Chinese Student Prospectus
2021-2022
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Offshore student - studying online information

We recognise that this is an unsettling time and that you are likely to have many questions about studying with us and joining us in New Zealand.

We are pleased to be offering a number of our most popular programmes online while New Zealand border restrictions are in place. This will enable you to begin your studies with us from your home country until you are able to join us in New Zealand. Once border restrictions are lifted we will help you transition to face-to-face classes in New Zealand.

For more information about studying online and updates on how we can assist our offshore students, please visit waikato.ac.nz/go/internationaloffshore

Our staff will do everything they can to support you with your future study at the University of Waikato. Please contact us via WeChat, email, or give us a call.
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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 accessible from every city.

New Zealand has less pollution and traffic congestion than most other parts of the world.

Affordable
In New Zealand you can enjoy a high quality of life for a relatively low cost of living. New Zealand has a high standard of health care and prides itself on locally grown produce and New Zealand made products.

For more information on living costs in New Zealand, visit newzealandnow.govt.nz

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

New Zealand's global rankings
• Ranked in the top 10 countries in the Legatum Prosperity Index which considers many aspects of a country including: economic quality, business environment, education, health, safety and security.
• New Zealand welcomes international students and ranks the 2nd most peaceful country in the world*.
• New Zealand is ranked third in the ‘Worldwide Education for the Future Index’ in factors of university-industry collaboration, future-focused curriculum and high-quality teacher education. The Index is published by The Economist Intelligence Unit.

*2019 Global Peace Index
Post-study work opportunities

New Zealand offers some of the most generous post-study work opportunities of any country worldwide. All students completing a full bachelor’s degree (level 7), postgraduate diploma (level 8), master’s degree (level 9) or PhD (level 10) are eligible for a three-year post-study open work visa, allowing graduates to work in any profession during this time.

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Most international students can work part-time for up to 20 hours a week and full-time during all scheduled holidays (trimester breaks) and the Christmas and New Year holiday period.

Students who are allowed to work will have their work rights recorded in their eVisa or the visa label in their passport, or it will be explained to them in a letter issued by Immigration New Zealand.

To learn more about study to work options and the Skilled Migrant Category, visit immigration.govt.nz/new-zealand-visas

Occupation Outlook

Occupation Outlook is a mobile app published by the New Zealand Government with detailed information on study and career options within New Zealand. A wide range of careers are listed alongside the qualifications required for each role, employment numbers and average incomes. Most importantly, the job prospects for each career are evaluated and listed.

Careers with stand-out job prospects are as follows:

**Engineering Professionals**

**Software Developers**

**Accountants**

*Full details and a link to download the app can be found on the Occupation Outlook website: occupationoutlook.mbie.govt.nz Details correct as of November 2020.*
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.

The University is dedicated to providing quality teaching and equipping graduates to have the appropriate skills required for a progressive careers market.

Students are encouraged to actively participate in learning by asking questions in classes and many of our academics welcome students to meet with them outside of the classroom to discuss course content or assignments.

In every programme students have the opportunity to engage with industry through work-integrated learning programmes using a mix of case-studies, internships, work placements, or completing projects for real businesses. Our students have done everything from preparing new product strategy plans to building robots.

The University strives to deliver pioneering research and transfer that knowledge into industry and government sectors.

Our faculties and schools

Our University is comprised of 12 faculties and schools of study offering students a diverse range of courses. Our high quality teaching standards and excellent facilities open up a world of opportunities to our graduates.

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

- Over 2,500 international students from more than 85 nations
- Accessible academic staff who are leaders in their fields
- More than 90% of our students are satisfied with their experience at Waikato (International Student Barometer Survey 2019)
- Comprehensive student support, careers advice, and student health services available to all students
Globally ranked education

Our University is globally recognised as a provider of future-focused education and an active contributor to global research.

University Rankings
The QS World University Rankings 2021 placed the University of Waikato in the top 3rd of all ranked universities and awarded us third amongst New Zealand universities for research impact.

Subject Rankings
The Shanghai Global Rankings of Academic Subjects 2020 placed the University of Waikato Hospitality and Management subject 38th (2nd in New Zealand) and Communication in the top 200 (2nd in New Zealand).

Nine subject areas including Education (top 150), Business, Geography, and Hospitality and Leisure Management were recognised in the QS World University Subject Rankings 2020.

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

The Waikato and Bay of Plenty regions of New Zealand offer a variety 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 with strong connections to Maori culture. It is home to approximately 161,000 people, making it the fourth largest city in New Zealand. Located along the Waikato River, Hamilton has magnificent parks and gardens.

Explore and travel

Hamilton is a gateway to many of the beautiful features of the surrounding 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.

You can travel to Auckland city or Auckland international airport in one-and-a-half to two hours from Hamilton. A new expressway will be complete by 2021 reducing the journey time by 35 minutes!

Strong economy

The Waikato region has 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.

Ruakura Inland Port

The Ruakura Inland Port project is posed to position Ruakura (a suburb in Hamilton) as the premium logistics and industrial hub in the North Island.

Complementing the inland port is a 192ha logistics and industrial precinct offering room to grow for businesses seeking a substantial footprint, and adjoining precincts for commercial, residential and retail use.

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 (New Zealand) 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, and is situated in the beautiful Bay of Plenty region. The University of Waikato has been providing tertiary education in Tauranga for more than 20 years.

Central city campus

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

The city campus is designed to provide a multipurpose space where students, researchers, the community and industry can work together.

The city campus supported by well-equipped science and engineering labs, a marine science research centre, and a high performance sports facility.

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

Celebrating connections

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

Thriving industries

Tauranga has 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 sectors. The city centre is currently undergoing an exciting $250 million transformation.

Coastal lifestyle

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

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

Mount Maunganui beach, a popular New Zealand beach, is also close by so you can enjoy sun, sand and sea while you study. Whether you want to swim, surf, dine, shop or explore the captivating culture and history, Tauranga has everything you need.

Programmes and majors that are available on our Tauranga campus are listed on the relevant programme pages. However, not all papers (within programmes) will be available across both campuses and students may need to attend classes at both Hamilton and Tauranga campuses. Students who study papers at both campuses may need to apply to Immigration New Zealand for a variation to the conditions of their student visa.
When my parents sent me from China to study at high school in Tauranga, New Zealand, I barely spoke a word of English and used Google translate to communicate with my teachers. Now I am not just fluent in English and pretty good with Kiwi slang, I’ve also developed an understanding of te reo Māori and tikanga Māori thanks to my studies at the University of Waikato.

I chose to stay and study in Tauranga specifically for the social work programme as not every university in New Zealand offers this degree. My placements at EmpowermentNZ, Oranga Tamariki and four years of study have equipped me with the knowledge and skills I need to succeed in the practice of social work.

My time at Waikato has definitely shaped me into who I am today. I’m looking forward to graduating, going on to do my master’s (possibly overseas) with the goal of becoming a youth social worker.

– Sky (Ziqi) Ma
Bachelor of Social Work Graduate
Our regions

Explore all that beautiful New Zealand has to offer. With adventures 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
White sandy beaches stretch down our region’s East Coast. In contrast, the West Coast has unique black sand beaches. Join our student trips and learn how to surf or explore the wonders of Cathedral Cove and Hot Water Beach with friends.

Noho marae
This is 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 wharenui (house). Students take part in cultural activities and eat a traditional hāngi (feast) 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 meet welcoming local Kiwis (New Zealander’s).

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 learning facilities

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

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

In Tauranga, the Student Hub provides access to information and services including learning support and a health nurse. A library service and 24-hour computer lab are available.

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

**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. University research staff and students conducts sports research at the centre making use of the latest equipment and facilities.

**Science and Engineering Laboratories**
Specialist equipment in the new science and engineering laboratories at Tauranga’s city campus allow for collaborative learning and research between our students and academic staff.

**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 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 is located in the heart of the Bay of Plenty’s thriving marine precinct. This 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.
Student support

Our students tell us we are the friendliest and most supportive university 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

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

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

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

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.

Health and wellbeing
The University provides the services of:

• On-campus Health Centre in Hamilton
• General Practice doctors and nurses
• Confidential counselling services
• On-campus pharmacy

In Tauranga we have an on-campus health nurse and students can use the health services of nearby General Practice doctors.

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

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

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

Whether you’re studying in Hamilton or Tauranga, our welcoming atmosphere, range of clubs, social events and fully equipped campuses provide everything you need for your university journey. You’ll 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. Visit wsu.org.nz

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

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

Sports facilities
The Hamilton campus has:
• An outdoor 50-metre swimming pool and diving pool (open in summer months)
• Tennis and netball courts
• Sports fields and an indoor cricket facility

In Tauranga students have access to a thermally heated pool through our partnership gym, and nearby sporting facilities.

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

In Tauranga there are plenty of places to relax and chill out. Games, activities and workshops to improve your feeling of wellbeing are regularly held in The 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

Facilities on campus
- Accommodation
- Automated Teller Machines (ATM’S)
- 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
- 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.
Living costs

Basic weekly expenses

**Halls of Residence or university apartment accommodation**
- Self-catered: $200-$265
- Fully-catered: $322-$380

**Food**
Food is included in fully catered accommodation cost. $50-100

**Internet**
Free access in bedrooms and/or throughout your building. Included

**Mobile phone**
This will vary depending on whether you use prepay or contract and how much you use your phone. $10.00

**Transport**
This will vary depending on your transport choice. This cost is based upon owning a private vehicle. $40.00

**Entertainment**
This will vary depending on what you decide to do for entertainment. $50.00

**Total weekly cost** $350 - $580

Annual or one-off costs

**Halls of Residence deposit**
Includes $150 non-refundable administration fee. $650.00

**Student Services Levy**
The quoted fee is based upon enrolment in 120pts at a cost of $6.60 per point. $800.00 (approximate)

**Textbooks, course readings and printing**
This will vary depending on your programme of study and how much printing you do. $1,000.00

**University internet**
Included

**Parking**
Based on a one-year Halls of Residence permit (Licence to hunt). $120.00

**Clothes and toiletries**
This will vary depending on the type of clothing and toiletries you purchase. $800.00

**Total annual cost** $3,370

Other costs

**Airline tickets**
This will vary depending on what country you are departing from. $1,800 (approximate)

**Medical and travel insurance**
Based on 12 months cover from our recommended service provider, StudentSafe University. $650.00

**Visa**
This will vary depending on your country of citizenship and visa type. $310.00

**Total other cost** $2,760
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

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<td>Bryant Hall (Hamilton)</td>
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<td>Free WiFi, recreation room, disability access, bike and motorbike shed.</td>
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<td>College Hall (Hamilton)</td>
<td>$380</td>
<td>$205</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Free WiFi, library, TV rooms, leisure centre, bike and motorbike shed.</td>
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<td>Student Village (Hamilton)</td>
<td>$322</td>
<td>$205</td>
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<td>Hamilton</td>
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<td>Bleakley Place Apartments (Hamilton)</td>
<td>N/A</td>
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<td>Free WiFi and a reasonable amount of power. Part of the Bryant Hall community.</td>
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<td>Orchard Park (Hamilton)</td>
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<td>Orchard Park Studio with ensuite* (Hamilton)</td>
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<td>Silverdale Apartments (Hamilton)</td>
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<td>Each studio has its own fully-equipped kitchen, living/study space, bathroom and double bed. Shared laundry and recreation room.</td>
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<td>Mayfair Court (Tauranga)</td>
<td>N/A</td>
<td>$225</td>
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<td>Includes water, internet, a reasonable amount of power &amp; weekly cleaning of communal areas.</td>
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*Postgraduate students only.

