

Future Student Guide




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The Australian National University is on Ngambri and Ngunnawal land.
We acknowledge and celebrate the First Australians on whose traditional lands we meet.



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The Australian National University (ANU) College of Business and Economics (CBE) is committed to a culture of academic excellence.

By engaging with our academic staff, who are leading researchers and teachers in their fields, and through the many opportunities and connections available to you during your time at CBE, you will be equipped to realise your potential.

We welcome the brightest minds from around the world and deliver a positive and supportive student experience.

Our alumni display a depth of character and high calibre that we have come to associate with those who study at and graduate from CBE. They make significant contributions to their professions and societies across the globe.

We invite you to join our community.

ANU key facts



#34 University
in the world¹



#1 most international
university in Australia²



#1 most employable
graduates in Australia³



91% of academic staff hold a
masters or doctoral degree⁴



Six Nobel Prize winners
among our staff and alumni



5 star rating for student
per teaching staff ratio⁴



More than **100** clubs
and societies

¹QS World University Rankings 2024

²Times Higher Education Most International Universities in the World 2023

³Times Higher Education Global University Employability Ranking 2023

⁴The Good Universities Guide 2023/2024

Our alliances

ANU works closely with other organisations to enhance and increase the opportunities available to our students and scholars.



CBE at a glance



Top 3 in Australia
for Business and Economics¹

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9 Undergraduate
programs

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30 Postgraduate
programs

¹Times Higher Education World University Rankings 2024 by subject

Our students



2,761 Undergraduate students

4,599 Postgraduate coursework students

150 Higher Degree Research students

From 2023 ANU student data



Our teaching and research is led by four highly recognised Research Schools.



Research School of Accounting

Research School of Economics

Research School of Management

Research School of Finance, Actuarial Studies and Statistics

Our teaching staff

More than 180 academic experts from countries including Australia, China, India, Germany, Malaysia, Vietnam, United Kingdom, United States, Romania, South Africa, Sri Lanka and beyond.

Our alumni



37,838 CBE alumni

21,113 CBE international alumni

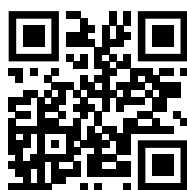
Our alumni come from over **100 countries**

From 2023 ANU alumni data

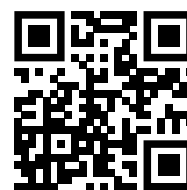
Study options

Our programs cover a wide range of subject areas. Find out more about studying:

- Accounting
- Actuarial Studies
- Business Information Systems
- Commerce
- Corporate Sustainability
- Economics
- Entrepreneurship
- Finance
- International Business
- Management
- Marketing
- Project Management
- Statistics



Undergraduate programs



Postgraduate programs

“ANU professors are some of the best researchers in their fields. The learning in class was based on real workplace scenarios and not just what is in the books, which is critical, as you are learning what you are more likely going to experience in real life.”

— **Abhishek Singh**

Master of Accounting, 2021



Accounting

CBE is one of the leading providers of education in accounting in the world. Our innovative programs provide a rewarding experience for students preparing for professional and research careers.

With a high global demand for accounting qualifications, you can expand your career horizons by studying courses such as: accounting analytics, auditing, business law and tax, business valuation, corporate governance, corporate social responsibility, financial reporting and analysis, and forensic accounting.



Top 50 in the world

(QS World University Rankings by Subject 2023: Accounting and Finance)

Professional accreditation

CPA Australia, Chartered Accountants Australia and New Zealand (CA ANZ), Chartered Institute of Management Accountants (CIMA), and the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants (ACCA).

Study options in Accounting

- Bachelor of Accounting
- Bachelor of Commerce
- Master of Accounting
- Master of Applied Accounting
- Master of Professional Accounting
- Master of Commerce (Advanced)
- Graduate Certificate in Accounting

Career opportunities

By studying accounting, you will be equipped with the skills to critically analyse emerging accounting issues. Examples of job titles associated with accounting include:

- Accountant
- Consultant
- Chief Financial Officer
- Chief Executive Officer
- Company Director
- Finance Manager
- Business Risk Analyst
- Auditor
- Tax Accountant

Actuarial Studies

Through actuarial studies, you can experience stimulating work and excel in your career anywhere in the world.

Graduates apply their mathematical, statistical, financial, economic and other skills to understand, measure and manage difficult and complex problems.

Learn how to untangle the risks around us and become a thought leader in a wide variety of areas.



The majority of our actuarial staff have worked as actuaries in industry and can provide first-hand insights and knowledge to prepare you for your future career in this field.

Professional accreditation

Actuaries Institute (Australia); University-Earned Credit (UEC) program status and a Centre of Actuarial Excellence with the Society of Actuaries (US).

