 Years	February / July	\$33,710 p/yr

	MAJOR*	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
waikato.ac.nz/go/BA	BACHELOR OF ARTS BA Law	H T F	3 Years	February / July	\$28,025 - \$35,420 p/yr

*To view full list of BA majors visit page 33

	SUBJECT	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
waikato.ac.nz/go/LLM	MASTER OF LAWS LLM Law	H T F	1 Year	February / July	\$37,110 <i>approximate total tuition fee</i>

Students can study a PGCert or PGDip in Law as a pathway into the LLM

	SUBJECT	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
waikato.ac.nz/go/MLS	MASTER OF LEGAL STUDIES MLS Law	H T F	1.5 Years	February / July / November	\$55,665 <i>approximate total tuition fee</i>

Students can study a PGCert or PGDip in Legal Studies as pathway into the MLS

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PSYCHOLOGY

Psychology is one of the most important and critical topics for modern society. The need for clinical psychologists is acute in Aotearoa New Zealand and the University of Waikato contributes a greater proportion of Māori and Pacific clinical psychologists than any other university in the country.

At Waikato, our areas of specialisation are in the most crucial areas of psychology, where psychology can make a difference to New Zealand society (Kaupapa Māori and community psychology, clinical psychology, behavioural psychology, cognitive psychology and environmental psychology).

It can also be mixed and matched with other interests to create a truly bespoke degree to precisely target specific interests, with minors possible in any area of science, social sciences and arts.

Psychology at Waikato is modern, contemporary and focuses on the cornerstones of psychology (cognitive, developmental, brain, behaviour, perception and social psychology). We ensure psychology is scientific and accountable, producing world-leading research in a friendly and welcoming environment. Lecture sizes of our 300-level papers are typically more intimate than other universities,

leading to a more personal learning experience.

Our students work alongside internationally respected psychologists to understand and advocate for inclusive communities.

We also have the internationally recognised Māori Psychology Research Unit.

Studying for a Postgraduate Diploma in Psychology lets you learn about psychology at postgraduate level through a series of papers in your chosen areas of psychology. It is a versatile qualification that is required for entry to most other psychology graduate programmes.

Career options:

- Behaviour Analyst
- Clinical or Community Psychologist
- Community Programme Coordinator
- Human Resource Advisor
- Private Practitioner
- Research Scientist

DID YOU KNOW?

Forensic Psychology can be taken as a minor alongside a psychology major.



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	MAJOR*	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
BACHELOR OF ARTS BA waikato.ac.nz/go/BA	Psychology	H T O	3 Years	February / July	\$35,420 p/yr

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	MAJOR*	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
BACHELOR OF CLIMATE CHANGE BCC waikato.ac.nz/go/Climate	Psychology	H	3 Years	February / July	\$36,480 p/yr

	MAJOR**	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
BACHELOR OF SOCIAL SCIENCES BSocSc waikato.ac.nz/go/BSocSc	Psychology	H T	3 Years	February / July	\$35,420 p/yr

**To view full list of BSocSc majors visit page 35

	MAJOR***	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE BSc waikato.ac.nz/go/BSc	Psychology	H CBC	3 Years	February / July	\$36,480 p/yr

***To view the complete list of majors visit page 73

	SUBJECTS	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
MASTER OF APPLIED PSYCHOLOGY MAppPsy waikato.ac.nz/go/MAppPsy	Behaviour Analysis	H	1 Year	February	\$38,915
	Community Psychology	H			

	SUBJECTS	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
MASTER OF ARTS MA waikato.ac.nz/go/MA	Psychology	H T*	1 Year	February / July	\$34,190 - \$38,915 <i>approximate total tuition fee</i>

	SUBJECTS	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
MASTER OF SOCIAL SCIENCES MSocSc waikato.ac.nz/go/MSocSc	Psychology	H T*	1 - 2 Years	February / July	\$51,290 - \$58,370 <i>approximate total tuition fee</i>

	SUBJECTS	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
MASTER OF SCIENCE MSc waikato.ac.nz/go/MSc	Psychology	H T*	1 Year	February / July	\$38,915 <i>approximate total tuition fee</i>

	SUBJECTS	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
MASTER OF SCIENCE (RESEARCH) MSc(Research) waikato.ac.nz/go/MSc-Research	Psychology	H T*	1 Year	February / July	\$38,915 <i>approximate total tuition fee</i>

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SCIENCE

Get hands-on experience in our region's unique 'living lab' and enjoy a personalised learning experience, solving real-life challenges from day one, when you study science at the University of Waikato.

Whether you base yourself in Hamilton or our new Tauranga Campus, studying science at Waikato will give you hands-on experience from day one of your degree, as you learn from our world class scientists who are solving real-life problems.

From climate change to ecosystem function and health, to understanding our natural hazards, we need innovative minds and research that transcends disciplinary boundaries to tackle some of the biggest challenges of our time.

The unique 'living lab' we have on our doorstep provides ample opportunity for our students to experience enriching field trips and have hands-on experience, particularly in the areas of environmental and marine sciences.

Whether you choose a Bachelor of Science, Bachelor of Science (Tech) or one of our certificates or diplomas, studying at Waikato will give you an internationally recognised science qualification and the practical skills that are in demand by employers.

You will also benefit from our smaller class sizes that allow us to deliver a personalised learning experience in our state-of-the-art laboratories. There has never been a better time to study science at Waikato.