One off accommodation fees

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**Optional items.

***Mayfair Court (Tauranga) activity fee is $50

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

All fees quoted in this publication are 2021 fees and subject to change. For more details on accommodation costs, please visit waikato.ac.nz/study/costs/accommodation
How to apply for on-campus accommodation or homestay

1. Once you have applied to Waikato, you can apply for on-campus accommodation in our halls of residence. Visit waikato.ac.nz/go/accommodation and follow the ‘apply now’ link. It’s important to apply as early as possible to stand the best chance of being offered your first choice.

2. Scroll down to the section for ‘new international students’ and follow the ‘apply now’ link.

3. At the top of the page, you will see a link to ‘register’.

4. Once you have registered, you’ll be taken to the halls of residence application form. Fill out your details, including your interests and preferences (this will help us to place you with like-minded flatmates) and your hall of residence preference.

5. You can then submit your application.

6. We will contact you by email once a decision has been made. If you are offered a place in the halls of residence, you can accept the offer by logging back in and following the instructions provided.

7. Don’t forget to complete the arrival form! We will pick you up from Auckland and Hamilton Airport free of charge* when you first arrive in New Zealand, and take you to your accommodation in Hamilton and Tauranga.

* a cost will be incurred for students who are enrolled in English only or Groups programmes.

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 is 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.

Other accommodation options

Homestay

Homestay accommodation is ideal for students who prefer a family-oriented lifestyle. Homestay may be compulsory for international students under the age of 18 years, although some students may be able to live in our halls of residence (with additional supervision). 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 for each person (based on recent figures with 2-4 flatmates) is between NZ$100 – $200 per week for a room, plus food and utilities. Prior to arrival in New Zealand it is possible to search online for flats or available rooms.

Renting

You can rent a house in a nearby residential suburb for you and your family for approximately NZ$480 – $570 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 or trademe.co.nz/property

For more information on accommodation and to apply, visit waikato.ac.nz/go/accommodation

For information for families and budgeting, visit waikato.ac.nz/study/costs/cost-of-living

Note: All costs on this page are in New Zealand Dollars.
International scholarships and bursaries

University of Waikato International Excellence Scholarships
This scholarship is awarded to students who can demonstrate academic excellence and contributes up to NZ$10,000 towards tuition fees for international students undertaking undergraduate or postgraduate-taught studies. Applications are made online and are assessed on a monthly basis.

University of Waikato International Excellence – NZ School Leavers Scholarship
This scholarship is open to international students completing Year 13 at a NZ high school in 2020 and intending to enrol full-time in an undergraduate degree in A Trimester 2021. Students must have achieved a Merit endorsement at NCEA Level 2 (August round) or expect to achieve a Merit endorsement at NCEA Level 3 (December round). Students who finished NCEA Level 3 in 2019 and are taking a ‘gap year’ in 2020 may also apply for the scholarship, provided they meet eligibility requirements. Applications are made online.

University of Waikato Doctoral Scholarships
This scholarship is open to high-achieving full-time international doctoral candidates. Successful candidates will receive up to NZ$25,000 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 can opt to be considered for the scholarship as part of their application for doctoral enrolment.

The University of Waikato Tauranga Campus International Bursary
This bursary is to be offered to students who are enrolling at the University of Waikato for the first time at the University’s Tauranga Campus. The bursary is valued at NZ$10,000 and will be applied to the recipient’s tuition fees at the beginning of their University of Waikato studies. No application is required.

High Achievement Bursary
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. This bursary is valued at NZ$5,000 and will be deducted from the full international student fees for the second year of undergraduate study. No application is required.

Waikato Pathways College International High Achiever Progression Bursary
This bursary is open to all international students, enrolling in a full-time undergraduate programme, who studied the Certificate of Attainment in Foundation Studies, Certificate of University Preparation, International Diploma (Business) or International Diploma (Science) at Waikato Pathways College in the preceding 12 months. This bursary is valued at NZ$5000 and will be deducted from the full international student fees for the first year of subsequent undergraduate study. No application is required.

University of Waikato Research Master’s Scholarship
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. Applications are made online.

For more information about scholarships and bursaries visit waikato.ac.nz/study/international/scholarships
The International Excellence Scholarship played a significant role in my choice of going to the University of Waikato. Because of this scholarship I have had the chance to be an international student ambassador and support students with their journey to studying at Waikato. I am very honoured to have this opportunity, and the recognition from the university makes me feel more confident.

– Yu Zeng – Guangzhou, China
International Excellence Scholarship Recipient

External scholarships
Prime Minister’s Scholarships for Asia and Latin America
This scholarship is New Zealand government-funded and provides recipients cover the cost of return flights to New Zealand and tuition fees. It also provides a financial contribution towards living costs including accommodation, student visa and travel insurance.

For more information and to apply visit: enz.govt.nz/funding/prime-ministers-scholarships-for-asia-and-latin-america/
Internships and industry experience

At Waikato we encourage our students to gain work experience while studying. 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.

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. Our interns have been placed in small and medium sized business (SMEs), major cooperations, not-for-profit organisations (NFPs), and local and national Government.

Benefits of industry experience

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

Work-Integrated Learning

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

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.

Employability Plus Programme

The Employability Plus Programme (EPP) gives Waikato students the opportunity to gain work-ready skills through volunteer activity, university participation and attending workshops.

Why join?

- Receive an official EPP Supplementary Record when you graduate
- Gain practical skills and experience
- Engage with industry (not-for-profit organisations)
- Be part of a fun and engaged student community
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.

– 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.

To apply as a study abroad student, you must:

• Have a minimum (75%) average (equivalents vary by country)
• Meet English proficiency requirements
• Have completed at least one year of full-time study and be currently enrolled at a recognised overseas tertiary institution.

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

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

Gap Year Study Experience

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

Requirements

Gap Year Student Experience students must:

• Be at least 18 years old at time of enrolment
• Live in one of the fully-catered residence halls (Bryant Hall, Student Village, or College Hall)

• Enrol in a minimum of 45 and maximum of 60 credit points at the 100 level
• Meet university entry requirements both for academics and English language

For more information please visit waikato.ac.nz/study/international/study-abroad-and-exchange/gap-year-study-experience

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 trimester.

Recommended dates for most programme applications

- March Intake 2021: apply by 1 December 2020
- July Intake 2021: apply by 1 May 2021
- November Intake 2021: apply by 1 September 2021

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.

Some programmes start earlier or later than the dates listed above. Refer the intake dates listed in the key information box for each programme.

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.
How to apply

You can apply to the University of Waikato directly or through an education agent. No matter which option you choose, we are here to help you every step of the way.

Direct applicant
You can apply directly to the University of Waikato online by following a few easy steps. Once you have registered, complete the online application form and attach your documents. Our admissions team will then assess your application. You can complete your application here: waikato.ac.nz/enrol

Application through an education agency
We work with a number of education agents across China. For a list of education agencies approved by the University of Waikato, please visit our website: waikato.ac.nz/study/international/education-agents

Application for Higher Research Degrees
Applications for Higher Research Degrees can be made at any time, but applications will only be assessed at three points each year: 31st January, 31st May, and 30th September. Please see our website for further details. Once your application has been approved, you can choose to enrol from the first day of any month between February and November. You can apply online here: waikato.ac.nz/study/postgraduate-studies/higher-degrees

Application timeline
1. Choose your programme of study
Choose from English language, foundation, pre-degree diplomas, undergraduate or postgraduate study. For advice on your programme selection, email international@waikato.ac.nz

2. Check your eligibility
Make sure you meet the academic and English language entry requirements (pages XXX) to study at Waikato.
Check our website if you are unsure: waikato.ac.nz/study/international

3. Apply online
Submit your application directly online or through an authorised education agent.

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4. Complete any additional application requirements
Research degree applicants (PhD, MPhil, DMA, EdD, SJD) are required to provide supplementary information, which can be found in the online application portal. Teacher Education applicants are required to complete the Teacher Education Supplementary form as part of their online application. Design applicants may be asked to submit a portfolio of work.

5. Conditional offer
The University will contact you once you have submitted your application. We may need some more information or documents from you. If you haven’t yet completed your current studies or you don’t meet English language requirements, you may receive a Conditional Offer of Study.

6. Formal offer
Once we have verified all of your documents and you meet entrance criteria (and any additional selection criteria), you will receive a Formal Offer of Study. This is an unconditional offer of place at Waikato.

7. Apply for your visa
Once you have your formal offer, you are ready to pay your fees and apply for your study visa through Immigration New Zealand.

