



## Key Updates

# Guiding your students to success: pathways to Notre Dame

Early Offer, UniPath and a supportive university experience

As a Career Advisor, you play a vital role in shaping students' futures. At the University of Notre Dame Australia, we're committed to the provision of diverse study pathways and a supportive environment to ensure our students thrive. We invite you to learn more about our Early Offer and UniPath programs, designed to make the transition to university smoother and more accessible for your students.

## Young Achievers Early Offer Program

Notre Dame's Early Offer Program recognises students' well-rounded achievements, not just their ATAR. As such, our Early Offer Program now accepts applications from students who are on a non-ATAR pathway.

- **Individual factors:** We consider the whole person, as we recognise it requires more than academic excellence to succeed in a chosen profession. We invite applicants to provide details of their personal qualities, experience and contribution to community life.
- **Alternative entry:** We consider extracurricular activities, community service and other accomplishments for students on alternative pathways (e.g. Certificate IV, STAT, enabling programs like UniPath).
- **Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander entry:** We encourage Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students to apply. We offer adjustment factors and dedicated transition support.
- **Special consideration:** We accommodate students with special circumstances.

## 2025 key dates

- **1 May:** applications open.
- **1 September:** offer rounds begin and run until December.
- **1 December:** applications close.
- **17 December:** last offer date (up to the release of WACE results).



## New Student Hub

We're investing in our students' future with the biggest upgrade to our Fremantle Campus in history! The Student Hub will provide a modern, vibrant and interconnected space for learning, collaboration and connection.

- **Refurbished St Teresa's Library:** a world-class learning environment with an array of study spaces.
- **New teaching and learning facility:** featuring a contemporary Craven Law Centre, moot court and 24/7 study space.
- **Dedicated student helpdesk:** providing easy access to support and answers.
- **Enhanced collaboration spaces:** with new technology to connect and collaborate.

## UniPath: your pathway to university

Give your Year 12 students a head start with UniPath, our 12-week pathway program.

- **Guaranteed entry:** successful completion guarantees entry into many undergraduate programs.\*
- **University experience:** students study on campus one day a week (or in block weeks), attend tutorials and develop essential study skills.
- **Smooth transition:** UniPath bridges the gap between high school and university, preparing students for academic success.

\*Excludes Bachelor of Architecture, Psychology, Physiotherapy, Occupational Therapy and Health and Physical Education: Secondary.

## Open Day: explore Notre Dame

Join us for our Fremantle Open Day on 24 May 2025.

- **Information sessions:** learn about our programs from academics and current students.
- **Workshops:** get hands-on experience of our programs.
- **Student Life expo:** discover clubs, sports and support services.
- **Campus tours:** explore our state-of-the-art facilities.



Artist's impression of the new finished Student Hub.



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### Connect with us at Career Connect!

Email: [future@nd.edu.au](mailto:future@nd.edu.au)

Call: 08 9433 0533

Visit: 23 High Street, Fremantle  
Monday to Friday, 8.30 am–5 pm

Book a  
school visit:



Book a  
call with us:



[notredame.edu.au](https://notredame.edu.au)





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# 2025 UWA Update

## UWA Brunch and Learn

Join us on Friday 28 February at 8am for our annual UWA Brunch and Learn.

The event will feature important updates for Career Advisers and Teachers on what's new at UWA in 2025. Places are limited.

For more details and to register, contact [schools@uwa.edu.au](mailto:schools@uwa.edu.au)

## Career Advisers and Teachers Webpage Relaunch

We are thrilled to launch our newly redesigned Career Advisers and Teachers webpage

This refreshed space is designed to support your vital role in guiding students from school to university with easy access to helpful resources.

[uwa.edu.au/study/for-teachers](http://uwa.edu.au/study/for-teachers)

## Scholarships

We offer a range of scholarships for students. Applications are now open for the below scholarships:

### UWA Fogarty Foundation Scholarship

- \$12,500 per annum
- Awarded to 10 students
- Applications open now - closing 31 May

### UWA Winthrop Scholarship

- \$10,000 per annum
- Awarded to 10 students
- Applications open now - closing 20 June

The main round of scholarship applications will be open from July to November 2024, this includes:

### UWA Connect Scholarship

- \$5000 per annum
- \$1500 start-up assistance to help with initial costs
- Number awarded varies based on available funding

We have more scholarships available including 80+ Donor and Industry Scholarships ranging from \$5,000 - \$35,000 dollars in value.