Study options in Actuarial Studies

- Bachelor of Actuarial Studies
- Master of Actuarial Studies
- Master of Actuarial Practice
- Graduate Certificate of Finance and Actuarial Statistics

Career opportunities

Actuaries work in many fields, including insurance, superannuation, data analytics, fund management, investments, education, finance and banking. Examples of the positions associated with actuarial studies include:

- Investment Analyst
- Investment Manager
- Liability Manager
- Consultant
- Data Analyst
- Senior Manager

“The actuarial degree at CBE is well structured and highly suitable for a future career as an actuary. Many lecturers in the faculty are qualified actuaries with years of work experience. The learning materials and assignments they develop for the courses mirror the type of projects I currently work on. I still occasionally refer to my notes from university when I need to refresh my knowledge.”

— Xi Lin

Bachelor of Actuarial Studies (Honours), 2016



Business Administration, Management and Marketing

Through CBE's business administration, management and marketing programs, you can become a responsible and resilient leader with the knowledge and skills needed to make a difference to organisations and society.

Our unique approach to education is informed by relevant, important and impactful research that addresses the challenges of managing in a complex, rapidly-changing world.

We offer programs in various areas of specialisation including:

- business information systems
- digital transformation
- entrepreneurship and innovation
- international business
- management
- marketing
- project management

Professional accreditation

The Master of Project Management is endorsed by the Australian Institute of Project Management (AIPM). Students graduating from this program can obtain the Certified Practising Project Practitioner (CPPP) certificate for a period of three years without additional assessment.

Study options in Business Administration, Management and Marketing

- Bachelor of Business Administration
- Bachelor of Commerce
- Bachelor of International Business
- Master of Management
- Master of International Management
- Master of Marketing Management
- Master of Project Management
- Master of Business Administration (MBA)
- Master of Entrepreneurship and Innovation
- Graduate Certificate of Management

Career opportunities

Gain foundational knowledge to explore a wide range of careers including:

- Director
- Manager
- Entrepreneur
- Project Manager
- Consultant
- Policy Advisor
- Business Administrator
- Marketing Manager
- Brand Manager
- Digital Strategist

"CBE teaches its future leaders critical thinking and problem solving. Through group work and practical case studies, we learnt to question the status quo and think differently. This prepares you to tackle real-world problems from the get-go."

— Sian Moon

Bachelor of Commerce, 2011 and Master of Management, 2014



Business Information Systems

Effective business information systems are a critical tool for all organisations.

Learn how to help companies effectively use important technologies and develop the skills needed to pursue a career in information and communications technology (ICT), information systems and associated industries.

CBE's Business Information Systems undergraduate major and postgraduate program will show you how to evaluate and synthesise evidence to inform decision making, and create opportunities and solutions to organisational challenges.

#56 in the world

(QS World University Rankings by subject 2023: Computer Science and Information Systems)

Professional Accreditation

The Master of Business Information Systems and Bachelor of Commerce (Business Information Systems major and Business Information Systems minor) have professional level accreditation with the Australian Computer Society (ACS).

Study options in Business Information Systems

- Bachelor of Commerce
- Master of Business Information Systems
- Graduate Certificate of Digital Transformation

Career opportunities

Study Business Information Systems to become a:

- Business Analyst
- Technology Consultant
- Business Systems Manager
- Database Administrator
- System Analyst
- ICT Manager
- Systems Specialist
- Digital Information Manager
- Other ICT-related Service Line Consultant

"I was looking for a course that would give me a perfect mixture of IT and Management. I had a plethora of amazing experiences while studying at ANU – a university that is conducive to research and innovation. My academic journey involved intellectually challenging coursework and assignments, along with exciting project work."

— Radha Pillai

Master of Business Information Systems, 2021



Economics

CBE offers world-renowned programs that will equip you to solve economic problems using analytical reasoning and apply economic analysis to a wide variety of issues.

Studying at CBE will prepare you for a thriving job market for economists in a wide range of fields, including public policy, business, management, government, politics, law and finance.



#37 in the world

(QS World University Rankings by subject 2023: Economics and Econometrics)

The Research School of Economics is home to:

- four Fellows of the Academy of Social Sciences in Australia
- two Fellows of the (International) Society for the Advancement of Economic Theory
- one Fellow of the Econometric Society (the pre-eminent society in economics).

Study options in Economics

- Bachelor of Economics
- Bachelor of Commerce
- Bachelor of Finance, Economics and Statistics (Honours)
- Master of Economics
- Master of Applied Economics
- Master of Economic Policy
- Master of Financial Economics
- Graduate Diploma in Economics
- Graduate Certificate in Economics

Career opportunities

Economics provides a strong foundation for careers including:

- Economist
- Market Research Analyst
- Consultant
- Policy Analyst
- Policy Advisor
- Behavioural Economist
- Product and Pricing Analyst

“My time at CBE provided me with rigorous training in economics and exposed me to the fields of behavioural and development economics. The practical skills and knowledge I developed have served me well in every professional opportunity since then, allowing me to apply economic insights to key issues in international development.”

