

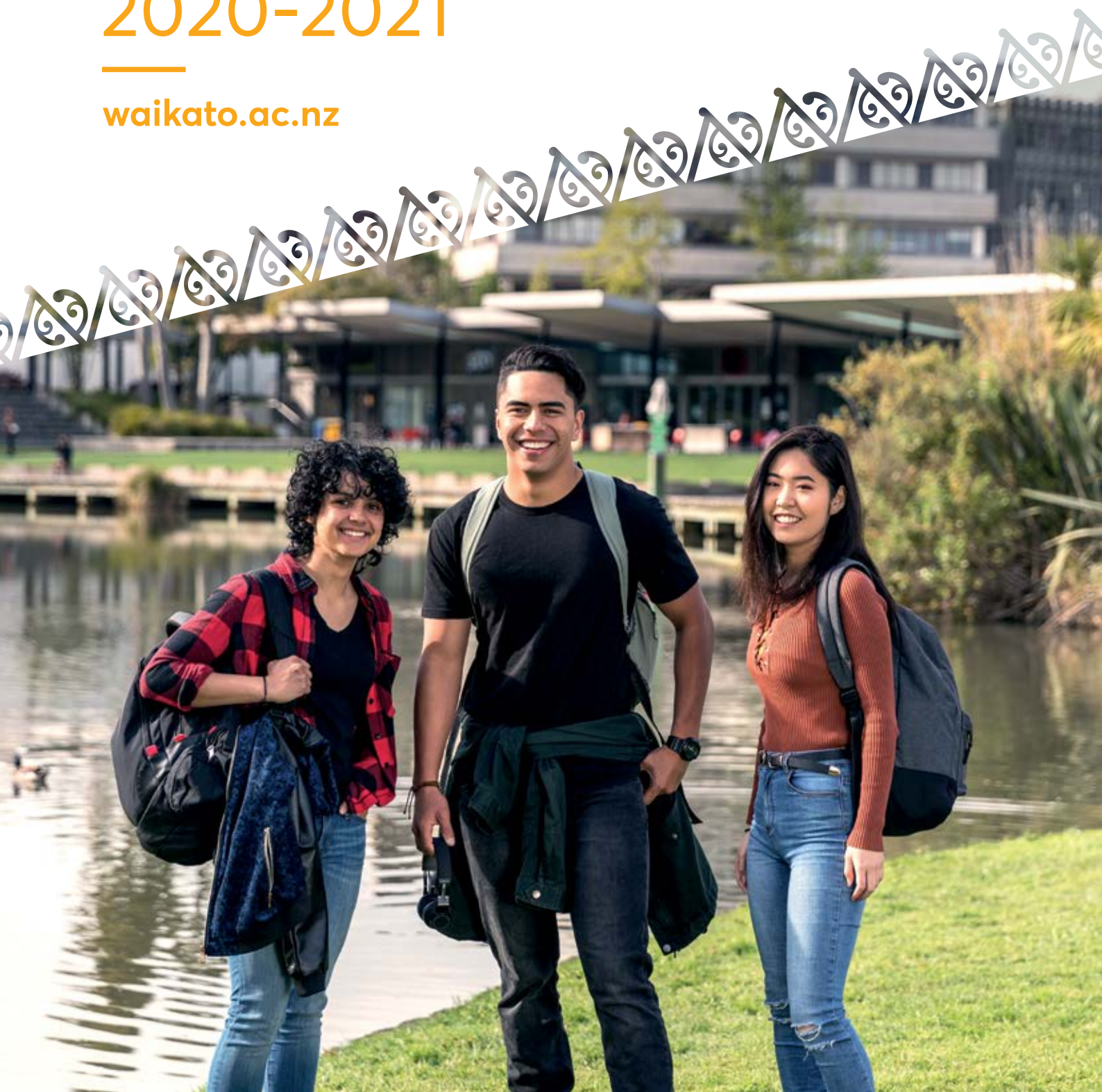


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Waikato River, Hamilton

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# New Zealand – 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://newzealand.com) to learn more.

## Affordable

Living costs in New Zealand compare favourably with many other countries. There is a range of options for travelling around New Zealand; something to suit every budget. For more information on living costs in New Zealand, visit [newzealandnow.govt.nz](https://newzealandnow.govt.nz)





Hobbiton movie set, Matamata

### Diverse

New Zealand is culturally diverse and home to people from all around the world. The culture, language and traditions of the Indigenous Māori 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 skills shortages – start your search on [newzealandnow.govt.nz/work-in-nz](https://newzealandnow.govt.nz/work-in-nz)

### Prosperous

New Zealand has ranked number one in the world in the Legatum Prosperity Index for four of the past ten years – an index that 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](https://prosperity.com/rankings)

### Study to work in New Zealand

If you have completed a qualification in New Zealand, but you do not have a job offer, you may be eligible for a Post Study Work Visa (Open) for a maximum of three years. To learn more about the study to work options and the Skilled Migrant Category, visit [immigration.govt.nz/new-zealand-visas](https://immigration.govt.nz/new-zealand-visas)

### Worldwide Educating for the Future Index – New Zealand takes top spot

New Zealand is ranked third in the 'Worldwide Educating for the Future Index'. The index measures education systems across 35 economies and is published by The Economist Intelligence Unit.

New Zealand ranks third thanks to factors such as university-industry collaboration, its future-focused curriculum framework and high quality of teacher education.



# Why choose Waikato?

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.



Oranga Lake and Village Green, Hamilton Campus



### Triple Crown Accreditation

Waikato Management School is a member of an elite group of business schools worldwide that have earned 'Triple Crown' accreditation from AACSB, AMBA and EQUIS— an international benchmark of excellence in business education. Fewer than 1% of the world's business schools have met the strict standards of all three accreditation bodies.



### World-ranking

We are proud to be ranked among the top universities worldwide according to the 2020 QS World University Rankings. Over the past six years our ranking has improved by an amazing 135 places, placing us 266th in the world this year. Our research is ranked 72nd in the world for quality and impact, tackling issues of national and global importance.



### 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.



- Students from more than 80 nations
- Accessible academic staff who are leaders in their fields
- Study, socialise and live on our all-in-one Hamilton campus
- More than 90% of our students are satisfied with their experience at Waikato (International Student Barometer Survey 2017)
- 11 subjects in the top 300 (QS Subject Rankings 2019) – for individual subject rankings, visit our website

# 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 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 immersed in Indigenous Māori culture, and home to about 155,000 people. Located on the banks of the Waikato River, Hamilton boasts magnificent parks and gardens. Annual events include Balloons over Waikato and the Agricultural Fieldays, drawing crowds from all over New Zealand and beyond.

### Explore and travel

Hamilton and its surrounding areas offer world-class bike trails, surf beaches and award-winning restaurants.

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 skiers, the high-quality slopes of Whakapapa and Turoa on Mount Ruapehu are only a few hours' drive away.

### Strong economy

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

### Living costs

Living costs in Hamilton are significantly lower compared to other cities in New Zealand such as Auckland and Wellington, and Australian cities such as Sydney and Melbourne. 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.

### 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 is New Zealand's fifth largest and fastest growing city. The University of Waikato has been providing tertiary education in Tauranga for more than 20 years.

### Central city campus

The University of Waikato led the Tauranga CBD campus development on behalf of the Bay of Plenty Tertiary Education Partnership. We've built a state-of-the-art campus in the centre of the Tauranga CBD that opened for study early 2019.

Our new campus is part of an educational precinct, connected to other regional tertiary providers, to Tauranga city, and to the communities of the wider Bay of Plenty.

The campus is a multipurpose space where students, researchers, the community and industry can work together in the heart of the fastest growing region in New Zealand.

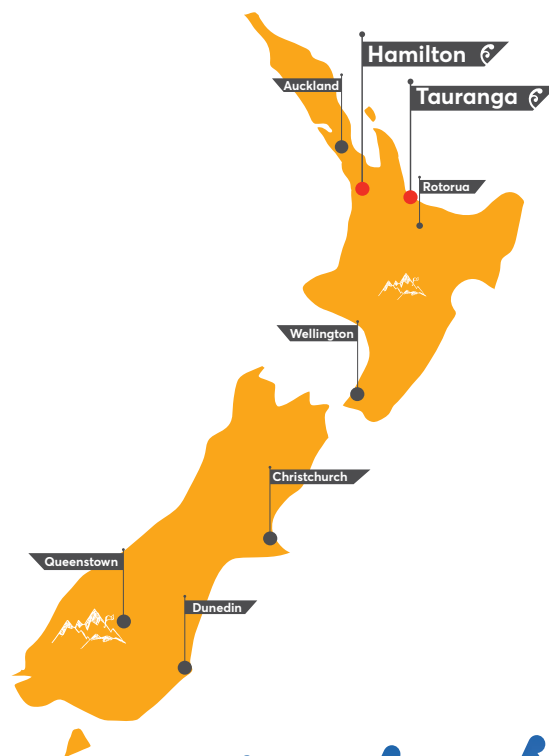
The new Tauranga campus currently has capacity for about 1500 students a year, with further development planned as demand grows. Students have the same access to lectures, course materials and teaching staff as Hamilton-based students.

### Coastal lifestyle

Home to an estimated 125,000 people, the Bay of Plenty region is bustling with cultural, sporting and recreational activities. The cosmopolitan city of Tauranga is well known for its blue skies, warm climate, beautiful beaches, stunning harbour and relaxed lifestyle. Whether you want to swim, surf, dine, shop or explore the captivating culture and history, or relax in the stunning landscape, Tauranga has everything you need.

### Thriving industries

Tauranga boasts the largest port in New Zealand in terms of cargo volume, is home to global export giants including Zespri (kiwifruit) and Comvita (Manuka honey), and is prospering in the Engineering and Robotics sector. The city centre is currently undergoing an exciting \$250 million transformation, including our new campus in the heart of the city.



Mount Maunganui, Tauranga

# Our regions

Explore all that our beautiful country and regions have to offer. With adventures to be had within only a few hours' drive from campus, there is plenty to see and do. Our International Student Services Team organises a range of fun trips throughout the year to some of our key attractions.

## Waitomo glow worm caves

Discover the magic of underground glow worm grottos and caves that light up with thousands of glow worms.

## Hobbiton

Step into the lush pastures of the Shire, the stunning movie set from The Lord of the Rings and The Hobbit trilogies.

## Rotorua

Rotorua is world-renowned for its geothermal activity – watch a geyser erupt and then soak in hot springs or mud pools. Finish the day learning all about Māori culture at one of the numerous local attractions.

## Hamilton Gardens

Nestled along the path of the mighty Waikato river you will discover an enchanting collection of secret gardens. These international award-winning gardens draw inspiration from cultures around the world and will truly transport you to a different time and place.

## Beaches

Almost continuous white sandy beaches stretch down our regions East Coast. While in contrast, the West Coast has a unique black sand beach. Join our student trip and learn how to surf or explore the wonders of Cathedral Cove and Hot Water beach with friends.

## Noho marae

A cultural experience not to be missed. Each trimester, our students are welcomed onto a local marae (Māori meeting grounds), with a pōwhiri (welcome) and an overnight stay in the wharehau (house). Students take part in cultural activities and eat a traditional hāngi during this unique and special experience.

## Tongariro crossing

Often described as New Zealand's best day hike, you'll trek across an unbelievably scenic volcanic alpine landscape.

## Local working farm

If hugging a sheep is on your bucket list, then you'll want to join one of our farm visits, where you'll see a working farm in action and experience and meet welcoming local Kiwis.

## Day hikes

New Zealand is known to have some of the most beautiful and scenic walks in the world. Trek through our expansive native forests in search of our iconic Silver Fern, climb mountain peaks, stumble upon historic goldmines, admire waterfalls and discover hidden beaches.



# Our 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 Student Hub provides access to information and services including learning support and the health nurse. A library service and 24-hour computer lab are available on Level One.

## Gallagher Academy of Performing Arts

The Gallagher Academy of Performing Arts on the Hamilton campus is specifically designed for the study of performing arts and is equipped with a world-class concert chamber and a range of teaching and performance spaces.

## The University of Waikato Adams Centre for High Performance

The Adams Centre in Tauranga is a world-class facility for the nation's best athletes. It contains all the essential elements required to support elite athletes and prepare them for competition on the world stage, as well as cutting-edge research equipment and facilities. A full suite of sports treatment services is also provided within the centre, including physiotherapy, massage and podiatry.

## 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 to develop solutions that enable users to know their data source, and to preserve the privacy and utility of data.

## 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.

## Research institutes

We have seven research institutes that support world-class research in environmental science, demography and economic analysis, business and leadership, professional learning and development, education, cyber security and Māori and Indigenous development.

## Coastal Marine Field Station

The Coastal Marine Field Station in Tauranga is the heart of the Bay of Plenty's thriving marine industry. 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.



# Our faculties and schools

Throughout your studies at the University of Waikato, you will receive support from faculties and schools listed below for your chosen programme of study.

## School of Arts

Our school offers majors with the broadest base of knowledge and greatest transferability and flexibility to adapt to changes in employment. As one of our students you will gain relevant communication, creative, composition analytical, critical, social research, problem solving and performance skills.

### Rankings and accreditations

Subjects in the top 300 QS World University Subject Rankings 2019:

- Communication and Media Studies
- English Language and Literature

Arts and Humanities at Waikato is ranked in the top 250 THE subject rankings 2019.

For more information visit [waikato.ac.nz/fass](http://waikato.ac.nz/fass)

## School of Computing and Mathematical Sciences

Our school has a strong history in New Zealand within computer science as a leader in this field and our research is well-regarded globally. Our qualifications are relevant and up to date in what is a rapidly changing technological and social environment.

For more information visit [cms.waikato.ac.nz](http://cms.waikato.ac.nz)

## School of Education

As New Zealand's leading School of Education we are committed to enhancing education through the three interconnected disciplines of teaching, research and professional learning. We educate students to become successful graduates in areas such as teaching, education, Māori education, leadership, human development and counsellor education.

### Rankings and accreditations

Education is ranked in the top 150 QS World University Subject Rankings 2019.

For more information visit [education.waikato.ac.nz](http://education.waikato.ac.nz)

## School of Engineering

Study with some of the world's leading engineering researchers and practitioners, supported by specialised labs and exciting projects and work placement opportunities. Equipping students with the skills to learn independently and think critically to develop innovative solutions.

For more information visit [eng.waikato.ac.nz](http://eng.waikato.ac.nz)

## School of Health

Our school has a strong international reputation for collaborative, innovative and integrated research. Our partnerships allow students to get a taste of industry careers from high performance sport (Waikato Chiefs, BOP Magic and Cycling NZ) to community organisations (Sport Waikato, Parafed and Disabilities Waikato).

### Rankings and accreditations

Our Sport's-related subjects are ranked in the top 200 QS World University Subject Rankings 2019.

For more information visit [waikato.ac.nz/hshp](http://waikato.ac.nz/hshp)

## Faculty of Law

The founding principles of the Faculty of Law are professionalism, biculturalism and the study of law in context. Learn from a school that is student-focused with practical legal education offered at undergraduate and Postgraduate level.

For more information visit [waikato.ac.nz/law](http://waikato.ac.nz/law)



## Faculty of Māori and Indigenous Studies

Our faculty represents innovation and tradition in teaching and research, and provides national and international leadership in Māori, Pacific and Indigenous issues. We aim to arm students with knowledge to advance Indigenous peoples through our teachings, research and expertise.

### Rankings and accreditations

Development Studies is ranked in the top 200 QS World University Subject Rankings 2019.

For more information visit [waikato.ac.nz/fmis](http://waikato.ac.nz/fmis)

## School of Psychology

The School of Psychology at Waikato is recognised as the home of Applied Psychology in New Zealand. That means we use psychology to solve real-world problems and improve the wellbeing of all New Zealanders.

For more information visit [waikato.ac.nz/fass](http://waikato.ac.nz/fass)

## School of Science

Home to world-class research excellence and some of the most advanced laboratory equipment available. Offering flexible, innovative programmes that produce multi-skilled, adaptable graduates ready to make a difference.

For more information visit [sci.waikato.ac.nz](http://sci.waikato.ac.nz)

## School of Social Sciences

Join a school whose research-led teaching stands at the intersection of key global and local debates around post-colonialism and indigeneity, growth and sustainability, social justice, emergent identities and institutions.

### Rankings and accreditations

Subjects in the top 300 QS World University Subject Rankings 2019:

- Geography
- Sociology

Social Sciences at Waikato is ranked in the top 300 THE subject rankings 2019.

For more information visit [waikato.ac.nz/fass](http://waikato.ac.nz/fass)

## Waikato Management School

This world-class business school is respected internationally for high-quality teaching, practical student experiences and industry-relevant research.