Career options:

- Animal Welfare Officer
- Chemical Analyst
- Conservation Ranger
- Environmental Scientist
- Laboratory Manager
- Museum Collections Technician
- Software Developer
- Statistician
- Taxonomist
- Volcanologist
- Water Resource Manager
- Web Architect

DID YOU KNOW?

We take you right to the source, with field trips that might include an overnight stay to gather geothermal samples or a week-long bush camp to examine a region's flora.



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BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (BSc)

The Waikato Bachelor of Science (BSc) equips students for a career that requires logical thinking, analytical talent, a curious mind and practical skills.

The range of career options available to BSc graduates isn't surprising when you consider the nature of the degree. It is a flexible programme so you can combine papers to suit your strengths and interests.

You will gain hands-on experience with some of the most up to date and high-tech laboratory equipment available, such as our mass spectrometers for investigating molecular structure. The Bachelor of Science is a practical degree with laboratory and/or field work associated with most subjects.

	MAJORS	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE BSc waikato.ac.nz/go/BSc	Aquaculture	T	3 Years	February / July	\$36,480 p/yr
	Chemistry	H			
	Computer Science	H T F			
	Data Analytics	H			
	Earth Sciences	H			
	Ecology and Biodiversity	H			
	Environmental Sciences	H T			
	Materials Science	H			
	Mathematics	H			
	Molecular and Cellular Biology	H			
Psychology	H T F				

	MAJORS	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
BACHELOR OF CLIMATE CHANGE BCC waikato.ac.nz/go/climate <i>For a full list of available majors and their intake visit waikato.ac.nz/go/climate</i>	Chemistry	H	3 Years	February / July	\$36,480 p/yr
	Data Analytics	H			
	Earth Sciences	H			
	Ecology and Biodiversity	H			
	Environmental Sciences	H			
	Psychology	H			

	MAJORS	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (TECHNOLOGY) BSc(Tech) waikato.ac.nz/go/BScTech	Chemistry	H	3 Years	February / July	\$36,480 p/yr
	Earth Sciences	H			
	Ecology and Biodiversity	H			
	Environmental Sciences	H			
	Materials Science	H			
	Molecular and Cellular Biology	H			

MASTER OF SCIENCE (MSc)

This is a research-focused degree, where the combination of research and taught papers is tailored to suit prior learning experiences. This is an ideal degree for students wanting to improve their career opportunities and seeking a qualification that is potentially not so research-heavy. The MSc is normally a 1.5 year full-time programme of study.

Practical experience

The University of Waikato boasts excellent industry collaborations with organisations such as NIWA, AgResearch, Plant and Food Research and Manaaki Whenua - Landcare Research. These strong relationships generate numerous research projects for MSc students, who are able to work on real issues with a real client.

	SUBJECTS	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
MASTER OF SCIENCE (TECHNOLOGY) MSc(Tech) waikato.ac.nz/go/MSc-Tech	Chemistry	H	1.5 Years	February / July	\$58,370 <i>approximate total tuition fee</i>
	Earth Sciences	H			
	Ecology and Biodiversity	H			
	Environmental Sciences	H			
	Molecular and Cellular Biology	H			



Mojgan (Mo) Razzaghi

Iran

PhD Earth Sciences

Growing up near the Caspian Sea in Iran, I had always been interested in coasts. I chose to study in this field because I wanted to do my part in furthering our knowledge in coastal and marine science and preserve our beautiful blue planet.

My research focuses on estuarine restoration, specifically looking at the Kaituna rediversion project in the Maketū Estuary in the Bay of Plenty region. This project has provided us with the unique opportunity to improve our knowledge in estuarine restoration using large-scale engineering solutions.

Since starting my doctoral studies in Tauranga, I have met so many amazing and supportive people and had many highlights. I enjoy working alongside academics and other students at the University who are all passionate about the environment. We are all on the same boat and it's like when one person wins, everyone wins.

	SUBJECTS	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
MASTER OF SCIENCE (RESEARCH) MSc(Research) waikato.ac.nz/go/MSc-Research	Artificial Intelligence	H	1.5 Years	February / July	\$56,670 <i>approximate total tuition fee</i>
	Chemistry	H			
	Computer Science	H T*			
	Earth Sciences	H T*			
	Ecology and Biodiversity	H T*			
	Environmental Sciences	H T*			
	Materials and Processing	H			
	Mathematics	H			
	Molecular and Cellular Biology	H			
	Psychology	H T*			
	Statistics	H			

	SUBJECTS	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
MASTER OF SCIENCE MSc waikato.ac.nz/go/MSc	Artificial Intelligence	H	1.5 Years	February / July	\$58,370 <i>approximate total tuition fee</i>
	Chemistry	H			
	Computer Science	H T*			
	Earth Sciences	H T*			
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	Environmental Sciences	H T*			
	Mathematics	H			
	Molecular and Cellular Biology	H			
	Psychology	H T*			
	Statistics	H			

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SOCIAL SCIENCES

Our programmes of study in the social sciences equip students with critical thinking skills, enhancing employability and future-proofing their careers against artificial intelligence.