— Amir Jilani

Bachelor of Economics and Bachelor of Commerce (Finance), 2011



Finance

Studying finance at ANU will help you to excel and become a specialist in the global financial marketplace.

Our finance programs examine fundamental principles that are applicable to: valuing financial securities and corporations, utilising derivatives for risk-management purposes, and exploring diversification methods to create investment portfolios.



Top 50 in the world

(QS World University Rankings by subject 2023: Accounting and Finance)

Professional accreditation

Chartered Financial Analyst (CFA) program partner for the Bachelor of Finance (Capital Markets Major) and Master of Finance.

Study options in Finance

- Bachelor of Finance
- Bachelor of Commerce
- Bachelor of Finance, Economics and Statistics (Honours)
- Master of Finance
- Master of Applied Finance
- Master of Financial Economics
- Master of Financial Management
- Master of Financial Management and Law
- Graduate Certificate of Finance and Actuarial Statistics

“Doing my Masters at ANU has benefited my career as an executive leader in the Australian Federal Government in many ways. It taught me how to think critically. Both my lecturer and tutor encouraged me when I proposed a different methodology to the one taught in class. Without critical thinking, I wouldn’t be seen as the champion driving continuous business improvement at work that I am today.”

— Emily Wu

Master of Financial Management, 2011



Career opportunities

As an ANU finance graduate you will be highly sought after by employers in Australia and around the world. Examples of career opportunities include:

- Chief Financial Officer
- Financial Dealer or Broker
- Financial Advisor
- Financial Manager or Analyst or Specialist
- Investment Associate
- Mathematical Analyst
- Data Analyst
- Corporate Treasurer
- Operations Manager



Statistics

CBE's Statistics programs will equip you to deliver crucial insight in increasingly information-driven environments in business, science and government.

Statistics opens the door to understanding our world through the exploration of data and the modelling of uncertainty. The need for statistics is growing rapidly as our ability to collect substantial amounts of data outruns our ability to understand and use the data we collect.

#1 in Australia and #55 in the world

(Times Higher Education World University Rankings 2023: Mathematics and Statistics)

Top rating of 5 for Excellence in Research for Australia

(Australian Research Council ERA National Report 2018-19 – most recent report)

Professional Accreditation

Statistical Society of Australia (Bachelor of Statistics).

Study options in Statistics

- Bachelor of Statistics
- Bachelor of Finance, Economics and Statistics (Honours)
- Master of Statistics
- Master of Statistical Data Analysis
- Graduate Certificate of Finance and Actuarial Statistics

Career opportunities

Examples of statistics-related roles include:

- Statistician
- Data Analyst
- Data Analytics Professional
- Data Scientist
- Consultant
- Market Researcher
- Academic Researcher
- Business Analyst in the finance and banking sectors
- Biostatistician
- Survey Designer
- Analysis Professional

"I always wanted to explore statistics because it's an industry-flexible specialisation that helps find a range of solutions. The CBE courses I studied enhanced my understanding of statistical modelling, and my industry experience through my CBE Internship contextualised that knowledge in a professional setting."

— **Shane Jose**

Master of Statistics, 2021



CBE career advantage



Student employability is a core value and key strategic focus at CBE. We know that employers demand well-rounded graduates, equipped for the job market. Our students can participate in various employability initiatives to build vital skills for the workplace.

CBE Careers and Student Employability services

CBE students and alumni have access to a team of professional career consultants from their first day at CBE and up to three years after graduation. Our team of professional and dedicated staff offer career consultations, facilitate professional-development workshops and career events, and provide assistance with:

- career planning
- job-search strategies
- resume reviews
- job applications
- interview preparation
- LinkedIn profile advice
- networking strategies and opportunities

Internships and work-integrated learning

CBE works with public, private, for-purpose and non-government organisations to offer a range of employability initiatives.

CBE Internships

CBE Internships provide students with an opportunity to gain real-world experience through a workplace project of 120 hours (for 6 units) or 240 hours (for 12 units), approximately 12 or 24 hours per week over 10 weeks.

The internship project has a strong focus on developing students' employability in terms of their teamwork, communication and problem-solving skills. Each intern will be supported by the CBE Careers and Student Employability team, the course convener, tutor, and workplace supervisor from the host organisation.

Virtual Internship Experience (VIE)

The VIE offers students a three-week (50 hours total) placement with organisations across the country – all online.

The allocated internship projects will incorporate tailored and authentic business problems. Working in groups of four to five, students find solutions to these issues while building corporate networks and learning valuable skills that can add to their resume.