The school is located in one of New Zealand's most dynamic, export-led regions. There is no better place to study international business, entrepreneurship, and how to build innovative, high-performing organisations. Management School academics are business consultants and active researchers with international connections. Students are exposed to the latest business insights and take part in real-world business challenges.

### Rankings and accreditations

Waikato Management School is ranked in the world's top 1% of business schools, having achieved the coveted Triple Crown Accreditation from three of the world's most prestigious accreditation bodies: EQUIS, AMBA and AACSB. This is an international benchmark of excellence in business education.

### Subjects in the top 300 QS World University Subject Rankings 2019:

- Accounting and Finance
- Business and Management Studies
- Economics (number 1 ranked department in New Zealand)
- Tourism and Hospitality Management
- Communication and Media Studies

### Subjects in the Shanghai Global Ranking of Academic Subjects 2019:

- 23rd - Hospitality and Management (1st in New Zealand)
- Top 200 - Communication (2nd in New Zealand)

Business and Economics at Waikato is ranked in the top 300 THE subject rankings 2019.

Waikato's Public Relations programme is one of only 10 taught at a university outside the United States that is certified by the Public Relations Society of America (PRSA); the gold standard of global excellence in public relations education.

For more information visit [management.ac.nz](http://management.ac.nz)

# Student life

At Waikato, we want you to be an active member of our student community, made up of a diverse group of people with different cultures, ethnicities and ideas. With our range of clubs, social events and our inclusive approach, you will be well equipped to explore your interests, experience life-changing moments and make life-long friends.

## Join a club

Students at Waikato 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.

## 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.

## 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 only), 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.

## Social sport

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).



## The Wellbeing Hub

This is a dedicated space on our Hamilton campus for all students where you can chill, 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](https://waikato.ac.nz/students/wellbeing-hub)

## 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 win the annual Melbourne Esports Open. For more information visit [waikato.ac.nz/sport/esports](https://waikato.ac.nz/sport/esports)

## Facilities on campus

- Accommodation
- Bank and cash machines\*
- Cafés
- 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
- The Wellbeing Hub\* and chill out zones
- 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.*





“ I didn't know what to expect from Hamilton before arriving at the University of Waikato, but since arriving I've had the time of my life discovering all the campus has to offer. I particularly love the beautiful trees and lakes I walk by every day on the way to my classes.

Another highlight is the sense of community. I've been involved in volunteering for the Waikato Students' Union (WSU), where I've met all sorts of people from across the campus. These memories make me feel like I belong at Waikato and I'm extremely happy here. ”

– **Lisa Adrien, Netherlands**  
Bachelor of Social Sciences  
(Sociology and Human Development)



# Student support

Our students tell us we are one of the friendliest and most supportive universities in New Zealand. Our dedicated team provides 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 renewals
- Medical and travel insurance
- Domestic and international government scholarships
- Study abroad and exchange support
- International student events
- Buddy programme (Hamilton students only).

For more information visit  
[waikato.ac.nz/go/international-support](https://waikato.ac.nz/go/international-support)

## Academic support

The tutors at 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](https://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](https://waikato.ac.nz/students/careers)

## 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](https://waikato.ac.nz/students/accessibility-services)

## 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 and log in to any computer on campus.



## Employability Plus Programme

The Employability Plus Programme gives University of Waikato students the opportunity to gain work-ready skills through volunteer activity, university participation, and attending workshops. For more information visit [waikato.ac.nz/go/epp](https://waikato.ac.nz/go/epp)

## Health and wellbeing

Waikato's team of doctors, nurses and counsellors are 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/student-life/student-services](https://waikato.ac.nz/student-life/student-services)

At our Tauranga campus we have a health nurse located on Level 1 who can provide a range of health services. Counselling and General Practice (GP) services are available near to the campus.

## 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 OWeek 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](https://wsu.org.nz)

*Please note our on-campus support services can differ between our Tauranga and Hamilton campus.*

# Living costs

## Basic weekly expenses

<b>Halls of Residence or university apartment accommodation</b>		Self-catered NZ\$170-225 Fully-catered NZ\$322-365
<b>Food</b>	Food is included in fully catered accommodation cost.	NZ\$50-100
<b>Internet</b>	Free access in bedrooms and/or throughout your building.	Included
<b>Mobile phone</b>	This will vary depending on whether you use prepay or contract and how much you use your phone.	NZ\$7.50
<b>Transport</b>	This will vary depending on your transport choice. This cost is based upon owning a private vehicle.	NZ\$40.00
<b>Entertainment</b>	This will vary depending on what you decide to do for entertainment.	NZ\$50.00
<b>Total weekly cost</b>		<b>NZ\$367.50 - \$462.50</b>

## Annual or one-off costs

<b>Halls of Residence deposit (Hamilton only)</b>	Includes \$150 non-refundable administration fee and \$100 non-refundable activity fee.	NZ\$650.00
<b>Student Services Levy</b>	This is based upon a levy for full-time study.	NZ\$750.00
<b>Textbooks, course readings and printing</b>	This will vary depending on your programme of study and how much printing you do.	NZ\$1,000.00
<b>University internet</b>		Included
<b>Parking</b>	Based on a one-year Halls of Residence permit (Licence to hunt).	NZ\$120.00
<b>Clothes and toiletries</b>	This will vary depending on the type of clothing and toiletries you purchase.	NZ\$800.00
<b>Total annual cost</b>		<b>NZ\$3,270.00</b>

## Other costs

<b>Airline tickets</b>	This will vary depending on what country you are departing from.	NZ\$2,000.00 (on average)
<b>Medical and travel insurance</b>	Based on 12 months cover from our recommended service provider, StudentSafe University.	NZ\$620.00
<b>Visa</b>	This will vary depending on your country of citizenship and visa type.	NZ\$310.00
<b>Total other cost</b>		<b>NZ\$2,930.00</b>



**BUS FARE**  
**\$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: \$9.20 A WEEK  
(STUDENT PREMIUM MEMBERSHIP)**

For information for families and budgeting, visit [waikato.ac.nz/study/costs/cost-of-living](https://waikato.ac.nz/study/costs/cost-of-living)



# 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.

## University student accommodation

	Fully catered per week cost	Self catered per week cost	Deposit	Administration fee	Activity fee	On campus	Facilities provided
Bleakley Place Apartments (Hamilton)	N/A	NZ\$215-225	NZ\$400	NZ\$150	NZ\$100	No	Free WiFi and a reasonable amount of power. Part of the Bryant Hall community.
Bryant Hall (Hamilton)	NZ\$322	NZ\$170	NZ\$400	NZ\$150	NZ\$100	Yes	Free WiFi, recreation room, disability access, bike and motorbike shed.
College Hall (Hamilton)	NZ\$365	NZ\$185	NZ\$400	NZ\$150	NZ\$100	Yes	Free WiFi, library, TV rooms, leisure centre, bike and motorbike shed.
Mayfair Court (Tauranga)	N/A	NZ\$220	NZ\$400	NZ\$150	NZ\$50	No	(includes water, internet, a reasonable amount of power & weekly cleaning of communal areas)
Orchard Park (Hamilton)	N/A	NZ\$170	NZ\$400	NZ\$150	NZ\$100	Yes	Free WiFi, recreation room, disability access, bike and motorbike shed.
Orchard Park Studios* (Hamilton)	N/A	NZ\$225 (with ensuite) NZ\$210 (no ensuite)	NZ\$400	NZ\$150	NZ\$100	Yes	Free WiFi, recreation room, disability access, bike and motorbike shed.
Silverdale Apartments (Hamilton)**	N/A	NZ\$225	NZ\$400	NZ\$150	NZ\$100	Yes	Each studio has its own fully-equipped kitchen, living/study space, bathroom and double bed. Shared laundry and recreation room.
Student Village (Hamilton)	NZ\$322	NZ\$185	NZ\$400	NZ\$150	NZ\$100	Yes	Free WiFi, recreation room, disability access, bike and motorbike shed.

\*Postgraduate students only

\*\*Brand new purpose built apartments, due to be completed for A Trimester 2020.

All fees quoted in this publication are 2019 fees and subject to change. For more details on accommodation costs, please visit [waikato.ac.nz/study/costs/accommodation](http://waikato.ac.nz/study/costs/accommodation)



### 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. Students can either choose to bring their own linen (king single) or purchase a linen pack for \$105.00 (includes duvet inner, pillow, sheet set, duvet cover set and towels).

### Self-catered accommodation

This style of accommodation is suitable for all students. Accommodation is shared with other students (each have their own bedroom). Cooking and cleaning is shared between the group. For more information on accommodation and to apply, visit [waikato.ac.nz/go/accommodation](http://waikato.ac.nz/go/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 on a bus route to the campus. The cost of homestay accommodation is NZ\$266 a week, inclusive of food, power and laundry, but does not include telephone, internet and transport costs. A non-refundable application fee of NZ\$330 and the first four weeks of homestay fees (NZ\$1,064) must be paid before a homestay placement can be made.

### Flatting

Many students choose to share accommodation with others in a private house located off campus - this is known as 'flatting'. The approximate cost of flatting per week for each person (based on recent figures with 2-4 flatmates) is between NZ\$100- \$200 for a room, plus food and utilities. Prior to arrival in New Zealand it is possible to search online for flats or available rooms. We recommend you arrive 1-2 weeks before trimester starts in order to find suitable accommodation.

### Renting

You can rent a house in a nearby residential suburb for you and your family for approximately NZ\$350-\$500 a 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](http://studentflat.co.nz) or [trademe.co.nz/property](http://trademe.co.nz/property)



Mayfair Court, Tauranga



# International scholarships and bursaries

## University of Waikato International Excellence Scholarships

This scholarship is awarded to students who can demonstrate academic excellence. The University of Waikato International Excellence Scholarship contributes up to NZ\$10,000 towards tuition fees for international students undertaking undergraduate or Postgraduate-taught studies. The scholarship is available to students from selected countries only and to international students who successfully complete year 13 at a New Zealand high school the year prior to their studies at Waikato.

Up to  
NZ\$10,000

## University of Waikato Doctoral Scholarships

University of Waikato Doctoral Scholarships are open to high-achieving full-time international doctoral candidates. Successful candidates will receive up to NZ\$22,000 a year, payable in monthly instalments, and the domestic tuition fees for enrolment in doctoral studies during the term of the scholarship. Applications are considered three times a year, and students submit applications as part of their application for doctoral enrolment. Students must submit a completed Application to Enrol by the specific deadline in order to be considered.

Up to  
NZ\$66,000  
+ domestic  
tuition fees

## High Achievement Bursary

The High Achievement Bursary for International Students aims to encourage talented international students at the University of Waikato. The Bursary is open to all international students, enrolling in a full-time undergraduate programme who achieve a B+ grade average over their first 120 points. The Bursary is valued at NZ\$5000 and will be deducted from the full international student fees for the second year of undergraduate study.

Up to  
NZ\$5,000

## University of Waikato Research Masters Scholarship

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

Up to  
NZ\$15,000

For more information about scholarships and bursaries visit [waikato.ac.nz/study/international/scholarships](http://waikato.ac.nz/study/international/scholarships)

## External scholarships

### New Zealand Scholarships and New Zealand Commonwealth Scholarships

The New Zealand Government provides scholarships for people from developing countries and 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 [mfat.govt.nz/aid-and-development/new-zealand-government-scholarships](http://mfat.govt.nz/aid-and-development/new-zealand-government-scholarships)

### New Zealand International Doctoral Research Scholarships (NZIDRS)

Funded by the New Zealand Government and administered by Education New Zealand, the scholarships provide financial support for international students undertaking doctoral degrees by research in New Zealand universities. Scholarships are awarded for three years of full-time study for a doctoral research degree.

“ The University of Waikato has been the perfect place to develop my doctoral research. The political, social and economic structure of New Zealand makes it the ideal country for a researcher, and I love the beautiful nature and lively society. Coming from a busy city, I've really enjoyed Hamilton's laid-back lifestyle.

Completing my doctoral scholarship in New Zealand has provided many opportunities to develop my academic profile, such as guest lecturing a philosophy class. The atmosphere in the philosophy department is great – the staff are friendly and the academic environment is stimulating.

– **Lorenzo Buscicchi – Italy**  
Waikato Doctoral Scholarship recipient

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# Internships and industry experience

At Waikato we encourage our students to gain work experience while studying. Internships and industry placements 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 have staff across the University dedicated to finding work placements for students, and we offer a wide range of papers at undergraduate and Postgraduate level that have internship and industry experience components. The University of Waikato has close links with many businesses and organisations that are willing 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.

## Employability Plus Programme

The Employability Plus Programme (EPP) is an initiative that gives University of Waikato students the opportunity to gain work-ready skills through volunteer activity.

The three components of EPP are personal development, community volunteering, and university participation. Students are recognised for the extra work they do on a transcript supplementary to their academic one.

EPP is an optional programme designed to help students stand out when job hunting by gaining the practical skills and experience sought by prospective employers. For more information visit

[waikato.ac.nz/go/epp](http://waikato.ac.nz/go/epp)

## Case studies

Many of our programmes require students to develop a case study on a particular business issue on behalf of a local organisation. Students get the opportunity to learn first-hand how an organisation functions, work on a particular campaign, run an event, or develop a strategy.

## Co-operative Education Unit (Division of Health, Engineering, Computing and Sciences)

The Co-operative Education Unit in the Division of Health, Engineering, Computing and Sciences places between 350 to 400 students on industry placements every year for those enrolled in Bachelor of Science (Technology) (BSc(Tech)) and Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (BE(Hons)) degrees. A three-month work experience placement is a component of the BSc(Tech), 800 hours are required for the BE(Hons), and the MSc(Tech) has a six-month work placement component, based around a project that is then presented as a thesis.

Students are sometimes paid while completing their placements. Staff in the Unit support students during their placements to ensure they are fulfilling their degree requirements. Students are frequently offered permanent jobs following their work placements.



“ The University's practical internship paper allowed me to earn credits while gaining experience at YMCA Auckland. The internship gave me a glimpse of New Zealand's work environment, exercised my accounting skills and taught me to work in a team.

After I graduated, accounting firm CooperAitken offered me a full-time job as an accountant. I have gained new skills through my involvement with Waikato Management School Students' Association, International Students' Association and the MYOB IT Challenge national final.

The University of Waikato has been a great place for me to gain practical experience through internships, clubs and workshops.

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– Mohammad Shafiullah - Bangladesh  
Practical Internship  
Master of Professional Accounting





# Study abroad

If you are an international student studying at another university, consider studying at Waikato for one or two trimesters as a "study abroad" student.

You will be part of a vibrant community of students from all over the world who join our University for a trimester or year. You will have the opportunity to participate in student clubs, live with local students, and explore our beautiful country, all while receiving a world-class University of Waikato education.

You may select papers (courses) from across the University. Almost all papers are open to study abroad students, making it easy to get the credits you need. Study abroad students often complement papers within their discipline with unique papers focusing on New Zealand and Māori culture.

## 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.

To apply as a study abroad student, you must:

- Have a minimum B grade average (equivalents vary by country)
- Meet English proficiency requirements
- Have completed at least two trimesters 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, ancillary charges, and official transcript. The study abroad fee excludes insurance, accommodation, text books and field trips.

For more information please visit  
[waikato.ac.nz/go/studyabroad](http://waikato.ac.nz/go/studyabroad)



# How to apply

## Application process

1

### Choose your preferred degree

For advice on your degree selection, email [international@waikato.ac.nz](mailto:international@waikato.ac.nz)

2

### Check that you meet the academic and English language requirements (pages 24, 28, 30 and 31).

If you aren't eligible, we may be able to provide you with an offer for a pathway programme.

3

### Apply online at [waikato.ac.nz/study/international/how-to-apply](http://waikato.ac.nz/study/international/how-to-apply)

Or through one of the University's authorised overseas representatives. A full list is available at [waikato.ac.nz/study/international/education-agents](http://waikato.ac.nz/study/international/education-agents)

4

### Complete all sections of the online application form.

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### Complete any additional application requirements

Research degree applicants (PhD, MPhil, DMA, EdD, SJD) are required to complete a supplementary form, which can be found in the online application portal.

Teacher Education applicants are required to complete the Teacher Education Supplementary form.

Bachelor of Design applicants may be asked to submit a portfolio of work.

## Recommended dates for applications

- February Intake 2020: apply by 1 December 2019
- July Intake 2020: apply by 1 May 2020
- November Intake 2020: apply by 1 September 2020

We recommend you submit your application before these dates, in order to have sufficient time to secure flights, accommodation and a student visa.