At Waikato, our students work alongside top-rated teachers and internationally respected scholars. Our teaching and research in the social sciences stands at the intersection of key global and local debates around post-colonialism and indigeneity, growth and sustainability, social justice, emergent identities and institutions. We are interested in the past, current and future use of physical resources and spaces as well as the nonphysical realm of ideas, beliefs, morals, language and organisations.

We offer flexible learning options, providing students with choice in their programmes of study to work around their busy lifestyles. Many of our papers use the latest teaching technology including Panopto and video-conferencing, providing increased variety for students studying across both campuses.

Career options:

- Community Worker
- Demographer
- Diplomat
- Economist
- Employment Relations Advocate
- Environmental Consultant
- Ethics Advisor
- Human Resource Manager
- Iwi or Māori Resource Development Officer
- Policy Analyst
- Educational Software Developer
- Youth or Family Worker
- Industry Trainer
- Learning Application Development
- Social Services Advocate
- Community Educator



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BACHELOR OF SOCIAL SCIENCES (BSocSc)

The Bachelor of Social Sciences (BSocSc) looks at how people and society function and change.

The degree offers contemporary and relevant areas of study, such as education and society, Māori and Indigenous studies, social policy and screen and media studies. You will be examining contemporary issues from a social science perspective. You will emerge with the skills, knowledge and motivation to make a difference to the world.

Research is a significant requirement of the BSocSc with compulsory research papers

within the degree. The research capabilities you develop through your degree will be invaluable in any career that requires information gathering, analysis of complex issues, thorough reporting and informed decision-making.

Depending on what area of interest or subject you choose, the BSocSc is offered by the schools of Arts, Education, Psychology and Social Sciences and the Faculty of Māori and Indigenous Studies.

	MAJORS	LOCATION	DURATION	INTAKE(S)	FEES (NZD)
BACHELOR OF SOCIAL SCIENCES BSocSc waikato.ac.nz/go/BSocSc	Anthropology	H	3 Years	February / July	\$28,025 -
	Digital Learning	H T F			\$35,420 p/yr
	Economics	H			
	Education and Society	H T			
	Environmental Planning	H F			
	Geography	H F			
	History	H			
	Human Development	H T			
	Linguistics	H F			
	Māori and Indigenous Studies	H T			
	Pacific and Indigenous Studies	H			
	Philosophy	H F			
	Political Science	H T O			
	Population Studies	H O			
	Psychology	H T*F			
	Screen and Media Studies	H F O			
	Social Policy	H T F O			
Sociology	H T F O				

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MASTER OF SOCIAL SCIENCES MSocSc waikato.ac.nz/go/MSocSc	Anthropology	H F	1.5 Years	February / July	\$51,290- \$58,370 <i>approximate total tuition fee</i>
	Economics	H			
	Geography	H			
	History	H			
	Māori and Indigenous Studies	H			
	Pacific and Indigenous Studies	H			
	Philosophy	H F			
	Political Science	H O			
	Population Studies and Demography	H O			
	Psychology	H T F			
	Public Policy	H			
	Social Policy	H F O			
	Sociology	H F O			

Key

H - Hamilton Campus

T - Tauranga Campus

O - Online: start and complete online

F - Flexi Start: commence study online and transfer to campus mid-trimester or at a later date

CBC - please reach out to the university for a case by case scenario

Some online programmes may require some attendance on-campus or have additional eligibility criteria. Fees are an approximate tuition fee at the time of printing, and may differ from your final tuition fee. Please visit waikato.ac.nz for the most up to date fees.



ACADEMIC ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

UNDERGRADUATE

The following admission guidelines do not guarantee entry into a programme of study. Each application is assessed by the University Admissions team.

The following programmes have additional prerequisites/entrance requirements and/or an additional selection process may apply. These may vary depending on the individual major or specialisation that you choose.

Please see waikato.ac.nz/study/enrolment/undergraduate-international for further details:

- Bachelor of Computer Science
- Bachelor of Engineering (Hons)
- Bachelor of Laws
- Bachelor of Music
- Bachelor of Teaching, Graduate Diploma in Teaching, Postgraduate Diploma in Teaching and Master of Teaching and Learning.