“Doing an internship with Suburban Land Agency (SLA), an ACT government agency, was a valuable opportunity for professional development, as well as gaining a deeper understanding of how government agencies operate. I was really interested in the business-transformation project that SLA offered interns, along with the various opportunities to interact and learn from senior management.”

— **Shruti Vellat**

Master of Business Information Systems, 2023



Momentum

Momentum is a professional-development initiative that aims to help students build industry-identified key skills including leadership, communication, critical thinking, problem solving, personal brand, and teamwork. The program offers students the opportunity to engage with industry mentors and attend exclusive networking events and workshops to maximise their work-ready potential, evolve their personal strengths and focus their career goals.

“Momentum teaches the soft skills you don’t learn through university study. These are vital to thriving in the professional workplace, and in my opinion, Momentum is the best opportunity at ANU to learn them. I have obtained skills that will serve me for my entire career, and have built connections in the workforce that would not have been possible without Momentum.”

— **Hayden Borchard, 2023 Momentum Mentee**
Bachelor of Economics and International Relations

Image: ANU College of Business and Economics



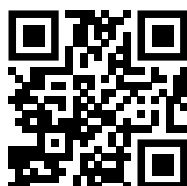
Special Industry Project (SIP)

SIP, a work-integrated learning course, has contributed to solving business cases presented by organisations across Australia. Mimicking the real-world consulting environment, SIP offers participating students a vast range of advantages.

- A credited (6-unit course), practical semester-long industry project.
- The opportunity to work closely with students from a diverse range of disciplines in an innovative environment.
- Mentorship by management consultants from Strategy& – many of whom are CBE and ANU alumni.
- Industry-based training with academic and industry guest speakers specialising in the areas of management consulting, business administration, strategy, tourism, entrepreneurship, and interdisciplinary collaborations.
- Networking and presentation opportunities.

This course is available for **undergraduate** students only.

Find out more



CBE also offers unique discipline-specific opportunities designed to enrich student learning and practical experience.

The ANU Tax Clinic



The ANU Tax Clinic offers unique internship and volunteering opportunities, through which accounting students provide clients with information and guidance under the supervision of experienced tax practitioners.

“I have discovered a genuine passion for this volunteer activity. The field of tax law fascinates me, and I thoroughly enjoy the interactions with both clients and mentors. Each appointment brings a profound sense of accomplishment, and I have gained significant insights from these experiences. As a graduate student majoring in accounting, I firmly believe that participating in the Tax Clinic not only enhances my professional expertise, but also nurtures my ability to collaborate effectively with others.”

— **Luna Zhou**, 2023 ANU Tax Clinic Volunteer, Master of Accounting.

