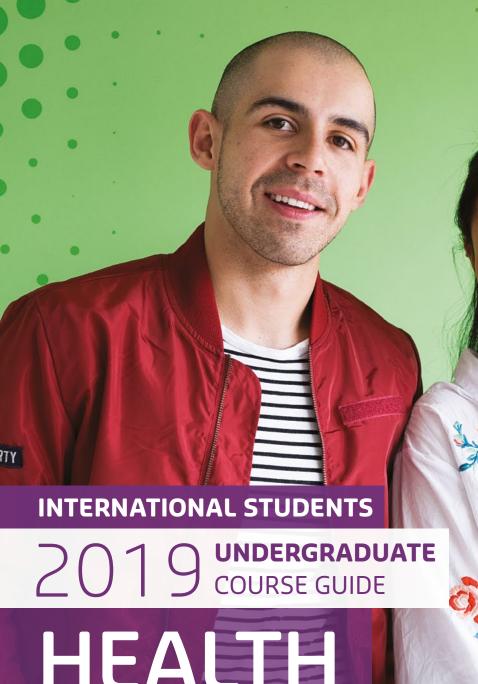


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TRONG NHAN DO Bachelor of Pharmacy

"My grandfather, who is the one of the most famous pharmacists in Vietnam, inspired me with his success story to choose pharmacy as my degree.

I chose Curtin after doing a lot of research and hearing reviews from friends. Perth is also a great city for international students. The peace and diversity it offers were huge factors in my decision to study at Curtin.

Curtin's School of Pharmacy is one of the best in Western Australia. Its staff members are helpful and knowledgeable, and they helped me a lot during my studies. Pharmacy is mainly about applying knowledge to the real world – throughout the course, there were many opportunities for me and my fellow students to put our theory into practice.

I also discovered that pharmacy is not just about sticking a label on a box. I've learned how new drugs work inside the human body, how to compound medications in different forms and how to give advice to health patients.

Since completing my Bachelor of Pharmacy at Curtin, I have been working in a community pharmacy as an intern pharmacist. I really enjoy this role because I get to learn from experienced pharmacists and I'm exposed to many interesting things.

To be successful in pharmacy, there are a few essential skills that you need to have. First of all, communication is the most important. Every day, pharmacists have to communicate with patients, staff and suppliers to make sure the pharmacy runs smoothly. Without

effective communication, patient health can be compromised and mistakes can be made.

Secondly, it is crucial to display leadership skills. Pharmacists have a lot of responsibility – every medication or medical advice has to be confirmed by pharmacists before being delivered to patients. Pharmacists must also make sure that every member of their team understands their role and that tasks are seen through to completion and any issues are effectively resolved.

Last but not least, the willingness to learn is also important. Pharmacists need to optimise the health outcomes for the community that they serve and ensure quality use of medications. New drugs and treatment protocols are constantly being introduced, and pharmacists must be at the forefront of understanding and applying this knowledge to ensure their patients receive the best treatment possible.

To anyone considering studying pharmacy, I would say that a pharmacist is a great career. There are many career pathways in pharmacy and I encourage fellow pharmacist graduates to explore and try as many as you can. Get involved while you are at university as well. I was the president of the Western Australian Pharmacy Students Association (WAPSA) and the treasurer of the National Australian Pharmacy Students Association (NAPSA) while at Curtin. I made so many connections throughout the years by attending conferences and getting involved with student associations. Good pharmacists keep asking questions and are always hungry for new knowledge."

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ACADEMIC CALENDAR Health Sciences courses are taught on a semester basis.

SEMESTERS 2018/2019*

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	SEMESTER 2 2018	SEMESTER 1 2019	SEMESTER 2 2019		
Applications close	2 weeks before orientation*				
Orientation week	23 - 27 Jul	18 - 22 Feb	22 - 26 Jul		
Semester commences	30 Jul	25 Feb	29 Jul		
Semester closes	23 Nov	21 Jun	22 Nov		

^{*} Application closing dates and orientation dates are subject to change and may vary depending on the course. Dates are for Perth only. For Dubai, Malaysia or Singapore, visit **curtindubai.ac.ae**, **curtin.edu.my** or **curtin.edu.sg**



Curtin is a vibrant and collaborative place, where ideas, skills and cultures come together. With campuses in Western Australia, Dubai, Malaysia and Singapore, as well as a network of university partners around the world, Curtin is an international university with a rapidly expanding global footprint.

FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES

If you're passionate about becoming part of the next generation of healthcare professionals who innovate, inspire, heal and positively impact the health of the local and global community, Curtin's Faculty of Health Sciences offers a range of reputable courses that can lead you to a healthy career.

From nursing, laboratory medicine, nutrition and occupational therapy, physiotherapy, social work and psychology, just to name a few, you'll not only have access to courses recognised by industry but also state-of-the-art facilities, outstanding teaching quality and a vibrant campus life.

RESEARCH WITH IMPACT

The Faculty of Health Sciences' research centres and institutes are focused on providing practical solutions to global health challenges, particularly in the areas of ageing and dementia, biomedical and clinical sciences, Indigenous health, mental health, population health, health services research, and the prevention and management of chronic conditions.

We work collaboratively with the community, governments and partners to advance health and wellbeing around the world.



"I chose speech pathology because I knew I wanted a career where I could be helping others, and since I love language and working with children, speech pathology was a fitting combination of these passions.

Speech pathology isn't offered as an undergraduate course in Singapore, where I grew up, so I was comparing various Australian universities when deciding where to study.

I chose Curtin's course because after researching Curtin I found their academic rankings to be very impressive, and also spoke to industry professionals to gauge the calibre of graduates. When I contacted the university, I had a very good experience with the Future Students office staff and really liked the vibe and atmosphere of the campus."

Marcella Low Bachelor of Science (Speech Pathology)





A GLOBAL UNIVERSITY

Curtin is ranked in the 151-200 band in the highly regarded Academic Ranking of World Universities (ARWU) 2017, and received a five-star overall excellence rating in the QS Stars rating 2017.

Around a quarter of our 56,000 students come from a country outside Australia, which adds a valuable dimension to your university experience, both in and out of the classroom.

The University's global focus has resulted in Curtin being ranked one of the world's most international universities in 2016 by Times Higher Education.





Ranked in the top one per cent of universities worldwide in the Academic Ranking of World Universities 2017.



#3 in the Asia Pacific in the Nature Index 2016 Rising Stars supplement.



Ranked at world standard level or above in medical microbiology, nursing, and nutrition and dietetics in the 2015 Excellence in Research Australia (ERA) results.



"I chose to study occupational therapy because of its holistic nature. Occupational therapy is so individualised, that you must build a relationship with each client, and build your work with them, around them. It is about privileging people for who they are, what they want to achieve, and doing it in an innovative and creative way. Curtin offers a great course, with lots of practical learning opportunities. The course structure is set up so that most of the final year you are on placements in different settings, allowing you to explore and find your place in occupational therapy."

Prachi SavaniBachelor of Science (Occupational Therapy)



Studying a course within Curtin's Faculty of Health Sciences means you'll have access to a range of outstanding, interdisciplinary on-campus facilities. You'll also undertake practical fieldwork placements in real-world settings, which means you'll graduate ready to innovate, problem-solve, invent, lead, create and make a real difference.

COURSES WITH A DIFFERENCE

Curtin offers health sciences courses that are unique and shaped with industry in mind.

Our undergraduate pharmacy course is the only professionally accredited course of its kind in Western Australia.

Through our professional memberships and accreditations, our courses are recognised and respected by industry, ensuring health sciences graduates are job-ready.

Curtin's alliance with the Fremantle Dockers offers students from the School of Physiotherapy and Exercise Science ongoing placement opportunities and access to Fremantle's new elite training and administration facility at Cockburn Central West.

Our exercise, sports and rehabilitation science course is accredited by Exercise and Sports Science Australia, which means graduates are recognised as qualified exercise and sports scientists.

You are encouraged to put theory into practice and apply the skills you're learning throughout your course in a professional setting through a range of fieldwork and clinical placements.

INTERPROFESSIONAL LEARNING

Curtin is a leader in interprofessional education and the first university in Australia to introduce an interprofessional education curriculum for all first-year health sciences students. This means that as an undergraduate student you'll learn alongside staff and students from different courses, equipping you with the skills to work collaboratively with other professions. Interprofessional collaboration such as this is a key solution to improving service delivery and outcomes in health, social care and many other sectors across the globe. An added benefit is greater flexibility if you're looking to explore other health disciplines.

LEADERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

The Curtin Leadership Centre helps you develop your skills in public speaking, project management and self-awareness. You can learn how to apply your new skills through volunteering and community projects.