ENTRANCE GUIDELINE

New Zealand	<p>To gain University Entrance you must complete all of the following from NCEA:</p> <p>Numeracy Level 1 or higher: 10 credits from specified achievement standards available through a range of subjects OR from a package of three numeracy unit standards (26623, 26626, 26627 – all three required)</p> <p>Literacy Level 2 or higher: 5 reading credits AND 5 writing credits from the specified list. The credits can come from a range of subjects. For more information go to waikato.ac.nz/go/UEliteracy</p> <p>Level 3:</p> <p>14 credits in one approved subject 14 credits in a second approved subject 14 credits in a third approved subject</p> <p>Achieve NCEA Level 3 Certificate (60 credits at Level 3 or above and 20 credits from Level 2 or above)</p>
University of Waikato Foundation Studies (Certificate in Foundation Studies – CAFS)	<p>The Certificate of Attainment in Foundation Studies – no less than a C- grade in any subject plus a B- grade or better in FOUN021 English for Foundation Studies 1 and FOUN022 English for Foundation Studies 2. Please note - further subjects may also be required depending on chosen programme. Please visit for more information waikato.ac.nz/study/enrolment/undergraduate-international</p>
New Zealand foundation programmes	<p>Successful completion of any of the foundation certificates offered by a New Zealand university.</p>
NCUK International Foundation Year	<p>Completion of NCUK International Foundation Year (IFY) with CCC or above. Some programmes have additional entry requirements. For further details, visit our dedicated NCUK information page waikato.ac.nz/international/why-study-at-waikato/ncuk</p>
NCUK International Year One (IYOne) Business and Engineering	<p>Completion of NCUK International Year One (IYOne) Business and Engineering Streams, 120 credits with a score of 50 or above. Some programmes have additional entry requirements. For further details, visit our dedicated NCUK information page waikato.ac.nz/international/why-study-at-waikato/ncuk</p>
Other foundation programmes	<p>The University of New South Wales Foundation Year – a minimum GPA of 6.5 (C grade) with an 8.0 in Academic English. Professional programmes such as law and engineering will require higher passes in prerequisite subjects. The University accepts applicants from a number of foundation programmes offered in Australia, the UK and elsewhere. Please contact the University to find out if your programme is accepted for entry to Waikato.</p>
International examinations taken in New Zealand (Cambridge International and Advanced International Certificate of Education)	<p>A minimum of 120 points on the UCAS Tariff at A or AS level other than the General Paper, including at least three subjects (other than Thinking Skills) in which no grade is lower than D. Standards apply regarding literacy and numeracy and applicants should refer to waikato.ac.nz/study/enrolment/undergraduate</p>

ENTRANCE GUIDELINE

GCE Advanced levels (outside UK)	Applicants must achieve a minimum of six points taken from three subjects, achieving a minimum grade of C in at least one subject. Points calculated as follows: A = 5, B = 4, C = 3, D = 2, E = 1. AS Level grades are not included.
International Baccalaureate (taken in NZ or overseas)	Completed International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma with a minimum of 24 points.
Australia	Australian Tertiary Admission Rank (ATAR) of at least 70 or QLD OP of 14 or lower (if sat prior to 2020). This also applies to students studying Australian qualifications outside Australia, such as the South Australian Matriculation (SAM) and the Western Australian Certificate of Education (WACE).
Bangladesh	Successful completion of one year of study at a recognised institution of university standing.
Brazil	Successful completion of one year of study at a recognised institution of university standing.
Canada	Ontario Secondary School Diploma – 65% overall average grade. Quebec Grade 12 Certificate – average of 60% across six subjects (including English). British Columbia Certificate of Graduation - pass in at least five Grade 12 courses.
Chile	Successful completion of one year of study at a recognised institution of university standing.
China	Tier One score in the National University Entrance Examination (Gaokao). For the required score by province visit waikato.ac.nz/study/enrolment/undergraduate-international . Two years' successful academic study at a recognised junior college; or successful completion of one year of study at a recognised institution of university standing.
Colombia	Successful completion of Tecnólogo Especializado at a recognised tertiary institution; or successful completion of one year of study at a recognised institution of university standing.
Fiji	Fiji Form 7 – an aggregate over four subjects of 250 marks out of 400 with a minimum of 50 in English. University of the South Pacific (USP) Foundation Year in Arts, Business or Science with a grade average of B or higher and no grade lower than C in the eight required courses.
France	Successful completion of Diplôme du Baccalauréat.
Germany	Successful completion of Abitur or Zeugnis der Allgemeinen Hochschulreife.
Ghana	One year's successful bachelor degree level study at a recognised institution of university standing with good passing grades.
Hong Kong	Hong Kong Diploma of Secondary Education with a score of 15, based on aggregate of best five subjects, from any combination of Core and Category A and C electives. This excludes Category B (Applied Learning) subjects.
India	Minimum overall average of 75% with 60% in English in All India Senior School Examination (CBSE) or Indian School Certificate Examination (CISCE) or Higher Secondary School Certificate (or equivalent) issued by Maharashtra, Karnataka or West Bengal State Board (Note: The academic scores are calculated on the best four academic subjects); or, For those with Higher Secondary School Certificate (or equivalent) issued by all other India State Boards, minimum overall average of 80% is required with 65% in English (Note: The academic scores are calculated on the best four (4) academic subjects)
Indonesia	An overall average of 8.5/80% or more in Sekolah Menengah Atas (SMA); or successful completion of one year of study at a recognised institution of university standing; or successful completion of a Diploma II from a recognised tertiary institution.
Japan	Completion of a high school diploma with a B average; or one year of successful study at a Japanese university; or completion of a Junior College Diploma of two or three years' duration.
Korea	National College Scholastic Aptitude Test (CATS) with a minimum score of 250.
Kuwait	Successful completion of General Secondary Education Certificate with an overall average of 80% (calculated on academic subjects only).