To discover the scholarships available, head to:

[uwa.edu.au/study/scholarships/explore](http://uwa.edu.au/study/scholarships/explore)

## Term 1, 2025 Events

### February

- UWA Brunch and Learn  
Friday 28 February | 8am - 12pm

### March

- UWA Open Day  
Sunday 30 March | 10am - 3pm

For event dates and updates visit

[uwa.edu.au/study/events](http://uwa.edu.au/study/events)

School Engagement Team  
[schools@uwa.edu.au](mailto:schools@uwa.edu.au)  
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## New Courses

We continue to build on our available majors, specialised bachelor's degrees, combined bachelor's degrees, and combined bachelor's and master's degrees offerings to meet growing demand for skills that address today's shifting economic, social and technological landscapes.

### New majors available in 2025

Bachelor of Arts -

- *Musical Theatre*
- *Media and Communications (Extended Major)*

### New specialised bachelor's degree courses launching in 2025

- Bachelor of Art History and Curatorial Studies
- Bachelor of Media and Communication

### New combined bachelor's degree courses launching in 2025

- Bachelor of Art History and Curatorial Studies and Bachelor of Arts
- Bachelor of Art History and Curatorial Studies and Bachelor of Commerce
- Bachelor of International Relations and Bachelor of Arts
- Bachelor of Mathematics and Bachelor of Arts
- Bachelor of Media and Communication and Bachelor of Arts
- Bachelor of Media and Communication and Bachelor of Commerce
- Bachelor of Modern Languages and Bachelor of Commerce
- Bachelor of Music and Bachelor of Biomedical Science
- Bachelor of Psychology and Bachelor of Science
- Bachelor of Social and Environmental Sustainability and Bachelor of Arts

### New Combined bachelor's and master's degrees in 2025

- Bachelor of Arts and Master of Teaching (Secondary)
- Bachelor of Human Sciences and Master of Biomedical Science (Neuroscience)
- Bachelor Human Sciences (Pharmaceutical Health) and Master of Pharmacy
- Bachelor of Science Frontier Physics and Master of Physics - Medical Physics

Additional information on new courses will be available in the UWA Course Guide set to release later this year. For up-to-date information on UWA courses visit [uwa.edu.au/study](http://uwa.edu.au/study)

## Experience-based entry

At UWA, we believe that ambition and achievements outside the classroom also matter. With or without an ATAR, students can apply to study at UWA with Experience-based entry, using a combination of academic and life experiences. TAFE qualifications, work experience, volunteering, and sporting achievements all count towards entry to several undergrad degrees.

Students can check their eligibility online at [uwa.edu.au/eligibility-checker/](http://uwa.edu.au/eligibility-checker/)

## UWA+ Starter

This year, along with our partner school model, UWA is now accepting direct individual enrolment for our UWA+ Starter micro-credentials. This exciting program gives senior secondary school students the unique opportunity to begin their uni



experience early by completing UWA micro-credentials while still in school.

[uwa.edu.au/study/uwa-starter](http://uwa.edu.au/study/uwa-starter)

## Admission support

We have a range of different pathways suited to your student's qualifications or experiences. For personalised guidance, we encourage students and parents to reach out to our Future Students Team for further assistance.

**Phone 131 UWA (131 892)**  
[ask.uwa.edu.au](mailto:ask.uwa.edu.au)

*Information on this flyer is current as of 31 January 2025 and is subject change.*

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# A Brighter Future is Here

## Get Career Ready with Murdoch

At Murdoch University we pride ourselves in preparing our students for their exciting future careers. In 2023-24, over 69% of our students participated in Units that were co-designed or co-delivered with industry, this is *in addition to* those degrees with more formal industry accreditation such as Counselling, Exercise Science, Chiropractic Science, Education, Nursing, and Veterinary Science.