FREE ENGLISH WORKSHOPS

As a health sciences student you can develop your English throughout your studies for free through our English development workshops. These are available during semester to all undergraduate and postgraduate students.

REAL-WORLD EXPERIENCE

In many courses, you'll apply your learning in a real-world industry environment before you graduate, by doing fieldwork. Examples of fieldwork include clinical placements, plant visits, study tours, field trips, work experience, industry placements, isolated and remote fieldwork excursions and international field trips/placements.

CURTIN HEALTH AND WELLNESS

The Curtin Health and Wellness Centre on Bentley Campus provides affordable healthcare to the general public, staff and students. It also provides students studying physiotherapy, psychology and speech pathology the opportunity to undertake clinical and practical placements, allowing you to put theory into practice and learn in an authentic environment.

Under the care and guidance of a qualified professional healthcare supervisor, you can not only enhance your skills but also learn how your role works with other health professionals to achieve positive health outcomes and solutions for clients.



The Go Global program provides health sciences students with the opportunity to undertake an international clinical fieldwork placement at partner sites in Cambodia, China, India or Vietnam.

Students spend four weeks at a local site such as a health clinic, hospital or school, delivering services relevant to their degree and exchanging knowledge with local health professionals and the community.

Curtin clinical facilitators travel with students for the first two weeks of placement, and then for the final two weeks the students work under the direction of the host site and liaison staff, with long-arm supervision continuing from Perth.

In addition to the Go Global program, there are a number of short-term international mobility programs that are offered to students throughout the year. Some examples include study tours in Malaysia, India, Japan, China, Nepal and Switzerland.

Go Global is a recipient of the New Colombo Plan, an Australian Government initiative that aims to enhance Australia's knowledge of the Indo-Pacific by providing scholarships to support long-term overseas study and internships.

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GO GLOBAL INDIA

The Go Global program has established a strong partnership with the Society for Education, Village Action and Improvement (SEVAI) in India. SEVAI coordinates a number of developmental programs in schools within rural communities which have limited access to healthcare and education. One of the primary goals is to educate and empower the local school staff. students and their families to address and advocate their own health needs. Go. Global students work closely with local staff to provide assistance and develop projects which enable the community to achieve desired health outcomes.

Caitlin Morris, a final year Occupational Therapy student who travelled to India, describes her experience:

"My experience with Go Global in India was a life changing adventure! I was able to work with an interprofessional team of student health professionals under the direction of two experienced supervisors.

We worked in a rural primary and high school as well as another primary school located in the inner city. Not only were we jumping into a new, colourful world, we were also required to put our theory and experience into practise. A lesson we quickly learned was that to be effective student health professionals, we were required to think outside our 'Western world' box and adapt to a different way of delivering health services.

We were able to use fundraising money that we had collected back in Australia to complete 36 different projects for the children at the schools. We also visited two local hospitals and a centre for children with cerebral palsy to see how the healthcare system in India operated on a day-to-day basis.

Living like a local in a thatched roof hut helped us realise that the best health service delivery revolves around grasping a real understanding about the people we work with. I will be a far better and more culturally aware health professional thanks to my experience with Go Global in India."





Curtin is transforming to offer technology-rich environments that immerse you in your course like never before. Learning spaces that recreate real workplaces will enhance your studies and help ensure you graduate with the experience you need.

SIMULATED HOSPITAL WARD

We've invested more than AUD\$2.5 million in a clinical simulated hospital ward to assist in the training of nurses and midwives. The innovative setting is a replica of the hospital environment at the Fiona Stanley Hospital in Perth and houses simulation rooms that mimic acute medical and surgical areas, a critical care area, a paediatric area and a general simulation room. The non-clinical rooms are multi-purpose, which enable simulations such as note-taking, handover and case conferencing.

The facility is also capable of supporting interactive technologies used in augmented reality and virtual reality simulations. Take a virtual tour and experience the simulation ward for yourself: curtin.edu/nursing-simulation





LEARN WITH AVATARS

If you study speech pathology, you will meet 'Jim' the virtual patient, a computer-based avatar like those you find in a computer game. By working with Jim in a virtual setting, you can learn how to effectively communicate with a client in a safe environment before moving on to work with real clients.



ROBOTIC DISPENSING SYSTEM

As a Curtin pharmacy student, you will gain a competitive edge using a state-of-the-art robotic dispensing unit, the only one of its kind being used for training purposes in Western Australia. The robot can improve the speed and risk management procedures of dispensing medications. The system also provides greater stock management efficiencies, giving you relevant industry training and practical experience using advanced technology. You will train in a multi-million dollar model pharmacy dispensary, which can simulate a range of reallife settings such as a community pharmacy. You will be provided with your own workstation, computer and label generator, and dispense real medicines using simulations of real prescriptions. Take a virtual tour: curtin.edu/ pharm-biomed-facilities





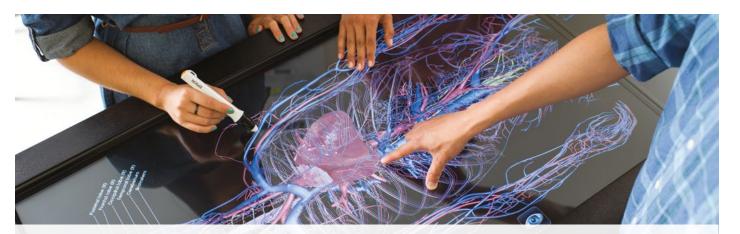
BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES RESEARCH PRECINCT

Situated on the Bentley Campus, this AUD\$35 million facility aims to help drive the search for new and improved methods of diagnosis and the discovery of medicines key to fighting chronic diseases afflicting people worldwide. Particular focus areas include diabetes, tissue engineering, cancer, stem cell and pharmaceutical research.



OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY AND SOCIAL WORK LABORATORIES

Our innovative occupational therapy and social work facilities enable students to practise client- and family-centred care scenarios in realistic interprofessional settings. Take a virtual tour: curtin.edu/ot-sw-sp-facilities



3D LIFE-SIZE VIRTUAL BODIES

Cut, pinch, rotate and zoom on a virtual human body on our anatomage tables. Created with computed tomography (CT) scans, the tables allow you to investigate the human body by virtually dissecting it. You can isolate blood vessels, arteries and veins, nerves, organs, muscles and bones.



COURSE TYPES

BACHELOR DEGREE

The standard university award, recognised worldwide for successfully completing an undergraduate course.

DOUBLE DEGREE

Studying two complementary bachelor degrees concurrently. A double degree has a shorter timeframe than taking two degrees separately.

For example: Bachelor of Science (Psychology) and Bachelor of Commerce.

HONOURS

Additional research and coursework at an advanced level. This may comprise an extra year of study on top of a three-year degree, an honours stream as part of a four-year degree or an honours award based on performance.

MAJORS AND MINORS

MAJOR

A series of more than eight units combined to satisfy Curtin's requirements in an area of specialisation within a bachelor degree. A major includes at least two units at final-year level.

MINOR

A series of four units in the same subject, including at least two units at second-year level or higher.

POSTGRADUATE STUDY

A higher qualification and subject specialisation. You can study a postgraduate course once you have completed your bachelor degree.

UNDERGRADUATE STUDY

Education that leads to a first qualification from a university, usually a bachelor degree.

COURSE ESSENTIALS

ATAR

The Australian Tertiary Admission Rank, used for allocating places in university courses.

DESIRABLE

A recommended but not essential subject that is completed before starting a course.

PREREQUISITE

A subject or unit you must complete before starting a course or taking a higher level unit.

STUDY MODE

To study full-time, you will enrol in three or four units per semester. International students studying in Australia on a student visa must study four units a semester (100 credits) for most courses. A small number of courses allow a study load of 3 units (75 credits).

COURSE STRUCTURE

STREAM

A specialised structure of units within a course.

UNITS

A distinct area of study that is a component of a course. Units cover one subject area in detail and may comprise lectures, tutorials, class presentations, group work, computer lab sessions, case studies, workplace assignments and exams.

CORE UNIT

A compulsory unit, which is specified in the course outline.

ELECTIVE UNIT

A unit that can be chosen from any school or discipline as long as you meet the prerequisites.

OPTIONAL UNIT

A unit that you choose from a specified list provided in the course outline.

OTHER UNIVERSITY TERMS

FACULTY

A teaching area that comprises university schools and disciplines.

MATURE AGE

University applicants who are 20 years of age or over by 1 March (semester one intake) or 1 August (semester two intake) in the intended year of study.

PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE

Working in a professional environment to extend your knowledge and practical skills.