8. Arrival and Orientation
You’re now ready to begin your studies! The University will arrange airport pick-up from Auckland or Hamilton when you arrive. Join the International Orientation Week to find about more about your new surroundings, and meet the International Student Support Team who will be there to help you every step of the way.
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

Entrance guidelines for students from selected countries

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<td>University of Waikato Foundation Studies (Certificate in Foundation Studies – CAFS)</td>
<td>The Certificate of Attainment in Foundation Studies – no less than a C- grade in any subject plus a B- grade or better in FOUND021 (English for Foundation Studies 1) and FOUND022 (English for Foundation Studies 2). Entry to the Bachelor of Engineering (Hons) requires an overall B- grade average, plus a B- grade or better in FOUND021 (English for Foundation Studies 1) and FOUND022 (English for Foundation Studies 2) and depending on the area chosen: Civil Engineering, Electrical and Electronic Engineering, Mechanical Engineering and Mechatronics Engineering • a B- grade in Bridging Physics and • a B- grade in Bridging Calculus and • at least a C- grade in every other subject. Chemical and Biological, Environmental, Materials and Process • a B- grade in Bridging Chemistry • a B- grade in Bridging Physics and • a B- grade in Bridging Calculus and • at least a C- grade in every other subject. Software Engineering • a B- grade in Bridging Calculus and • at least a C- grade in every other paper. Entry to the Bachelor of Laws requires an overall B- grade average, plus a B- grade or better in FOUND001 (Introduction to Study Skills).</td>
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<td>New Zealand foundation programmes</td>
<td>Successful completion of any of the foundation certificates offered by a New Zealand university.</td>
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<td>Other foundation programmes</td>
<td>The University of New South Wales Foundation Year – a minimum GPA of 6.5 (C grade) with an 8.0 in Academic English. Professional programmes such as law and engineering will require higher passes in prerequisite subjects. The University accepts applicants from a number of foundation programmes offered in New Zealand, Australia, the UK and elsewhere. Please contact the University to find out if your programme is accepted for entry to Waikato.</td>
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<td>Advanced Placement International Diploma</td>
<td>Grades of 3 or higher in each of at least four subjects in the Advanced Placement International Diploma (APID).</td>
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<td>China</td>
<td>Students who met the Tier One university Gaokao cut off score for their province will have met the academic entry requirements. For required score by province visit waikato.ac.nz/study/enrolment/undergraduate-international Two years’ successful academic study at a recognised junior college; or Successful completion of one year of study at a recognised institution of university standing.</td>
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## Country Entrance guideline

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<td><strong>GCE Advanced levels (outside UK)</strong></td>
<td>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.</td>
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<td><strong>International Baccalaureate (taken in NZ or overseas)</strong></td>
<td>Completed International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma with a minimum of 24 points.</td>
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<td><strong>New Zealand</strong></td>
<td>See NCEA University Entrance criteria at <a href="http://waikato.ac.nz/study/enrolment/undergraduate">waikato.ac.nz/study/enrolment/undergraduate</a></td>
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<td><strong>United Kingdom (GCE)</strong></td>
<td>Please contact <a href="mailto:international@waikato.ac.nz">international@waikato.ac.nz</a> for up-to-date requirements.</td>
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<td><strong>USA</strong></td>
<td>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.</td>
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**Footnote:** *The minimum requirement for students from many countries not listed is the completion of a high school qualification plus satisfactory completion of one year’s study at an approved tertiary institution, or successful completion of the New Zealand Foundation Year programme.*

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

The admission guidelines do not guarantee entry into a programme of studies. Each application is assessed on a case-by-case basis.

Some programmes have higher or additional entry requirements than those listed above.
# Academic entry requirements

## Postgraduate

### Coursework (taught) degrees

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<td><strong>Master’s</strong></td>
<td>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 master’s may take one, one and a half, or two years to complete.</td>
<td>A recognised bachelor’s degree with a B average, and a B average in a relevant subject if required. Some master’s programme accept a recognised bachelor’s degree with a B- average in the final year. Some faculties/schools require an honours degree (to demonstrate research capacity). Where the above requirements are not met, further study in a lower level programme may be required first.</td>
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<td><strong>Bachelor’s with Honours</strong></td>
<td>This is a one-year advanced programme for high-achieving students, which continues your studies in a major subject after completing a three-year bachelor’s degree. The honours programme may be taken on its own, or included as part of a four-year bachelor’s degree.</td>
<td>A qualification considered equivalent to a New Zealand bachelor’s degree with a B average, in a major in a relevant area.</td>
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<td><strong>Postgraduate Diploma</strong></td>
<td>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.</td>
<td>A bachelor’s degree from the University of Waikato, or a qualification considered by the Academic Board to be equivalent, and previously completed at an advanced level in the subject to be taken for the Postgraduate Diploma and satisfies the prerequisites for graduate study in the subject being taken for the Postgraduate Diploma.</td>
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<td><strong>Postgraduate Certificate</strong></td>
<td>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.</td>
<td>A bachelor’s degree from the University of Waikato, or a qualification considered by the Academic Board to be equivalent, and previously completed at an advanced level in the subject to be taken for the Postgraduate Certificate and satisfies the prerequisites for graduate study in the subject being taken for the Postgraduate Certificate.</td>
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### Reference for grading scale for qualifications obtained from Chinese universities:
- B- equals 70%
- B equals 75%
- B+ equals 78%
### Research degrees

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<td><strong>Master’s by thesis</strong></td>
<td>This degree consists of a research project in the form of a thesis, dissertation, substantial research or creative work.</td>
<td>A recognised bachelor’s degree with a B/B+ grade average, and a B/B+ grade average, in a relevant subject if required. Some faculties/schools require an honours degree (to demonstrate research capacity). Where the above requirements are not met, further study in a lower level programme may be required first.</td>
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<td><strong>Master of Philosophy</strong></td>
<td>A Master of Philosophy is a one-year programme of original research under supervision, resulting in a thesis.</td>
<td>A qualification considered equivalent to a New Zealand bachelor’s degree with honours, or master’s degree with at least second class honours, (first division) or distinction is required. Candidates must also have demonstrated research experience, normally at least 30 points of research in an honours or master’s degree.</td>
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<td><strong>Doctor of Musical Arts (DMA)</strong></td>
<td>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.</td>
<td>A qualification considered equivalent to a New Zealand Master of Music (MMus) degree, with at least second class honours (first division). Candidates must also audition successfully on an applied instrument or voice. Entrance is at the discretion of the Postgraduate Research Committee.</td>
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<td><strong>Doctor of Education (EdD)</strong></td>
<td>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.</td>
<td>A qualification considered equivalent to a New Zealand bachelor’s degree with honours, or master’s degree with at least second class honours, (first division) or distinction is required. Candidates must also have demonstrated research experience, normally at least 30 points of research in an honours or master’s degree. Entrance is at the discretion of the Postgraduate Research Committee.</td>
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<td><strong>PhD</strong></td>
<td>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.</td>
<td>A qualification considered equivalent to a New Zealand bachelor’s degree with honours, or master’s degree with at least second class honours, (first division) or distinction is required. Candidates must also have demonstrated research experience, normally at least 30 points of research in an honours or master’s degree.</td>
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### 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).

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<td><strong>Graduate Certificate</strong> (six months)</td>
<td>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.</td>
<td>A recognised bachelor’s degree.</td>
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<td><strong>Graduate Diploma</strong> (one year)</td>
<td>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.</td>
<td>A recognised bachelor’s degree.</td>
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English language entry requirements

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

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

Prior study in English is valid for two years from the completion of the English programme to the start date of the student’s programme at the University of Waikato.

If applicants can provide evidence of further study or work in the medium of English, this validity is for five years. Each applicant will be considered on a case-by-case basis and evidence will need to be provided at the time of application.

Further information about our English language proficiency requirements as well as possible exceptions can be found at waikato.ac.nz/study/international/how-to-apply
Minimum English language requirements

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<td>Undergraduate (all courses except those listed in the column below)</td>
<td>Overall score of 6.0 and no bands below 5.5</td>
<td>Overall score of 60 with writing score of 21</td>
<td>Overall score of 80 with a minimum writing score of 21</td>
<td>Overall score of 50 and no PTE communicative score below 42</td>
<td>C1 Expert (LRWS) with a pass overall and no less than a pass in each skill</td>
<td>B grade or better at Level 7 in the Certificate of Attainment in Academic English</td>
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<td>Bachelor of Teaching Bachelor of Education (Technology)</td>
<td>Overall score of 7.0 (with no less than 7.0 in any band)</td>
<td>The following scores in each module: Listening – 24; Reading – 24; Writing – 27; Speaking – 23</td>
<td>Minimum score of 65 in all four modules</td>
<td>C2 Mastery IESOL – pass in all four modules or</td>
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<td>Bachelor of Laws (LLB)</td>
<td>Overall score of 6.5 (with no less than 6.0 in any band)</td>
<td>Overall score of 90 with a writing score of 21</td>
<td>Overall score of 58 and no PTE communicative skills score below 50</td>
<td>C1 Expert (LRWS) with a high pass overall and no less than a pass in each skill</td>
<td>B grade or better at Level 8 in the Certificate of Attainment in English Language</td>
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<td>Bachelor of Social Work</td>
<td>Overall score of 6.5 (with no less than 6.5 in any band)</td>
<td>Overall score of 85 or higher with a writing score of 22</td>
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<td>Graduate and postgraduate (coursework) Including higher degrees such as the MPhil, PhD and EdD)</td>
<td>Overall score of 6.5 and no bands below 6</td>
<td>Overall score of 68 and a writing score of 21</td>
<td>Overall score of 90 with a minimum writing score of 21</td>
<td>Overall score of 58 and no PTE communicative score below 50</td>
<td>C1 Expert (LRWS) with a high pass overall and no less than a pass in each skill or C2 Mastery with a pass overall and no less than a pass in each skill</td>
<td>B grade or better at Level 8 in the Certificate of Attainment in English Language</td>
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<tr>
<td>Graduate Diploma in Teaching Postgraduate Diploma in Teaching Master of Teaching and Learning*</td>
<td>Overall score of 7.0 (with no less than 7.0 in any band)</td>
<td>The following scores in each module: Listening – 24; Reading – 24; Writing – 27; Speaking – 23</td>
<td>Minimum score of 65 in all four modules</td>
<td>C2 Mastery IESOL – pass in all four modules;</td>
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Note:
- *subject to approval by CUAP
- The University's English language requirements may be subject to change in subsequent years.
- Teacher Education Programs - for further information and information about other acceptance criteria visit teachingcouncil.nz/content/language-competency-requirements
- English language waivers are considered by the relevant faculty on a case-by-case basis.
- All undergraduate students are recommended to enrol in English as an Additional Language (Paper code ENSLA103): Effective Academic Writing in their first trimester.
- 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.
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 at undergraduate or postgraduate level or improve your English, the College has the right programmes. The College also supports international study groups in a range of disciplines.

Programmes offered in Hamilton include:

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

English language preparation programmes for entry to university

Students who have an IELTS (Academic)*, TOEFL or Pearson (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.