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

**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. Information on the PhD application process can be found on page 76.





# Academic entry requirements

## Undergraduate

Students who satisfy the entry requirements will receive an offer of place. Entry requirements can be found at [waikato.ac.nz/study/enrolment/undergraduate-international](http://waikato.ac.nz/study/enrolment/undergraduate-international)

### Entrance guidelines for students from selected countries

New Zealand	See NCEA University Entrance criteria at <a href="http://waikato.ac.nz/study/enrolment/undergraduate">waikato.ac.nz/study/enrolment/undergraduate</a>
University of Waikato Foundation Studies (Certificate in Foundation Studies – CAFS)	<p>Amendment required: The Certificate of Attainment in Foundation Studies – no less than a C- grade in any subject plus a B- grade or better in two English subjects.</p> <p>Entry to the Bachelor of Engineering (Hons) requires an overall B- grade average, plus a B- grade or better in two English subjects and depending on the area chosen:</p> <p><b>Civil, Electronic, Mechanical</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• a B- grade in Bridging Physics and</li> <li>• a B- grade in Bridging Calculus and</li> <li>• at least a C- grade in every other subject.</li> </ul> <p><b>Chemical and Biological, Environmental, Materials and Process</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• a B- grade in Bridging Chemistry</li> <li>• a B- grade in Bridging Physics and</li> <li>• a B- grade in Bridging Calculus and</li> <li>• at least a C- grade in every other subject.</li> </ul> <p><b>Software Engineering</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• a B- grade in Bridging Calculus and</li> <li>• at least a C- grade in every other paper.</li> </ul> <p>Entry to the Bachelor of Laws requires at least a B- average and a B- in two English subjects.</p>
New Zealand foundation programmes	Successful completion of any of the foundation certificates offered by a New Zealand university.
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.</p> <p>The University accepts applicants from a number of foundation programmes offered in New Zealand, Australia, the UK and elsewhere.</p> <p>Please contact the University to find out if your programme is accepted for entry to Waikato.</p>
Advanced Placement International Diploma	Grades of 3 or higher in each of at least four subjects in the Advanced Placement International Diploma (APID).
International examinations taken in New Zealand (Cambridge International and Advanced International Certificate of Education)	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 <a href="http://waikato.ac.nz/study/enrolment/undergraduate">waikato.ac.nz/study/enrolment/undergraduate</a>

<b>GCE Advanced levels (outside UK)</b>	Applicants must achieve a minimum of 6 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.
<b>International Baccalaureate (taken in NZ or overseas)</b>	Completed International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma with a minimum of 24 points.
<b>Australia</b>	Australian Tertiary Admission Rank (ATAR) of 70 or QLD OP of 14 score.  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).
<b>Bangladesh</b>	Successful completion of one year of study at a recognised institution of university standing.
<b>Brazil</b>	Successful completion of one year of study at a recognised institution of university standing.
<b>Canada</b>	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
<b>Chile</b>	Successful completion of one year of study at a recognised institution of university standing.
<b>China</b>	Completion of Gaokao with Tier One score (Science stream) in the province where the exam was taken. Students from both the Liberal Arts and Science streams who achieve a score above the Tier one Science cut-off point will be accepted for direct entry.  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.
<b>Colombia</b>	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.
<b>Fiji</b>	Fiji Form 7 – an aggregate over 4 subjects of 250 marks out of 400 with a minimum of 50 in English.  University of the South Pacific (USP) Foundation Year in either Science or Social Science with a grade average of B or higher and no grade lower than C in the 8 required courses.
<b>France</b>	Successful completion of Diplôme du Baccalauréat.
<b>Germany</b>	Successful completion of Abitur or Zeugnis der Allgemeinen Hochschulreife.
<b>Ghana</b>	West African GCE Advanced Level examinations with at least three C grades. All passes must be gained in the same sitting.
<b>Hong Kong</b>	Hong Kong Diploma of Secondary Education (HKDSE) with at least three subjects achieved at Level 4 or better including English Language and two elective subjects.
<b>India</b>	Achieve an overall average of 75% in the Indian School Certificate (ISC), or the All-India Senior School Certificate (AISSC), with a minimum of 70% in English, or: An overall average of 80% in Senior School Certificate awarded from one of the following three Indian State Board year 12 qualifications: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tamil Nadu Higher Secondary Certificate (HSC)</li> <li>• Maharashtra State Board of Secondary and Higher Secondary Education Higher (Secondary) School Certificate</li> <li>• Karnataka Pre-University Certificate, with Minimum of 75% in English.</li> </ul>



<b>Indonesia</b>	<p>An overall average of 8.5/80% or more in SMA; or</p> <p>Successful completion of one year of study at a recognised institution of university standing; or</p> <p>Successful completion of a Diploma II from a recognised tertiary institution.</p>
<b>Japan</b>	<p>Completion of a high school diploma with a B average; or</p> <p>One year of successful study at a Japanese university; or</p> <p>Completion of a Junior College Diploma of two or three years' duration.</p>
<b>Korea</b>	National College Scholastic Aptitude Test (CSAT) with a minimum score of 250.
<b>Kuwait</b>	Successful completion of General Secondary Education Certificate with an overall average of 80% (calculated on academic subjects only).
<b>Malaysia</b>	<p>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</p> <p>Unified Examination Certificate (UEC) with a maximum of 18 points over 6 academic subjects.</p>
<b>Nigeria</b>	West African GCE A Level with at least 3 C grades. All passes must be obtained in the same sitting.
<b>Norway</b>	Successful completion of the Vitnemal fra den Videregaende Skole (Certificate of Upper Secondary Education).
<b>Oman</b>	Successful completion of one year of study at a recognised institution of university standing.
<b>Pakistan</b>	Successful completion of one year of study at a recognised institution of university standing.
<b>Saudi Arabia</b>	<p>Successful completion of a diploma at a recognised College of Technology; or</p> <p>One year of successful study at bachelors level, at a recognised institution of university standing.</p>
<b>Singapore</b>	A minimum of 6 points obtained from three H2 Level subjects with at least one grade of C. Points calculated as follows: A = 5, B = 4, C = 3, D = 2, E = 1.
<b>South Africa</b>	Successful completion of the National Senior Certificate with confirmation of eligibility to enrol in a bachelors degree at a South African university.
<b>South Pacific countries (not individually listed)</b>	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.
<b>Sri Lanka</b>	<p>Sri Lankan General Certificate of Education Advanced Levels with at least three C grades achieved OR</p> <p>At least one year of successful tertiary level study at a recognised University or Institution.</p>
<b>Taiwan</b>	<p>One year of university study; or</p> <p>Senior high school and a two-year Junior College Diploma; or</p> <p>Junior high school and a five-year Junior College Diploma.</p>
<b>Thailand</b>	<p>Successful completion of a recognised foundation studies programme; or</p> <p>One year of successful study at a recognised institution of university standing.</p>

<b>Tonga</b>	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.
<b>UAE</b>	Successful completion of a Higher Diploma from a recognised Higher College of Technology; or  One year of successful study at bachelors level at a recognised institution of university standing.
<b>United Kingdom (GCE)</b>	A minimum of 6 points obtained for three A level subjects with at least one grade of C. Points calculated as follows: A=5, B=4, C=3, D=2, E=1.
<b>USA</b>	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.
<b>Vietnam</b>	Certificate of Secondary School Graduation (Bang Tot Ngiep Trung hoc Pho thong) with 8 out of 10.

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.office@waikato.ac.nz](mailto:international.office@waikato.ac.nz)





# Academic entry requirements

## Postgraduate

### Coursework (taught) degrees

Degree type	Definition	Entry requirement
<b>Masters</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>by dissertation and coursework</li><li>by coursework only</li></ul>	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 bachelors 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>
<b>Bachelors with honours</b>	This is a one-year advanced programme for high-achieving students, which continues your studies in a major subject after completing a three-year bachelors degree. The honours programme may be taken on its own, or included as part of a four-year bachelors degree.	A qualification considered equivalent to a New Zealand bachelors degree with a B average, in a major in a relevant area.
<b>Postgraduate diploma</b> (one year)	This programme comprises graduate-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 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 Diploma and satisfies the prerequisites for graduate study in the subject being taken for the Postgraduate Diploma.
<b>Postgraduate certificate</b> (six months)	This programme comprises graduate-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
<b>Masters by thesis</b>	This degree consists of a research project in the form of a thesis, dissertation, substantial research or creative work.	<p>A recognised bachelors 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).</p> <p>Note: You only need a B- average for entry to the Master of Business and Management (MBM) or the Master of Professional Accounting (MPAcct)</p> <p>Where the above requirements are not met, further study in a lower level programme may be required first.</p>
<b>Master of Philosophy</b>	A Master of Philosophy is one-year programme of original research under supervision, resulting in a thesis.	A bachelors with honours or masters degree with at least second class honours (first division) or distinction is required.
<b>Doctor of Musical Arts (DMA)</b>	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 50,000 words.	A qualification considered equivalent to a masters degree in Music with at least second class honours (first division). Candidates must also audition successfully on an applied instrument or voice.
Degree type	Definition	Entry requirement
<b>Doctor of Education (EdD)</b>	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 bachelors degree with honours, or masters degree with at least second class honours, (first division) or distinction is required. Entrance is at the discretion of the Postgraduate Studies Committee.
<b>PhD</b>	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 bachelors with honours or masters degree with at least second class honours (first division) or distinction is required.

## Preparation for Postgraduate study

These programmes are designed 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
<b>Graduate certificate</b> (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 recognised bachelors degree.
<b>Graduate diploma</b> (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 recognised 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.

If English was the language of instruction in the last two years of secondary/tertiary studies, an English language waiver may be considered. Students need to provide evidence of this at the time of application.

## Exceptions at undergraduate level

Students who have achieved the following English scores in their high school qualifications do not need to provide additional evidence of English language proficiency apart from teacher education.

Country	Score and Qualification
<b>Malaysia</b>	UCLES English O levels (English 1119) with a grade B or above.
<b>Norway</b>	Grade 4 or higher in English Level 1 from the Norwegian first level/year of Upper Secondary School (Videregående Skoler).
<b>Sweden</b>	VG (Pass with distinction) or MVG (Pass with honours) grade in Level B English language from senior high school.

## Minimum English language requirements

Degree	IELTS (Academic)	iBT (internet based) TOEFL	Pearson PTE Academic	Waikato Pathways College
<b>Undergraduate</b> (all courses except those listed in the column below)	6.0 overall (no band less than 5.5).	80 with a writing score of 21.	Overall score of 50 and 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.
<b>Undergraduate</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Bachelor of Teaching</li> <li>Bachelor of Education</li> <li>Graduate Diploma in Teaching</li> </ul>	7.0 overall (no band score less than 7.0).			
<b>Bachelor of Laws (LLB)</b>	IELTS Overall score of 6.5 (with no less than 6.0 in any band)	90 with a 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 English Language (CAEL) programme.
<b>Bachelor of Social Work</b>	6.5 overall (no band less than 6.5).	85 with writing score of 22.		

Degree	IELTS (Academic)	iBT (internet based) TOEFL	Pearson PTE Academic	Waikato Pathways College
<b>Postgraduate</b> (coursework)	6.5 overall (no less than 6.0 in any band).	90 with a writing score of 21.	58 with no less than 50 for each communicative skill.	Successful completion of Level 8 with a B grade average in the Certificate of Attainment in English Language (CAEL) programme.
<b>Master of Teaching and Learning</b>	7.5 overall (no band less than 7.0).			
<b>Postgraduate research – MPhil, PhD, Professional doctorates</b>	6.5 overall (no less than 6.0 in writing).	90 with a writing score of 21.	58 with no less than 50 for each communicative skill.	Successful completion of Level 8 with a B grade average in the Certificate of Attainment in English Language (CAEL) programme.

**Note:**

- The University's English language requirements may be subject to change in subsequent years.
- Each faculty/school reserves the right to request an IELTS or TOEFL score or equivalent.
- English language waivers are considered by the relevant faculty on a case-by-case basis.
- For all qualifications that only have an IELTS English test requirement listed in the table above, all other evidence is considered on a case-by-case basis.
- All undergraduate students are recommended to enrol in ENSLA103 Undergraduate Research Writing for ESL Students in their first trimester. Students with an IELTS of 7.0 (or equivalent) may be exempted.
- Upon completion of the Bachelor of Social Work, students must be able to demonstrate a minimum score of IELTS 6.5 in each area of competence to gain registration as a social worker.



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# Waikato Pathways College

## English language and foundation programmes

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

The Waikato Pathways 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 or improve your English, the College has the right programmes. The College also supports international study groups in a range of disciplines and trains teachers who want to teach English to adults.

### Programmes offered in Hamilton include:

- Certificate of Attainment Foundation Studies (CAFS)
- Certificate of University Preparation (CUP)
- Certificate of Attainment in English Language (CAEL)
- Certificate of English Language Teaching to Adults (CELTA)
- General English
- Group and study tours

### 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.

Level started	Entry requirements	Pathway to
Certificate of Attainment in English Language (CAEL): Level 4	IELTS* 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.
	TOEFL iBT* score of 31 overall, with no less than 11 in the writing band.	
Certificate of Attainment in English Language (CAEL): Level 5	IELTS* score of 4.5 overall, including 4.5 in the writing band and no less than 4.0 in the other bands.	Certificate of Attainment in English Language (CAEL): Level 6.
	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	IELTS* score of 5.0, including 5.0 in the writing band and no less than 4.5 in the other bands.	University of Waikato Foundation Studies programme from CAEL Level 6 with a B grade average.
	TOEFL iBT* score of 35-45 overall, with no less than 17 in the writing band.	
Certificate of Attainment in English Language (CAEL): Level 7	IELTS* score of 5.5 overall, including 5.5 in the writing band and no less than 5.0 in the other bands.	Most University of Waikato bachelor degrees with a B grade average.
	TOEFL iBT* score of 46-59 overall, with no less than 20 in the writing band.	
Certificate of Attainment in English Language (CAEL): Level 8	IELTS* score of 6.0 overall, including 6.0 in the writing band and no less than 5.5 in the other bands.	Most University of Waikato Postgraduate degrees, and some bachelor degrees, with a B grade average.
	TOEFL iBT* score of 60 – 78 overall, with no less than 21 in the writing band.	

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

## 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 trimester) 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
- Have completed secondary school study equivalent to New Zealand Year 12.

### Entry requirements (English)

- IELTS 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 49 and no less than 38 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, Study Skills.

**Intakes: February/July/November**

If you start in July or November, you can fast-track your studies and finish in eight months by studying over the summer



8-9 months (full time)



Approximate first-year cost NZ\$22,510

## 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 must have completed a high school qualification from their home country; OR
- Have completed secondary school study equivalent to New Zealand Year 12.

### Entry requirements (English):

- IELTS 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 49 and no less than 40 for Writing
- All other evidence is considered on a case-by-case basis.

### Compulsory paper

- English.

### Electives

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

**Intakes: February/July/November**



5 months (full time)



Approximate first-year cost NZ\$11,255



# International Diploma (Business)

The International Diploma (Business) is a 3 trimester **direct-entry pathway** to the second year of the Bachelor of Business (BBus) degree.

This Diploma is for international students who have completed the equivalent of 32 credits across 3 University Entrance approved subjects, but have not achieved the equivalence of New Zealand University Entrance.

Combining the first year of the Bachelor of Business (see pages 36-37) with English language development and a comprehensive programme of academic support and development activities, the Diploma aims to prepare students for successful completion of the Bachelor of Business at the end of 3 years of study.

Offered in partnership with the Waikato Pathways College (WPC), the Diploma combines the 7 papers required for the first year of the Bachelor of Business with an academic English paper. These 8 papers are augmented by a comprehensive suite of academic development and support activities designed to meet the learning needs of international students.

## Progression

Students who pass all 8 papers will be eligible to graduate with the International Diploma (Business) or transfer into the second year of Bachelor of Business at the University of Waikato specialising in a variety of majors including Finance, Strategic Management, Marketing, and Human Resource Management.