For a comprehensive list of university terms, visit **curtin.edu/uni-terms**



Studying at university is very different to studying at school. To help you navigate university life, we have created a range of online services making it easy for you to keep track of all your important study information while enjoying a more flexible learning environment.

OASIS: ACCESS STUDENT EMAIL, PLAN YOUR TIMETABLE AND MORE

OASIS is your online student portal and provides access to enrolment details, your timetable, student email and Blackboard.

TIP: Plan your timetable online before the start of each semester. Some units offer multiple class times, meaning that if you get in quick, you can choose the time that best suits you.

ILECTURE: NEVER MISS A LECTURE AGAIN

The iLecture system is a quick and easy way for you to access recordings of your unit lectures or other video-based resources prepared by your lecturers. iLecture recordings will be made available shortly after the lecture, typically before the following day, and you can access them through Blackboard.

BLACKBOARD: GET YOUR LEARNING MATERIALS ONLINE

Blackboard is Curtin's learning management system. For each unit you're enrolled in, you'll be able to access your unit outline, staff contact information, learning materials and interactive tools, as well as your assessment details, submissions and grades.





A TYPICAL DAY FOR A FIRST-YEAR STUDENT*

6.45 am

Rise and shine! Check your class room locations. Prepare for your workshop later today.

8 - 10 am

Human Structure and Function workshop.

12 – 1 pm

Grab a bite to eat from one of the pop-up food trucks on campus.

1 - 1.50 pm

Go to the library to study and check your emails on OASIS.

2-4 pm

Introduction to Chemistry workshop.

5 – 6 pm

Introduction to Chemistry lecture.

6.30 pm

Head home to log into Blackboard. Get your readings for tomorrow's classes.

* Example of Bachelor of Science (Health Sciences) degree



Work with individuals, teams and other groups to assess physical abilities and design and implement exercise training programs.

In this course you'll gain theoretical and practical understanding of exercise and sports physiology, biomechanics, motor control, motor learning and skill acquisition, and exercise and sports psychology.

The course emphasises client-centred practice to help you develop strong interpersonal communication, critical thinking and problem solving skills.

In your first year you will learn the foundations of exercise science and study interprofessional units with students from other health disciplines.

In your second and third years, you'll specialise in exercise and sports science, and undertake laboratory and fieldwork.

Curtin has partnerships with the Fremantle Football Club and Hockey Australia, meaning you could find yourself working alongside some of Australia's top athletes through practicum placement or research.



Australia (ESSA).

YOUR FUTURE IN EXERCISE, SPORTS AND REHABILITATION

Employment for sports coaches, instructors and officials is expected to grow very strongly.¹

Median salary: AUD\$53,8272

WHAT ARE OUR GRADUATES DOING?

Some of Curtin's exercise, sports and rehabilitation graduates now have positions in the following fields:

- Medical Imaging Assistant, Royal Perth Hospital
- Gym Instructor and Personal Trainer, Curtin Stadium
- Health and Exercise Consultant at Vitality Works.

FURTHER STUDY OPTIONS

Exercise and Sports Science Honours Major (BSc Health Hons)

COURSEWORK

Master of Occupational Therapy Master of Physiotherapy

RESEARCH

Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) fields include, but are not limited to:

Biomechanics

Exercise Physiology Motor Control

COURSE ESSENTIALS

CRICOS CODE DURATION

077744A

3 years full-time

INTAKE

Feb

PREREOUISITES

Before starting year 2, you must hold a Senior First Aid Certificate (or equivalent).

DESIRABLES

One science subject from the following list: biology, chemistry, earth and environmental science, human biology, integrated science, physics or psychology.







Help individuals, groups and communities improve their health and make the healthy choice an easy choice.

This course is designed to equip you with the theoretical and practical skills required for a career in health promotion. You will learn how to identify the health needs of individuals, groups and communities, develop people's skills and knowledge in health, advocate for policies and laws that support healthy choices and plan, implement and evaluate health promotion activities.

In your first year you will learn the foundations of health promotion and study interprofessional units with students from other health disciplines.

In your second and third years you will specialise in health promotion. You will also participate in fieldwork visits, undertake an on-campus health promotion campaign and complete a 100-hour professional placement in a health promotion organisation.

YOUR FUTURE IN HEALTH PROMOTION

Employment for other health diagnostic and promotion professionals is expected to grow very strongly.¹

Median salary: AUD\$68,4822

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Australian Health Promotion Association Public Health Association of Australia

FURTHER STUDY OPTIONS

COURSEWORK

Graduate Diploma in Health Promotion Master of Public Health

COURSE ESSENTIALS

CRICOS CODE DURATION

003779B

3 years full-time

INTAKE Feb, Jul

PREREQUISITES

None

DESIRABLES

One science subject from the following list: biology, chemistry, earth and environmental science, human biology, integrated science, physics or psychology.









Assess, manage and prevent injury and disease within the workplace and in the broader community.

This double degree course is designed to develop your expertise in both health promotion and occupational health and safety. As a graduate, you may choose to work within either discipline over your career, however, due to the course's unique integration of the two, you may pursue a career that combines both.

Your first year is interprofessional and is taken with other health sciences students. In the following years, you will specialise in the areas of health promotion and health and safety.

You will learn how to promote health by developing people's skills and knowledge, strengthening the ability of people to plan and undertake action to achieve better health, creating healthy environments, and changing policies and laws to support healthy choices.

The occupational health and safety component will equip you with skills to contribute proactively to risk management and assessment, and the prevention of injuries and disease in the workplace.

You will participate in an on-campus health promotion campaign, undertake a 100-hour professional placement in workplace health promotion, and complete 200 hours of placements in health and safety. Fieldwork visits will also give you the chance to see health and safety in action.

YOUR FUTURE IN HEALTH AND SAFETY

Employment for other health diagnostic and promotion professionals is expected to grow very strongly.¹

Median salary: AUD\$68,4822

PROFESSIONAL ACCREDITATION

Nationally accredited by the Australian Occupational Health and Safety Education Accreditation Board (Safety Institute of Australia).

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Australian Health Promotion Association Public Health Association of Australia Australian Institute of Occupational Hygienists

Safety Institute of Australia

PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION

Australian Health Promotion Association Public Health Association of Australia Safety Institute of Australia

FURTHER STUDY OPTIONS

COURSEWORK

Graduate Diploma of Environmental Health

Master of Public Health

Master of Occupational Health and Safety

COURSE ESSENTIALS

CRICOS CODE DURATION

046654D

4 years full-time

INTAKE

Feb

PREREOUISITES

None

DESIRABLES

One science subject from the following list; biology, chemistry, earth and environmental science, human biology, integrated science, physics or psychology.







Specialise in identifying and managing workplace risks to ensure a safe and healthy work environment.

This course is designed to prepare you for employment in the expanding area of occupational health and safety.

You will develop the skills to create, maintain and manage a safe and healthy workplace. The course has a strong science base to help you develop professional skills in critical thinking, information literacy and technology.

Your first year is interprofessional and undertaken in collaboration with other health sciences students.

In your the second and third years, you will learn how to identify and manage risks and hazards, effectively participate in decision-making processes, and improve safety and health to prevent injuries and illness in the workplace.

You will to complete a 100-hour placement in your second year and a 150-hour placement in your third year.

YOUR FUTURE IN HEALTH, SAFETY AND ENVIRONMENT

Employment for health and safety professionals is expected to grow very strongly.¹

Median salary: AUD\$86,4052

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Australian Institute of Occupational Hygienists

Institute of Occupational Safety Health (UK)

Safety Institute of Australia

FURTHER STUDY OPTIONS

COURSEWORK

Graduate Certificate in Occupational Health and Safety

Graduate Diploma in Environmental Health

Graduate Diploma in Health Promotion Graduate Diploma in Occupational Health and Safetu

Master of Occupational Health and Safety

COURSE ESSENTIALS

CRICOS CODE DURATION

064468A

3 years full-time

INTAKE

Feb, Jul

PREREOUISITES

None

DESIRABLES

Mathematics and one science subject from the following list: biology, chemistry, earth and environmental science, human biology, integrated science, physics or psychology.

FIELDWORK HOURS OVER 3 YEARS





The only undergraduate course in Australia to be accredited by the Australian Occupational Health and Safety Education Accreditation Board (Safety Institute of Australia) and internationally accredited by the Institute of Occupational Safety and Health (UK).





The health sciences major is a multidisciplinary degree that gives a solid grounding in public health. You can use the degree to work in the area of public health or as a pathway into other health degrees, such as speech pathology, pharmacy, physiotherapy and occupational therapy.

Public health practitioners work to achieve better health through the prevention of disease and disability. Rather than working with individual clients, public health practitioners work at the community or whole population lovel.

They pay special attention to how social, economic and environmental factors affect health and wellbeing.