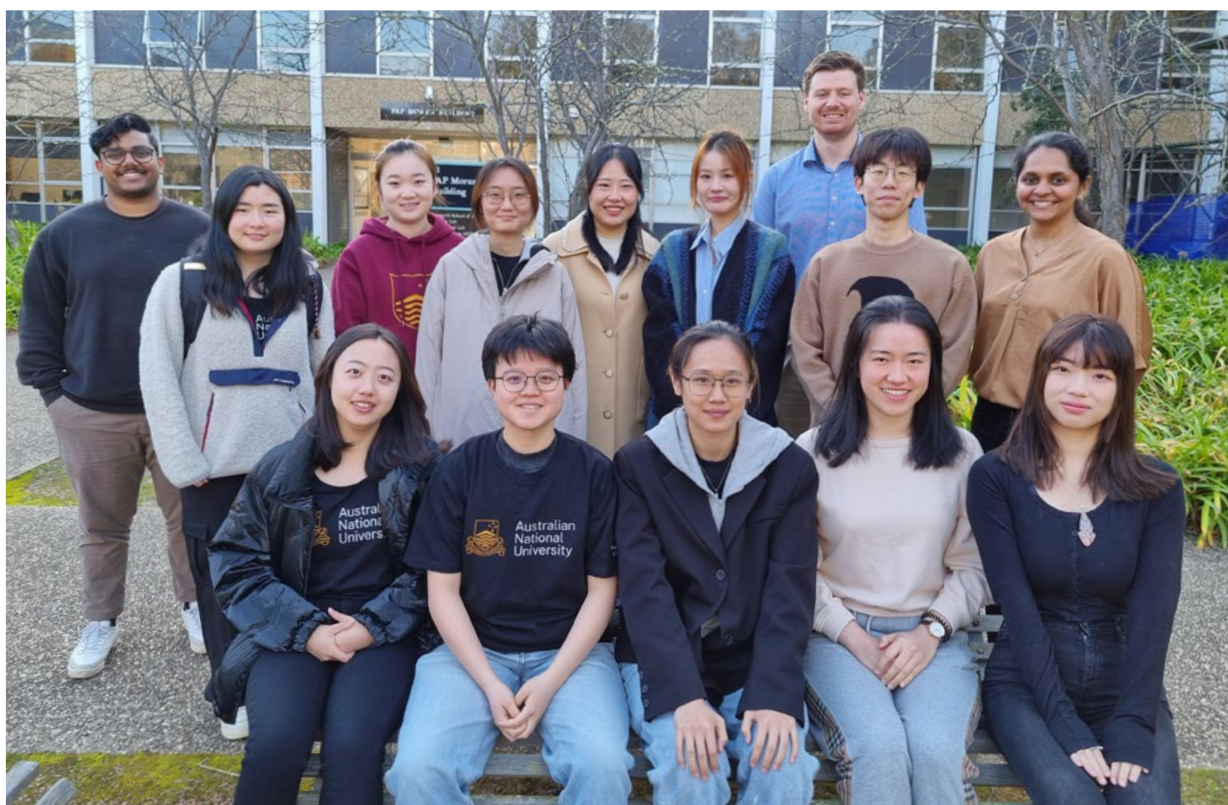


Image: 2023 ANU Tax Clinic Team: ANU College of Business and Economics

ANU International Business Plan Competition

The competition is a work-integrated learning initiative in the Export Business Planning course (Undergraduate) and Global Business Project course (Postgraduate). Participating students work as consultants for Australian small and medium-sized enterprises in teams of four or five. They undertake international market-screening exercises to identify the best and newest foreign market for their client to expand into, and recommend market-entry strategies and business tactics. Prizes are offered for the top-performing teams and the overall winning team receives the ACT Government Office of International Engagement Prize.

ANU Student Managed Fund (SMF)

Students enrolled in the ANU SMF course gain a deep understanding of socially-responsible investing. They receive a hands-on introduction to the investment industry, assume responsibility for the management of over A\$700,000 and fund a scholarship for disadvantaged students.

“While acting as Chief Investment Officer for SMF, I oversaw and monitored the fund’s performance while also providing approval for the investment processes utilised by the sub-teams. This allowed me to contribute significantly to the fund’s success.”

— **Lauren Vanstone**, Bachelor of Commerce (majoring in Finance) and Bachelor of Accounting.



Image: ANU Student Managed Fund cohort, Semester 2, 2023: ANU College of Business and Economics

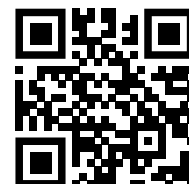
Support services

ANU provides a wide variety of support services and initiatives to assist your wellbeing and enhance your student experience. Here are some of the resources available:



Academic Skills

Develop your academic skills and strategies to meet your study goals with the help of the ANU Academic Skills team. They provide advice and workshops on a range of subjects, including academic and research writing, study-related issues and referencing to help you thrive during your degree.



Accessibility

The Accessibility team provides advice, adjustment recommendations and support to students in the ANU community whose participation in academic studies is impacted by physical and learning disabilities, mental health conditions, chronic medical conditions and short-term illnesses or conditions.



Health and Wellbeing

The ANU Medical Centre operates a health and wellness clinic on campus. They provide access to a comprehensive range of health services that are currently free for ANU students.



SET4ANU

SET4ANU is a free orientation initiative designed to assist new students adapting to life at university. New students who participate in SET4ANU are assigned a senior student who can help you make friends, answer your questions, and share their knowledge and networks to help you settle into your study here at ANU.