## English Language entry requirements:

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

### International Diploma (Business)



Intakes: February/July



1 year (full time)



Approximate first-year  
tuition fee NZ\$26,000

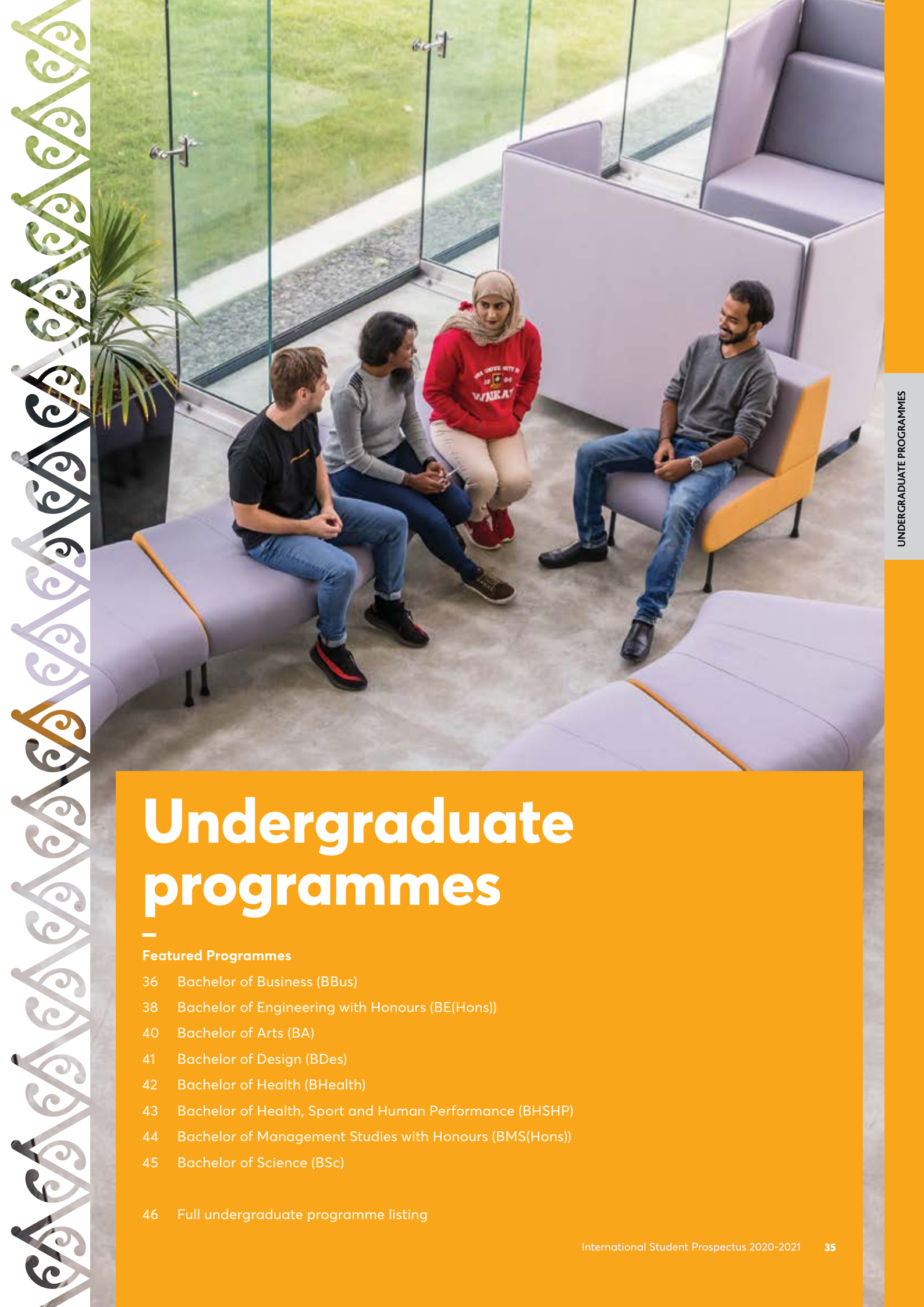


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Includes English language support

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# Bachelor of Business (BBus)

The Bachelor of Business prepares students to help manage a successful organisation, or start their own entrepreneurial business.

The Bachelor of Business is unique in New Zealand in that it develops future managers who can drive innovation and who understand how organisations need to manage in a responsible and sustainable way.

BBus students gain essential insights into why companies need to be agile and innovative to succeed in the modern global marketplace and develop fundamental business knowledge. Students graduate equipped to manage transformative business projects, make an organisation more profitable and efficient, and apply their critical thinking to find creative solutions for problems.

In first year, students take at least five core 'Business Fundamentals' papers which provide an introduction to all the key areas of management. These papers include accounting, economics, finance, marketing, strategic management, and digital business and supply chain management. Students then take more advanced papers focused on their major subjects.

## Includes practical experience

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

### Bachelor of Business (BBus)



Intakes: February/July



3 years (full time)



NZ\$29,380 (year 1, 2020)  
See website for 2021 fees



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Includes practical  
business experience

Triple Crown accredited,  
internationally recognised business  
school ranked in the world's top 1%.  
Option to meet professional  
accounting academic requirements  
of ACCA, CAANZ or CPA Australia.

[waikato.ac.nz/go/BBus](http://waikato.ac.nz/go/BBus)



### Major and Minor subjects (areas of specialisation)

Accounting <sup>HT</sup>	Agribusiness <sup>H*</sup>	Digital Business <sup>H</sup>	Economics <sup>H</sup>
Finance <sup>HT</sup>	Human Resource Management <sup>H</sup>	International Management <sup>H*</sup>	
Leadership Communication <sup>H*</sup>	Marketing <sup>HT</sup>	Public Relations <sup>H</sup>	
Strategic Management <sup>HT</sup>	Supply Chain Management <sup>H</sup>	Tourism and Hospitality Management <sup>H</sup>	

\*Available as a Minor only

<sup>H</sup> Hamilton campus

<sup>T</sup> Tauranga campus

### Bachelor of Business (BBus) degree structure 3 Years 360 Points

Year 1 120 points	100 level	100 level	100 level	100 level	100 level	100 level	100 level	100 level	Major
Year 2 120 points	200 level	200 level	200 level	200 level	200 level	200 level	200 level	100 level or above	Compulsory papers
Year 3 120 points	300 level	300 level	300 level	300 level	300 level	200 level or above	200 level or above	200 level or above	Elective or Minor papers

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.

“ I chose to study at the University of Waikato because I think New Zealand is the most peaceful country in the world, and the people are kind and friendly. Through my Bachelor of Business, I have enjoyed developing my technical and language skills. The practical aspects of my strategic management course taught me so many skills that I know I will use in my future career.

- Abdulkarim Alsahli - Saudi Arabia  
Bachelor of Business

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# 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.

## Bachelor of Engineering with Honours (BE(Hons))



Intakes: February/July



4 years (full time, February)  
4.5 years (full time, July)



NZ\$36,770 (year 1, 2020)  
See website for 2021 fees



Hamilton and Tauranga  
(1st and 4th year only in Tauranga)



Includes practical experience

Accredited by Engineering New Zealand, professionally recognised in 18 countries, including Australia, the UK and the USA.

[waikato.ac.nz/go/BEHons](http://waikato.ac.nz/go/BEHons)

“As a civil engineering student, I have been able to go on industry trips to construction sites to further my knowledge and understanding in a more practical way. The University of Waikato accepted me into its busy community through different support systems and student groups, making sure I made the most out of my time here.

I chose the University of Waikato for its diverse culture, welcoming nature and internationally recognised qualifications. I've enjoyed experiencing New Zealand's beautiful scenery, which I'd previously only heard about and seen in movies.”

– Jotham Paza Makini – Solomon Islands  
Bachelor of Engineering (Hons)

### 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.

### Facilities

The Large Scale Lab complex features a suite of workshops and laboratories dedicated to engineering teaching and research, including 3D printing, a mechanical workshop, and computer labs with engineering design software.

### Majors

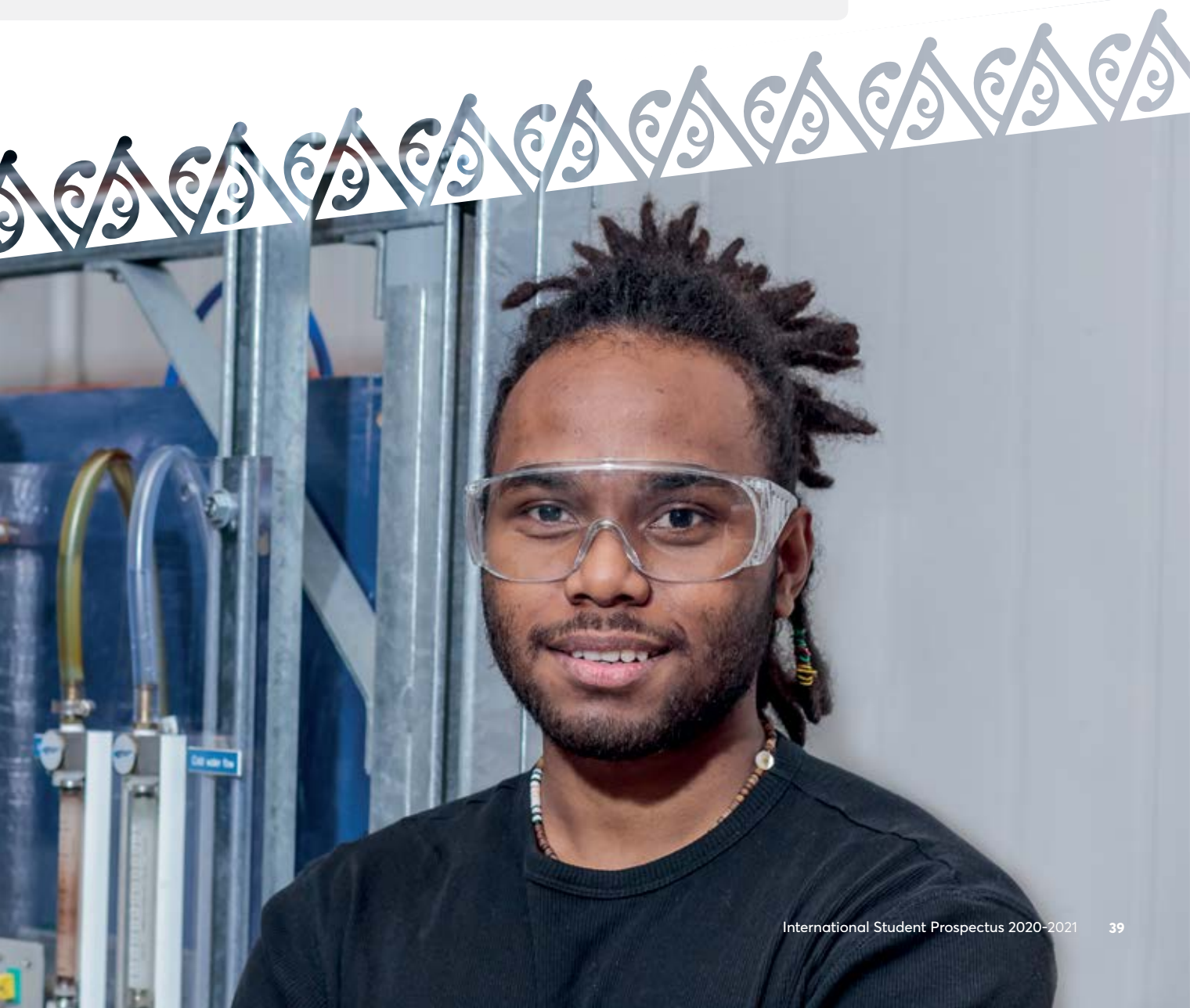
- Chemical and Biological Engineering<sup>H</sup>
- Civil Engineering<sup>\*HT</sup>
- Electrical and Electronic Engineering<sup>\*HT</sup>
- Environmental Engineering<sup>\*H</sup>
- Materials and Process Engineering<sup>H</sup>
- Mechanical Engineering<sup>HT</sup>
- Mechatronic Engineering<sup>\*H</sup>
- Software Engineering<sup>H</sup>

<sup>\*</sup> Provisional Engineering New Zealand accreditation pending

<sup>H</sup> Hamilton campus    <sup>T</sup> Tauranga campus

## Career options

- Biochemical engineer
- Food technology engineer
- Mechanical engineer
- Product designer
- Software engineer
- Civil engineer





# 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, the 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 cultural practices and their significance and impact on society.

## Introducing 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-practicing law-based qualification is ideal for those that 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.

### Bachelor of Arts (BA)



Intakes: February/July



3 years (full time)



NZ\$25,160-32,750  
(year 1, 2020)  
*See website for 2021 fees*



Includes practical  
experience



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[waikato.ac.nz/go/BA](http://waikato.ac.nz/go/BA)

*\*A selection of papers are available in Tauranga.*

## Career options

- Media policy & regulation
- Professional/creative writers
- Cultural heritage positions
- Translators/interpreters
- Cultural advisors
- Psychologist
- HR advisor
- Policy analyst/advisor
- Community advocate
- Teacher

# Bachelor of Design (BDes)

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

This qualification meets the increasing demand for experts with skills in design 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.

## Majors

- Communication Design
- Industrial Design
- Interface Design
- Media Design

### Bachelor of Design (BDes)



Intakes: February/July



3 years (full time)



NZ\$30,595 (year 1, 2020)  
See website for 2021 fees



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Includes practical experience

[waikato.ac.nz/go/BDes](http://waikato.ac.nz/go/BDes)

## Career options

- 3D modeller/animater
- Advertising designer
- Computer game designer
- Web and interactive designer
- Motion graphics designer
- Visual effects artist





# Bachelor of Health (BHealth)

The Bachelor of Health (BHealth) offers students who are passionate about health and wellbeing a multidisciplinary programme of study that will help them to become innovative leaders who can contribute to changes in systems and practices to support equitable outcomes for individuals and their communities.

In recognising the importance of preventative and holistic approaches to health, we need a workforce with knowledge of health service quality and equity that is built on a foundation of cultural competency, multidisciplinary knowledge, interpersonal and collaborative skills, applied biomedical skills, critical thinking, and regional and community engagement.

This qualification has been specifically developed to address the growing demand for a workforce that can contribute across the health sector as this industry diversifies into roles with local governments, iwi (Indigenous communities), community groups, private enterprise, and individuals and families.

The BHealth is underpinned by the concept of hauora\* in practice and incorporates Biomedical Sciences (Biology, Chemistry, Physiology); Epidemiology; Bioethics; Health Communication and Community Approaches; Māori, Pacific and Indigenous perspectives and practice; Psychology, Sociology, Policy; and Statistics, all of which allows students to explore the diverse aspects of health and wellbeing in applied and theoretical settings.

Our students will develop skills that are practical and transferable and take knowledge into practice in ways that exhibit an understanding of health as it relates to the individual, family and community. With a BHealth you will be well positioned to contribute to innovative approaches that address the complex health issues which matter to the different communities in New Zealand and internationally.

## Specified Programmes

- Poutū-manahau Population Health
- Poutū-mārō Biomedical Science

### Bachelor of Health (BHealth)



Intakes: February/July



3 years (full time)



NZ\$28,685 (year 1, 2020)  
See website for 2021 fees



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[waikato.ac.nz/go/BHealth](https://waikato.ac.nz/go/BHealth)

*\*Hauora is a New Zealand Māori word meaning is a holistic approach that values the interconnection between the physical and meta-physical in ways that nourish and sustain the vitality of people and their communities. In doing so recognition is attributed to past generations, historical contexts, and connections to the land.*

## Career options

- Laboratory technician
- Science writer
- Iwi and community-based health education and promotion
- Healthcare and clinical research
- Project management and coordination
- Public policy positions
- Pathway to graduate medical programmes

# Bachelor of Health, Sport and Human Performance (BHSHP)

Sport, health and fitness are some of New Zealand's fastest growing industries, which means Waikato's Bachelor of Health, Sport and Human Performance (BHSHP) graduates are in high demand for their expert knowledge and strong leadership skills.

Sport, active recreation and health all require skilled and knowledgeable leadership. The BHSHP gives students the tools and skills to excel in this dynamic environment. People who work in this industry are committed to improving the wellbeing of others. Whether a student's interest lies in sport, education, health or active recreation, the BHSHP can be tailored to suit individual strengths, interests and career paths.

The first year of the BHSHP is designed to give students a taste of a broad range of disciplines. From second year onwards, students can specialise in a particular field to further develop expertise in areas such as community health, human performance science, and sport development and coaching.

Waikato researchers have strong links with the industry and other researchers nationally and internationally. They work closely with top high performance sporting organisations – Sport Waikato, Hamilton City Council, the Chiefs rugby team and the Magic netball team – and have strong connections with many others.

## Majors

- Community Health
- Human Performance Science
- Sport Development and Coaching.