Your first year is interprofessional and undertaken in collaboration with other health sciences students.

Optional units allow you to pursue your interests in other health areas or choose one subject for in-depth learning.

YOUR FUTURE IN PUBLIC HEALTH

Employment for contract, program and project administrators is expected to grow strongly.¹

Median salary: AUD\$68,4822

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Public Health Association of Australia Australasian Epidemiological Association

FURTHER STUDY OPTIONS

If you have the required course-weighted average and have included the necessary prerequisite units in your degree you may be eligible to apply for further study in the courses listed below.

COURSEWORK

Master of Health Administration

Master of Occupational Health and Safety

Master of Occupational Therapy

Master of Pharmacy

Master of Physiotherapy

Master of Public Health

Master of Sexology

Master of Speech Pathology

RESEARCH

Master of Philosophy (MPhil) (Public Health)

COURSE ESSENTIALS

CRICOS CODE DURATION

003691K

3 years full-time

INTAKE

Feb, Jul

PREREOUISITES

None

DESIRABLES

Mathematics and one science subject from the following list; biology, chemistry, earth and environmental science, human biology, integrated science, physics or psychology.



This degree can be used as a pathway program to other Curtin health courses.





Fascinated by the human body? Want to know more about human anatomy and physiology? Become a highly skilled scientist at the threshold of many different health careers.

If you are seeking a career in allied health, but are not yet ready to commit to a particular profession, this course is an ideal stepping-stone to other courses and careers such as occupational therapy, medicine, pharmacy and physiotherapy.

This course delivers integrated studies in human biology, emphasising applied human structure and function. Your first year is interprofessional and taken with students from other health sciences degrees.

The second year is designed to give you in-depth knowledge in selected subject areas, particularly in anatomy and physiology, and is combined with extensive laboratory-based learning.

In your third year, you can apply your learning to explore areas of current research in human biology and the life sciences.

YOUR FUTURE IN HUMAN BIOLOGY

Employment for life scientists is expected to remain relatively steady.¹

Median salary: AUD\$79,1072

FURTHER STUDY OPTIONS

Bachelor of Science (Biomedical Sciences) (Honours)

COURSEWORK

Master of Occupational Therapy Master of Pharmacy Master of Physiotherapy Master of Speech Pathology

RESEARCH

Master of Philosophy (MPhil) in Medical Research Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) in Medical Research

COURSE ESSENTIALS

CRICOS CODE DURATION

064457D 3 years full-time

INTAKE Feb

PREREQUISITES

None

DESIRABLES

Chemistry, mathematics and human biology or biology

This is the ideal stepping-stone to clinical disciplines such as audiology, dentistry, medicine, nursing, occupational therapy, optometry, pharmacy, physiotherapy and speech pathology.







Laboratory medicine teaches you about pathology (the origin, nature and course of disease) and the diagnosis of disease. This course offers exciting opportunities if you are seeking a challenging career as a professional medical scientist.

Your first year is interprofessional and taken with students from other health sciences degrees.

The second year expands your knowledge of the cellular and tissue aspects of pathology, and the individual disciplines of laboratory medicine.

In your third and fourth years, you undertake extensive placement and focus on three of the following major disciplines: clinical biochemistry, haematology and blood transfusion science, histopathology, diagnostic cytology, immunology, and medical microbiology.

YOUR FUTURE IN MEDICAL LABORATORY SCIENCE

Employment for medical laboratory scientists is expected to grow very strongly.¹

Median salary: AUD\$60,640²

PROFESSIONAL ACCREDITATION

Australian Institute of Medical Scientists

FURTHER STUDY OPTIONS

Bachelor of Science (Biomedical Science) (Honours)

RESEARCH

Master of Philosophy (MPhil) in Medical

Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) in Medical Research

COURSE ESSENTIALS

CRICOS CODE DURATION

064464E

4 years full-time

INTAKE

Feb

PREREOUISITES

None

DESIRABLES

Chemistry, and/or mathematics strongly recommended.
Human biology or biology desirable.







Learn about genetics and biotechnology, and how they are improving health outcomes, boosting agricultural productivity and industrial processes, and enhancing environmental sustainability.

In this course, you can develop the knowledge and technical skills you need to contribute to many applications of molecular genetics and biotechnology.

Your first year is interprofessional and will provide a general introduction to biomedical science and other supporting disciplines.

Starting from second year, your study will expand to include genetics, biochemistry, microbiology and immunology, and you will be introduced to cutting-edge technology for molecular and genetic analyses.

You will also explore the legal, social and ethical implications raised by the advent of molecular biotechnology, issues surrounding intellectual property and patents, and commercial opportunities relevant to the biotechnology industry in Australia and surrounding regions.

YOUR FUTURE IN MOLECULAR GENETICS AND BIOTECHNOLOGY

Employment for life scientists is expected to remain steady.¹

Median salary: AUD\$62,3482

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP
AusBiotech

FURTHER STUDY OPTIONS

Bachelor of Science (Biomedical Science) Honours

COURSEWORK

Master of Pharmacy Master of Science

RESEARCH

Master of Philosophy (MPhil) in Medical Research

Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) in Medical Research

COURSE ESSENTIALS

CRICOS CODE DURATION INTAKE

050345E 3 years full-time Feb

PREREQUISITES

DESIRABLES

Human biology, physical sciences and mathematics

This course can help you become a:
 biotechnologist
 biochemist
 molecular biologist
 molecular geneticist
 forensic scientist.







Become a registered nurse and give comprehensive care to patients in a variety of settings, whilst working with other health professionals.

This course provides a wide-ranging program of simulated practice and fieldwork, advanced clinical skill development, biological, behavioural and nursing sciences, and the opportunity for an international study experience.

Your studies will focus on developing the skills and knowledge you'll need to meet the demands of our changing healthcare system.

You will be encouraged to be an active, contributing member of an interprofessional healthcare team, and study with different nursing and medical specialists in a range of fields.

YOUR FUTURE IN NURSING

Employment for registered nurses is expected to grow very strongly.¹

Median salary: AUD\$65,000²

PROFESSIONAL ACCREDITATION

Australian Nursing and Midwifery Accreditation Council

PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION

Registered Nurse (Division 1) with the Nursing and Midwifery Board Australia.

FURTHER STUDY OPTIONS

COURSEWORK

Graduate Diploma in Midwifery Master of Nursing Practice Master of Nurse Practitioner

RESEARCH

Master of Philosophy (MPhil) Doctor of Philosophy (PhD)

COURSE ESSENTIALS

CRICOS CODE

041794K

DURATION

3.5 years full-time

INTAKE

Feb, Jul

PREREOUISITES

This course requires a higher level of English language proficiency: IELTS overall band 7.0 with a minimum of 6.5 in each band or equivalent.

DESIRABLES

Human biology, mathematics and integrated science







BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (NURSING)

REGISTERED NURSE CONVERSION AUSTRALIAN REGISTRATION NURSE STREAM

This course is for registered nurses seeking registration in Australia.

This stream is designed to build on your professional knowledge and experience as a registered nurse. It takes the study of research, evidence-informed practice and the biological and behavioural sciences underlying nursing to greater depth.

The stream emphasises the development of your professional nursing competencies and on enhancing your capability as a member of an interprofessional team in a changing health care system.

Successful completion of this stream enables internationally and locally qualified nurses to seek registration within Australia.

PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION

Upon graduating you can become a Registered Nurse (Division 1) with the Nursing and Midwifery Board Australia.

COURSE ESSENTIALS

CRICOS CODE

041794K

DURATION

INTAKE

year full-time Feb, Jul

PREREQUISITES

Qualifications recognised by the Australian Qualifications Framework as equivalent to a minimum of a three-year diploma, minimum of three months' full-time recent clinical nursing experience as a Registered Nurse in a hospital (acute setting). Provision of resume, job description, statement of employment, overseas nursing registration are required.

This course requires a higher level of English language proficiency: IELTS overall band 7.0 with a minimum of 6.5 in each band or equivalent.

DESIRABLES

None

FIELDWORK HOURS OVER 1 YEAR







Learn about the science of food and nutrition and how to promote healthy diet behaviours to improve the nutritional status of populations.

Your first year will be interprofessional and taken with other health sciences students.

Your second year builds on this foundation and you will study sciences such as biochemistry and physiology in order to understand how the human body uses nutrients from foods to sustain life. You will have the opportunity to participate in off-campus nutrition education sessions.

In the second year of the course, you will choose between two streams: Nutrition and Food Science.

The **Nutrition stream** further develops your understanding of the evidence of associations between diet and health outcomes, and you will explore the social and cultural influences that impact dietary decisions within the population. You will also conduct a nutrition research project.