ENTRANCE GUIDELINE

Malaysia	Foundation Studies (Business) - KDU College, Petaling Jaya with B average. Malaysian Matrikulation Certificate (Matrikulasi) - Cumulative minimum GPA of 2.5. (Calculated on the basis that A=4.0, A-=3.67, B+=3.33, B=3.0, B-=2.67, C+=2.33, C=2.0, C-=1.67, D+=1.33, D=1.0, F=0). A minimum of 6 points obtained from at least three Sijil Tinggi Persekolahan Malaysia (STPM) subjects. Points calculated as follows: A = 5, A-+4, B+=4, B=3, B-=2, C+=2, C=1; or Unified Examination Certificate (UEC) of the Malaysian independent Chinese Secondary System with a maximum of 20 points over 6 academic subjects.
Nigeria	One year's successful bachelor degree level study at a recognised institution of university standing with good passing grades. Completion of Nigerian National Diploma.
Norway	Successful completion of the Vitnemal fra den Videregaende Skole (Certificate of Upper Secondary Education).
Oman	One year of successful study at a recognised institution of university standing.
Pakistan	One year of successful study at a recognised institution of university standing.
Saudi Arabia	Successful completion of a diploma at a recognised College of Technology; or one year of successful study at bachelor's level, at a recognised institution of university standing.
Singapore	A levels / H levels: A minimum of 3 H2 passes at C grade. (Pre-2008 = 3 A-level passes).
South Africa	Successful completion of the National Senior Certificate with confirmation of eligibility to enrol in a bachelor's degree at a South African university.
South Pacific countries (not individually listed)	South Pacific Form Seven Certificate (SPFSC) with a minimum of three B grades. All students must have Grade 5 or better in PSSC English and Grade 6 or better in PSSC Maths.
Sri Lanka	Sri Lankan General Certificate of Education Advanced Levels with at least three C grades achieved; or at least one year of successful tertiary level study at a recognised university or institution.
Taiwan	One year of university study; or Senior high school and a two-year Junior College Diploma; or Junior high school and a five-year Junior College Diploma.
Thailand	Mathayom 6 with a minimum GPA of 3.2.
Tonga	Successful completion of Tonga National Form Seven; or South Pacific Form Seven Certificate (SPFSC) with a minimum of three B grades. All students must have Grade 5 or better in PSSC English and Grade 6 or better in PSSC Maths.
UAE	Successful completion of a Higher Diploma from a recognised Higher College of Technology; or one year of successful study at bachelor's level at a recognised institution of university standing.
United Kingdom (GCE)	Please contact info@waikato.ac.nz for up-to-date requirements.
USA	High School Diploma plus SAT-1 (taken in grade 12) score of at least 1000 combining Critical Reading and Mathematics scores; or High School Diploma and ACT scores with at least 24 in every section.
Vietnam	Completion of the National High School Graduation Examination (Kỳ Thi Tốt Nghiệp Trung Học Phổ Thông Quốc Gia) with an overall pass; and a minimum GPA of 8.0/10 in Grade 12 as shown in the High School Report (Học bạ Trung Học Phổ Thông); or one year of successful study at bachelor degree level, at a recognised institution of university standing with passing grades in all courses.

*The minimum requirement for students from many countries not listed is the completion of a high school qualification plus satisfactory completion of one year's study at an approved tertiary institution, or successful completion of the New Zealand Foundation Year programme.

Recognised tertiary institutions and universities are those acknowledged as offering programmes equivalent to those of Waikato. To find out whether your institution or university is recognised, please contact international@waikato.ac.nz

ACADEMIC ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

POSTGRADUATE

Coursework (taught) degrees

DEGREE TYPE	DEFINITION	ENTRY REQUIREMENT
Masters by dissertation and coursework by coursework only	This degree can be either in the same area as undergraduate study or in a new area of study. Depending on previous study and chosen subject, a masters may take one, one and a half, or two years to complete.	<p>A recognised bachelor's degree with a B average, and a B average in a relevant subject if required. Some faculties/schools require an honours degree (to demonstrate research capacity).</p> <p>Where the above requirements are not met, further study in a lower level programme may be required first.</p> <p>Note: You need a B- average for entry to the Master of Business and Management (MBM), Master of Management (MMgmt) and the Master of Professional Accounting (MPAcct).</p>
Bachelors with Honours	This is a one-year advanced programme for high-achieving students, which continues your studies in a major subject after completing a three-year bachelor's degree. The honours programme may be taken on its own or included as part of a four-year bachelor's degree.	A qualification considered equivalent to a New Zealand bachelor's degree with a B average, in a major in a relevant area.
Postgraduate Diploma (one year)	This programme comprises postgraduate-level papers and normally takes one year. It meets the needs of graduates who wish to deepen their knowledge of the subject they studied at undergraduate level.	A bachelor's degree from the University of Waikato, or a qualification considered by the Academic Board to be equivalent, and previously completed at an advanced level in the subject to be taken for the Postgraduate Diploma and satisfies the prerequisites for graduate study in the subject being taken for the Postgraduate Diploma.
Postgraduate Certificate (six months)	This programme comprises postgraduate-level papers and normally takes six months. It meets the needs of graduates who wish to deepen their knowledge of the subject they studied at undergraduate level.	A bachelors degree from the University of Waikato, or a qualification considered by the Academic Board to be equivalent, and previously completed at an advanced level in the subject to be taken for the Postgraduate Certificate and satisfies the prerequisites for graduate study in the subject being taken for the Postgraduate Certificate.