In 2025, Murdoch University has 132 undergraduate units on offer that provide a work integrated learning such as:

- Work Placement (e.g. industry internship/placement)
- Workplace Simulation (e.g. students working with our IT Help Desk on campus)
- Industry or Community Project (e.g. consultancy units)

What does this look like in practice? Let's take a closer look at Engineering and Information Technology as examples.

### Engineering

The Electrical and Renewable Energy and Environmental Engineering sectors are undergoing a massive transition from predominantly fossil fuel-based to renewable energy-based electricity generation. With up to **450 hours of professional work experience** available in the course, our newly accredited Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) equips students with the skills that are in high demand amongst engineers and technologists working in this exciting and rapidly evolving area.

As an Engineering student at Murdoch, you will get to work on **real-life projects** alongside industry experts. A final Honours year embedded in the degree allows students to apply their first three years of study through an individual research or industry-based project.

Make use of our **\$10.1 million Bayer Pilot Plant** – a real-world engineering plant with a dedicated control room, the only one of its kind in Western Australia. Other facilities include:

- A power laboratory
- Renewable energy outdoor test area
- Solar photovoltaic systems (grid connected and stand-alone)
- A pico-hydro system
- A wind energy system
- Various energy storage systems
- A power electronic test facility
- Meteorological equipment for renewable energy resource assessment



Learn more about  
Engineering at  
Murdoch

### Information Technology

Our Bachelor of Information Technology has a **five-star rating** and ranks top ten Australia-wide for learning resources in Computing and Information Systems (Good Universities Guide 2025).

Get industry ready in our **IT Innovation Hub**, equipped with state-of-the-art augmented reality (AR) equipment, an operational data centre, and high-performance computing capabilities.

Our **Industry Advisory Board**, comprised of companies such as Microsoft, Bankwest, and Fiona Stanley Hospital, help us to design our courses. This means that our graduates are job-ready, with the expertise, skills and knowledge that are most needed by leading employers in the sector.

Our Graduates are **highly sought after** as IT professionals across many leading companies. Recent destinations include Amazon, NEC, Telstra, Twitter, Cisco, Wesfarmers, ASIO, Woodside, Honeywell, Serco, and Insight.



Learn more about  
Information Technology  
at Murdoch



# What's New in 2025 & 2026?

## School of Indigenous Knowledges

The minor in Indigenous Knowledges and Practices is strongly recommended for students wishing to pursue a career working with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples and communities. You'll graduate career-ready with skills to equip you to engage meaningfully in work with Indigenous communities, as well as the ability to apply Indigenous Knowledges within your chosen field of practice.

## School of Medical, Molecular & Forensic Sciences

We offer an exciting range of courses in highly relevant disciplines such as Biomedical Science, Laboratory Medicine, Clinical Laboratory Science, Genetics and Molecular Biology, Forensic Biology and Toxicology, Forensic Chemistry and Food Science and Nutrition. We have some new majors coming to this area in 2026, with further information to be launched at our Careers Masterclass on Monday 24th February 2025. For more information, email [engage@murdoch.edu.au](mailto:engage@murdoch.edu.au)

## Scholarships

We have a wide variety of scholarships available, including two Engineering scholarships aimed at supporting students from underrepresented groups. Our **Ngala Kwop Biddi Brighter Futures scholarship**, which allows each Secondary School in WA to nominate a suitable candidate, will go live for nominations for schools later in 2025. More information can be found on our website, or by scanning the QR code on the right.



Learn more about  
our scholarships

## New Engagement Offerings

We have new engagement opportunities available for Years 10–12 in our Future Students and Outreach teams. Our team can deliver activities, on-campus experiences, and provide guidance and support regarding our courses and pathways. For more information, or to book a workshop for your class, email our team at [engage@murdoch.edu.au](mailto:engage@murdoch.edu.au)



## Open Day

Saturday 5 April 2025  
10am–3pm

Ngala kwop biddi.  
Building a brighter future, together.



Explore our  
upcoming events







# How we work with Career Counsellors at ECU

**At ECU we know how difficult it can be for young people to make decisions about career directions or pathways to university.**

We also understand the important role that career counsellors and teachers play in guiding these decisions. Our experienced Future Students Engagements team are here to help you.