In the Food Science stream, you will focus on the nature and chemical composition of foods, ingredient behaviour under different processing conditions, and the application of this knowledge of food science to improve the safety and quality of food.

You will also undertake a work placement with an external organisation which may be a government, research or food industry organisation.

YOUR FUTURE IN NUTRITION AND FOOD SCIENCE

Employment for nutrition professionals is expected to grow very strongly; employment for food scientists is expected to grow strongly.¹

Median salary: AUD\$53,665 (nutritionist)²

Median salary: AUD\$59,726 (food technologist)³

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Graduates from the Nutrition stream will be eligible to apply for membership to the Public Health Association of Australia and as an Associate Nutritionist with the Nutrition Society of Australia.

Graduates of the Food Science stream will be eligible to apply for professional membership of the Australian Institute of Food Science and Technology.

FURTHER STUDY OPTIONS

COURSEWORK

Graduate Certificate in Food Science and Technology

Graduate Diploma in Food Science and Technology

Graduate Diploma in Health Promotion Master of Dietetics

Master of Public Health

Master of Science (Food Science and Technology)

COURSE ESSENTIALS

003887J

CRICOS CODE DURATION

3 years full-time

INTAKE Feb

PREREOUISITES

Chemistry

DESIRABLES

Mathematics





Promote and improve healthy food choices in the community.

This course is designed to equip you with the theoretical and practical skills required for a career in public health nutrition. You will learn how to identify the health and nutritional needs of individuals, groups and communities, develop people's skills and knowledge in health and nutrition, advocate for policies and laws that support healthy choices and plan, implement and evaluate health promotion and public health nutrition activities.

In your first year, you will learn the foundations of health promotion and nutrition and study interprofessional core units with students from other health disciplines.

In your second, third and fourth years, you will specialise in health promotion and nutrition. You will also undertake an on-campus health promotion campaign, provide a school-based nutrition education session and a 100-hour professional public health nutrition placement in a public health/health promotion organisation.

YOUR FUTURE IN HEALTH PROMOTION AND NUTRITION

Employment for other health diagnostic and promotion professionals is expected to grow very strongly.¹

Median salary: AUD\$68,4822

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Australian Health Promotion Association Public Health Association of Australia Associate Nutritionist with the Nutrition Society of Australia

CAREER OPTIONS

This course can help you become a: Public health nutritionist Health promotion officer.

COURSE ESSENTIALS

CRICOS CODE

046656B

DURATION

4 years
full-time

INTAKE

Feb

PREREOUISITES

Chemistry

DESIRABLES

Mathematics

FIELDWORK HOURS
OVER 4 YEARS

100
hours





Occupational therapists work with people of all ages who may have experienced injury, illness or disability. They aim to help people engage in occupations or activities that are meaningful to them, and to achieve independence, health, wellbeing and satisfaction in their lives.

In this course, you will learn to identify physical, psychosocial, cognitive, behavioural and environmental factors that can help or hinder a person's participation in everyday activities.

You will learn to collaborate with other health professionals to provide crossdiscipline care that is focused around the client and their needs.

You will study in laboratories, learning spaces and resource rooms that are tailored for learning the skills required to work in occupational therapy.

Fieldwork placements will complement your studies and help you to integrate the essential skills needed for individual, family and community practice.

YOUR FUTURE IN OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY

Employment for occupational therapists is expected to grow very strongly.¹

Median salary: AUD\$61,3732

PROFESSIONAL ACCREDITATION

Occupational Therapy Board of Australia

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Australian Association of Occupational Therapists

Occupational Therapy Australia World Federation of Occupational Therapists

PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION

Occupational Therapy Board of Australia

COURSE ESSENTIALS

CRICOS CODE DURATION

003888G

year

INTAKE

Feb

PREREQUISITES

One science subject from the following list: biology, chemistry, earth and environmental science, human biology, integrated science, physics or psychology.

This course requires a higher level of English language proficiency: IELTS overall band 7.0 with a minimum of 7.0 in each band or equivalent.

DESIRABLES

None

FIELDWORK HOURS OVER 4 YEARS



Some tasks an occupational therapist may undertake:

- working with children to develop fine motor skills
- creating rehabilitation programs for adults who have sustained an injury
- working with individuals to enhance their mental health.







The goal of pharmacy care is to maximise positive healthcare outcomes and improve patients' quality of life with minimum risk.

In your first year, you will learn the foundations of biochemistry, physiology and pharmacy practice.

Your first year will also cover interprofessional healthcare and you will study alongside students from other health science degrees.

In your following years, you will study pharmaceutics, medicinal chemistry, antimicrobial chemotherapy, integrated pharmacology and pharmacotherapy. You will also continue to develop your pharmacy practice skills.

You will complete a minimum of 12 weeks of clinical placements during the course and there are opportunities for you to take your placements interstate and overseas in hospitals, the community or in industry.

YOUR FUTURE IN PHARMACY

Employment for pharmacists is expected to grow very strongly.¹

Median salary: AUD\$65,6142

PROFESSIONAL ACCREDITATION Australian Pharmacy Council

PROFESSIONAL REGISTRATION

After completing your degree, you will need to complete an internship of 1,824 hours (approximately one year full-time) before you can apply to register as a pharmacist with the Pharmacy Board of Australia.

PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION

Pharmacy Board of Australia

This degree is recognised worldwide, although in some countries you may have to do additional training.

COURSE ESSENTIALS

CRICOS CODE

003920B

DURATION

INTAKE

Feb

PREREQUISITES

Chemistry and mathematics (with calculus). This course requires a higher level of English language proficiency: IELTS overall band 7.0 with a minimum of 7.0 in each band or equivalent.

DESIRABLES

Biology and human biology

FIELDWORK HOURS OVER 4 YEARS 450+ hours

This degree is the only accredited undergraduate pharmacy course in Western Australia and graduates receive a Bachelor of Pharmacy (Honours). It is recognised worldwide, although in some countries you may require additional training.







Investigate the physical, structural and physiological aspects of the human form and movement. You will learn to prevent, diagnose, treat and rehabilitate injuries and disabilities using hands-on treatment, prescriptive exercise and lifestyle advice.

In this course, you will undertake a combination of theoretical, practical and clinical subjects.

Your first year of the course is interprofessional and is undertaken with other health sciences students. Throughout this time you will learn the fundamental skills critical to physiotherapy.

The following years will be devoted to a more intensive study of the musculoskeletal, neurological and cardiopulmonary areas.

You will develop practical skills in laboratory classes and under clinical supervision at hospitals and community settings.

You will become familiar with acute and long-term case management, and may take placements in rural and remote healthcare settings.



The School of Physiotherapy and Exercise Science has more than 60 years' teaching experience in physiotherapy and has established an international reputation for the quality of its graduates and research.

YOUR FUTURE IN PHYSIOTHERAPY

Employment for physiotherapists is expected to grow very strongly.¹

Median salary: AUD\$63,306 ²

PROFESSIONAL ACCREDITATION

Australian Physiotherapy Council

PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION

Physiotherapy Board of Australia You may also apply for registration in New Zealand. To work in the US, UK or Canada, you will need to provide details of your program of studies to the relevant bodies and you may be required to sit a licensing examination.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency (AHPRA)

Australian Physiotherapy Association

FURTHER STUDY OPTIONS COURSEWORK

Graduate Certificate in Clinical Physiotherapy

Master of Clinical Physiotherapy

RESEARCH

Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) – fields include, but are not limited to: musculoskeletal science, women's health, aged care, cardiopulmonary science, occupational health and safety, sports injuries, infants and paediatrics, and neurological conditions

COURSE ESSENTIALS

CRICOS CODE

003890C

DURATION

INTAKE

4 years full-tim

Feb

PREREQUISITES

One science subject from the following list: biology, chemistry, human biology, integrated science, physics or psychology.

This course requires a higher level of English

This course requires a higher level of English language proficiency: IELTS overall band 7.0 with a minimum of 7.0 in each band or equivalent.

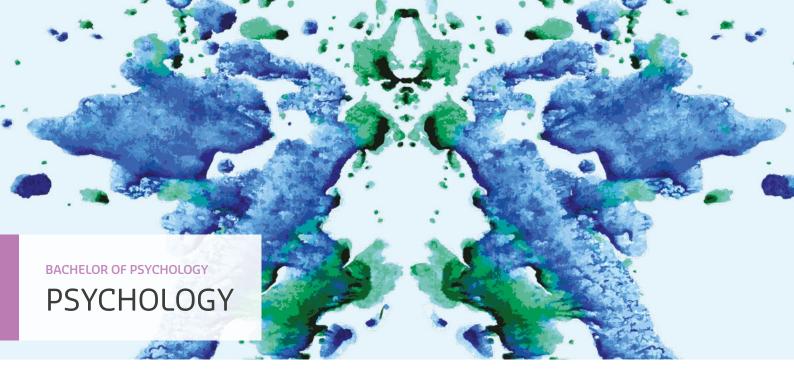
DESIRABLES

Mathematics

FIELDWORK HOURS OVER 4 YEARS







Learn about perception, cognition, emotion, personality, behaviour and interpersonal relationships, and how psychologists examine, explain and predict what people do as individuals and in groups.