Duration: 8-10 weeks per level (block). Fees (2021): $5,300 per level (block)

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<td>University of Waikato Foundation Studies programme from CAEL Level 6 with a B grade average.</td>
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<td>TOEFL iBT* score of 35 overall, with no less than 14 in the writing band.</td>
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<td>IELTS (Academic)* score of 5.5 overall, including 5.5 in the writing band and no less than 5.0 in the other bands.</td>
<td>Most University of Waikato bachelor degrees with a B grade average.</td>
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<td>IELTS (Academic)* score of 6.0 overall, including 6.0 in the writing band and no less than 5.5 in the other bands.</td>
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*IELTS (Academic) or TOEFL iBT results are valid for two years from the date of the test to the proposed start date at Waikato Pathways College. Other English language tests are also accepted as evidence of English language proficiency. Please contact pathwayscollege@waikato.ac.nz for more information.
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 (8-9 month/two trimester) programme or an accelerated (4 month/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 (Academic) score of 5.5 (with at least 5.0 in the Writing band), or
- iBT (Internet Based TOEFL) minimum score of 46 with a writing score of 14, or
- B grade or better at Level 6 in the Certificate of Attainment in English Language, or
- PTE Academic overall score of 42 and no band score lower than 36
- 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.

**Intake(s):** March/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/120 points (full-time)

**Approximate programme cost (2021):** NZ$23,010
see website for 2022 fees

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

**Intake(s):** March/July/November

4 months/60 points (full-time)

**Approximate programme cost (2021):** NZ$11,505
see website for 2022 fees
The International Diploma's combine the first year of the relevant bachelor’s degree with a programme of English language development, academic support, and development activities to provide you with a direct-entry to the second year of the bachelor's programme.

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

**International Diploma (Business)**

Providing direct-entry into the second year of the Bachelor of Business (see page 36) this diploma is delivered in partnership with the Waikato Management School – a Triple Crown accredited, internationally recognised business school ranked in the top 1% worldwide. Students gain real-world experience while studying towards the Bachelor of Business through the work-integrated learning project.

**Progression**

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

**English language entry requirements:**

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

**International Diploma (Computer Science)**

Providing direct-entry into the second year of a Bachelor of Science (see page 38), this Diploma is delivered in partnership with the School of Computing and Mathematical Sciences. Students will gain practical experience in labs equipped with some of the most up-to-date, high tech, computing facilities in New Zealand. The Bachelor of Science also includes opportunities to work on projects with New Zealand companies through the work-integrated learning project.

**Progression**

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

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

**English language entry requirements**

An overall IELTS (Academic) score of 5.5 (with no less than 5.0 in any band) or equivalent.
Diploma in Postgraduate Preparation – Pre Masters (DipPP)

The Diploma in Postgraduate Preparation – Pre Masters (DipPP) is an 8-month (two-trimester) Level 7 Diploma that aims to prepare international students for postgraduate studies at the Waikato Management School, a Triple-Crown accredited business school in New Zealand.

The DipPP provides international students, who either do not have the equivalent of a New Zealand bachelor’s degree or do not meet the requirements for direct entry, with an alternative pathway into the Master of Business Management (MBM) and the Master of Professional Accounting (MPAcct) at the University of Waikato.

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

Once successfully completed, students will gain entry to the MBM or MPAcct giving them the opportunity to study at University of Waikato’s Triple-Crown accredited business school, ranked in the top 1% worldwide.

Entry requirements
- The equivalent of 2 years’ full time successful tertiary study
- A qualification equivalent of Level 6 on the New Zealand Qualifications Framework (NZQF)
- An IELTS (Academic) score of 6.0 (with no less than 5.5 in any band) or approved equivalent

Required papers
**Trimester 1**
- FOUND101 English for Academic Purposes 1 (15 points)
- FOUND202 Personal and Professional Capabilities (15 points)
- FOUND301 New Zealand Context and Society (30 points)

**Trimester 2**
- FOUND201 English for Academic Purposes 2 (15 points)
- FOUND302 Professional Communication (15 points)
- FOUND303 Professional Project (30 points)

Diploma in Postgraduate Preparation (DipPP) degree structure

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All of these programmes are delivered at our Hamilton campus only.

Please note fees are approximate for 2021. See website for 2022 fees. Visit pathways.waikato.ac.nz

Browse our full programme listings and visit waikato.ac.nz/study to find out more. If you are currently located outside of New Zealand you may be able to start your studies online. Visit waikato.ac.nz/go/internationaloffshore for more information.
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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.

Introducing Law as a major in the BA:
Unique to 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.

Career options

- Media policy & regulation
- Professional/creative writers
- Cultural heritage positions
- Translators/interpreters
- Cultural advisors

Bachelor of Arts (BA) degree structure 3 Years 360 Points

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Academic entry requirements. One of the following:

- Gaokao with Tier One score
- Successful completion of a recognised Foundation programme
- Two years’ successful academic study at a recognised junior college in China
- One year of successful study at Bachelor’s level in China

English language entry requirements: IELTS (Academic) 6.0 overall (no band less than 5.5), or equivalent

See page 22 for a more comprehensive list of academic entry requirements.
See page 26 for a more comprehensive list of English language entry requirements.
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.

Students graduate equipped to manage transformative business projects, make an organisation more profitable and efficient, and apply their critical thinking to find the creative solutions for problems.

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

**Includes practical experience**

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

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<td>Successful completion of a recognised Foundation programme</td>
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<td>Two years’ successful academic study at a recognised junior college in China</td>
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English language entry requirements: IELTS (Academic) 6.0 overall (no band less than 5.5), or equivalent

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在怀卡托大学学习感觉特别温暖，只要是你想努力学习，所有的老师和同学们都会热忱地帮助你解决问题。不管你对任何科目有疑问，都可以给管理学院学生中心发邮件，请任课老师答疑，他们都非常积极！
Major and Minor subjects (areas of specialisation)

- Accounting\textsuperscript{HT}
- Agribusiness\textsuperscript{HT*}
- Digital Business\textsuperscript{HT}
- Economics\textsuperscript{HT}
- Finance\textsuperscript{HT}
- Human Resource Management\textsuperscript{HT}
- International Management\textsuperscript{HT*}
- Leadership Communication\textsuperscript{HT*}
- Marketing\textsuperscript{HT}
- Public Relations\textsuperscript{HT}
- Project Management\textsuperscript{HT*}
- Strategic Management\textsuperscript{HT}
- Supply Chain Management\textsuperscript{HT}
- Tourism and Hospitality Management\textsuperscript{HT}

*Available as a Minor only \textsuperscript{HT} Hamilton campus \textsuperscript{HT} Tauranga campus

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

Y1

- 100 Level Major
- 100 Level One of Business Fundamentals
- 100 Level One of Business Fundamentals
- 100 Level One of Business Fundamentals
- 100 Level One of Business Fundamentals
- 100 Level Elective or Minor
- 100 Level Elective or Minor

Y2

- 200 Level Major
- 200 Level Major
- 200 Level Major
- ECONS205 Data Analytics with Business Applications
- MNMGT202 Intercultural Perspectives on Organisations
- 100 Level or above Elective or Minor
- 200 Level Elective or Minor
- 200 Level Elective or Minor

Y3

- 300 Level Major
- 300 Level Major
- 300 Level Major
- 300 Level Major\textsuperscript{*}
- 300 Level Work-Integrated Learning paper
- 200 Level or above Elective or Minor
- 200 Level or above Elective or Minor
- 200 Level or above Elective or Minor

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

Career options

- Account
- Banker
- Business analyst
- Human resource advisor
- Marketer
- Logistic/supply chain manager
- Digital business manager
- Financial adviser
- Operations manager
Study a Bachelor of Computer Science at Waikato and develop the skills and thinking to creatively and effectively use technology. Solve challenges faced by businesses and communities and become a leader in the industry.

New for 2021, the Bachelor of Computer Science is a comprehensive three-year degree which will give you the broad skills required to excel in the fast-paced ICT industry. The structure of the degree ensures you cover a wide range of core computer science topics and technologies including web, mobile, cyber security, networks, databases, algorithms and user experience. In addition to the core degree you have an option to pursue one of two specified programmes which address specific needs in the ICT industry.

**Specified programmes**

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

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

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

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

**Career options**
- Mobile/app developer
- Network engineer
- Programmer
- Software architect
- Software developer
- Software engineer
- Systems designer
- Systems engineer
- User experience designer
- Web developer

Intake(s): March/July
3 years (full-time)
NZ$31,515 (year 1, 2021)
See website for 2022 fees
Hamilton
QS globally ranked subject:
• Computer Science
waikato.ac.nz/go/BCompSc
Bachelor of Computer Science (BCompSc) degree structure 3 Years 360 Points

**Academic entry requirements. One of the following:**

- Gaokao with Tier One score
- Successful completion of a recognised Foundation programme
- Two years’ successful academic study at a recognised junior college in China
- One year of successful study at Bachelor’s level in China

**English language entry requirements:** IELTS (Academic) 6.0 overall (no band less than 5.5), or equivalent

See page 22 for a more comprehensive list of academic entry requirements.
See page 26 for a more comprehensive list of English language entry requirements.
Bachelor of Design (BDes)

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

This qualification meets the increasing demand for experts with skills in design and design thinking across different platforms. The programme has been developed in collaboration with 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 gain experience exploring the relationship between visual communication and screen-based technologies and will have taken on 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 Design Show.

Majors

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

Bachelor of Design (BDes) degree structure 3 Years 360 Points

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Academic entry requirements. One of the following:

- Gaokao with Tier One score (Science stream)
- Successful completion of a recognised Foundation programme
- Two years’ successful academic study at a recognised junior college in China
- One year of successful study at Bachelor’s level in China

Applicants may be asked to submit a portfolio of work

English language entry requirements: IELTS (Academic) 6.0 overall (no band less than 5.5), or equivalent

See page 22 for a more comprehensive list of academic entry requirements.

See page 26 for a more comprehensive list of English language entry requirements.
Bachelor of Engineering with Honours (BE(Hons))

Lead the way in innovation, improve infrastructure, build smarter technologies and find alternative energy sources with our professional Bachelor of Engineering with Honours (BE(Hons)) degree.

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 year two, students begin to specialise in 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.