### Bachelor of Health, Sport and Human Performance (BHSHP)



Intakes: February/July



3 years (full time)



NZ\$25,160 (year 1, 2020)  
See website for 2021 fees



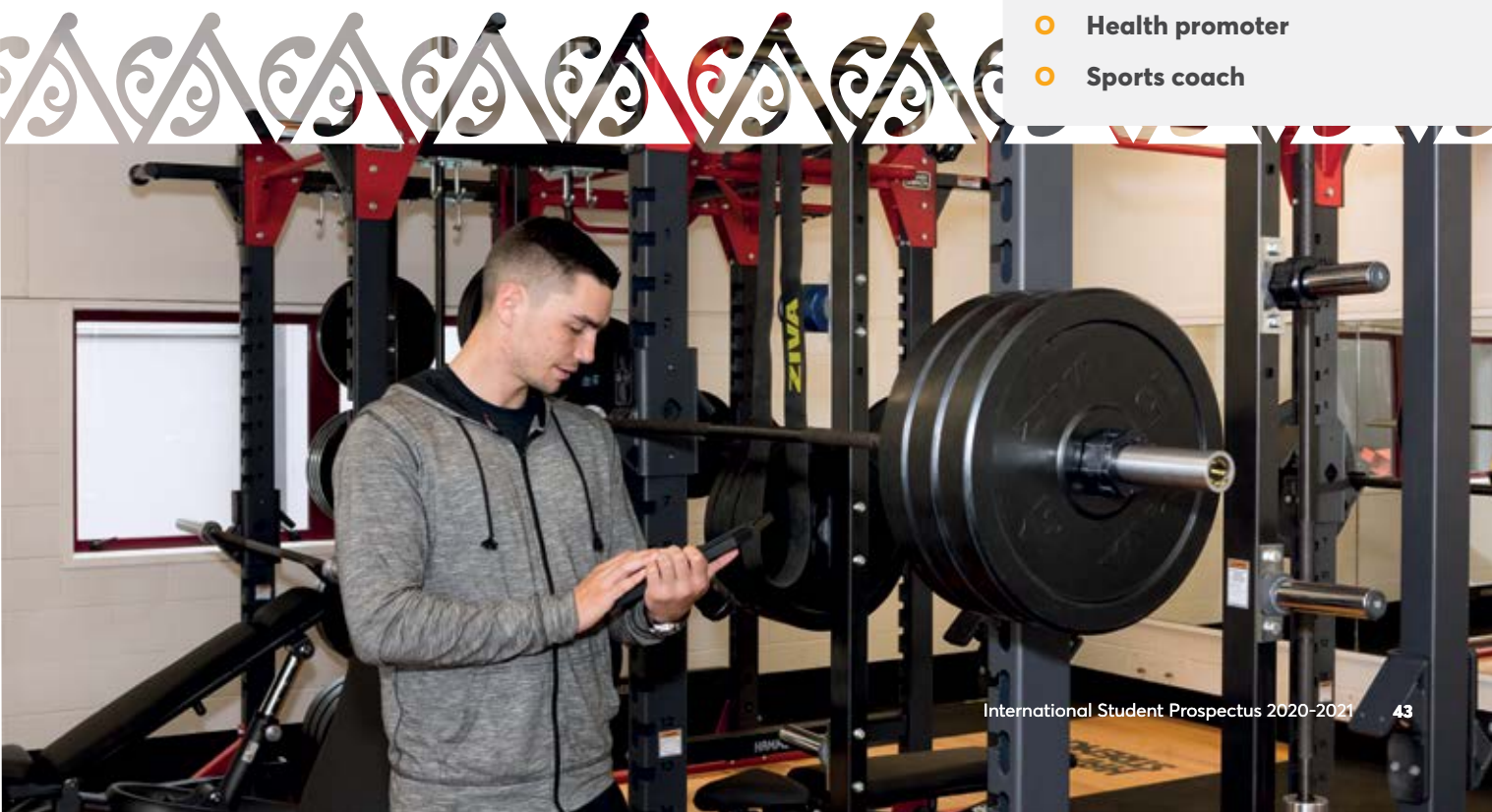
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[waikato.ac.nz/go/BHSHP](http://waikato.ac.nz/go/BHSHP)

*\* This degree is being offered in Tauranga from 2020, subject to approval.*

## Career options

- Applied sport scientist
- Community sports
- Event manager
- Game analyst
- Health promoter
- Sports coach





# 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.

Waikato's BMS(Hons) is New Zealand's premium four-year business degree. It includes a mix of MBA-style strategy and general management papers at Postgraduate level, as well as real-world exposure to international business practice, and two work-integrated learning papers.

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

Our graduates are highly regarded by employers and go on to become senior leaders at organisations around the world. Alumni include Avon CEO Jan Ziggerveld, President of General Motors Dan Ammann, CEO of Vista China Lawrence Wang, and CEO of ASB Bank Vittoria Short.

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 practical assignments and case studies, the BMS(Hons) will enable students to develop business strategies for sustainable growth, build a culture of innovation, and help companies succeed in international markets.

## Majors

- Accounting
- Digital Business
- Economics
- Finance
- Human Resource Management
- Marketing
- Public Relations
- Strategic Management
- Supply Chain Management
- Tourism and Hospitality Management.

Students can choose to take a second major from the list above, or choose from almost any other undergraduate subject offered at Waikato.

## Minors

- Agribusiness
- International Management
- Leadership Communication

### Bachelor of Management Studies with Honours (BMS(Hons))



Intakes: February/July



4 years (full time)



NZ\$29,380 (year 1, 2020)  
See website for 2021 fees



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Triple Crown accredited, internationally recognised business school ranked in the world's top 1%. Option to meet professional accounting academic requirements of CAANZ, CPA and ACCA.

[waikato.ac.nz/go/BMSHons](http://waikato.ac.nz/go/BMSHons)

## Career options

- Business/systems analyst
- Chartered accountant
- CEO/General manager
- Economist
- Financial adviser
- International trade negotiator
- Management consultant
- Marketing manager
- Logistics/operations manager
- People and capability manager

# 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

- Applied Computing<sup>H</sup>
- Aquaculture<sup>T</sup>
- Chemistry<sup>H</sup>
- Computer Science<sup>HT</sup>
- Data Analytics<sup>H</sup>
- Earth Sciences<sup>H</sup>
- Ecology and Biodiversity<sup>H</sup>
- Environmental Sciences<sup>HT</sup>
- Materials Science<sup>H</sup>
- Mathematics<sup>H</sup>
- Molecular and Cellular Biology<sup>H</sup>
- Psychology<sup>HT</sup>

<sup>H</sup> Hamilton campus    <sup>T</sup> Tauranga campus

Students can choose to take a second major or minor from almost any undergraduate subject, including those listed above.

## Minors

- Animal Behaviour
- Biochemistry
- Coastal Processes
- Geology
- Hydrology
- Soil Science
- Statistics

Students can either select a minor from the science subjects listed above, or undertake a minor in any other subject within the University.

## Bachelor of Science (BSc)



Intakes: February/July



3 years (full time)



NZ\$32,750 (year 1, 2020)  
See website for 2021 fees



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Includes practical experience

[waikato.ac.nz/go/BSc](https://waikato.ac.nz/go/BSc)

## Career options

- Conservation biologist
- Data analyst
- Environmental scientist
- Forensic technician
- Geologist
- Geotechnical officer
- Marine ecologist
- Software developer



# Full undergraduate programme listing

## Bachelor of Arts (BA)



Intakes: February/July



3 years (full time)



NZ\$25,160-32,750  
(year 1, 2020)  
See website for 2021 fees



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**Majors** • Anthropology<sup>H</sup> • Economics<sup>H</sup> • Education and Society<sup>HT</sup> • English<sup>H</sup> • Environmental Planning<sup>H</sup> • Geography<sup>H</sup> • History<sup>H</sup> • Human Development<sup>HT</sup> • International Languages and Cultures<sup>H</sup> • Law<sup>H</sup> • Linguistics<sup>H</sup> • Māori & Indigenous Studies<sup>HT</sup> • Music<sup>H</sup> • Pacific & Indigenous Studies<sup>H</sup> • Philosophy<sup>H</sup> • Political Science<sup>HT</sup> • Population Studies<sup>H</sup> • Psychology<sup>HT</sup> • Screen and Media Studies<sup>H</sup> • Social Policy<sup>HT</sup> • Sociology<sup>HT</sup> • Te Reo Māori<sup>H</sup> • Theatre Studies<sup>H</sup> • Writing Studies<sup>H</sup>

\*Full major available in Hamilton. Years 1 & 2 available in Tauranga.

[waikato.ac.nz/go/BA](http://waikato.ac.nz/go/BA)

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## Bachelor of Communication Studies (BCS)



Intakes: February/July



3 years (full time)



NZ\$29,380 (year 1, 2020)  
See website for 2021 fees



Hamilton



Includes practical experience

**Majors:** • Public Relations • Marketing

Triple Crown accredited, internationally recognised business school.  
Only communications degree in NZ or Australasia recognised by the Public Relations Society of America (PRSA).

[waikato.ac.nz/go/BCS](http://waikato.ac.nz/go/BCS)

## Bachelor of Design (BDes)



Intakes: February/July



3 years (full time)



NZ\$30,595 (year 1, 2020)  
See website for 2021 fees



Hamilton



Includes practical experience

**Majors** • Communication Design • Industrial Design • Interface Design • Media Design

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[waikato.ac.nz/go/BDes](http://waikato.ac.nz/go/BDes)

## Bachelor of Business (BBus)



Intakes: February/July



3 years (full time)



NZ\$29,380 (year 1, 2020)  
See website for 2021 fees



Hamilton and Tauranga



Includes practical experience

Triple Crown accredited, internationally recognised business school.  
Students who complete the accounting major may meet CAANZ, CPA and ACCA academic requirements for professional accounting.

**Majors:** • Accounting<sup>HT</sup> • Digital Business<sup>H</sup> • Economics<sup>H</sup> • Finance<sup>HT</sup> • Human Resource Management<sup>H</sup> • Marketing<sup>HT</sup> • Public Relations<sup>H</sup> • Strategic Management<sup>HT</sup> • Supply Chain Management<sup>H</sup> • Tourism and Hospitality Management<sup>H</sup>

Learn more on pages 36-37

[waikato.ac.nz/go/BBus](http://waikato.ac.nz/go/BBus)

## Bachelor of Computing and Mathematical Sciences (with Honours) BCMS(Hons)



Intakes: February/July



4 years (full-time)



NZ\$30,595 (year 1, 2020)  
See website for 2021 fees



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Includes practical experience

**Majors:** • Computer Science • Data Analytics • Mathematics

[waikato.ac.nz/go/BCMS](http://waikato.ac.nz/go/BCMS)



Intakes: February/July



4 years (full time, February)  
4.5 years (full time, July)



NZ\$36,770 (year 1, 2020)  
See website for 2021 fees



Hamilton and Tauranga\*  
\*1st and 4th year only



Includes practical experience

Accredited by Engineering New Zealand, professionally recognised in 18 countries and regions, including Australia, the UK and the USA.

**Majors:** • Chemical and Biological Engineering<sup>H</sup> • Civil Engineering<sup>HT</sup> • Electrical and Electronic Engineering<sup>HT</sup> • Environmental Engineering<sup>H</sup> • Materials and Process Engineering<sup>H</sup> • Mechanical Engineering<sup>HT</sup> • Mechatronics Engineering<sup>H</sup> • Software Engineering<sup>H</sup>

Learn more on pages 38-39

[waikato.ac.nz/go/BEHons](http://waikato.ac.nz/go/BEHons)

<sup>H</sup> Hamilton campus    <sup>T</sup> Tauranga campus

Please note fees are approximate first year fees for 2020. See website for 2021 fees.



### Bachelor of Education (Technology) (BEd(Tech))



Intakes: February



4 years (full time)



NZ\$29,780 (year 1, 2020)  
See website for 2021 fees



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Includes practical experience

Streams: Technology

[waikato.ac.nz/go/BEd](http://waikato.ac.nz/go/BEd)

### Bachelor of Environmental Planning (BEP)



Intakes: February/July



4 years (full time)



NZ\$32,750 (year 1, 2020)  
See website for 2021 fees



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Includes practical experience

Accredited by the New Zealand Planning Institute (NZPI)

**Streams** • Te Ara Taiao: Māori and the Environment • Science and the Environment • Society and the Environment

[waikato.ac.nz/go/BEP](http://waikato.ac.nz/go/BEP)

### Bachelor of Health



Intakes: February/July



3 years (full time)



NZ\$28,685 (year 1, 2020)  
See website for 2021 fees



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#### Specified programmes:

- Poutū-mārō Biomedical Sciences
- Poutū-manahau Population Health

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[waikato.ac.nz/go/BHealth](http://waikato.ac.nz/go/BHealth)

### Bachelor of Health, Sport and Human Performance (BHSHP)



Intakes: February/July



3 years (full time)



NZ\$25,160 (year 1, 2020)  
See website for 2021 fees



Hamilton and Tauranga\*  
\* This programme is being offered in Tauranga from 2020, subject to approval.

**Majors** • Community Health • Human Performance Science • Sport Development and Coaching

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[waikato.ac.nz/go/BHSHP](http://waikato.ac.nz/go/BHSHP)

### Bachelor of Laws (LLB)



Intakes: February/July



4 years (full time)



NZ\$30,260 (year 1, 2020)  
See website for 2021 fees



Hamilton and Tauranga  
(1st and 2nd year only in Tauranga)



Includes practical experience

Recognised for professional purposes by the Council of Legal Education; accredited by the Arbitrators' and Mediators' Institute of New Zealand.

[waikato.ac.nz/go/LLB](http://waikato.ac.nz/go/LLB)

### Bachelor of Management Studies with Honours (BMS(Hons))



Intakes: February/July



4 years (full time)



NZ\$29,380 (year 1, 2020)  
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Includes practical experience

**Majors** • Accounting • Digital Business • Economics • Finance • Human Resource Management • Marketing • Public Relations • Strategic Management • Supply Chain Management • Tourism and Hospitality Management
































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[waikato.ac.nz/go/BMSHons](http://waikato.ac.nz/go/BMSHons)

<sup>H</sup> Hamilton campus    <sup>T</sup> Tauranga campus

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<b>Bachelor of Music (BMus)</b>	<b>Bachelor of Science (Technology) (BSc(Tech))</b>	<b>Bachelor of Social Work (BSW)</b>
 Intakes: February/July	 Intakes: February/July	 Intakes: February/July
 3 years (full time)	 3 years (full time)	 4 years (full time)
 NZ\$30,595 (year 1, 2020) See website for 2021 fees	 NZ\$32,750 (year 1, 2020) See website for 2021 fees	 NZ\$25,160 (year 1, 2020) See website for 2021 fees
 Hamilton	 Hamilton	 Tauranga
 Includes practical experience	 Includes practical experience	 Includes practical experience
<b>Streams</b> • Academic • Composition • Performance	<b>Majors</b> • Chemistry • Computer Science • Earth Sciences • Ecology and Biodiversity • Environmental Sciences • Materials Science • Molecular and Cellular Biology	<a href="http://waikato.ac.nz/go/BSW">waikato.ac.nz/go/BSW</a>
<a href="http://waikato.ac.nz/go/BMus">waikato.ac.nz/go/BMus</a>	<a href="http://waikato.ac.nz/go/BScTech">waikato.ac.nz/go/BScTech</a>	<b>Bachelor of Teaching (BTchg)</b>
 Intakes: February/July	 Intakes: February/July	 Intakes: February
 3 years (full time)	 3 years (full time)	 3 years (full time)
 NZ\$32,750 (year 1, 2020) See website for 2021 fees	 3 years (full time)	 NZ\$29,780 (year 1, 2020) See website for 2021 fees
 Hamilton and Tauranga	 NZ\$25,160–\$32,750 (year 1, 2020) See website for 2021 fees	 Hamilton and Tauranga
 Includes practical experience	 Hamilton and Tauranga	 Includes practical experience
<b>Majors</b> • Applied Computing <sup>H</sup> • Aquaculture <sup>T</sup> • Chemistry <sup>H</sup> • Computer Science <sup>HT</sup> • Data Analytics <sup>H</sup> • Earth Sciences <sup>H</sup> • Ecology and Biodiversity <sup>H</sup> • Environmental Sciences <sup>HT</sup> • Materials Science <sup>H</sup> • Mathematics <sup>H</sup> • Molecular and Cellular Biology <sup>H</sup> • Psychology <sup>HT</sup>	 Includes practical experience	<b>Majors:</b> • Teaching (Early Childhood) <sup>HT</sup> • Teaching (Primary) <sup>HT</sup>  The pathway to becoming a Secondary School teacher is to first complete a Bachelors degree in a subject specialised area followed by a Graduate Diploma of Teaching (see page 50)
Learn more on page 45	<b>Majors</b> • Anthropology <sup>H</sup> • Digital Learning <sup>H</sup> • Economics <sup>H</sup> • Education and Society <sup>HT</sup> • Environmental Planning <sup>H</sup> • Geography <sup>H</sup> • History <sup>H</sup> • Human Development <sup>HT</sup> • Linguistics <sup>H</sup> • Māori & Indigenous Studies <sup>H</sup> • Pacific & Indigenous Studies <sup>H</sup> • Philosophy <sup>H</sup> • Political Science <sup>HT</sup> • Population Studies <sup>H</sup> • Psychology <sup>HT</sup> • Screen and Media Studies <sup>H</sup> • Social Policy <sup>HT</sup> • Sociology <sup>HT</sup>	<a href="http://waikato.ac.nz/go/BTchg">waikato.ac.nz/go/BTchg</a>
<a href="http://waikato.ac.nz/go/BSc">waikato.ac.nz/go/BSc</a>	<a href="http://waikato.ac.nz/go/BSocSc">waikato.ac.nz/go/BSocSc</a>	

<sup>H</sup> Hamilton campus    <sup>T</sup> Tauranga campus

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# Graduate Diploma of Teaching (GradDipT)

Begin a fulfilling career in education with a Graduate Diploma of Teaching from the University of Waikato.