The first year of the course is interprofessional and is undertaken with other health sciences students.

In your second year, you will gain greater knowledge in learning and motivation, perception, personality and developmental psychology.

In the third year, you will prepare a research proposal and develop advanced knowledge in social psychology, abnormal psychology, cognition, crosscultural psychology and mental abilities.

The fourth year includes a yearlong research project along with the development of skills in areas such as program evaluation, psychological assessment, and professional practice.

Note on fourth year: Due to stringent accreditation requirements, you must attain a minimum credit average in your second and third year core psychology units to continue into the fourth year of the course. High achieving students may be offered a place in the honours program in fourth year. If you do not attain the credit average required for

fourth year you will graduate at the end of third year with the intermediate award: Bachelor of Science (Psychology).

YOUR FUTURE IN PSYCHOLOGY

Employment for counsellors is expected to grow very strongly.¹

Median salary: AUD\$59,180 (counsellor)2

Median salary: AUD\$70,946 (psychologist)³

PROFESSIONAL ACCREDITATION

Australian Psychology Accreditation Council

PROFESSIONAL REGISTRATION

Provisional registration with the Psychology Board of Australia

PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION

Associate membership with the Australian Psychological Society

FURTHER STUDY OPTIONS

Master of Psychology (Clinical)
Master of Psychology (Counselling)

COURSE ESSENTIALS

CRICOS CODE DURATION

041070B

4 years full-time

INTAKE Feb

PREREQUISITES

None

DESIRABLES

Mathematics

THREE STEPS TO BECOMING A PSYCHOLOGIST IN AUSTRALIA

To practise as a psychologist in Australia you will need to:

- 1. Complete an accredited four-year degree in psychology
- 2. Complete a further two years of skills-based training. There are three training options available:
 - a two-year provisional psychologist internship (supervised work)
 - an accredited one-year professional master program and one-year provisional psychologist internship (supervised work)
 - an accredited two-year master program.
- 3. Register with the Psychology Board of Australia.





Use your knowledge of psychology to help resolve issues in the workplace, recruit and engage employees, and improve individual and team performance.

This course is designed to provide both a basis in and an appreciation of the scientific discipline of psychology as well as the human resource management profession.

This combination provides you with a highly marketable knowledge base that allows you to relate to a broad range of managers, professionals and consultants, and also provides a foundation for graduate studies in either professional application or research.

To become a registered psychologist after graduating from this degree you will need to complete a further year of undergraduate psychology study. After this you will need to complete a further two years of skills-based training and/or postgraduate study.

YOUR FUTURE IN HUMAN RESOURCES

Employment for human resource professionals is expected to grow moderately.¹

Median salary: AUD\$71, 2212

PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION

To become a registered psychologist after graduating from this degree you will need to complete an additional year of undergraduate psychology study and a further two years of skills-based training and/or postgraduate study.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Australian Human Resources Institute

To be eligible for associate membership of the Australian Psychological Society, you must complete an additional year of undergraduate psychology study.

FURTHER STUDY OPTIONS

COURSEWORK

Psychology Fourth Year stream Honours Psychology stream.

COURSE ESSENTIALS

CRICOS CODE DUR

080702G

DURATION

4 years
full-time

INTAKE

Feb, Jul

PREREQUISITES

None

DESIRABLES

Mathematics



Sources 1, 2: Job Outlook 2017. joboutlook.gov.au



Use your knowledge of psychology to help recruit and engage employees, improve individual and team performance, and understand the complexities of organisational relationships and change.

This double degree is designed to provide both a basis in and an appreciation of the scientific discipline of psychology as well as the human resource management and industrial relations professions.

This combination provides graduates with a highly marketable knowledge base that allows them to relate to a broad range of managers, professionals and consultants, and also provides a foundation for graduate studies in either professional application or research.

You will graduate with knowledge of people and human behaviour. You will also develop good planning, organisational, analytical and decisionmaking skills.

In addition, you will have good oral and written communication skills, be able to deal with people confidentially, tactfully, and with discretion, as well as being able to work within rule (legislative and legal).

YOUR FUTURE IN HUMAN RESOURCES

Employment for human resource professionals is expected to grow moderately.¹

Median salary: AUD\$71, 2212

PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION

To become a registered psychologist after graduating from this degree, you will need to complete an additional year of undergraduate psychology study and a further two years of skills-based training and/or postgraduate study.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Australian Human Resource Institute

To be eligible for associate membership of the Australian Psychological Society you must complete an additional year of undergraduate psychology study.

FURTHER STUDY OPTIONS

COURSEWORK

Psychology Fourth Year stream Honours Psychology stream

COURSE ESSENTIALS

033859J

CRICOS CODE DURATION

5 years full-time

INTAKE Feb

PREREOUISITES

None

DESIRABLES

Mathematics

With this degree you could secure a role as a human resources officer, trade union official, recruitment consultant, change management specialist, accountant, public relations officer, marketing officer, economist, welfare officer or industrial relations officer.







This double degree is ideal for students who want to combine a career in law with a deeper understanding of human behaviour, or want to pursue a career in psychology in areas such as the criminal and justice systems.

The Bachelor of Laws degree is a qualification approved by the Legal Practice Board of Western Australia. It offers you a foundation in essential areas of law and legal knowledge, and will help you develop core skills, with a strong practical emphasis, that are essential to effective legal practice.

The Bachelor of Science (Psychology) components will teach you about perception, cognition, emotion, personality, behaviour and interpersonal relationships and how to examine, explain and predict what people do as individuals and in groups.

YOUR FUTURE IN LAW AND PSYCHOLOGY

Employment for legal and psychology professionals is expected to grow moderately.¹

 $Median\ salary:\ AUD\$70,429\ (lawyer)^2$

Median salary: AUD\$70,946 (psychologist)³

PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION

An undergraduate degree in law is the first qualification you need if you want to practise as a lawyer in Australia. Further practical legal training must be undertaken after completing the Bachelor of Laws to be eligible for admission as a barrister and solicitor in Western Australia. To be eligible for admission as a lawyer in Western Australia you must either undertake the Practical Legal Training course or complete 12 months of articles of clerkship. For further details about admission as a lawyer in Australia, refer to the Legal Practice Board of Western Australia website.

The Bachelor of Science (Psychology) degree is recognised by the Australian Psychology Accreditation Council (APAC) as meeting the first three years of study in psychology. A further year in psychology is necessary to apply for associate membership of the Australian Psychological Society (APS) and for provisional registration as a psychologist.

COURSE ESSENTIALS

CRICOS CODE DURATION

096308G 5.5 years full-time

INTAKE Feb

PREREQUISITES None

DESIRABLES

Mathematics

Please note: this course is pending registration for international onshore students on student visas. Please contact the Curtin International office to determine availability for international students.



Psychology and marketing are a natural combination, reflecting the day-to-day challenges of the business world and the growing role of psychology in numerous aspects of commerce.

In this double degree you will learn key concepts and theories in marketing and psychology and apply them to real-world situations. You will develop advanced knowledge of the human brain and acquire analytical methods to examine how culture, personality and lifestyle affect the behaviour of consumers.

You will learn how to analyse and interpret market research data using appropriate technologies and identify local, regional and global issues that affect business. You will also learn advanced psychological methods and the ethical implications of research.

In addition, you will choose from optional commerce units and have the opportunity to run your own virtual company. This simulated experience will enable you to make decisions about market share, manufacturing, cash flow and product development.

YOUR FUTURE IN PSYCHOLOGY AND MARKETING

Employment for marketing professionals is expected to grow strongly.¹

Employment for counsellors is expected to grow very strongly.¹

Median salary: AUD\$60, 988 (marketing specialist)³

Median salary: AUD\$70,946 (psychologist)⁴

PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION

This degree provides students with an accredited 3-year sequence in psychology. To be eligible for Provisional Registration as a psychologist, or Associate Membership of the Australian Psychological Society, a further year of undergraduate psychology study is required.