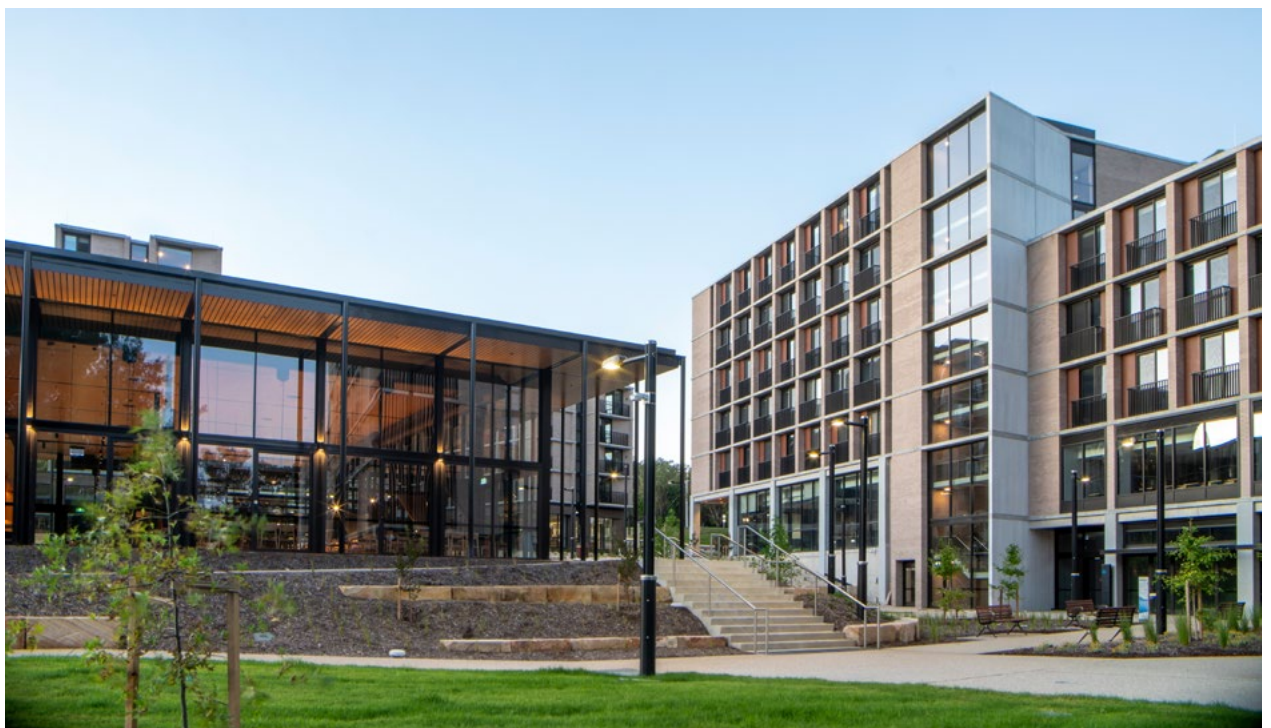


Accommodation

ANU offers a broad range of accommodation choices for students within a diverse and vibrant community.

You can live communally or independently in catered or self-catered accommodation. Whichever your preference, you can rely on a calendar filled with exciting social, cultural, sporting, and academic activities, and a network of support that will make your time at university fun and stimulating, as well as educational.

Find out more



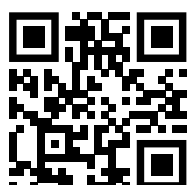


Our campus

The ANU campus provides a modern and comfortable environment for students and world-class researchers. With state-of-the-art lecture theatres and open meeting spaces, it is a welcoming environment to study, research and network.

The Kambri cultural precinct on campus offers an educational, creative and social experience. Here you will find all the conveniences of a small suburb, including cafes, a supermarket, bank, post office, gym and medical centre.

Find out more about Kambri



Explore the CBE Virtual Tour



Canberra – Australia's capital city

Canberra is a young, vibrant city with a global reputation for excellence in education and research. Study in Australia's capital city and you'll be welcomed into a safe and inclusive community.

Home to many national attractions and a unique cultural experience, Canberra is also incredibly easy to get around — it has the shortest commute times of any major Australian city and a newly opened light-rail network.



Most liveable city

Canberra is one of the world's most liveable cities, ranking first for quality of life ahead of Sydney and Melbourne.

2022 Numbeo Quality of Life Index



A safe place

Canberra is considered one of the safest cities in Australia, with one of the lowest crime rates.

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Global community

Canberra is a multicultural city with over 460,000 people, 28 per cent of who are residents born overseas.

The Australian Bureau of Statistics

Find out more



CBE undergraduate programs

Our undergraduate programs cover a wide range of subject areas in business and economics. You have great flexibility in your study options. You can study most of our degrees as part of a combined program with other degrees, either in the College or elsewhere at ANU.

Find out more



Program	Duration	Intake	Prerequisites	Accreditation	Further information (entry requirements, fees and study plans)	CRICOS
COMMERCE						
Bachelor of Commerce with the completion of one of the following majors: Accounting, Business Information Systems, Corporate Sustainability, Economic Studies, Finance, International Business, Management or Marketing	3 years	Feb and July	—	Yes for Accounting major and Business Information Systems major	cbe.anu.edu.au/bcomm	002289F
Bachelor of Accounting	3 years	Feb and July	—	Yes	cbe.anu.edu.au/bacct	079653K
Bachelor of Actuarial Studies	3 years	Feb and July	Mathematics prerequisites	Yes	cbe.anu.edu.au/bacts	028147F
Bachelor of Business Administration	3 years	Feb and July	—	—	cbe.anu.edu.au/bbusa	062745A
Bachelor of Economics	3 years	Feb and July	—	—	cbe.anu.edu.au/becon	002290B
Bachelor of Finance, Economics and Statistics (Honours)	4 years	Feb	Mathematics prerequisites	—	cbe.anu.edu.au/afest	086222G
Bachelor of Finance	3 years	Feb and July	—	Yes	cbe.anu.edu.au/bfinn	039746C
Bachelor of International Business	3 years	Feb	—	—	cbe.anu.edu.au/binbs	047472B
Bachelor of Statistics	3 years	Feb and July	Mathematics prerequisites	Yes	cbe.anu.edu.au/bstat	061240A

Flexible double degrees

Flexible double degrees have increased the range of options for undergraduate students, so you can create a program of study to suit your needs and interests. Satisfy your intellectual curiosity and tailor your studies to prepare for your dream career.