Equip yourself 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 Professional Education Papers with practical placements. You will get the tools you need to prepare you for today's modern learning environments where digital learning is key, relationships matter and understanding diversity is crucial.

## Graduate Diploma of Teaching (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. This programme consists of 12 compulsory Professional Education and curriculum teaching papers, and three practica. You'll gain practical and theoretical knowledge about how children learn and develop, and an understanding of Te Whāriki, the Early Childhood Curriculum.

## Graduate Diploma of Teaching (Primary)

Embark on a career in primary, 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 with papers taught by passionate academic staff that are leaders in their respective fields. Develop practical experience with 14 weeks spent full-time at a school under the supervision of an associate teacher.

## Graduate Diploma of Teaching (Secondary)

The Graduate Diploma in Teaching (Secondary) will provide you with the skills you need to work with young people aged 13-18 years old. The University of Waikato can prepare you for most curriculum subjects. Skilled teachers are in high demand in New Zealand, particularly in areas such as English, mathematics, science, technology and te reo Māori teaching. The programme includes eight compulsory papers, including three curriculum subject papers, two practicum and three professional education papers.

### Graduate Diploma of Teaching (GradDipT)



Start date:  
Early Childhood Education (ECE) and Primary - Early January  
Secondary - February



1 year (full time)  
ECE: 153 points  
Primary: 153 points  
Secondary: 120 points



Approximate total tuition fee  
ECE: NZ\$37,965  
Primary: NZ\$37,965  
Secondary: NZ\$29,775



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[waikato.ac.nz/go/GradDipT](http://waikato.ac.nz/go/GradDipT)

## Career options

- Early childhood educator
- Primary school teacher
- Secondary school teacher



“ Coming from one of Beijing’s top universities, I chose the University of Waikato for its leading reputation in teaching Te Whāriki, the national early childhood education curriculum.

The greatest opportunity I had while studying at the University of Waikato was translating the lectures given by my professors in the School of Education to people from my own country. The lecturers deepened my insight of education theories and fostered my innovative thinking, and I’m now working at an early childhood centre in Auckland.

In between studying, I travelled New Zealand and quickly came to appreciate the extraordinary and beautiful scenery. I like that my own culture is appreciated and respected, while I still feel a sense of belonging at the University of Waikato. ”

- Yilin Zhang – China  
Graduate Diploma in Teaching  
(Early Childhood Education)





# Master of Business and Management (MBM)

Transform your career and increase your earning potential. The Waikato MBM is a one-year, taught masters 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. 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 business and take part in a 'Dragons Den' style competition. Students also complete a one-month internship at a local company, and undertake an applied business research project.

## MBM papers

Please note, the MBM is a set programme and you will be automatically enrolled in these papers. You'll be studying with a diverse cohort of New Zealand and international students.

### Master of Business and Management (MBM)



Intakes: February, July and November



1 year (full time)/180 points



NZ\$45,900 (approximate total tuition fee, 2020)  
See website for 2021 fees



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Triple Crown accredited, internationally recognised business school ranked in the world's top 1%. Top 300 for Business and Management Studies in QS World University Rankings 2019.



Includes one-month business internship

[waikato.ac.nz/go/MBM](http://waikato.ac.nz/go/MBM)

[facebook.com/WaikatoMBM](https://facebook.com/WaikatoMBM)

Part one:

EXMBM511  
People in Organisations

EXMBM512  
Leadership and Change Management

EXMBM513  
Sustainability and Responsible Management

EXMBM514  
Economics and the Global Context

Part two:

EXMBM521  
Managing Strategically

EXMBM522  
Marketing Strategy

EXMBM523  
Digital Business & Supply Chain Management

EXMBM524  
Financial Analysis and Performance

Part three:

EXMBM531  
Applied Research and Consultancy Practices

EXMBM532  
Managing Innovation and Value Creation

EXMBM533  
Action Learning Project

## Career options

- Business analyst
- Digital business or e-commerce manager
- International trade advisor
- Supply chain manager
- Marketing manager
- Operations manager
- Project manager





“ I chose the University of Waikato MBM because of the Management School's position in the QS World University Rankings and 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 have had the chance to befriend and work with a diverse group of people and am excited for future career opportunities. ”

– **Vij Singh, India**  
Master of Business and Management

# 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.

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 award-winning cyber security experts.

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

## Master of Cyber Security (MCS)



Intakes: February/July



1.5 years/180 points  
(full time)



NZ\$51,520 (approximate  
total tuition fee, 2020)  
*See website for 2021 fees*



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[waikato.ac.nz/go/MCS](https://waikato.ac.nz/go/MCS)





### Compulsory papers:

COMPX518  
Cyber Security  
(15 points)

COMPX527  
Cloud Computing  
Technologies and Security  
(15 points)

LEGAL526  
Legal Aspects of Cyber Security  
(30 points)

COMPX592  
Dissertation  
(60 points)

COMPX514  
Carrier and ISP Networks  
(15 points)

### Other papers

COMPX502  
Cryptography (15 points)  
recommended paper

15 point 500 level  
computer science paper

15 point 500 level  
computer science paper

## Career options

- Chief information security officer
- Entrepreneurs of new security products and services
- Penetration testers/security assessment consultants
- IT security consultant

“ 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. We can have the strongest system but it all comes down to the users. The users are the weakest link.

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 visualizations for mobile platforms.

**Jeff Garae, Vanuatu**  
Master of Cyber Security



# Master of Engineering Practice (MEngPrac)

The MEngPrac is a taught masters 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.

## Master of Engineering Practice (MEngPrac)



Intakes: February



1-1.5 years/180 points  
(full time)



NZ\$54,620 (approximate  
total tuition fee, 2020)  
*See website for 2021 fees*



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### Specialisations:

Electronics • Materials and  
Processing • Mechanical Engineering

[waikato.ac.nz/go/MEngPrac](http://waikato.ac.nz/go/MEngPrac)

“As a materials and process engineering student, I was looking to travel abroad to complete my qualification. The University of Waikato is an internationally recognised university with a world-class education system. The work-life balance in New Zealand has allowed me to spend time exploring the incredible landscapes.

The School of Engineering is so supportive in all manners, with really dedicated staff. The large-scale laboratories and advanced technical support have made my studies so much easier.”

– Tom Sunny - India  
Engineering

## 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.

## Programme overview

Compulsory Systems Analysis  
(30 points)

Compulsory capstone research  
and development project  
(60 points)

30 points of management papers from  
the following (15 points each):

- EXMBM511 People in Organisations
- EXMBM512 Leadership and Change Management
- EXMBM514 Economics and the Global Context
- EXMBM521 Managing Strategically
- EXMBM522 Marketing Strategy

Compulsory 60 points of advanced  
technical papers from the following  
specialisations:

- Electronics
- Materials and Processing
- Mechanical Engineering

## Career options

- **Electronics engineer**
- **Mechatronics engineer**
- **Mechanical engineer**
- **Process engineer**
- **Materials engineer**



# 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".

Setting the MInfoTech apart from more theoretical qualifications is the high degree of business enterprise and project-based learning it demands. One whole trimester will be devoted to a paid internship with an industry partner, working under supervision on a real-world project.

The selection of taught papers is updated every year. Students with an undergraduate degree in computer science (or equivalent) can apply for the 1.5 year (180 points) programme. The combination of papers offered 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 2 year (240 points) programme. The first trimester of this programme is an intensive one for students to gain fundamental skills in software development including object-oriented programming and design, web technologies, and databases.

## Career options

- Cloud computing developer
- Data security developer
- Database developer
- GIS analyst
- Internet/multimedia developer
- Network and support developer
- Software developer
- Systems administrator
- Technical consultant

### Master of Information Technology (MInfoTech)



Intakes:  
February/July (180 points)  
February/November (240 points)



1.5 years/180 points (full time)  
2 years/240 points (full time)  
*It may be possible to complete the programme in a shorter period.*



NZ\$51,520 (180 points)  
NZ\$68,700 (240 points)  
*Above are approximate total tuition fees for 2020 start dates. See website for 2021 fees.*



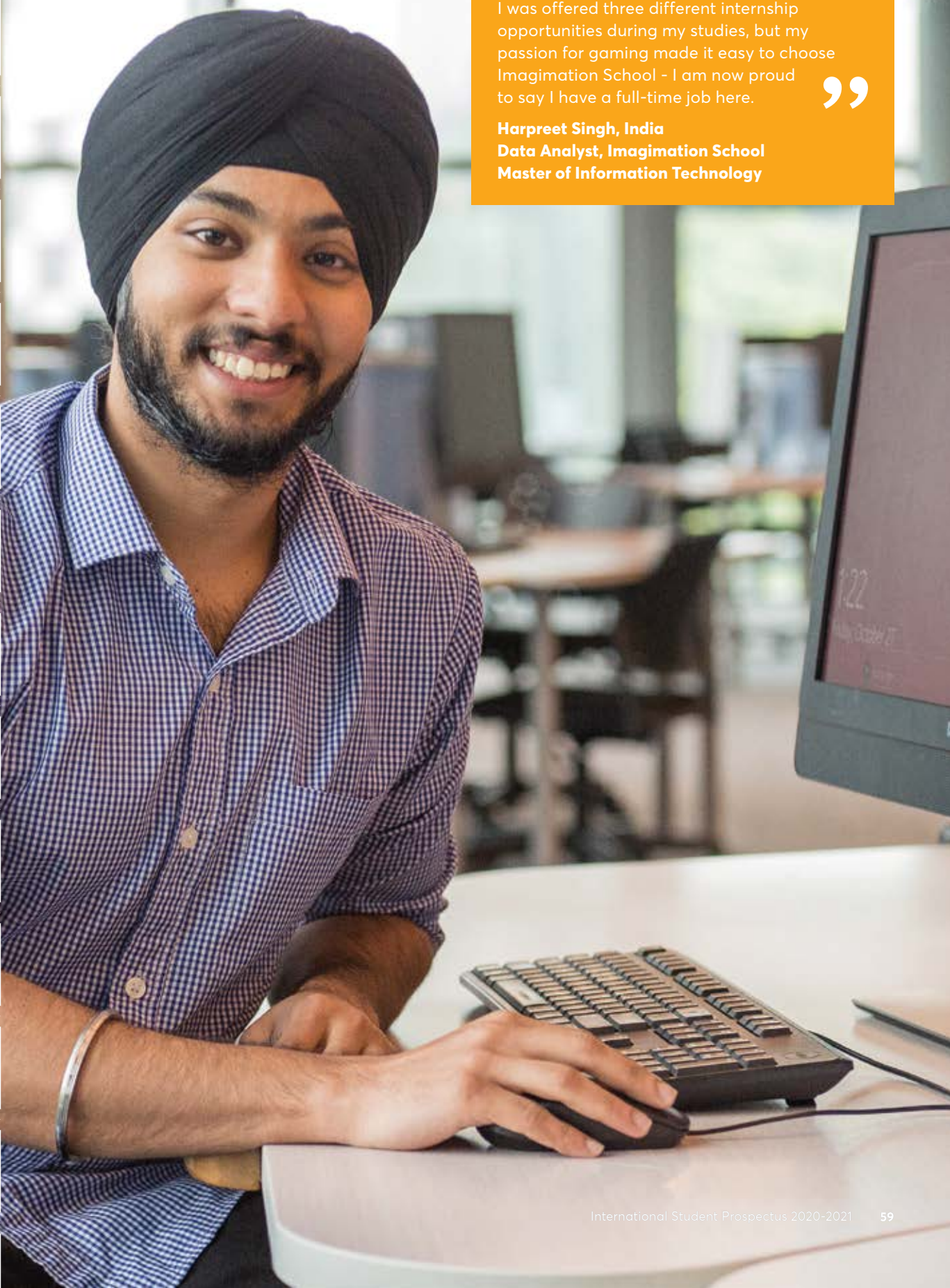
Hamilton and Tauranga\*

[waikato.ac.nz/go/MInfoTech](https://waikato.ac.nz/go/MInfoTech)

*\*Degree papers taught in Hamilton. Internship may be completed in Tauranga or Hamilton (one trimester).*







“ 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.

”

**Harpreet Singh, India**  
**Data Analyst, Imagination School**  
**Master of Information Technology**

# Master of Applied Finance (MAppFin)

The Master of Applied Finance is a specialist qualification to prepare you for a successful and rewarding professional career in the financial sector.

This 12-month accelerated course will equip you with the industry-relevant critical thinking and analytical 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 designation. Obtaining the CFA requires meeting the work experience necessary and passing the additional examinations of the CFA Institute.

Students will have 24/7 access to a brand-new Finance Trading Room opening in February 2020. This high-tech simulation room will display trading prices in real time for global and NZX financial markets, so that students can experience the thrill of buying and selling shares/bonds/commodities, and try to build the most valuable portfolios.

## Structure of Master of Applied Finance – 180 points

Part One: Core papers	Fundamental Accounting for Decision-making	Economics for Business	Quantitative Skills for Finance and Economics	Financial Management and Institutions
Part Two: Mastery of knowledge	Corporate Finance	Investments and Financial Markets	Applied Econometrics	Financial Modelling
Part Three: Application of skills	International Finance	Financial Risk Management	Financial Econometrics	Finance Project or Internship

### Master of Applied Finance (MAppFin)



Intake: February



12 months full time



NZ\$44,935 (approximate total tuition fee, 2020)  
See website for 2021 fees



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[waikato.ac.nz/go/MAppFin](http://waikato.ac.nz/go/MAppFin)

## Career options

- Investment advisor
- Banker
- Corporate financier
- Actuary
- Financial regulator
- Sharebroker
- Treasurer
- Business/financial analyst
- Financial advisor/analyst



# Master of Business Administration (MBA)

Equip yourself with best-practice skills and knowledge needed to become a dynamic leader or senior manager.

The Waikato MBA is a comprehensive programme designed to develop future business leaders and senior managers. Participants will gain the skills and competencies to continuously adapt, redefine, and transform themselves in changing contexts.

Waikato MBA graduates will become leaders who are outstanding in their organisations, with the ability to facilitate and manage change.

The MBA is comprised of a suite of papers structured around three cross-disciplinary areas - Frameworks, Leadership, and Value Creation.

Each component imparts the knowledge and skills that leaders require as they face unprecedented disruption and digital transformation, allowing them to identify emerging opportunities and confidently manage the challenges that impact their organisation.

## The Waikato MBA:

Smaller class sizes means a high level of interaction with your lecturers and classmates. Waikato MBA participants are presented with real-life business challenges, where their learnings can be directly applied back within their own organisations. Students will also take part in an international study tour (costs included in tuition fee).

The professional, industry and cultural diversity of MBA participants provides an exceptional opportunity for insights into different management practices and leadership behaviours, and builds a lifelong professional network.