Includes practical experience

Work placements are a major feature of the BE(Hons). Students will complete 800 hours (often paid) 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\(\text{H}\)
- Civil Engineering\(\text{H}\)\(\text{T}\)
- Electrical and Electronic Engineering\(\text{H}\)\(\text{T}\)
- Environmental Engineering\(\text{H}\)
- Materials and Process Engineering\(\text{H}\)
- Mechanical Engineering\(\text{H}\)\(\text{T}\)
- Mechatronics Engineering\(\text{H}\)
- Software Engineering\(\text{H}\)

* Provisional Engineering New Zealand accreditation pending
\(\text{H}\) Hamilton campus  \(\text{T}\) Tauranga campus

Intake(s): March/July

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

NZ$37,875 (year 1, 2021)
See website for 2022 fees

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

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Bachelor of Engineering with Honours (BE(Hons)) degree structure 4 Years 480 Points

Academic entry requirements. One of the following:
- Gaokao with Tier One score (Science stream)
- Successful completion of a recognised Foundation programme
- Two years’ successful academic study at a recognised junior college in China
- One year of successful study at Bachelor’s level in China

Chemical and Biological Engineering and Materials and Process Engineering require prior study in Chemistry, Calculus and Physics. If you do not have the required background you may be directed to take certain papers in your first year of study.

English language entry requirements: IELTS (Academic) 6.0 overall (no band less than 5.5), or equivalent

See page 22 for a more comprehensive list of academic entry requirements. See page 26 for a more comprehensive list of English language entry requirements.
Bachelor of Management Studies with Honours (BMS(Hons))

The Bachelor of Management Studies with Honours is aimed at high calibre students who want to gain strategic insights to become a future-focused business leader and help companies achieve international success.

Waikato’s BMS(Hons) is New Zealand’s leading 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 President of General Motors Cruise Dan Ammann, CEO of Vista China Lawrence Wang, and CEO of ASB Bank Vittoria Short.

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
- Project Management

**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 Management Studies with Honours (BMS(Hons)) 4 Years 480 Points

Academic entry requirements. One of the following:

- Gaokao with Tier One score
- Successful completion of a recognised Foundation programme
- Two years’ successful academic study at a recognised junior college in China
- One year of successful study at Bachelor’s level in China

English language entry requirements: IELTS (Academic) 6.0 overall (no band less than 5.5), or equivalent

See page 22 for a more comprehensive list of academic entry requirements.
See page 26 for a more comprehensive list of English language entry requirements.
The Waikato Bachelor of Science (BSc) equips students for a career that requires logical thinking, analytical talent, a curious mind and practical skills.

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. Its flexible nature means you an combine papers to suit your strengths and interests.

**Majors**
- Aquaculture
- Chemistry
- Computer Science
- Data Analytics
- Earth Sciences
- Ecology and Biodiversity

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

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

**Career options**
- Conservation biologist
- Data analyst
- Environmental scientist
- Forensic technician

**Bachelor of Science (BSc) degree structure** 3 Years 360 Points

**Academic entry requirements. One of the following:**

- Gaokao with Tier One score (Science stream)
- Successful completion of a recognised Foundation programme
- Two years’ successful academic study at a recognised junior college in China
- One year of successful study at Bachelor’s level in China

Some papers have specific entry requirements and if you do not have the required background you may be directed to take certain papers in your first year of study.

**English language entry requirements:** IELTS (Academic) 6.0 overall (no band less than 5.5), or equivalent

See page 22 for a more comprehensive list of academic entry requirements.
See page 26 for a more comprehensive list of English language entry requirements.
The Bachelor of Social Sciences (BSocSc) looks at how people and society function and change.

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

Research is a significant component of the BSocSc with compulsory research papers within the degree. The research capabilities you develop will be invaluable in any career that requires information gathering, analysis of complex issues, thorough reporting and informed decision-making.

 Majors

- Anthropology\textsuperscript{H}
- Digital Learning\textsuperscript{H}
- Economics\textsuperscript{H}
- Education and Society\textsuperscript{HT}
- Environmental Planning\textsuperscript{H}
- Geography\textsuperscript{H}
- History\textsuperscript{H}
- Human Development\textsuperscript{HT}
- Linguistics\textsuperscript{H}
- Māori and Indigenous Studies\textsuperscript{HT}
- Pacific and Indigenous Studies\textsuperscript{H}
- Philosophy\textsuperscript{H}
- Political Science\textsuperscript{HT}
- Population Studies\textsuperscript{H}
- Psychology\textsuperscript{HT}
- Screen & Media Studies\textsuperscript{H}
- Social Policy\textsuperscript{HT}
- Sociology\textsuperscript{HT}

\textsuperscript{H}Hamilton campus \textsuperscript{HT}Tauranga campus

Career options

- Community health worker
- Demographer or economist
- Employment relations advocate

Bachelor of Social Sciences (BSocSc) degree structure 3 Years 360 Points

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Academic entry requirements. One of the following:

- Gaokao with Tier One score
- Successful completion of a recognised Foundation programme
- Two years’ successful academic study at a recognised junior college in China
- One year of successful study at Bachelor’s level in China

English language entry requirements: IELTS (Academic) 6.0 overall (no band less than 5.5), or equivalent

See page 22 for a more comprehensive list of academic entry requirements.
See page 26 for a more comprehensive list of English language entry requirements.
Bachelor of Arts (BA)

- Intake(s): March/July
- 3 years (full-time)
- NZ$25,915-33,735 (year 1, 2021)
- Hamilton and Tauranga

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Bachelor of Business (BBus)

- Intake(s): March/July
- 3 years (full-time)
- NZ$30,260 (year 1, 2021)
- Hamilton and Tauranga
- Triple Crown accredited, internationally recognised business school.
- Students who complete the accounting major may meet CAANZ, CPA and ACCA academic requirements for professional accounting.

Learn more on pages 36-37

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Bachelor of Computing and Mathematical Science with Honours (BCMS(Hons))

- Intake(s): March/July
- 4 years (full-time)
- NZ$31,515 (year 1, 2021)
- See website for 2022 fees
- Majors: Computer Science, Data Analytics, Mathematics

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Bachelor of Communication (BC)

- Intake(s): March/July
- 3 years (full-time)
- NZ$30,260 (year 1, 2021)
- Hamilton
- Majors: Public Relations, Marketing, Creative Media, Media Production, Applied Digital Communication
- Only communications degree in NZ or Australasia recognised by the Public Relations Society of America (PRSA)

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* Hamilton campus
T Tauranga campus

Please note fees are approximate first year fees for 2021. See website for 2022 fees.
Applicants may be required to submit a portfolio.

Bachelor of Design (BDes)
- Intake(s): March/July
- 3 years (full-time)
- NZ$31,515 (year 1, 2021)
- Hamilton

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waikato.ac.nz/go/BDes

Bachelor of Environmental Planning (BEP)
- Intake(s): March/July
- 4 years (full-time)
- NZ$33,735 (year 1, 2021)
- Hamilton
- Accredited by the New Zealand Planning Institute (NZPI)
- Majors: Community Health, Human Performance Science, Sport Development and Coaching

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waikato.ac.nz/go/BEP

Bachelor of Health, Sport and Human Performance (BHSHP)
- Intake(s): March/July
- 3 years (full-time)
- NZ$25,915 (year 1, 2021)
- Hamilton and Tauranga
- Majors: Community Health, Human Performance Science, Sport Development and Coaching

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waikato.ac.nz/go/BHSHP

Bachelor of Engineering with Honours (BE(Hons))
- Intake(s): March/July
- 4 years (full-time, February)
- 4.5 years (full-time, July)
- NZ$37,875 (year 1, 2021)
- Hamilton and Tauranga*
  *1st and 4th year only
- Accredited by Engineering New Zealand, professionally recognised in 18 countries and regions, including Australia, the UK and the USA.
- Majors: Chemical and Biological Engineering, Civil Engineering, Electrical and Electronic Engineering, Environmental Engineering, Materials and Process Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, Mechatronics Engineering, Software Engineering

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Bachelor of Health (BHealth)
- Intake(s): March/July
- 3 years (full-time)
- NZ$29,545 (year 1, 2021)
- Hamilton
- Specified programmes:
  - Poutū-mārō Biomedical Sciences
  - Poutū-manahau Population Health

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waikato.ac.nz/go/BHealth

Bachelor of Laws (LLB)
- Intake(s): March/July
- 4 years (full-time)
- NZ$31,170 (year 1, 2021)
- Hamilton and Tauranga
  *(1st and 2nd year only in Tauranga)
- Recognised for professional purposes by the Council of Legal Education; accredited by the Arbitrators’ and Mediators’ Institute of New Zealand
- Applicants need to include a personal written statement of 300 words

Learn more on page 42
waikato.ac.nz/go/LLB

Please note fees are approximate first year fees for 2021. See website for 2022 fees.
### Bachelor of Management Studies with Honours (BMS(Hons))

- **Intake(s):** March/July
- **Duration:** 4 years (full-time)
- **Fees:** NZ$30,260 (year 1, 2021)
- **Location:** Hamilton


Please note fees are approximate first year fees for 2021. See website for 2022 fees.

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

### Bachelor of Science (BSc)

- **Intake(s):** March/July
- **Duration:** 3 years (full-time)
- **Fees:** NZ$33,735 (year 1, 2021)
- **Location:** Hamilton and Tauranga

Majors: Aquaculture, Chemistry, Computer Science, Data Analytics, Earth Sciences, Ecology and Biodiversity, Environmental Sciences, Materials Science, Mathematics, Molecular and Cellular Biology, Psychology.

Please note fees are approximate first year fees for 2021. See website for 2022 fees.

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### Bachelor of Science (Technology) (BSc(Tech))

- **Intake(s):** March/July
- **Duration:** 3 years (full-time)
- **Fees:** NZ$31,515 (year 1, 2021)
- **Location:** Hamilton


Performance programme applicants are subject to an audition and selection process.

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[waikato.ac.nz/go/BScTech](waikato.ac.nz/go/BScTech)

### Bachelor of Social Sciences (BSocSc)

- **Intake(s):** March/July
- **Duration:** 4 years (full-time)
- **Fees:** NZ$25,915 (year 1, 2021)
- **Location:** Hamilton


All applicants are subject to an interview and selection process, including a criminal record check, provision of a personal statement and referee check.