Benefits of a Flexible Double Degree include:

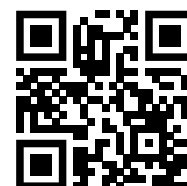
- study two Bachelor degrees at the same time and graduate with two qualifications
- two qualifications mean a clear advantage when applying for jobs
- it takes less time than studying two undergraduate degrees separately
- you'll have the same full-time workload as a student doing just one Bachelor degree.

Combine:

- two degrees in the Arts, Social Sciences, Business or Science*
- a Bachelor of Laws (Honours) with a degree in another field*
- a Bachelor of Engineering or Advanced Computing with a degree in another field.*

* Some exclusions apply.

Find out more



Example study plans

The courses you take will depend on the structure of your degree and any majors, minors or electives you choose to focus on during your studies at ANU.

Single Degree

Three year degree – e.g., Bachelor of Commerce

Year	Semester	Courses			
1	1	BUSN1001 Business Reporting and Analysis*	ECON1101 Microeconomics 1*	STAT1008 Quantitative Research Methods*	Commerce Major
	2	ECON1102 Macroeconomics 1*	MGMT2100 Communication for Business [^]	Elective	Commerce Major
2	1	Commerce Major	Commerce Elective	Elective	Elective
	2	Commerce Major	Commerce Elective	Commerce Elective	Elective
3	1	Commerce Major	Commerce Major	Elective	Elective
	2	Commerce Major	Commerce Major	Elective	Elective

Flexible Double Degree

Four year double degree – e.g., Bachelor of Commerce/Bachelor of Arts

Year	Semester	Courses			
1	1	Commerce Major	ECON1101 Microeconomics 1*	Arts Major	Arts Minor
	2	Commerce Major	STAT1008 Quantitative Research Methods*	Arts Major	Arts Minor
2	1	Commerce Major	BUSN1001 Business Reporting and Analysis*	Arts Major	Arts Minor
	2	Commerce Major	ECON1102 Macroeconomics 1	Arts Major	Arts Minor
3	1	Commerce Major	MGMT2100 Communication for Business [^]	Arts Major	Arts Elective
	2	Commerce Major	Commerce Elective	Arts Major	Arts Elective
4	1	Commerce Major	Commerce Elective	Arts Major	Arts Elective
	2	Commerce Major	Commerce Elective	Arts Major	Arts Elective

Please note that the study plans above are a guide only. It is important to check our website for up-to-date information prior to enrolling.

* These subjects comprise the Business and Economics Essentials minor (compulsory for Bachelor of Commerce and Bachelor of Commerce Flexible Double Degree students).

[^] This subject is compulsory for Bachelor of Commerce students and Bachelor of Commerce Flexible Double Degree students.

Major: An area within a program that allows in-depth study in a particular field, which usually consists of a set number of related courses. Majors at ANU require 48 units to complete.

Minor: A minor has fewer requirements to fulfil than a major, in terms of units and compulsory courses. Minors at ANU require 24 units to complete.

Elective: An optional area of study selected in addition to the core courses of your program. Electives may allow you to delve more deeply into an area of interest, or focus on an alternative area. Many students use electives to complete an additional major or minor.

CBE postgraduate programs

Our postgraduate programs provide options for students wishing to enter a new field of study, and those who want to build on their bachelor studies to further their knowledge to an advanced level and the possibility of PhD study.