Research degrees

DEGREE TYPE	DEFINITION	ENTRY REQUIREMENT
Masters by thesis	This degree consists of a research project in the form of a thesis, dissertation, substantial research or creative work.	A recognised bachelor's degree with a B/B+ grade average, and a B/B+ grade average in a relevant subject if required. Some faculties/schools require an honours degree (to demonstrate research capacity). Where the above requirements are not met, further study in a lower level programme may be required first.
Master of Philosophy	A Master of Philosophy is one-year programme of original research under supervision, resulting in a thesis.	A qualification considered equivalent to a New Zealand bachelor's degree with honours or master's degree with at least second class honours, (first division) or distinction is required. Candidates must also have demonstrated research experience, normally at least 30 points of research in an honours or masters degree. Entrance is at the discretion of the Postgraduate Research Committee.
Doctor of Musical Arts (DMA)	The DMA is a research degree. Candidates undertake supervised research comprising musical performance in the form of works of artistic and creative merit supported by a written research thesis of 35,000 words.	A qualification considered equivalent to a New Zealand Master of Music (MMus) degree, with at least second class honours (first division). Candidates must also audition successfully on an applied instrument or voice. Entrance is at the discretion of the Postgraduate Research Committee.
Doctor of Juridical Science (SJD)	The Doctor of Juridical Science provides a structured programme of independent research leading to the completion of a thesis. Individually tailored, it'll help you achieve a doctoral degree with maximum support.	A qualification considered equivalent to a New Zealand bachelor's degree with honours, or master's degree with at least second class honours, (first division) or distinction is required. Candidates must also have demonstrated research experience, normally at least 30 points of research in an honours or master's degree. Entrance is at the discretion of the Postgraduate Research Committee.
Doctor of Education (EdD)	Supervised professional research degrees are designed for candidates with relevant professional experience. The EdD is a professional doctorate for senior practitioners in education. These degrees require an initial year of coursework to be successfully completed prior to the development and submission of a supervised thesis.	A qualification considered equivalent to a New Zealand bachelor's degree with honours, or master's degree with at least second class honours, (first division) or distinction is required. Candidates must have demonstrated research experience, normally at least 30 points of research in an honours or master's degree. Candidates must also have qualified for the award of a recognised teaching or allied professional qualification and must produce evidence of at least three years of competent service as an education practitioner. Entrance is at the discretion of the Postgraduate Research Committee.
PhD	A PhD consists of research carried out under the supervision of at least two staff members. The thesis, which must be the candidate's own work, is required to present the case for the research, outline the research undertaken, and the findings and conclusions of that research.	A qualification considered equivalent to a New Zealand bachelor's degree with honours, or master's degree with at least second class honours, (first division) or distinction is required. Candidates must also have demonstrated research experience, normally at least 30 points of research in an honours or master's degree. Entrance is at the discretion of the Postgraduate Research Committee.
Doctor of Health Science	A doctoral level qualification for health professionals of any discipline who seek to support and extend their professional practice through disciplined research.	A qualification considered equivalent to a New Zealand bachelor's degree with honours, or masters degree with at least second class honours, (first division) or distinction is required. Candidates must have demonstrated research experience, normally at least 30 points of research in an honours or master's degree. Candidates must also have qualified for the award of a recognised health professional qualification and must produce evidence of at least three years of service as a health professional. Entrance is at the discretion of the Postgraduate Research Committee.

Preparation for postgraduate study

These programmes may be used as bridging programmes for students who wish to undertake postgraduate study in an area different from their prior qualification(s).

QUALIFICATION TYPE	DEFINITION	ENTRY REQUIREMENT
Graduate Certificate (six months)	A graduate certificate is for graduates who do not have a substantial background in a particular subject in their undergraduate degree. A graduate certificate allows students to prepare for postgraduate study in that subject or to add a specialisation that is different from their major. The course is comprised of undergraduate papers.	A qualification considered equivalent to a New Zealand bachelor's degree.
Graduate Diploma (one year)	A graduate diploma is for graduates who do not have a substantial background in a particular subject in their undergraduate degree. A graduate diploma allows students to prepare for postgraduate study in that subject or to add a specialisation that is different from their major. The course is comprised of undergraduate papers.	A qualification considered equivalent to a New Zealand bachelors degree.

ENGLISH LANGUAGE ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The University teaches in the English language and requires all students to demonstrate proficiency in written and spoken English.



The University's English language entry requirements are set out below. Students who do not meet the minimum requirements will normally be made an offer, conditional on meeting the English language requirements.

Prior study in English is valid for two years from the completion of the English programme to the start date of the student's programme at the University of Waikato. If applicants can provide evidence of further study or work in the medium of English, or hold a passport from a country where English is the predominant language this validity is for five years.

Each applicant will be considered on a case-by-case basis and evidence will need to be provided at the time of application.

Further information about our English language proficiency requirements as well as possible exceptions can be found at

waikato.ac.nz/study/international/how-to-apply

MINIMUM ENGLISH LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS

Undergraduate

DEGREE	IELTS (ACADEMIC)	IBT (INTERNET BASED) TOEFL	PEARSON PTE ACADEMIC	UNIVERSITY OF WAIKATO COLLEGE
All courses except those listed in the column below	6.0 overall (no band less than 5.5).	80 with a minimum writing score of 21.	50 with no PTE communicative skills score below 42.	Successful completion of Level 7 with a B grade average in the Certificate of Attainment in English Language (CAEL) programme.
Bachelor of Teaching	7.0 overall (no band less than 7.0).	Listening - 24; Reading - 24; Writing - 27; Speaking - 23.	65 in all four modules.	Not applicable.
Bachelor of Laws (LLB)	6.5 overall (no band less than 6.0).	90 with a minimum writing score of 21.	58 with no PTE communicative skills score below 50.	Successful completion of Level 8 with a B grade average in the Certificate of Attainment in Academic English (CAAE) programme.