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[waikato.ac.nz/go/BSocSc](waikato.ac.nz/go/BSocSc)

### Bachelor of Social Work (BSW)

- **Intake(s):** March
- **Duration:** 4 years (full-time)
- **Fees:** NZ$25,915 (year 1, 2021)
- **Location:** Tauranga

All applicants are subject to an interview and selection process, including a criminal record check, provision of a personal statement and referee check.

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[waikato.ac.nz/go/BSW](waikato.ac.nz/go/BSW)
Bachelor of Teaching (BTchg)

- Intake(s): March
- 3 years (full-time)
- NZ$30,675 (year 1, 2021)
- Hamilton and Tauranga

Majors:
- Teaching (Early Childhood)\textsuperscript{11}
- Teaching (Primary)\textsuperscript{11}

The pathway to becoming a Secondary School teacher is to first complete a bachelor’s degree in a subject specialised area followed by a Graduate Diploma in Teaching, Postgraduate Diploma in Teaching or Master of Teaching and Learning.

All applicants are subject to an interview and selection process, including a criminal record check, provision of a personal statement and referee check.

Please note fees are approximate for 2021. See website for 2022 fees.

Visit waikato.ac.nz for more information.

waikato.ac.nz/go/BTchg

Browse our full programme listings and visit waikato.ac.nz/study to find out more. If you are currently located outside of New Zealand you may be able to start your studies online. Visit waikato.ac.nz/go/internationaloffshore for more information.
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Graduate Diploma in Teaching (GradDipTchg)

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

Set yourself up with the skills, knowledge and experience needed to meet the growing demand for qualified teachers in New Zealand and around the world. This one-year programme will allow you to focus on your chosen area of Early Childhood, Primary or Secondary teaching, combining papers with Professional Experience placements. You will get the tools you need to prepare you for today's modern learning environments.

**Graduate Diploma in 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 nine compulsory papers, including three in-centre experiences of no-less than 80 days. 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 in 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. Papers are taught by passionate academic staff that are leaders in their respective fields. Develop practical experience with a minimum of 80 days spent at schools with a professional mentor.

**Graduate Diploma in 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. Skilled teachers are in high demand in New Zealand, particularly in areas such as English, mathematics, science, technology and te reo Māori teaching. Develop practical experience with a minimum of 80 days spent at schools with a professional mentor.

*Entry into the Graduate Diploma in Teaching (Secondary) requires that you have prior knowledge of the subjects you wish to teach before starting this programme. Please contact us at international@waikato.ac.nz for more information and to check your eligibility.

**Career options**

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

**Academic entry requirements. One of the following:**

**Early Childhood and Primary**

Bachelor’s degree OR equivalent qualification* which is recognised by the New Zealand Qualifications Authority (NZQA).

**Secondary**

Bachelor’s degree OR equivalent qualification* which is recognised by the New Zealand Qualifications Authority (NZQA), plus a body of knowledge in a New Zealand curriculum subject area.

All applicants are subject to an interview and selection process, including a criminal record check, provision of a personal statement and referee check.

**English language entry requirements: IELTS (Academic) 7.0 overall (no band less than 7.0), or equivalent**

For a full list of language competency evidence, please visit: teachingcouncil.nz/content/language-competency-requirements

See pages 24 for a more comprehensive list of academic entry requirements

*Qualification must be equivalent to Level 7 on the New Zealand Qualifications Framework (NZQF)
Postgraduate Diploma in Teaching (PGDipTchg)

Become a teacher and influence the future of education with a Postgraduate Diploma in Teaching from the University of Waikato.

Challenge differences in society, inspire the next generation and advocate for voices who are otherwise unheard. Become a community partner, advocate and leader in the education sector.

Gain practical hands-on experience and become a certified teacher in only one year. With a minimum of 80 days spent in schools, learn directly in the classroom, enhance your student experience and start your teaching career prepared and ready.

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

With a Postgraduate Diploma in Teaching from Waikato, you will be highly sought after by education employers in New Zealand and abroad. Upon graduating, start your career as a well-rounded, reflective and hands-on teacher ready to manage your own classroom and enhance the educational experience of the next generation.

Academic entry requirements. One of the following:

- **Early Childhood and Primary**: Bachelor’s degree OR equivalent qualification* which is recognised by the New Zealand Qualifications Authority (NZQA), with a B grade (75%) average.

- **Secondary**: Bachelor’s degree OR equivalent qualification* which is recognised by the New Zealand Qualifications Authority (NZQA), plus a body of knowledge in a New Zealand curriculum subject area, with a B grade (75%) average.

All applicants are subject to an interview and selection process, including a criminal record check, provision of a personal statement and referee check.

**English language entry requirements**: IELTS (Academic) 7.0 overall (no band less than 7.0), or equivalent

For a full list of language competency evidence, please visit: teachingcouncil.nz/content/language-competency-requirements

See pages 24 for a more comprehensive list of academic entry requirements

*Qualification must be equivalent to Level 7 on the New Zealand Qualifications Framework (NZQF)

**Career options**

- Primary school teacher
- Secondary school teacher
Master of Applied Finance (MAppFin)

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

This one-year 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 have access to a Finance Trading Room. Equipped with cutting-edge computer software. This facility enables students to simulate the experience of buying and selling shares, bonds and commodities, using real-time prices from global financial markets.

Structure of Master of Applied Finance (MAppFin) 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
- Applied Econometrics
- Corporate Finance
- Investments and Financial Markets
- Financial Modelling

Part Three: Application of skills
- Financial Risk Management
- Financial Econometrics
- International Finance
- Finance Project or Internship

Academic entry requirements. One of the following:

1. Chinese Bachelor’s degree in any subject that includes quantitative analysis to at least the second year e.g. business, mathematics, economics, social sciences, physics, engineering or psychology; 75% or higher in final year
2. New Zealand Bachelor’s degree in any subject that includes quantitative analysis to at least the second year e.g. business, mathematics, economics, social sciences, physics, engineering or psychology; B grade or higher in final year

English language entry requirements: IELTS (Academic) 6.5 overall (no band less than 6.0), or equivalent

See page 24 for a more comprehensive list of academic entry requirements. See page 26 for a more comprehensive list of English language entry requirements.
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.

The MBA is comprised of a suite of papers structured around three cross-disciplinary areas - Frameworks, Leadership, and Value Creation. Each area 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 a study tour to engage with real business problems and learn from key innovations that companies are undertaking to excel in their industry (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.

Structure of Master of Business Administration (MBA) 180 points

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Intake: March

1.5 years/180 points (full-time)

NZ$55,000 (approximate total tuition fee, 2021) See website for 2022 fees

Hamilton

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

waikato.ac.nz/go/MBA

Academic entry requirements. One of the following:

- Chinese Bachelor’s degree in any subject, 75% or higher in final year, plus at least 3 years’ relevant management experience OR at least 10 years’ work experience, plus CV and two references
- New Zealand Bachelor’s degree in any subject, B grade or higher in final year, plus at least 3 years’ relevant management experience OR at least 10 years’ work experience, plus CV and two references

English language entry requirements: IELTS (Academic) 6.5 overall (no band less than 6.0), or equivalent

See page 24 for a more comprehensive list of academic entry requirements.
See page 26 for a more comprehensive list of English language entry requirements.
Transform your career and increase your earning potential. The Waikato MBM is a one-year, taught master’s degree that will prepare you with the skills to become a forward-thinking manager or leader at any organisation in the world.

The Master of Business and Management will complement an undergraduate degree from any discipline. 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.

**Structure of Master of Business and Management (MBM) 180 points**

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

Please note, the MBM is a set programme and you will be automatically enrolled in these papers.

**Career options**

- Business analyst
- Digital business or e-commerce manager
- International trade advisor

**Academic entry requirements. One of the following:**

- Chinese Bachelor’s degree in any subject, 70% or higher in final year
- New Zealand Bachelor’s degree with B-grade average in final year

Applicants will need to submit an up-to-date curriculum vitae (CV) or resume

**English language entry requirements:** IELTS (Academic) 6.5 overall (no band less than 6.0), or equivalent

See page 24 for a more comprehensive list of academic entry requirements.
See page 26 for a more comprehensive list of English language entry requirements.
商业与管理硕士采用的是互动式教学法，从而让每一位学生都能参与其中。任课教师都是在行业内工作多年的精英，因此，他们的教学方法不仅限于书本。他们将社交媒体与最新的商业新闻相结合来指导我们的思维方式，并将这种方式运用于实际工作环境中。我的同学们来自世界各地，并且本科专业的背景也是千差万别。因此，我们的思维方式以及解决问题的方法也很不一样，就像是现实中的工作环境。这让我在课程学习的过程中学会了如何与不同国籍的人沟通，也丰富了我的经历。

行业实习是我最喜欢的部分。怀卡托大学安排我们在新西兰当地的企业里实习了一个月，让我们了解熟悉了实际的商业与企业环境。我们的课程注重实践经验，这也意味着我和同学们都获得了雇主们所看重的技能与能力的训练。
Master of Cyber Security (MCS)

The Master of Cybersecurity (MCS) is the first of its kind to be offered in New Zealand. Studying 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. Our graduates are in high demand with most of our alumni working in top public and private organisations globally.

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).

Learn from the best

The University of Waikato is home to New Zealand’s first cyber security lab, where the Cyber Security Researchers of Waikato (CROW) operate from. Master of Cyber Security students are guided by this team of international experts and are part of an established team from day one of their studies.

Structure of Master of Cyber Security (MCS) 180 points

1. COMPX518 Cyber Security (15 points)
2. COMPX527 Cloud Computing Technologies and Security (15 points)
3. COMPX513, COMPX514 or COMPX515 (15 points)
4. COMPX519 Malware Analysis and Penetration Testing (15 points)
5. LEGAL526 Legal Aspects of Cyber Security (30 points)
6. COMPX592 Dissertation (60 points)

Other papers

- 500 level computer science paper (15 points)
- 500 level computer science paper (15 points)

Career options

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

Academic entry requirements. One of the following:

- Chinese Bachelor’s degree in a relevant subject, 75% or higher in final year
- New Zealand Bachelor’s degree in a relevant subject, B grade average in final year

English language entry requirements: IELTS (Academic) 6.5 overall (no band less than 6.0), or equivalent

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See page 26 for a more comprehensive list of English language entry requirements.
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 2019, our Master of Digital Business is ranked 6th in Australasia 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.