### Master of Business Administration (MBA)



Intake: March



18 months/180 points  
(full time)



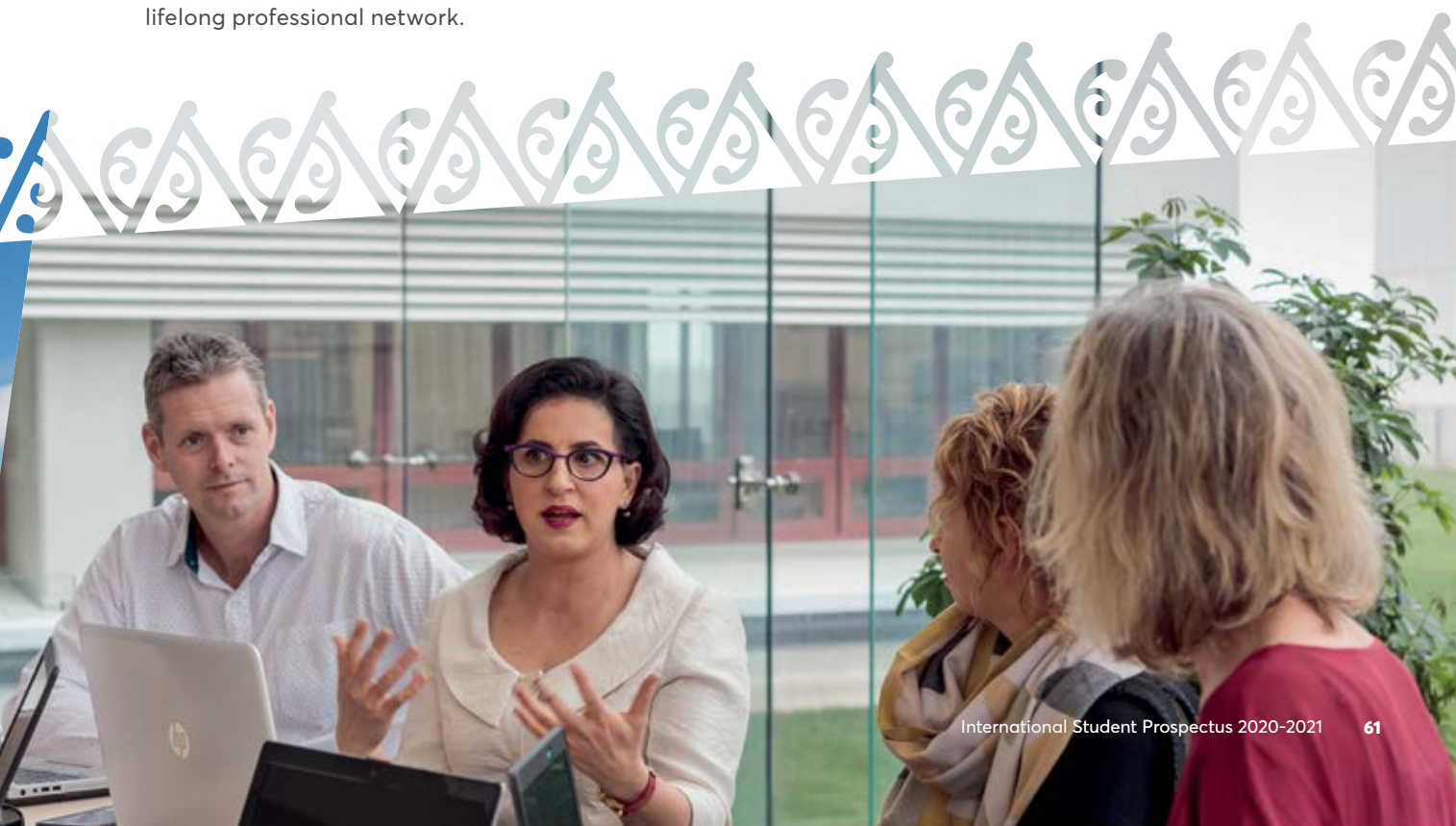
NZ\$55,000 (approximate  
total tuition fee, 2020)  
*See website for 2021 fees*



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Triple Crown accredited,  
internationally recognised business  
school ranked in world's top 1%.

[waikato.ac.nz/go/MBA](http://waikato.ac.nz/go/MBA)





# Master of Digital Business (MDigiBus)

Waikato's Master of Digital Business is unique in New Zealand, as it focuses on using the latest digital technology from a management perspective.

In the Eduniversal Best Masters Rankings 2018, our Master of Digital Business is ranked 47th globally and 1st in New Zealand for Best Master's 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 have the opportunity to complete a professional industry internship (8-13 weeks) and work on real projects at an organisation based either in New Zealand or overseas. By the time you graduate, you'll be ready to lead digital transformation projects and strategies on behalf of organisations – as a manager or consultant.

## Career options

- Digital business manager
- Business analyst
- Project manager
- Systems developer
- Web systems manager
- User experience manager
- Digital marketing specialist
- Product architect

### Master of Digital Business (MDigiBus)



Intakes: February/July



1 year/180 points  
(full time)



NZ\$44,935 (approximate  
total tuition fee, 2020)  
*See website for 2021 fees*



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Triple Crown accredited,  
internationally recognised business  
school ranked in world's top 1%.

[waikato.ac.nz/go/MDigiBus](http://waikato.ac.nz/go/MDigiBus)

“ 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. ”

– Max (Bo) Li – China  
Master of Digital Business

# Master of Education (MEd)

This programme is suitable for qualified teachers and other education professionals who wish to advance their careers and develop leadership in a particular field of education.

Students may choose a subject or specialisation and combine taught and research papers in the qualification. Choose from the following:

- Adult Learning
- Arts Education
- Counselling Studies
- Education
- Education and Society
- Global Studies in Education
- Human Development
- Language and Literacy Education
- Mathematics Education
- Science, Technology and Environmental Education

## Master of Education (MEd)



Intakes: February/July



1.5 years/180 points  
(full time)



NZ\$46,045 (approximate  
total tuition fee, 2020)  
*See website for 2021 fees*



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[waikato.ac.nz/go/MEd](https://waikato.ac.nz/go/MEd)

## Career options

- Educational leader role
- School principal
- Head teacher
- Educational policy developer
- Educational researcher

“The University's MEd programme gave me great 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.

– Anuja Khamkar, India  
Master of Education



# 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 specialize 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 conversion 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.

## Career options

- Animator
- Audio-visual technician
- Commercial researcher
- Event manager
- Film or television editor
- Musician
- Script-writer
- Web designer

### Master of Media and Creative Technologies (MMCT)



Intakes: February/July



1.5 years (full time)



NZ\$46,045 (approximate total tuition fee, 2020)  
See website for 2021 fees



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Includes practical experience

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“ I chose to make the move from India to New Zealand because of the University of Waikato's reputation as a world-renowned university. I wanted to explore New Zealand's booming film industry while studying a degree that would give me a creative edge over other students. I love studying at the University of Waikato because of the readily available resources, and the opportunities to participate in different video shoots and music compositions.

The quality of life in New Zealand is really good. I found everyone to be kind and approachable, and I quickly began to love the New Zealand people and their culture.

– Nicholas Soler – India  
Master of Media and Creative Technologies



# 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 taught and research papers, but can also be taken as a full research degree.

## Specialist subjects available

- Accounting
- Agribusiness
- Applied Economics and Finance
- Economics
- Finance
- Human Resource Management
- International Management
- Leadership Communication
- Management and Sustainability
- Management Systems
- Marketing
- Public Relations
- Strategic Management
- Tourism Management

## Master of Management Studies (MMS)



Intakes: February/July



1.5 years/180 points  
(full time)

*It may be possible to complete 180 points in 1 calendar year.*



NZ\$44,935 (approximate total tuition fee, 2020)  
*See website for 2021 fees*



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## Career options

- Business manager
- Communications consultant
- Finance/investment manager
- Marketing/sales manager
- Researcher
- Senior policy advisor
- Strategy manager
- Sustainability consultant
- Tourism advisor



# Master of Professional Accounting (MPAcct)

Establish your career pathway towards becoming a chartered accountant with this accelerated 14-month masters 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.

Waikato is ranked in the world's top 250 universities for Accounting in the QS Subject Rankings 2019.

## Master of Professional Accounting (MPAcct)



Intakes: January/November



14 months/220 points  
(full time)



NZ\$51,000 (approximate  
total tuition fee, 2020)  
*See website for 2021 fees*



Hamilton

Triple Crown accredited business  
school ranked in world's top 1%.  
Recognised by ACCA, CA ANZ and  
CPA Australia.



Includes professional  
internship or research  
project

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## Career options

- **Chartered accountant**
- **Auditor**
- **Financial controller**
- **Tax accountant**

“ 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.”

- (Raniel) Cloie Yvonne Mina – Philippines  
Master of Professional Accounting

# 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. 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.

## Choose a main subject

- Chemistry
- Computer Science
- Earth Sciences
- Ecology and Biodiversity
- Environmental Sciences
- Materials and Processing
- Mathematics
- Molecular and Cellular Biology
- Psychology
- Statistics

### Master of Science (MSc)



Intakes: February and July



1.5 years/180 points  
(full time)



NZ\$52,395 (approximate  
total tuition fee, 2020)  
*See website for 2021 fees*



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[waikato.ac.nz/go/MSc](https://waikato.ac.nz/go/MSc)

## Career options

- Agriculture and fisheries
- Biomedical/  
Pharmaceutical industries
- Crown research institutes
- Energy companies
- Environmental agencies
- Information technology  
architect
- Local and regional  
councils
- Security analyst
- Telecommunications  
engineer





# Full Postgraduate programme listing

Graduate Diploma of Teaching (GradDipT)	Master of Applied Finance (MApFin)	Master of Arts (Applied) (MA(Applied))
 Start date: Early Childhood Education (ECE) and Primary - Early January Secondary - February	 February	 Intakes: February/July
 1 year (full time) ECE: 153 points Primary: 153 points Secondary: 120 points	 18 months/1.5 years (3 trimesters) full time	 1 year/120 points
 Approximate total tuition fee ECE: NZ\$37,965 Primary: NZ\$37,965 Secondary: NZ\$29,775	 NZ\$44,935 (approximate total tuition fee, 2020) See website for 2021 fees	 NZ\$30,695 approximate total tuition fee, 2020 See website for 2021 fees
 Hamilton	 Hamilton	 Includes practical experience
 Hamilton	 Hamilton	 Hamilton
Majors: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Early Childhood Education<sup>H</sup></li> <li>• Primary<sup>H</sup></li> <li>• Secondary<sup>H</sup></li> </ul>	Learn more on page 60 <a href="http://waikato.ac.nz/go/MApFin">waikato.ac.nz/go/MApFin</a>	<a href="http://waikato.ac.nz/go/MAApplied">waikato.ac.nz/go/MAApplied</a>
Learn more on pages 50-51 <a href="http://waikato.ac.nz/go/GradDipT">waikato.ac.nz/go/GradDipT</a>		
Graduate Diploma in Law (GradDipLaw)	Master of Arts (MA)	Master of Business Administration (MBA)
 Intakes: February/July	 Intakes: February/July	 Intakes: March
 1 year/120 points (full time)	 1.5 years/180 points (full time)	 18 months/180 points (full time)
 Approximate fees NZ\$30,260	 NZ\$46,045-52,395 (approximate total tuition fee, 2020) See website for 2021 fees	 NZ\$55,000 (approximate total tuition fee, 2020) See website for 2021 fees
 Hamilton and Tauranga	 Hamilton and Tauranga	 Hamilton
<a href="http://waikato.ac.nz/go/GradDipLaw">waikato.ac.nz/go/GradDipLaw</a>	Majors: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Anthropology<sup>H</sup></li> <li>• Chinese<sup>H</sup></li> <li>• Education and Society<sup>H</sup></li> <li>• English<sup>H</sup></li> <li>• French<sup>H</sup></li> <li>• Geography<sup>H</sup></li> <li>• History<sup>H</sup></li> <li>• International Relations and Security Studies<sup>H</sup></li> <li>• Japanese<sup>H</sup></li> <li>• Māori Cultural Studies<sup>H</sup></li> <li>• Mathematics<sup>H</sup></li> <li>• Music<sup>H</sup></li> <li>• Philosophy<sup>H</sup></li> <li>• Political Science<sup>H</sup></li> <li>• Psychology<sup>HT*</sup></li> <li>• Screen and Media Studies<sup>H</sup></li> <li>• Te Reo Māori<sup>H</sup></li> <li>• Theatre Studies<sup>H</sup></li> </ul> <sup>H</sup> Hamilton campus <sup>T</sup> Tauranga campus	Triple Crown accredited, internationally recognised business school ranked in world's top 1%.  Learn more on page 61 <a href="http://waikato.ac.nz/go/MBA">waikato.ac.nz/go/MBA</a>
	<a href="http://waikato.ac.nz/go/MA">waikato.ac.nz/go/MA</a>	

<sup>H</sup> Hamilton campus    <sup>T</sup> Tauranga campus

Please note fees are approximate first year fees for 2020. See website for 2021 fees.

### Master of Business and Management (MBM)



Intakes: February/July/  
November



1 year/180 points (full time)



NZ\$45,900 (approximate  
total tuition fee, 2020)  
*See website for 2021 fees*



Includes one-month business  
internship



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Triple Crown accredited, internationally  
recognised business school. Top 300 for  
Business and Management Studies in QS  
World University Rankings 2019.

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[waikato.ac.nz/go/MBM](http://waikato.ac.nz/go/MBM)

### Master of Design (MDes)



Intakes: February/July



1.5 years/180 points



NZ\$51,520 (approximate  
total tuition fee, 2020)  
*See website for 2021 fees*



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[waikato.ac.nz/go/MDes](http://waikato.ac.nz/go/MDes)

### Master of Counselling (MCouns)



Intakes: February



2 years/240 points (full time)



NZ\$61,390 (approximate  
total tuition fee)  
*See website for 2021 fees*



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Admission includes a selection process.  
Applicants must have at least two years'  
experience in counselling. Applications  
should be received by 31 October.

[waikato.ac.nz/go/MCouns](http://waikato.ac.nz/go/MCouns)

### Master of Cyber Security (MCS)



Intakes: February/July



1.5 years/180 points (full time)



NZ\$51,520 (approximate  
total tuition fee, 2020)  
*See website for 2021 fees*



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[waikato.ac.nz/go/MCS](http://waikato.ac.nz/go/MCS)

### Master of Digital Business (MDigiBus)



Intakes: February/July



1 year/180 points  
(full time)



NZ\$44,935 (approximate  
total tuition fee, 2020)  
*See website for 2021 fees*



Includes professional  
industry internship



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recognised business school. Top 300 for  
Business and Management Studies in QS  
World University Rankings 2019. Ranked  
1st in New Zealand for EdUniversal Best  
Masters in E-Business and Digital Marketing

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[waikato.ac.nz/go/MDigiBus](http://waikato.ac.nz/go/MDigiBus)

### Master of Disability and Inclusion Studies (MDInS)



Intakes: February/July



1.5 years/180 points  
(full time)



NZ\$46,045 (approximate  
total tuition fee, 2020)  
*See website for 2021 fees*





























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Master of Education (MEd)	Master of Engineering (ME)	Master of Environment and Society (MEnvSoc)
 Intakes: February/July	 Intakes: February/July	 Intakes: February/July
 1.5 years/180 points (full time)	 1 year/120 points (full time)	 1 – 1.5 years/180 points
 NZ\$46,045 (approximate total tuition fee, 2020) <i>See website for 2021 fees</i>	 NZ\$37,985 (approximate total tuition fee, 2020) <i>See website for 2021 fees</i>	 NZ\$51,520 (approximate total tuition fee, 2020) <i>See website for 2021 fees</i>
 Hamilton	 Hamilton	 Includes practical experience
<b>Main subjects:</b> • Adult learning • Arts Education • Counselling Studies • Education • Education and Society • Global Studies In Education • Human Development • Language and Literacy Education • Mathematics Education • Science, Technology and Environmental Education	Generally, pathway through Graduate Diploma is required for entry.	 Hamilton
Learn more on page 63	<a href="http://waikato.ac.nz/go/ME">waikato.ac.nz/go/ME</a>	<a href="http://waikato.ac.nz/go/MEnvSoc">waikato.ac.nz/go/MEnvSoc</a>
Master of Educational Leadership (MEdLeadership)	Master of Engineering Practice (MEngPrac)	Master of Environmental Planning (MEP)
 Intakes: February/July	 Intakes: February	 Intakes: February/July
 1.5 years/180 points (full time)	 1-1.5 years year/180 points (full time)	 1 year/120 points
 NZ\$46,045 (approximate total tuition fee, 2020) <i>See website for 2021 fees</i>	 NZ\$54,620 (approximate total tuition fee, 2020) <i>See website for 2021 fees</i>	 NZ\$34,930 (approximate total tuition fee, 2020) <i>See website for 2021 fees</i>
 Hamilton	 Hamilton	 Includes practical experience
	Specialisations: Electronics • Materials and Processing • Mechanical Engineering	 Hamilton
<a href="http://waikato.ac.nz/go/MEdLeadership">waikato.ac.nz/go/MEdLeadership</a>	Learn more on pages 56-57	<a href="http://waikato.ac.nz/go/MEP">waikato.ac.nz/go/MEP</a>
	<a href="http://waikato.ac.nz/go/MEngPrac">waikato.ac.nz/go/MEngPrac</a>	

<sup>H</sup> Hamilton campus    <sup>T</sup> Tauranga campus

Please note fees are approximate first year fees for 2020. See website for 2021 fees.