Find out more



Program	Duration	Intake	Cognate background	Accreditation	Further information (entry requirements, fees and study plans)	CRICOS
ACCOUNTING						
Graduate Certificate of Accounting	6 months	Feb and July	—	—	cbe.anu.edu.au/gcacc	052700G
Master of Applied Accounting	1 year	Feb and July	Yes	—	cbe.anu.edu.au/mapac	103370F
Master of Professional Accounting	1.5 years	Feb and July	Yes	Yes	cbe.anu.edu.au/mpacc	050799G
Master of Accounting	2 years	Feb and July	—	Yes	cbe.anu.edu.au/macct	050800J
Master of Commerce (Advanced)	2 years	Feb and July	Yes	—	cbe.anu.edu.au/vcomm	093294M
Master of Applied Accounting and Master of Financial Management	2 years	Feb and July	Yes	—	cbe.anu.edu.au/maamfm	111569B
ACTUARIAL STUDIES						
Graduate Certificate of Finance and Actuarial Statistics	6 months	Feb and July	—	—	cbe.anu.edu.au/cfas	082257G
Master of Actuarial Studies	2 years	Feb	Mathematics prerequisites	Yes	cbe.anu.edu.au/macts	050802G
Master of Actuarial Practice	2.5 years	Feb and July	Mathematics prerequisites	Yes	cbe.anu.edu.au/mactp	079658E
BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION, MANAGEMENT AND MARKETING						
Graduate Certificate of Management	6 months	Feb and July	—	—	cbe.anu.edu.au/cmgmt	030000G
Master of Management	1 year	Feb and July	Yes	—	cbe.anu.edu.au/mmgt	107176J
Master of Business Administration**	1 year	Feb only	—	—	cbe.anu.edu.au/mbusa	114606M
Master of Entrepreneurship and Innovation	2 years	Feb and July	—	—	cbe.anu.edu.au/meinv	091185K
Master of International Management	2 years	Feb and July	—	—	cbe.anu.edu.au/mimgt	088059J
Master of Marketing Management	2 years	Feb and July	—	—	cbe.anu.edu.au/mmkmmt	091184M
Master of Project Management	2 years	Feb and July	—	Yes	cbe.anu.edu.au/mprom	082344G
BUSINESS INFORMATION SYSTEMS						
Graduate Certificate of Digital Transformation#	6 months	Feb and July	—	—	cbe.anu.edu.au/cditr	—
Master of Business Information Systems	2 years	Feb and July	—	Yes	cbe.anu.edu.au/mbins	050796M

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ECONOMICS						
Graduate Certificate of Economics	6 months	Feb and July	—	—	cbe.anu.edu.au/cecon	082256G
Graduate Diploma in Economics	1 years	Feb and July	—	—	cbe.anu.edu.au/decon	082263J
Master of Applied Economics	2 years	Feb and July	—	—	cbe.anu.edu.au/mapec	082269C
Master of Economics	2 years	Feb and July	—	—	cbe.anu.edu.au/mecon	082290F
Master of Economic Policy	2 years	Feb and July	—	—	cbe.anu.edu.au/mecpo	082289K
Master of Financial Economics	2 years	Feb	Yes	—	cbe.anu.edu.au/mfiec	086226D
FINANCE						
Graduate Certificate of Finance and Actuarial Statistics	6 months	Feb and July	—	—	cbe.anu.edu.au/cfas	082257G
Master of Financial Management	1 year	Feb and July	Yes	—	cbe.anu.edu.au/mfinm	029316G
Master of Applied Finance	1.5 years	Feb and July	Yes	—	cbe.anu.edu.au/mapfn	079659D
Master of Finance	2 years	Feb and July	—	Yes	cbe.anu.edu.au/mfin	039762C
Master of Financial Economics	2 years	Feb	Yes	—	cbe.anu.edu.au/mfiec	086226D
Master of Financial Management and Law	2 years	Feb and July	—	—	cbe.anu.edu.au/mfiml	103872F
Master of Applied Accounting and Master of Financial Management	2 years	Feb and July	Yes	—	cbe.anu.edu.au/maamfm	111569B
STATISTICS						
Graduate Certificate of Finance and Actuarial Statistics	6 months	Feb and July	—	—	cbe.anu.edu.au/cfac	082257G
Master of Statistical Data Analysis	1 year	Feb and July	Mathematics prerequisites	—	cbe.anu.edu.au/msda	111568C
Master of Statistics	2 years	Feb and July	Mathematics prerequisites	—	cbe.anu.edu.au/mstat	082353G

#For domestic students only.

*Students must have a minimum of five years of documented professional experience in a managerial role(s).

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Master of Philosophy (MPhil), ANU College of Business and Economics	1-2 years	Feb and July	Yes	—	cbe.anu.edu.au/mphil	048350D
Doctor of Philosophy (PhD), ANU College of Business and Economics	2-4 years	Feb and July	Yes	—	cbe.anu.edu.au/phd	048345A

Research areas

- Accounting
- Actuarial Studies
- Business Information Systems
- Economics
- Finance
- International Business
- Management
- Marketing
- Project Management
- Statistics



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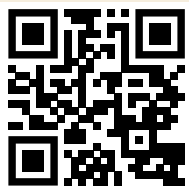
For domestic undergraduate students, direct applications open in March each year. Applying directly to ANU will cover admissions, scholarships and campus accommodation.

For domestic postgraduate students, you can apply to study at ANU through the Universities Admissions Centre (UAC) by the application deadline.

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Undergraduate



Postgraduate

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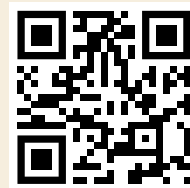
For international undergraduate and postgraduate students, an application deadline applies for each intake.

Semester 1 applications close
on 15 December.

Semester 2 applications close
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