Industry experience

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 will 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

Structure of Master of Digital Business (MDigiBus) 180 points

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Academic entry requirements. One of the following:

- Chinese Bachelor’s degree in any subject, 70% or higher in final year
- New Zealand Bachelor’s degree with B- grade average in final year

English language entry requirements: IELTS (Academic) 6.5 overall (no band less than 6.0), or equivalent

See page 24 for a more comprehensive list of academic entry requirements.
See page 26 for a more comprehensive list of English language entry requirements.
Master of Education (MEd)

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

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

Study with the guidance of world-renowned staff who are active researchers and are well-known in their specialist area. Pick a subject or specialisation to further your skills in, and study both taught and research papers in this field. Choose from the following:

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

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

Structure of Master of Education (MEd) 180 points

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Academic entry requirements. One of the following:

- Chinese Bachelor’s degree in a relevant subject, 75% or higher in final year OR substantial relevant experience
- New Zealand Bachelor’s degree in a relevant subject, B grade average in final year OR substantial relevant experience

Applicants must include a 100-300 word statement describing their professional background and reasons for choosing this qualification.

English language entry requirements: IELTS (Academic) 6.5 overall (no band less than 6.0), or equivalent

See page 24 for a more comprehensive list of academic entry requirements.
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Career options

- Educational leader
- School principal
- Head teacher
- Educational policy developer
- Educational researcher
Master of Educational Management (MEdM)

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

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

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

Deepen your understanding of management, business strategy and financial analysis, and managing high-performing teams to enhance student learning and professional practice.

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

1.5 years/180 points (full-time)

NZ$47,425 (approximate total tuition fee, 2021)

See website for 2022 fees

Careers options
- School principal
- Assistant/deputy principal
- Tertiary programme manager

Structure of Master of Educational Management (MEdM) 180 points

Part one: Foundations (60 points total)
- EDLED502 Leadership, Organisational Change & Development (30 points)
- MNMGT550 Management Strategy in Context (15 points)
- MNMGT551 Financial Analysis for professionals (15 points)

Part two: Intermediate (60 points total)
- MNMGTE552 Managing Projects in Organisations (15 points)
- MNMGTE553 Managing people in organisations (15 points)
- Elective (30 points)

Part three: Applications (60 points total)
- MNMGTE554 Governance (15 points)
- EDLED510 Capstone Application to Professional Practice (15 points)
- Elective (30 points)

Academic entry requirements. One of the following:
- Chinese Bachelor’s degree in a relevant subject, 70% or higher in final year, plus relevant work experience of three years in the education sector, including management or governance responsibilities.
- New Zealand Bachelor’s degree in a relevant subject, B-grade average in final year, plus relevant work experience of three years in the education sector, including management or governance responsibilities.

English language entry requirements: IELTS (Academic) 6.5 overall (no band less than 6.0), or equivalent

See page 24 for a more comprehensive list of academic entry requirements.
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Master of Engineering Practice (MEngPrac)

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

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

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

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

Facilities

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

Structure of Master of Engineering Practice (MEngPrac) 180 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:

- Civil Engineering*
- Electronics
- Materials and Processing
- Mechanical Engineering

Compulsory Systems Analysis (30 points)

Compulsory capstone research and development project (60 points)

Career options

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

Academic entry requirements. One of the following:

- Chinese Bachelor’s degree in a relevant subject, 75% or higher in final year
- New Zealand Bachelor’s degree in a relevant subject, B grade average in final year

English language entry requirements: IELTS (Academic) 6.5 overall (no band less than 6.0), or equivalent

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**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-point) 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-point) 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.

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**Structure of Master of Information Technology (MInfoTech) 180 points**

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**English language entry requirements:** IELTS (Academic) 6.5 overall (no band less than 6.0), or equivalent

*Students will receive a NZ$5,000 scholarship as payment for their internship.

See page 24 for a more comprehensive list of academic entry requirements.
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waikato.ac.nz/go/MInfoTech
Career options
- Cloud computing developer
- Data security developer
- Database developer
- GIS analyst
- Web/multimedia developer

“...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 Management (MMgmt)

This specialist one-year degree will prepare you for a professional career as either a marketing manager or logistics/supply chain manager.

In part one of the course, students are introduced to core management topics such as strategic decision-making, leadership, communication, and financial analysis.

Specialist subjects available:
- Marketing
- Supply Chain Management

Marketing
Students who choose Marketing as their specialist subject will learn how to apply advanced marketing concepts to real-world situations.

You will be able to leverage digital tools such as SEO and social media; conduct marketing research to develop brand-positioning strategies; and understand the motivations of consumers when making purchases.

Supply Chain Management
Students who choose Supply Chain Management as their specialist subject will become adept at solving complex business problems, and have the skills to manage domestic or global supply chains.

You will understand how logistics (procurement, transport, storage and distribution) plays a key role in the success of organisations; and be able to use decision-making tools to address operational issues.

Industry experience
At the end of the course, students will complete either a workplace internship or an applied research project; designed to prepare you for employment.

Structure of Master of Management (MMgmt) 180 points

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<td>EXMBM512-20NX Leadership and Change management</td>
<td>MRKTG562 Strategic Marketing Analysis, Planning &amp; Control / SCMGT562 Managing Transport, Storage and Procurement</td>
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<td>MRKTG563 Consumer Behaviour and Management / SCMGT563 Managing Manufacturing and Service Operations</td>
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<td>MRKTG564 Digital Marketing Strategy / SCMGT564 Value-added Supply Networks</td>
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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 prepare you for leadership or research roles that require a high level of critical thinking and information analysis.

This specialised programme brings together practical industry knowledge with the development of professional skills, to enhance your employability in a specialist area of the business world.

The MMS normally includes taught and research papers, but can also be taken as a full research degree. The MMS provides the ideal pathway to undertake PhD doctoral study.

Specialist subjects available

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

Structure of Master of Management Studies (MMS) 180 points

60 points total (outside field of degree)

- MNMGT581 Research Methods in Management Studies
- 500 Level Elective paper/s – subject to approval (30 or 45 pts max)

120 points (inside field of degree)

- 500 Level Subject papers (up to 90 points)
- 500 Level Directed Study, Dissertation or Thesis (30, 60, 90, 120 points)

Academic entry requirements. One of the following:

- Chinese Bachelor’s degree in a relevant subject, 75% or higher in final year
- New Zealand Bachelor’s degree in a relevant subject, B grade average in final year

English language entry requirements: IELTS (Academic) 6.5 overall (no band less than 6.0), or equivalent

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Master of Media and Creative Technologies (MMCT)

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

The Master of Media and Creative Technologies (MMCT) allows you to specialise in 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 gives 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.

Structure of Media and Creative Technologies (MMCT) 180 points

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<td>Research-based MMCT</td>
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<td>MEDIAS07 (30 pts) Theory and Research in Action</td>
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*excludes Māori Media and Communication

Academic entry requirements. One of the following:

- Chinese Bachelor’s degree in a relevant subject, 75% or higher in final year
- New Zealand Bachelor’s degree in a relevant subject, B grade average in final year

Applicants may be asked to submit a portfolio of work.
Applicants will also need to have discussed appropriate supervision arrangements with the MMCT Graduate Advisor.

English language entry requirements: IELTS (Academic) 6.5 overall (no band less than 6.0), or equivalent

See page 24 for a more comprehensive list of academic entry requirements.
See page 26 for a more comprehensive list of English language entry requirements.
Master of Professional Accounting (MPAcct)

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

This intensive 14-month programme is designed for students who have never studied accounting before at university, and is open to graduates of all disciplines. Completing the MPAcct will prepare students for a professional career in accounting and ensure they meet the academic requirements to gain provisional membership of Chartered Accountants Australia and New Zealand (CAANZ), CPA Australia, or the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants (ACCA).

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

**Structure of Master of Professional Accounting (MPAcct) 220 points**

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**English language entry requirements:** IELTS (Academic) 6.5 overall (no band less than 6.0), or equivalent

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Master of Science (MSc)

Study a Master of Science at the University of Waikato and you will enjoy more lab and field work, more one-on-one time with top academics, and access to world-class research equipment.

Our engagement with industry means you will collaborate with local, national and international companies and organisations. Graduates of this degree may find employment in a range of science-related industries. This degree is made up of 120 points in taught papers and a 60-point dissertation (research project).

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

Structure of Master of Science (MSc) 180 points

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*SCIEN592 Dissertation for students who are enrolled in a Master of Science in the School of Science or School of Engineering

Academic entry requirements. One of the following:
- Chinese Bachelor’s degree in a relevant subject, 75% or higher in final year
- New Zealand Bachelor’s degree in a relevant subject, B grade average in final year

English language entry requirements: IELTS (Academic) 6.5 overall (no band less than 6.0), or equivalent

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Career options
- Information technology architect
- Security analyst
- Telecommunications engineer
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Applicants are subject to an interview and selection process, including a criminal record check, provision of a personal statement and referee check.

Majors:
- Anthropology\textsuperscript{11}
- Chinese\textsuperscript{11}
- Education and Society\textsuperscript{11}
- English\textsuperscript{11}
- French\textsuperscript{11}
- Geography\textsuperscript{11}
- History\textsuperscript{11}
- International Relations and Security Studies\textsuperscript{11}
- Japanese\textsuperscript{11}
- Māori and Indigenous Studies\textsuperscript{11}
- Mathematics\textsuperscript{11}
- Music\textsuperscript{11}
- Pacific and Indigenous Studies\textsuperscript{11}
- Philosophy\textsuperscript{11}
- Political Science\textsuperscript{11}
- Psychology\textsuperscript{11}\textsuperscript{12}
- Screen and Media Studies\textsuperscript{11}
- Theatre Studies\textsuperscript{11}

\textsuperscript{11} Hamilton campus
\textsuperscript{12} Tauranga campus
**Master of Applied Psychology (MAppPsy)**

- Intake(s): March
- 2 years/240 points (full-time)
- NZ$71,960 (approximate total tuition fee, 2021)

Includes practical experience

Hamilton

Admission includes a selection process. Applications should be received by November.