## Services we provide to you and our future students

Our Future Student engagements team are here to provide up-to-date information to you, your students and their parents about all things ECU.



### School visits

Presentations to your students or attendance at career expos.



### Information evenings and tours

A mix of on-campus and online sessions designed to help students and parents prepare for university study.



### Campus workshops and activities

Hands-on events run for high school students by our teaching schools.



### Lots of advice

About course entry requirements, popular or new courses, pathways to ECU, early offers, scholarships and more.

## ECU Student Ambassador Recruit (STAR) Program

Our STARs represent a broad spectrum of disciplines and entry pathways and are available to engage with your students. They provide invaluable insights into their personal career journeys, university entry experiences, and what it's like to be a student at ECU. Experience ECU Days will continue during the school holidays in April, July and October 2025, catering to students in Years 9-11. These events are always highly popular, so be sure to stay tuned for further details!

Contact Ginetta Papaluca, Team Leader - Student Ambassador Program  
email [g.papaluca@ecu.edu.au](mailto:g.papaluca@ecu.edu.au) or **6304 2516**.







## Career Moves At ECU

At ECU, we understand that students need to do more than complete a course to start a career. Here are some ways we're helping students before they graduate.

### The ECU-IBM Partnership

Offers students a paid internship as part of their studies in specific disciplines, with a possible employment offer.

### The ECU-West Coast Eagles Partnership

Work placements during studies in specific disciplines and possible employment opportunities.

### ECU's Careers Strategy

Prepares students for future employment and builds their personal brand during their 3 or 4 year degree.



## 2025 Educators and Influencers Day

Join us for lunch and find out what's happening at ECU, including course and admission changes. Tour the campus and network with other educators, academics and our Future Students team.

**Date:** Friday, 28 March 2025

**Time:** 8:15am - 2:00pm

**Location:** ECU Joondalup Campus  
[trybooking.com/CVLXR](https://trybooking.com/CVLXR)



## Open Days in 2025

A great opportunity to discuss courses with staff and students, tour facilities, attend talks and demonstrations, win prizes and so much more.

ECU Joondalup Sunday 23 March

ECU Mount Lawley Sunday 4 May

ECU South West Coming soon

[ecu.edu.au/open-day/overview](https://ecu.edu.au/open-day/overview)



### ECU City

Keep up to date with what's happening

## Talk to us

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[ecu.edu.au/industry/career-counsellor-resources](https://ecu.edu.au/industry/career-counsellor-resources)



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# Curtin University

## What's new at Curtin?

It's been another busy year at Curtin. Find out what events we have planned for 2025 and learn more about our innovative new degrees.



### Course updates

This year, we've launched several exciting new degrees and major options.

#### New single degrees

Our two new health degrees respond to the nationwide demand for midwives and paramedics. Please note that the minimum ATAR requirement for admission to these courses means applications may be competitive.

- **Bachelor of Science (Midwifery)**  
[curtin.edu/bach-midw](https://curtin.edu/bach-midw)
  - Minimum ATAR 80
  - 3 years full-time

Our new midwifery degree offers students the skills to build a rewarding career in women's health, caring for mothers and babies through pregnancy, birth, and beyond. They'll complete supervised clinical placements in maternity units and follow individuals through their childbirth journey using the 'continuity of care' (CCE) approach.

- **Bachelor of Science (Paramedicine)**  
[curtin.edu/bach-paramed](https://curtin.edu/bach-paramed)
  - Minimum ATAR 75
  - 3 years full-time

This course offers students the knowledge and skills to work as a paramedic in

Australia and internationally. Students will learn from experienced paramedics with expertise in emergency ambulance settings, tactical operations, rescue services, rural/remote practice and industry.