### Master of Health, Sport and Human Performance (MHSHP)



Intakes: February/July



1.5 years/180 points (full time).  
*It may be possible to complete in 1 calendar year.*



NZ\$46,045 (approximate total tuition fee, 2020)  
*See website for 2021 fees*



Hamilton and Tauranga

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### Master of Information Technology (MInfoTech)



Intakes:  
February/July (180 points)  
February/November (240 points)



1.5 years/180 points (full time)  
2 years/240 points (full time)  
*It may be possible to complete the programme in a shorter period.*



NZ\$51,520 (180 points)  
NZ\$68,700 (240 points)  
*Above are approximate total tuition fees for 2020 start dates.  
See website for 2021 fees.*



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[waikato.ac.nz/go/MInfoTech](http://waikato.ac.nz/go/MInfoTech)

### Master of Laws (LLM)



Intakes: February/July



1 year/120 points (full time)



NZ\$32,680 (approximate total tuition fee, 2020)  
*See website for 2021 fees*



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Master of Laws in Māori/Pacific and Indigenous Peoples Law (LLM Māori/Pacific Indigenous Peoples) is also available.

[waikato.ac.nz/go/LLM](http://waikato.ac.nz/go/LLM)

### Master of Management Studies (MMS)



Intakes: February/July



1.5 years/180 points (full time)  
*It may be possible to complete 180 points in 1 calendar year.*



fees NZ\$44,935 (approximate total tuition fee, 2020)  
*See website for 2021 fees*

Specialisations: Accounting  
• Agribusiness • Applied Economics and Finance • Economics • Finance • Human Resource Management  
• International Management  
• Leadership Communication  
• Management and Sustainability  
• Management Systems • Marketing  
• Public Relations • Strategic Management  
• Tourism Management



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[waikato.ac.nz/go/MMS](http://waikato.ac.nz/go/MMS)

### Master of Māori and Pacific Development (MMPD)



Intakes: February/July



1.5 years/180 points (full time)



NZ\$46,045 (approximate total tuition fee, 2020)  
*See website for 2021 fees*



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[waikato.ac.nz/go/MMPD](http://waikato.ac.nz/go/MMPD)

### Master of Media and Creative Technologies (MMCT)



Intakes: February/July



1.5 years/180 points (full time)



NZ\$46,045 (approximate total tuition fee, 2020)  
*See website for 2021 fees*

Majors: Creative Practices • Creative Technologies • Māori Media and Communication • Screen and Media Studies



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[waikato.ac.nz/go/MMCT](http://waikato.ac.nz/go/MMCT)

### Master of Music (MMus)



Intakes: February/July



1 year/120 points (full time)



NZ\$34,345 (approximate total tuition fee, 2020)  
*See website for 2021 fees*



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[waikato.ac.nz/go/MMus](http://waikato.ac.nz/go/MMus)

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Please note fees are approximate first year fees for 2020. See website for 2021 fees.







<b>Master of Professional Accounting (MPAcct)</b>	<b>Master of Science (Research) (MSc(Research))</b>	<b>Master of Security and Crime Science (MSCS)</b>
 Intakes: January/November	 Intakes: February/July	 Intakes: February/July* *Not offered in 2020. 2021 intake to be confirmed - please enquire.
 14 months/220 points (full time)	 1.5-2 years/180 - 240pts (full time)	 1.5 years /180 points (full time)
 NZ\$51,000 (approximate total tuition fee, 2020) See website for 2021 fees	 NZ\$52,395 - NZ\$69,860 (approximate total tuition fee, 2020) See website for 2021 fees	
 Hamilton	 Hamilton	 Hamilton
 Includes practical experience		<a href="http://waikato.ac.nz/go/MSCS">waikato.ac.nz/go/MSCS</a>
Recognised by ACCA, CAANZ and CPA	<b>Majors:</b> Chemistry • Computer Science • Earth Sciences • Ecology and Biodiversity • Materials and Processing • Environmental Sciences • Mathematics • Molecular and Cellular Biology • Psychology* • Statistics	<b>Master of Social Sciences (MSocSc)</b>
<a href="#">Learn more on page 66</a>	<a href="http://waikato.ac.nz/go/MScResearch">waikato.ac.nz/go/MScResearch</a>	 Intakes: February/July
<a href="http://waikato.ac.nz/go/MPacct">waikato.ac.nz/go/MPacct</a>		 1.5 years /180 points (full time)
<b>Master of Professional Writing (MPW)</b>	<b>Master of Science (Technology) (MSc(Tech))</b>	 NZ\$46,045 - \$52,395 (approximate total tuition fee, 2020) See website for 2021 fees
 Intakes: February/July	 Intakes: February/July	 Hamilton and Tauranga
 1.5 years/180 points (full time) It may be possible to complete 180 points in 1 calendar year.	 1.5 years/180 points (full time)	<b>Majors:</b> Anthropology <sup>H</sup> • Economics <sup>H</sup> • Education & Society <sup>H</sup> • Geography <sup>H</sup> • Health Development and Policy <sup>H</sup> • History <sup>H</sup> • Philosophy <sup>H</sup> • Political <sup>H</sup> Science <sup>H</sup> • Population Studies <sup>H</sup> • Psychology <sup>HT*</sup> • Public Policy <sup>H</sup> • Social Policy <sup>H</sup> • Sociology <sup>H</sup> • Tikanga Māori <sup>H</sup> <sup>H</sup> Hamilton campus <sup>T</sup> Tauranga campus
 NZ\$46,045 (approximate total tuition fee, 2020) See website for 2021 fees	 NZ\$51,765 (approximate total tuition fee, 2020) See website for 2021 fees	<a href="http://waikato.ac.nz/go/MSocSc">waikato.ac.nz/go/MSocSc</a>
 Hamilton	 Hamilton	
<a href="http://waikato.ac.nz/go/MPW">waikato.ac.nz/go/MPW</a>	<b>Majors:</b> Chemistry • Computer Science • Earth Sciences • Ecology and Biodiversity • Environmental Sciences • Materials and Processing • Molecular and Cellular Biology	<b>Master of Teaching and Learning (MTchgLn)</b>
<b>Master of Science (MSc)</b>	<a href="http://waikato.ac.nz/go/MScTech">waikato.ac.nz/go/MScTech</a>	 Intakes: January* *Not offered in 2020. 2021 intake to be confirmed - please enquire.
 Intakes: February/July		 1 calendar year (Jan–Dec) 180 points (full time)
 1.5 years /180 points (full time)		 Hamilton
 NZ\$52,395 (approximate total tuition fee, 2020) See website for 2021 fees		<b>Steams:</b> Primary • Secondary
 Hamilton		<a href="http://waikato.ac.nz/go/MTchgLn">waikato.ac.nz/go/MTchgLn</a>
<a href="#">Learn more on page 67</a>		
<a href="http://waikato.ac.nz/go/MSc">waikato.ac.nz/go/MSc</a>		

# Graduate and Postgraduate 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.

Graduate Certificate	Graduate Diploma
 Intakes: February/July	 Intakes: February/July
 6 months/60 points (full time)	 1 year/120 points (full time)
 NZ\$12,580 - \$18,385 (approximate total tuition fee, 2020) See website for 2021 fees	 NZ\$25,160 - \$36,770 (approximate total tuition fee, 2020) See website for 2021 fees
<a href="http://waikato.ac.nz/go/GradCert">waikato.ac.nz/go/GradCert</a>	<a href="http://waikato.ac.nz/go/GradDip">waikato.ac.nz/go/GradDip</a>

## Postgraduate Certificates and Diplomas

A Postgraduate diploma can often lead to a masters degree. Postgraduate certificates and diplomas are available to graduates who wish to build on an earlier degree.

Postgraduate Certificate	Postgraduate Diploma
 Intakes: February/July	 Intakes: February/July
 6 months/60 points (full time)	 1 year/120 points (full time)
 NZ\$14,980 - \$19,560 (approximate total tuition fee, 2020) See website for 2021 fees	 NZ\$29,955 - \$39,115 (approximate total tuition fee, 2020) See website for 2021 fees
<a href="http://waikato.ac.nz/go/PGCert">waikato.ac.nz/go/PGCert</a>	<a href="http://waikato.ac.nz/go/PGDip">waikato.ac.nz/go/PGDip</a>

### Possible subject areas:

- Accounting
- Agribusiness
- Anthropology
- Ecology and Biodiversity
- Chemistry
- Community Health, Human Performance Science, and Sport Development and Coaching.
- Computer Science
- Creative Technologies
- Development Studies
- Digital Business
- Disability and Inclusion Studies
- Earth Sciences
- Economics
- Education
- Education and Society
- Educational Leadership
- Engineering
- Environmental Planning
- Environmental Sciences
- Finance
- Geography
- Health, Sport and Human Performance
- History
- Human Development
- Human Resource Management
- International Management
- International Relations and Security Studies
- Language and Literacy Education
- Law
- Leadership Communication
- Management and Sustainability
- Management Systems
- Māori and Indigenous Studies
- Marketing
- Material Science
- Mathematics Education
- Molecular and Cellular Biology
- Pacific and Indigenous Studies
- Philosophy
- Political Science
- Psychology
- Public Policy
- Public Relations
- Science Education
- Science, Technology and Environmental Education
- Screen and Media Studies
- Second Language Teaching
- Social Policy
- Sociology
- Statistics
- Strategic Management
- Supply Chain Management
- Tourism and Hospitality Management

For a full list of available subjects and their intakes visit [waikato.ac.nz/study/qualifications](http://waikato.ac.nz/study/qualifications)



# Higher degrees by research

The University offers supervised research degrees through the Master of Philosophy (MPhil), Doctor of Philosophy (PhD), 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. The University of Waikato Experts' File can help graduate students to contact University of Waikato staff with expertise in specialist areas. For more information visit [waikato.ac.nz/staff-profiles](http://waikato.ac.nz/staff-profiles)

## Master of Philosophy (MPhil)

1 – 1.5 years

This programme requires the completion of a thesis.

### Entry requirements

Applicants require an honours degree or masters degree.

### 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 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 50,000 words.

### Entry requirements

A qualification considered equivalent to a masters degree in music with at least second class honours (first division). Candidates must also audition successfully on an applied instrument or voice.

## Doctor of Education (EdD)

3 years full-time

This is a research degree. It involves one-third guided study and two-thirds thesis. This is a professional doctorate for senior practitioners in education.

### Entry requirements

The University requires students to provide a strong record of professional experience in education, a masters degree and research experience.



# Doctor of Philosophy (PhD)

This is a research degree culminating in the presentation of a thesis. You are expected to make an original contribution to knowledge while extending your research skills.

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.

## Entry requirements

Students require a masters degree with at least second class honours (First Division), and research experience before starting.

Available within the areas of:	Domestic Annual Tuition Fees
Arts, Humanities, Social Sciences	NZ\$6,445
Business, Accounting, Management, Law	NZ\$6,578
Computer Science, Fine Arts, Music and Performing Arts	NZ\$6,845
Education	NZ\$7,227
Engineering	NZ\$6,845
Health, Sport and Human Performance	Available on request
Māori	Available on request
Science	NZ\$6,845

*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 Philosophy (PhD)



1st of any month between February-November



Minimum 3 years (full time)



See table

[waikato.ac.nz/go/PhD](https://waikato.ac.nz/go/PhD)



# Higher degree application process

The application closing dates for 2020 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 [sgr@waikato.ac.nz](mailto:sgr@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](http://waikato.ac.nz/staff-profiles)

## How to apply

PhD applicants apply online through the University online application portal at [waikato.ac.nz/enrol](http://waikato.ac.nz/enrol)

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.

*\*Applications must be received by midnight (NZST) on 31 January, 31 May and 30 September.*

## Documentation required

- A completed supplementary form — this is where you will provide the contact details for 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.

## 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 [sgr@waikato.ac.nz](mailto:sgr@waikato.ac.nz)

## Offer of place

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





# Our research impact

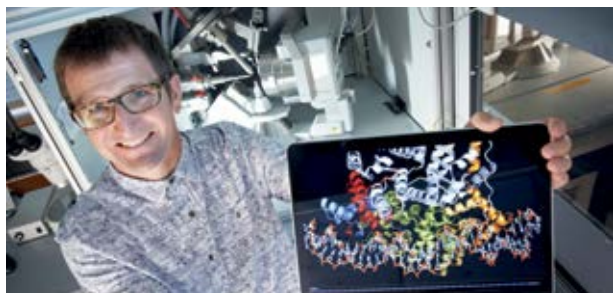
The University of Waikato is one of New Zealand's major research organisations, playing a key role in the local economy and making a significant contribution to national innovation.

Our academics have expertise across a range of subject areas. They can supervise you in whatever project you decide to pursue. For more information visit [waikato.ac.nz/research](http://waikato.ac.nz/research). Examples of our current research projects include:

## Coastal Marine Research Station

The University of Waikato Coastal Marine Group (CMG) is a specialist group of scientists and students carrying out research designed to improve marine ecosystems. In the chemistry lab, students are using algal collected by CMG divers to find out if natural metabolites from marine algae can be used to treat pathogenic bacteria, in particular *Psa*. Their research is supported by Zespri.

## James Cook Fellow - Vic Arcus



One of the big unknowns in climate change is what the biosphere will do as the temperature goes up. Professor Vic Arcus is the recipient of a James Cook Research Fellowship from the Royal Society Te Apārangi to support his investigation into how the biological world is responding to changing temperatures, from enzymes to ecosystems.

## Research Institutes

We have seven research institutes that support world-class research:

- Environmental Research Institute (ERI)
- National Institute of Demographic and Economic Analysis (NIDEA)
- New Zealand Institute for Business Research (NZIBR)
- Institute of Professional Learning (IPL)
- Institute for Security & Crime Science
- Wilf Malcolm Institute of Educational Research (WMIER)
- Te Kotahi Research Institute (TKRI)

## Robotics Plus



Seasonal labour shortages are becoming all too common in the primary industries. University of Waikato engineers work with industry to develop robotic machinery that reduces the need for pickers and the like. Waikato staff and students have assisted with the development of kiwifruit and apple pickers, and most recently have built a prototype asparagus harvester.

## Security and crime science

In 2017, the University of Waikato opened The New Zealand Institute for Security and Crime Science (NZISCS). The University is the primary research partner for the New Zealand Police. The institute's research aims to reduce crime and increase security through multi-disciplinary, evidence-based research.

## Sports research



Sports science is helping athletes achieve faster, higher stronger results. Dr Kim Hébert-Losier is a world leading biomechanics researcher who's figured out why Usain Bolt runs faster than other competitors, and has used 3D motion capture on the rugby field to analyse place-kicking mechanics of high-level players.

# Your journey to Waikato

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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.

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## **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](mailto: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](http://waikato.ac.nz/study/international/education-agents)

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## **How to apply**

Apply to study at Waikato at [waikato.ac.nz/enrol](http://waikato.ac.nz/enrol) For more information on how to apply see page 23.

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## **Check the entry requirements**

As an international student you need to meet academic (pages 24-29) and English language entry requirements (pages 30-31) for our programmes. If you do not meet these requirements, refer to our pathway programmes on pages 32-34.

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## **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.

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## **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.

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## **Apply for your student visa**

You can apply for your student visa before paying the fee. Please visit [immigration.govt.nz](http://immigration.govt.nz) for more information on student visas. Once you have received your AIP (Approval in Principle) 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.

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## **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](http://waikato.ac.nz/study/international/preparing-to-come-to-nz)

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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.

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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 and you will receive a welcome pack from the University with key information to help you through your first few days in New Zealand.

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## **International orientation**

You need to attend a compulsory Orientation session for all international students. Visit [waikato.ac.nz/events/orientation](http://waikato.ac.nz/events/orientation) for dates and schedules.

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Auckland City  
Auckland International Airport  
1.5 hour drive from Hamilton  
2.5 hours drive from Tauranga



Hot Water  
Cathedral  
2 hours



Hakarimata  
Summit



Raglan

HAMILTON CITY



Hamilton  
Campus



Pirongia  
Forest Park



Waitomo  
Glowworm Caves



Otorohanga  
Kiwi House



# Map of our regions



er Beach  
ral Cove  
r drive

Natural  
Hot Springs

Hobbiton  
Movie Set

Blue Springs

Turoa Ski Field  
3 hour drive from  
Hamilton or Tauranga

TAURANGA CITY

Tauranga  
Campus

Mt. Maunganui  
Beach

White Island  
Volcanic Attraction

ROTORUA CITY

Natural  
Geothermal Valley





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