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**Master of Business Administration (MBA)**

- Intake(s): March
- 1.5 years/180 points (full-time)
- NZ$56,650 (approximate total tuition fee, 2021)

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

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**Master of Business and Management (MBM)**

- Intake(s): March/July/November
- 1 year/180 points (full-time)
- NZ$47,275 (approximate total tuition fee, 2021)

Includes one-month business internship

Hamilton

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**Master of Counselling (MCouns)**

- Intake(s): July
- 2.5 years/240 points (full-time)
- NZ$63,230 (approximate total 2021 tuition fee)

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

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**Master of Cyber Security (MCS)**

- Intake(s): March/July
- 1.5 years/180 points (full-time, March)
- 2 years/180 points (full-time, July)
- NZ$53,065 (approximate total tuition fee, 2021)

Includes practical experience

Hamilton

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**Master of Design (MDes)**

- Intake(s): March/July
- 1.5 years/180 points (full-time, March)
- 2 years/180 points (full-time, July)
- NZ$53,065 (approximate total tuition fee, 2021)

Includes one-month business internship

Hamilton

Applicants may be required to submit a portfolio

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Includes one-month business internship

Hamilton

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Hamilton

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Includes one-month business internship

Hamilton

Applicants may be required to submit a portfolio

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**Master of Engineering Practice (MEngPrac)**

- Intake(s): March
- 1-1.5 years/180 points (full-time)
- NZ$56,260 (approximate total tuition fee, 2021)
- Hamilton

Specialisations: Civil Engineering • Electronics • Materials and Processing • Mechanical Engineering

Students who are offered admission to the Master of Engineering Practice in 2021 will be automatically awarded a NZ$10,000 bursary.

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**Master of Environmental Planning (MEP)**

- Intake(s): March/July
- 1 year/120 points (full-time)
- NZ$35,980 (approximate total tuition fee, 2021)

Includes practical experience

Hamilton

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**Master of Information Technology (MInfoTech)**

- Intake(s): 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$53,065 (180 points)
- NZ$68,700 (240 points) (approximate total tuition fee, 2021)
- Hamilton and Tauranga

Students will receive a NZ$5,000 scholarship as payment for their internship

Hamilton and Tauranga*

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

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**Master of Environment and Society (MEnvSoc)**

- Intake(s): March/July
- 1-1.5 years/180 points (full-time)
- NZ$53,065 (approximate total tuition fee, 2021)

Includes practical experience

Hamilton

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

- Intake(s): March/July
- 1.5 years/180 points (full-time)
- NZ$47,425 (approximate total tuition fee, 2021)

Hamilton and Tauranga

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**Master of Laws (LLM)**

- Intake(s): March/July
- 1 year/120 points (full-time)
- NZ$33,660 (approximate total tuition fee, 2021)

Hamilton

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

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- Includes one-month business internship
- Triple Crown accredited, internationally recognised business school in world’s top 1%
- Specialisations:
  - Marketing
  - Supply Chain Management
- Includes one-month business internship
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- Triple Crown accredited, internationally recognised business school in world’s top 1%
- 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

- QS globally ranked subjects:
  - Communications, Finance, Economics
  - Tourism 38th in the world - Shanghai Rankings

- Applicants may be required to submit a portfolio
- Applicants must submit a performance portfolio (video) of three contrasting musical works and are subject to a selection process

Please note fees are approximate first year fees for 2021. See website for 2022 fees.
Master of Professional Accounting (MPAcct)
- Intake(s): January/November
- 14 months/220 points (full-time)
- NZ$52,530 (approximate total tuition fee, 2021)
- Hamilton
- Includes practical experience
- Triple Crown accredited business school ranked in world’s top 1%. Recognised by ACCA, CA ANZ and CPA Australia.

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Master of Science (MSc)
- Intake(s): March July
- 1.5 years/180 points (full-time)
- NZ$53,970 (approximate total tuition fee, 2021)
- Hamilton
- Majors: Chemistry • Computer Science • Earth Science • Ecology • Biodiversity • Electronics • Environment Sciences • Materials and Processing • Mathematics • Molecular and Cellular Biology • Physics • Psychology • Statistics

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Master of Science (Technology) (MSc(Tech))
- Intake(s): March/July
- 1.5 years/180 points (full-time)
- NZ$53,320 (approximate total tuition fee, 2021)
- Hamilton
- Majors: Chemistry • Earth Sciences • Ecology and Biodiversity • Environmental Sciences • Materials and Processing • Molecular and Cellular Biology

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Master of Science (Research) (MSc(Research))
- Intake(s): March/July
- 1.5 years/180 points (full-time)
- NZ$53,970 - NZ$71,960 (approximate total tuition fee, 2021) See website for 2022 fees
- Hamilton
- Majors: Chemistry • Computer Science • Earth Science • Ecology • Biodiversity • Electronics • Environment Sciences • Materials and Processing • Mathematics • Molecular and Cellular Biology • Physics • Psychology • Statistics

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Master of Security and Crime Science (MSCS)
- Intake(s): March/July*
  *Not offered in 2020. 2021 intake to be confirmed - please enquire.
- 1.5 years/180 points (full-time)
- NZ$53,065 (approximate total tuition fee, 2021)
- Hamilton

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Master of Professional Writing (MPW)
- Intake(s): March/July
- 1-1.5 years/180 points (full-time)
- NZ$47,425 (approximate total tuition fee, 2021)
- Hamilton

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Master of Science (MSc)
- Intake(s): March/July
- 1.5 years/180 points (full-time)
- NZ$53,320 (approximate total tuition fee, 2021)
- Hamilton
- Majors: Chemistry • Computer Science • Earth Science • Ecology • Biodiversity • Electronics • Environment Sciences • Materials and Processing • Mathematics • Molecular and Cellular Biology • Physics • Psychology • Statistics

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- Intake(s): March/July
- 1.5 years/180 points (full-time)
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- Hamilton
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- NZ$53,065 (approximate total tuition fee, 2021)
- Hamilton

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Master of Social Sciences (MSocSc)

- Intake(s): March/July
- 1.5 years/180 points (full-time)
- NZ$47,425-$53,970 (approximate total tuition fee, 2021)
- Hamilton and Tauranga
- Majors: AnthropologyH • EconomicsH • Education and SocietyH • GeographyH • Health Development and PolicyH • HistoryH • Human DevelopmentHT • Māori and Indigenous StudiesH • Pacific and Indigenous Studies • PhilosophyH • Political ScienceH • Population Studies and DemographyH • PsychologyHT* • Public PolicyH • Social PolicyH • SociologyH

Master of Teaching and Learning (MTchgLn)

- Intake(s): January
- 1 year/180 points (full-time)
- NZ$47,425 (approximate total tuition fee, 2021)
- Hamilton and Tauranga
- Majors: Primary • Secondary

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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.

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Postgraduate Certificates and Diplomas
A postgraduate diploma can often lead to a master’s degree. Postgraduate certificates and diplomas are available to graduates who wish to build on an earlier degree.

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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 master’s and doctorate graduates who contribute and compete at a global level in their chosen fields.

Master of Philosophy (MPhil)
1 – 1.5 years full-time
This programme requires the completion of a thesis.

Entry requirements
Applicants require a qualification considered equivalent to a New Zealand bachelor’s degree with honours, or masters degree with at least second class honours (first division) or distinction is required. Candidates must also have demonstrated research experience, normally at least 30 points of research in an honours or master’s 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 degree combining performance and research. Candidates undertake a programme of performance and supervised research, and produce a written thesis.

Entry requirements
Applicants require a qualification considered equivalent to a New Zealand Master of Music (MMus) degree, with at least second class honours (first division). Candidates must also audition successfully on an applied instrument or voice.

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
Applicants require a qualification considered equivalent to a New Zealand bachelor’s degree with honours, or master’s degree with at least second class honours (first division), or distinction is required. Applicants are also required to provide a strong record of professional experience in education.

The University of Waikato Experts’ File can help graduate students to contact University of Waikato staff with expertise in specialist areas. Visit waikato.ac.nz/staff-profiles
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 master’s degree with at least second class honours (first division), and research experience before applying for a PhD programme. Scholarships are available for Doctoral study - please refer to page 12 to find out more or visit waikato.ac.nz/scholarships

Available within the areas of: 2021 Domestic Annual Tuition Fees

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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.
Higher degree application process

The application closing dates for 2021 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

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

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

waikato.ac.nz/staff-profiles

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

More information on the application process and requirements can be found at waikato.ac.nz/study/apply/higher-research-degrees-application-process

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 5.00pm NZDT on 31 January, 31 May and 30 September.

Application Requirements

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

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

Offer of place
You will receive email notification of the outcome of your application, and if appropriate, your scholarship application eight weeks after the closing date. An offer of place in the higher degree programme is valid for 12 months.
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. For more information visit [waikato.ac.nz/research](http://waikato.ac.nz/research)

Examples of our current research projects include:

**AI and Big Data**

We’re on the cutting edge of Artificial Intelligence (AI) and big data. We have renowned expertise in machine learning – with people around the world using our resources such as WEKA. Professor Albert Bifet leads a team which was awarded a $13 million research grant to come up with methods, using AI, to deal with large volumes of environmental data. Ultimately, this will help preserve New Zealand’s lakes, rivers, forests and estuaries.

**Coastal Marine Field Station**

The Coastal Marine Field Station is the only science research facility in New Zealand specifically configured to address the real issues of our engagement with the sea in terms of environmental sustainability, and also with a strong theme of innovation in creating wealth from our marine resources.

**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.

**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.

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)
申请流程

1. 选择想要学习的课程
   从英语语言、预科、国际大一、硕士预科、本科或研究生课程中选择想要申请的课程。

2. 查询申请资格
   确保能够达到怀卡托大学的入学要求。如果不确定是否达到要求，请查询我们的网站。

3. 提交申请
   直接提交在线申请或通过教育代理机构申请。

   有条条件录取
   提交申请之后，大学会与您联系。我们可能会要求您提交补充信息或文件。如果您尚未完成目前的学习或未达到英语要求，有可能会获得有条件录取。

4. 正式录取
   我们核实过所有文件之后，将会出具正式的录取通知，即怀卡托大学的无条件录取。

5. 申请签证
   在获得正式录取之后，即可准备缴纳学费并向新西兰移民局申请签证赴新西兰学习。

6. 抵达与迎新欢迎
   完成以上步骤之后就可以开始准备赴新西兰学习了！学生抵达新西兰时，怀卡托大学将会安排从奥克兰接机。国际学生迎新欢迎周的各项活动能够帮助学生熟悉新环境，国际学生服务团队也会在迎新周期间为新生提供各方面的帮助与支持。

We are pleased to be offering a number of our most popular programmes online while New Zealand border restrictions are in place. If you do not already reside in New Zealand you may be able to begin your studies online from your home country.

Please visit waikato.ac.nz/go/internationaloffshore for information.