#### New double degrees

Our immersive Bachelor of Innovation course can now be studied in combination with the following degrees, offering students the chance to apply a GRIT\* mindset to a wide range of industries:

- **Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Innovation**  
[curtin.edu/bb-artinn](https://curtin.edu/bb-artinn)  
Guaranteed ATAR 70; 4 years full-time
- **Bachelor of Engineering (Honours), Bachelor of Innovation**  
[curtin.edu/bach-eninno](https://curtin.edu/bach-eninno)  
Guaranteed ATAR 80; 5.5 years full-time
- **Bachelor of Laws, Bachelor of Innovation**  
[curtin.edu/bach-lawinn](https://curtin.edu/bach-lawinn)  
Guaranteed ATAR 90; 4.5 years full-time
- **Bachelor of Science (Health Sciences), Bachelor of Innovation**  
[curtin.edu/bach-hlsinn](https://curtin.edu/bach-hlsinn)  
Guaranteed ATAR 70; 4 years full-time

- **Bachelor of Science (Nutrition), Bachelor of Innovation**  
[curtin.edu/bach-nutinn](https://curtin.edu/bach-nutinn)  
Minimum ATAR 70; 4 years full-time
- **Bachelor of Science, Bachelor of Innovation**  
[curtin.edu/bach-scinno](https://curtin.edu/bach-scinno)  
Minimum ATAR 70; 4 years full-time

\*The World Economic Forum has identified GRIT (global, responsible, innovative, technology) skills as non-negotiable for the 21st century.

#### New majors

Two new majors are now available to study in our Bachelor of Laws, Bachelor of Arts double degree.

- **Digital and Social Media**  
Develop advanced skills in creating, maintaining and managing online communications for personal and commercial interactions.
- **Security and Strategic Studies**  
Gain an in-depth understanding of the complex challenges that affect Australia's national security and international security.

### Admission reminders

Our standard English requirements changed earlier this year:

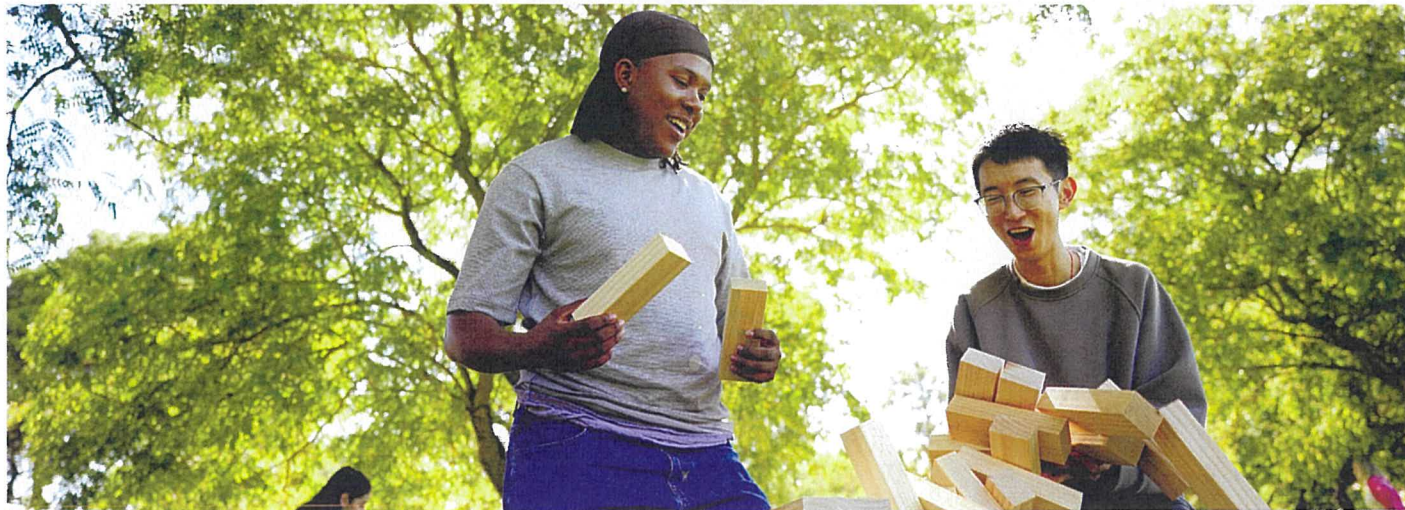
- An A in General English can be used to meet English requirements for bachelor degrees.
- A B in General English can be used to apply for portfolio entry.