Postgraduate

DEGREE	IELTS (ACADEMIC)	IBT (INTERNET BASED) TOEFL	PEARSON PTE ACADEMIC	UNIVERSITY OF WAIKATO COLLEGE
Coursework (taught) degrees	6.5 overall (no band less than 6.0).	90 with a minimum writing score of 21.	58 and no PTE communicative skills below 50.	Successful completion of Level 8 with a B grade average in the Certificate of Attainment in Academic English (CAAE) programme.
Graduate Diploma in Teaching Postgraduate Diploma in Teaching Master of Teaching and Learning Master of Nursing Practice	7.0 overall (no band less than 7.0).	Listening - 24; Reading - 24; Writing - 27; Speaking - 23.	65 in all four modules.	Not applicable.
Postgraduate research – MPhil, PhD, Professional doctorates	6.5 overall (no band less than 6.0).	90 with a minimum writing score of 21.	58 and no PTE communicative skills below 50.	Successful completion of Level 8 with a B grade average in the Certificate of Attainment in English Language (CAEL) programme.

- The University's English language requirements may be subject to change in subsequent years.
- Teacher Education Programmes - for further information about other acceptance criteria visit teachingcouncil.nz/getting-certificated/for-beginning-teachers/language-competency-requirements
- English language waivers are considered by the relevant school/faculty on a case-by-case basis.
- All undergraduate students are recommended to enrol in English as an Additional Language: Effective Academic Writing in their first trimester.
- If you are interested in studying one of our Te Reo Māori programmes please contact international@waikato.ac.nz for further information about available programmes and language requirements.
- For a full list of countries where English is the predominant language as defined by UK ENIC (UK National Information Centre for the recognition and evaluation of international qualifications and skills) and Australian NOOSR (National Office for Overseas Skills Recognition) visit waikato.ac.nz/international/how-to-apply

HIGHER DEGREES BY RESEARCH

The University offers supervised research degrees through the Master of Philosophy (MPhil), Doctor of Philosophy (PhD), the Doctor of Health Science (DHSc), the Doctor of Musical Arts (DMA), and professional doctorate, the Doctor of Education (EdD).

Studying for any one of these degrees provides an exciting opportunity to work under the supervision of a team of research experts. University of Waikato academic staff are internationally connected, well-resourced, and benchmarked against the best in the world. As creators of knowledge, we encourage students to be leaders and innovators and, as a result, we produce research masters and doctorate graduates who contribute and compete at a global level in their chosen fields.



Ma. Roxanne Fernandez
Philippines

PhD – Health, Sport and Human Performance

My research project involves testing the validity and reliability of the Calf Raise App, an app that tracks and quantifies calf muscle performance across a different range of individuals, from youth to elderly and sedentary to high-level athletes. To compare the outcomes of the apps to gold-standard research equipment, I have been fortunate to use the facilities at the University's Adams Centre of High Performance in Tauranga.

I also enjoy being based at the new Tauranga city campus. The dedicated space for postgraduate students, including a kitchen and coffee machine, is convenient when I spend long hours writing my thesis.

During your studies, it is important to be kind to yourself and practise self-care. Tauranga is a beautiful place to live, so I like to take long walks to discover more of its sights. I find walking, reading and practicing yoga is good self-care for me.

MASTER OF PHILOSOPHY (MPHIL)

1 - 1.5 years

The Master of Philosophy is a one-year research-based degree in which candidates undertake a programme of supervised research which critically investigates a topic of substance and significance.

Available within the areas of:

- Arts and Social Sciences
- Computer Science, Mathematics and Statistics
- Education
- Engineering
- Geography, Music, Psychology
- Health, Sport and Human Performance
- Law
- Māori and Pacific Development
- Management
- Science

DOCTOR OF MUSICAL ARTS (DMA)

3 years full-time

The Doctor of Musical Arts at Waikato focuses on both performance and research. You'll be immersed in musical works that have artistic and creative integrity. Your performance of these works will be backed up by a written thesis that sets out your own independent research.

DOCTOR OF HEALTH SCIENCES (DHSC)

3 years full time

The Doctor of Health Science is a doctoral level qualification for health professionals of any discipline who seek to support and extend their professional practice through disciplined research.



Jacob Nepper-Davidsen

Denmark

PhD - Biological Sciences

The reason I chose to study here was the opportunity to work with world leading researchers who make up the algae team, which is part of the Entrepreneurial Universities Macroalgal Biotechnologies Programme.

I'm based at the Coastal Marine Field Station in Tauranga and it is very exciting to be part of a research unit focused specifically on marine biology. I like being surrounded by lots of friendly students and researchers all working on environmental issues regarding the ocean.

*The aim of my research is to create foundations for sustainable seaweed aquaculture in New Zealand. I'm studying genetics and biochemistry of native kelp (*Ecklonia radiata*) which is used for producing fertiliser and food seasoning in New Zealand and the extraction of valuable organic compounds in other countries.*

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY (PHD)

3 years full-time

The degree of Doctor of Philosophy is awarded by the University for research carried out under the supervision of at least two staff members. A PhD can also be presented as a PhD with Publication or a PhD with a Creative Practice Component.

If accepted by the University of Waikato Postgraduate Research Committee for a higher degree, students will be provided with expert supervision in the intended area of research and can be assured that the resources required for that research are available.