Curtin's Marketing major is accredited by the Australian Marketing Institute (AMI). The AMI is the leading professional association for marketers in Australia. Graduates are eligible to apply for membership with the AMI to keep up-todate with new trends and developments in marketing practice to further enhance

COURSE ESSENTIALS

CRICOS CODE

DURATION

INTAKE

995948F

Duration

Feb

PREREQUISITES

None

DESIRABLES

Mathematics





Social workers are committed to social justice, human rights and social change. They work with and alongside individuals, groups and communities to address personal and structural barriers that impact people's quality of life, promote positive relationships, and advocate for human rights.

This degree can provide you with the knowledge and skills to become a professional social work practitioner. You will study in-depth human behaviour and complex social processes.

Social work draws on knowledge from a range of disciplines including sociology, psychology, politics, philosophy, health and economics. The course focuses on how people understand each other, and the interactions between people, their communities and society.

In this course, you can use purposebuilt teaching spaces and resources that facilitate innovative learning and help you develop the knowledge, skills and values necessary for counselling with individuals and groups, working with adults, the elderly, children and young people. You will be encouraged to be self-aware, to critically reflect and to understand how people relate to each other and their environments.

Two field placements allow you to apply your learning with supervision from a qualified social work practitioner.

YOUR FUTURE IN SOCIAL WORK

Employment for social workers is expected to grow very strongly.¹

Median salary: AUD\$61,4272

PROFESSIONAL ACCREDITATION

Australian Association of Social Workers

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Australian Association of Social Workers Western Australian Society Professional Social Workers

International Federation of Social Workers

COURSE ESSENTIALS

CRICOS CODE

068620K

DURATION

4 years full-time

INTAKE

Feb

PREREQUISITES

This course requires a higher level of English language proficiency: IELTS overall band 7.0 with a minimum of 7.0 in each band or equivalent.

DESIRABLES

None

FIELDWORK HOURS OVER 4 YEARS



Social work offers a range of diverse fields of practice including advocacy and legal support, community corrections and juvenile justice, disability and rehabilitation, international development and assistance, services for the ageing, services for migrants and refugees, and working with Indigenous communities.







Diagnose and treat people with communication impairments including speech, language, stuttering, hearing and swallowing difficulties.

The course aims to develop your understanding of typical communication development, developmental and acquired communication and swallowing disorders, clinical practice in speech pathology and research.

Your first year is interprofessional and taken with other health sciences students. From second year, your studies will focus on three streams: human communication science, clinical science in speech pathology and research methods.

You can apply your learning during supervised clinical practice in the on-campus clinic and in professional practice settings.

YOUR FUTURE IN SPEECH PATHOLOGY

Employment for speech professionals is expected to grow very strongly¹

Median salary: AUD\$60,2652

PROFESSIONAL ACCREDITATION

Speech Pathology Australia

PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION

Speech Pathology Australia

FURTHER STUDY OPTIONS

RESEARCH

Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) in Human Communication Science

COURSE ESSENTIALS

CRICOS CODE

032949D

DURATION

INTAKE

Feb

PREREQUISITES

One science subject from the following list: biology, chemistry, human biology or physics.
This course requires a higher level of English language proficiency: IELTS overall band 7.0 with a minimum of 7.0 in each band or equivalent.

DESIRABLES

Mathematics

FIELDWORK HOURS OVER 4 YEARS





As a Curtin speech pathology student, you'll have access to well-equipped clinical education facilities and resources including video, audio and computer hardware and software.





The tuition fees are based on a normal full-time workload of 100 credits per semester (200 credits per year) unless otherwise stated. If you study more than 100 credits per semester, you will have a higher annual tuition fee. The tuition fee is calculated and charged on a semester basis.

Indicative course fees for the 2018 commencement year are available at courses.curtin.edu.au. Indicative course fees for the 2019 commencement year will be available from September 2018.

Individual unit (subject) fees are listed at fees.curtin.edu.au/course_fees.cfm

Note: All listed fees are subject to annual increases. Course majors and streams may also vary across campuses.

OFFER LETTER (100 CREDIT) PUBLISHED FEE

As an international student, you need to pay the fees for your first study period (one semester or 100 credits) before arriving in Australia in order to receive a confirmation of enrolment. The fee quoted on the international offer letter is only an approximation and may differ slightly in accordance with the units you choose to study upon your enrolment.

INDICATIVE ESSENTIAL INCIDENTAL FEES

Some courses require compulsory additional payment for retainable materials and course-related fees, known as essential incidental fees. Some individual units may have optional fees for course materials and other course-related items.

Indicative essential incidental fees for the 2018 commencement year are available at courses.curtin.edu.au. Indicative essential incidental fees for the 2019 commencement year will be available from July 2018.

REFUND AGREEMENT

The categories under which the University Fees Centre will assess an application for refund are laid out in the University's International Student Refund Agreement. The agreement is supplied to you with your Letter of Offer and can also be accessed online at fees.curtin.edu.au/refunds.cfm, where you can view the most up-to-date information as the policy is subject to change.

UNDERGRADUATE CUT-OFF SCORES KEY

GCE General Certificate of

Education

GCSE General Certificate of

Secondary Education

STPM Sijil Tinggi Persekolahan

Malaysia

ATAR Australian Tertiary

Admission Rank – applicable to all Australian

applicable to all Australian

matriculation

IB International Baccalaureate

WAUFP Western Australian

Universities' Foundation

Program

HKDSE Hong Kong Diploma of

Secondary Education

India CBSE All India Senior School

Certificate awarded by the Central Board of Secondary

Education

India HSC Higher Secondary School

Certificate (Standard Year 12 Qualification) awarded by one of the recognised Higher Secondary Education Boards

in India

Sri Lanka GCE A-level issued by the

Department of Examinations



For more information about English Language Proficiency, visit curtin.edu/english-req

ENGLISH LANGUAGE TEST	MINIMUM SCORE
IELTS (International English Language Testing System) - Listening, Reading, Writing, and Speaking - Overall band score	6.0 6.5
GCSE/GCE O-level English/English Language/English Literature/General Paper/ESL	Grade C
GCE A-level English/English Language/English Literature/General Paper/ESL	Grade E
SPM 1119 English	Grade C6
Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) Reading Listening Speaking Writing	79 (overall) 13 13 18 21
Pearson Test of English - Academic (PTE-A)	58
Occupational English Test (OET)	Grade C+ in listening, reading, writing and speaking
WACE English ATAR	Scaled score of 50
Western Australian Universities' Foundation Program (WAUFP), English Language and Australian Cultural Studies (ELACS)	50%
English as a Second Language (ESL)	Pass mark varies each year (normally 50% or above)
South Australian Certificate of Education (SACE) in the subject of English as a Second Language	Grade of C- or above
Hong Kong Diploma of Secondary Education (HKDSE) English as a core subject	Grade of 4 or above
Cambridge Certificate of Proficiency in English (CPE)/Cambridge Certificate in Advanced English (CAE)	Grade C
First Certificate of English (FCE)	Grade A
Successful completion of Curtin's English Language Bridging (ELB) course.	Grade B
Successful completion of one semester of full-time study of a bachelor degree course at an Australian	university
Successful completion of the full first year of a bachelor degree at a recognised university in NZ, UK, Co	anada or US
Successful completion of any Australian university English language proficiency programs of one sem- requirements at those universities.	ester (six months) full-time in duration or more, that satisfy degree entry

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COURSE MATRIX

				INDICATIVE CUT-OFF SCORES			
COURSE NAME	CRICOS CODE	DURATION	INTAKE	GCE A-LEVELS / STPM (best of 3 subjects)	HKDSE (best of 5)	IB	Ontario Gr 12 (best of 6)
Biomedical Science (Honours) (BSc (Hons))	073667G	1 year	Feb	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Exercise, Sports and Rehabilitation Science (BSc)	077744A	3 years	Feb	5	15	24	60
Health Promotion (BSc)	003779B	3 years	Feb, Jul	5	15	24	60
Health Promotion (BSc) and Health and Safety (BSc)	046654D	4 years	Feb	5	15	24	60
Health, Safety and Environment (BSc)	064468A	3 years	Feb, Jul	5	15	24	60
Health Sciences (BSc) Health sciences major	003691K	3 years	Feb, Jul	5	15	24	60
Human Biology Preclinical (BSc)	064457D	3 years	Feb	5	15	24	60
Laboratory Medicine (BSc)	064464E	4 years	Feb	6	16	25	63
Law and Psychology (BB-LAWPSY)	096308G	5.5 years	Feb	12	23	33	80
Molecular Genetics and Biotechnology (BSc)	050345E	3 years	Feb	5	15	24	60
Nursing (BSc) (Comprehensive Stream)	041794K	3.5 years	Feb, Jul	5	15	24	60
Nursing (BSc) Registered Nurse Conversion Australian Registration Nurse Stream	041794K	1 year	Feb, Jul	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Nutrition and Food Science (BSc)	003887J	3 years	Feb	5	15	24	60
Nutrition and Health Promotion (BSc)	046656B	4 years	Feb	5	15	24	60
Occupational Therapy (Honours) (BSc (Hons))	003888G	4 years	Feb	8	18	28	70
Pharmacy (Honours) (BPharm (Hons))	003920B	4 years	Feb	8	18	28	70
Physiotherapy (BSc)	003890C	4 years	Feb	12	23	33	80
Psychology (BPsych)	041070B	4 years	Feb	5	15	24	60
Psychology and Human Resource Management (BSc(PsychHRM))	080702G	4 years	Feb, Jul	5	15	24	60
Psychology and Human Resource Management and Industrial Relations (BB-PSYHRM)	033859J	5 years	Feb	5	15	24	60
Psychology and Marketing (BSc)(BCom)	095948F	5 years	Feb	5	15	24	60
Social Work (BSW)	068620K	4 years	Feb	5	15	24	60
Speech Pathology (BSc)	032949D	4 years	Feb	8	18	28	70

^{*}Science subjects include tertiary level biology, chemistry, earth and environmental science, human biology, integrated science, physics or psychology.