A wider range of humanities courses now accept portfolio entry, including:

- Bachelor of Applied Science (Construction Management)
- Bachelor of Urban and Regional Planning
- Bachelor of Applied Science (Architectural Science)
- Bachelor of Education (Primary Education)
- Bachelor of Education (Early Childhood Education).

The TISC open date for 2025 is Sunday 1 June.





## Events

### Teachers' Big Day Out, Monday 5 May 2025

Join us for a day of professional development, networking, and learning opportunities tailored to high school staff and career counsellors. It's the perfect chance to connect with peers and get the latest updates on advisory and educational trends.

### Are you receiving our e-newsletters?

Subscribe at [curtin.edu/cc-signup](https://curtin.edu/cc-signup) to receive updates from our team on admission requirements, course changes and events.

Event name	Date (2025)
Open Day	Sunday 6 April
Teachers Big Day Out	Monday 5 May
Careers Expo	Thursday 15 to Sunday 18 May
Application Support (Webinar)	Thursday 29 May
Years 9 to 12 Information Evening (Parent and Guardian)	Wednesday 18 June
Skills West Careers and Employment Expo	Thursday 24 to Saturday 26 July
Scholarships Webinar	Tuesday 5 August
Kalgoorlie Teacher PD Day	Wednesday 20 August
Kalgoorlie Parent & Guardian Information Evening	Wednesday 20 August
Kalgoorlie Open Day	Thursday 21 August
UG Course Expo	Thursday 4 September

## MEET OUR TEAM

We love to share our Curtin wisdom... but can you guess our other hobbies?

**Nic** → Pianist

**Jason** → Jiu-jitsu

**Laura** → Artist

**Julie** → Golfer

**Madi** → Singer

**Tahlia** → Globetrotter

**Cathy** → Fashionista



## Contact us

To discuss school visits or other types of student engagement, please email [P\\_Services@curtin.edu.au](mailto:P_Services@curtin.edu.au).

### Curtin Connect (Building 102, Curtin Perth)

Office hours: Monday to Friday, 8:30am to 4:30pm  
(Tuesdays from 9:30am)

Closed public holidays

Tel: **1300 222 888**

Visit: [curtin.edu/connect](https://curtin.edu/connect).





# Outreach & access programs at Notre Dame

The University of Notre Dame is committed to ensuring all students have access to higher education. We have a range of initiatives that empower high school students to learn about university and pursue fulfilling futures.

Future You workshops

UniPath

Adjustment factors

Scholarships



[notredame.edu.au/  
outreach-and-access](https://notredame.edu.au/outreach-and-access)





## Future You workshops

Delivered by Notre Dame's Student Ambassadors at school or on a Notre Dame campus, Future You offers a range of workshops for students in Years 7-10. These workshops are designed to build self-awareness, develop confidence and increase understanding of career and education pathways through hands-on activities.



## UniPath

The UniPath enabling program equips Year 12 students with the necessary skills to succeed at university. The program runs on campus one day per week over 12 weeks which gives students a unique opportunity to experience university life. Upon successful completion of the UniPath program, students are guaranteed entry into many undergraduate courses at Notre Dame. UniPath is a partnership between schools and the University with a fee-remission scholarship available to students from identified schools.



## Adjustment factors

At Notre Dame, our admissions process goes beyond academic results and considers students' unique experience, interests, and contributions. We offer a range of adjustment factors that are applied to a student's ATAR to create a Selection Rank. Students from schools with an ICSEA score below 1000 and schools located in regional or remote areas are eligible for 1-5 adjustment factor points.



## Scholarships

Notre Dame offers a wide range of scholarships for undergraduate students, including scholarships specifically for students from financially disadvantaged backgrounds, students from regional and remote areas, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students and students with disabilities. For example, the Get Set Grant provides grants of \$1000 to help with the costs of starting university, such as buying a laptop and textbooks.



Find out more at [notredame.edu.au/outreach-and-access](https://notredame.edu.au/outreach-and-access)  
or contact the Notre Dame Student Equity Team on  
[student.equity@nd.edu.au](mailto:student.equity@nd.edu.au)