SUBJECTS	FEES (NZD)
Arts, Humanities, Social Sciences	\$6,438
Business, Accounting, Management	\$6,570
Computer Science	\$6,836
Education	\$6,438
Engineering, Technology	\$6,836
Fine Arts, Music and Performing Arts	\$6,836
Law	\$6,570
Science	\$6,836
Health Science	\$6,836
Health, Sport and Human Performance	\$6,836
Māori and Indigenous	\$6,438

Note: New international PhD students, studying full time, may be eligible to pay domestic New Zealand annual tuition fees. Fees are subject to annual increases.

DOCTOR OF JURIDICAL SCIENCE (SJD)

3 years full-time

The SJD is a professional degree that provides a structured approach to doctoral work that is designed to achieve mastery of content, acquisition of research skills and the development of attributes appropriate to senior positions in academia, law, and related professions.

DOCTOR OF EDUCATION (EDD)

3 years full-time

Designed specifically for educational professionals, this qualification is a supervised professional research degree designed to provide you with high quality, advanced research skills to extend your leadership credentials and abilities in education.

HIGHER DEGREE APPLICATION PROCESS

The application closing dates for 2023 are 31 January, 31 May and 30 September*. Applications can only be completed online. If this is not possible, please contact the University by emailing doctoralenrolments@waikato.ac.nz

If your application or any required documentation arrives after one of these dates, your application will be considered in the following application round.

RESEARCH EXPERTISE DATABASE

We strongly recommend you search our research expertise database, which holds the research profiles of the University's supervising staff. Here you will see if there is an academic undertaking research in your area of interest. You may wish to contact an academic to discuss possible supervision but it is not required before you submit your application.

waikato.ac.nz/staff-profiles

HOW TO APPLY

Higher degree research applicants apply online through the University online application portal at waikato.ac.nz/enrol

More information on the application process and requirements can be found at waikato.ac.nz/go/phd-application

Please be sure to upload all relevant documentation as assessment cannot commence until this is done. All required documents must be received before the application closing date.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

- Supplementary details — this is where you will provide your personal details, previous qualifications, any funding and scholarship information, the contact details of your academic referees and the name of any Waikato academic you may have been speaking to.
- A Statement of Research Interest
- A sample of your academic writing
- Copies of academic transcripts and certificates
- Copy of passport
- Evidence of English language proficiency
- Scholaro Report for International Qualifications

ACADEMIC REFERENCES

Ensure that your two academic referees submit their letters of recommendation by the application closing date for which you are applying. Academic referees must submit their references directly to references@waikato.ac.nz

OFFER OF PLACE

You will receive email notification of the outcome of your application, and if appropriate, your scholarship application eight weeks after the closing date. An offer of place in the higher degree programme is valid for 12 months.



*Applications must be received by 5.00pm NZDT on 31 January, 31 May and 30 September.

YOUR JOURNEY TO WAIKATO

It's a good idea to start planning for university early. This will allow you to complete all the necessary steps you need to take before arriving at the University of Waikato.

1

Get study advice

You can get advice about your study options and find out more about our programmes by talking to one of our recruitment advisers (email international@waikato.ac.nz) or using an approved University of Waikato recruitment agent in your home country. Visit waikato.ac.nz/study/international/education-agents

2

How to apply

Apply to study at Waikato at waikato.ac.nz/enrol For more information on how to apply see page 23.

3

Check the entry requirements

As an international student you need to meet academic (pages 80-84) and English language entry requirements (pages 85-86) for our programmes. If you do not meet these requirements, refer to our pathway programmes on pages 24-27. Some programmes have a selection process, so it pays to do your research on your desired path of study.

4

Receiving an offer

If your application is successful you will receive an offer to study at Waikato. Your offer will be either a formal offer (not conditional on anything) or a conditional offer. If your offer is conditional you may need to enrol in a pathway programme to meet your entry requirements, or you may need to provide further information to us. You can start your student visa application process with your formal offer.

5

Accept your offer – pay your first year's tuition fees

You can accept your formal offer by logging into your MyWaikato and clicking the 'accept offer' button. Visit waikato.ac.nz/international/how-to-accept-and-pay-fees for more information.

6

Apply for your student visa

You can apply for your student visa before paying the fee. Please visit immigration.govt.nz for more information on student visas. Once you have received your AIP (Approval in Principal) from Immigration New Zealand, you can then pay your first year's fees or the first programme's fee if you are applying for a pathway student visa.

7

Preparing to come to New Zealand

To ensure you arrive in New Zealand with everything you need to complete your enrolment at the University, and to settle into your new home, please visit waikato.ac.nz/study/international/preparing-to-come-to-nz. We will also send you a series of emails about what you need to do.

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Enrolment on campus

To officially enrol at the University, you will need to show your student visa and any other required documentation, including evidence of medical and travel insurances, or purchase the University's insurance policy. Online Students do not need a student visa or insurance, but must still pay the student services levy.

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Arriving in New Zealand

You can arrange to be collected from the airport for free by the University. If you choose to do this, you will be delivered to your accommodation. You can find the arrival form at waikato.ac.nz/international/preparing-to-come-to-nz/arrival-form.

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International orientation

You need to attend a compulsory orientation session for all international students. Visit waikato.ac.nz/events/orientation for dates and schedules.

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