ATAR (incl. WACE / SACE / HSC / VCE)	WAUFP (CPS)	India (CBSE)	India (HSC)	Sri Lanka	Prerequisites and desirables		
N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Students with an outstanding performance and appropriate Bachelor of Science (or equivalent) course will be considered for entry to the honours program.		
70	53	60%	65%	5	One science subject* is desirable.		
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70	53	60%	65%	5	Mathematics and one science subject* is desirable.		
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70	53	60%	65%	5	Chemistry, mathematics and human biology or biology is desirable.		
73	54	62.5%	66.5%	6	Chemistry, and /or mathematics and/or human biology is desirable.		
90	70	82.5%	85%	12	Mathematics is desirable.		
70	53	60%	65%	5	Human biology, physical sciences and mathematics desirable.		
70	53	60%	65%	5	Human biology, mathematics and integrated science desirable. English: IELTS overall band 7.0 with a minimum of 6.5 in each band or equivalent.		
N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Qualifications recognised by the Australian Qualifications Framework as equivalent to a minimum of a three-year diploma, minimum of three months' full-time recent clinical nursing experience as a Registered Nurse in a hospital (acute setting). Provision of resume, job description, statement of employment, overseas nursing registration are required.		
70	53	60%	65%	-	English: IELTS overall band 7.0 with a minimum of 6.5 in each band or equivalent.		
70	53	60%	65%	5	Chemistry is required. Mathematics is desirable.		
80	59	70%	71%	8	Chemistry is required. Mathematics is desirable. One science subject* is required. IELTS overall band 7.0 with a minimum of 7.0 in each band or equivalent.		
80	59	70%	71%	8	Chemistry and mathematics. Biology and human biology desirable. IELTS overall band 7.0 with a minimum of 7.0 in each band or equivalent required.		
90	70	82.5%	85%	12	One science subject* is required. Mathematics is desirable.		
70	53	60%	65%	5	Mathematics and one science subject* is desirable		
70	53	60%	65%	5	Mathematics is desirable.		
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SCHOLARSHIPS

A scholarship can offer you financial, academic and career support, giving you more opportunities to gain new skills and expand your horizons.

Scholarships are not loans – the money is given to you provided you fulfil key requirements such as academic performance, work experience or volunteer commitments. They are offered through a competitive process.

CURTIN SCHOLARSHIPS

There are a variety of scholarships available from Curtin. Some are offered for academic achievement, while others are designed to make university possible for students who face financial hardship.

You can also get an email alert whenever a scholarship that matches your criteria is open for applications.

scholarships.curtin.edu.au

GOVERNMENT SCHOLARSHIPS

The Australian Government may also provide scholarships to international students intending to study in Australia, including the Australia Awards Scholarships and the Endeavour Scholarships.

international.curtin.edu.au/scholarships

ALTERNATIVE ENTRY

There are a variety of ways to gain entry into a Curtin course. If you don't meet the admission critera, consider a study program to meet the prerequisites.

CURTIN ENGLISH

If you don't meet the English language proficiency required for your course, consider first taking a study program at Curtin English. Curtin English is located at Curtin's campus in Perth and gives you access to university facilities and support services.

Your Curtin English course can be packaged together with your chosen undergraduate, postgraduate or diploma program to streamline your enrolment and visa application process.

english.curtin.edu.au

CURTIN COLLEGE

Located at Curtin's campus in Perth, Curtin College offers a range of courses that can help you gain eligibility to apply to Curtin University.

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Before applying to a Curtin Health Sciences course, some additional screening may be required.

CRIMINAL RECORD SCREENING

Before applying for health sciences courses, you should be aware that many areas of employment require practitioners to have a criminal record screening.

As a component of your course, you may undertake external placements, clinical practice or fieldwork involving contact with the public. External agencies, such as government departments, nongovernment agencies and hospitals may require you to obtain a criminal record screening prior to an external placement. Please note that external agencies can vary their requirements without notice and may not always advise the University of changes.

A criminal record may not necessarily preclude you from participating in any of the above. However, serious crimes of a violent or sexual nature, where the victim was under 18 years of age or elderly, for dealing or trafficking in drugs, involving fraud, or any offence that resulted in a jail sentence, may render a person unsuitable for employment and/or provision of services to clients.

If you apply for a criminal record screening, this information may be placed on a national database and made available to other authorities (if it is of a sexual or child-related nature). Details about obtaining the relevant criminal record screening will be provided upon your enrolment or as part of your offer. A criminal record screening is required to enrol in a number of health sciences courses. Please check the entry requirements section of your course online at courses.curtin.edu.au for the most up-to-date information.

STUDENT REGISTRATION

The following courses, which lead to registration as a health professional, require the University to register students with the Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency (AHPRA):

- Nursing
- Pharmacy
- Occupational Therapy
- Physiotherapy.

Under national law, it is a requirement that the University notifies AHPRA if they believe a student may place members of the public at risk as a result of a health impairment or criminal history. The University or its staff may also make a voluntary notification if a student has been charged, convicted or found guilty of an offence punishable by an imprisonment of 12 months, or contravened a condition of their student registration. Students who have impairments or who have a criminal record that has resulted in imprisonment are required to self-report to AHPRA.



ahpra.gov.au

CLINICAL HEALTH SCIENCES SCREENING

If you are enrolled in a course that includes supervised practice (including research) in a clinical setting, you are required to undergo screening for and vaccination against a range of infectious diseases before beginning the placement.

If you test positive for a blood borne virus, you are advised to contact your course co-ordinator for career advice.

You may also be required to complete other requirements at your own cost, such as first aid training.

For specific details relating to these requirements, visit: curtin.edu/hs-fieldwork-requirements

WORKING WITH CHILDREN

The Working with Children (Criminal Record Checking) Act 2004 aims to protect children from harm by introducing a high standard of compulsory national criminal record checking for people wishing to do paid, unpaid or volunteer work with children in Western Australia.

As health sciences student you may be required to work with children between the ages of zero and 17 as part of your practicum. In such cases, you will need to have a valid a Working with Children Check. Your course coordinator will advise you when you need to obtain this check.





The following information is relevant to you if you're applying directly to the University. If you are using the services of a Curtin registered agent, you should lodge your application via the agent and contact them for any queries throughout the admission process.



Option 1: Apply online

Visit international.curtin.edu.au/apply

Note: students applying to study doctoral and master degrees by research or doctoral degrees by coursework should refer to research.curtin.edu.au

Option 2: Post or scan and email an application form

- Acknowledgement email and your student number will be emailed within a week.
- Please quote your student number in all correspondence.

Documents to be submitted with application

- Certified copies of all your previous qualifications (for example, academic transcripts, grading system descriptions and award certificates).
- English language entry requirements such as academic IELTS and TOEFL.
- Supplementary information documents (if applicable).
- Evidence of change of name (if applicable).

Certified documents

Signatures on certified copies of transcript(s) and award certificate(s) must be accompanied by an ink imprint stamp/chop from the following accepted authorities:

- an authorised Curtin representative
- a Curtin International staff member
- $\bullet\,$ a person of authority at the issuing institution (e.g. registrar)
- a Justice of the Peace
- a Commissioner for Oaths/Declarations
- any notary public.

English translation

Certified copies of your transcript(s) and award certificate(s) in the original language (if issued in a language other than English) must be provided with English language translated copies from the following accepted authorities:

- an official and accredited translator
- a person of authority at the issuing institution.



AWAIT YOUR OFFER

- Assessment of your application takes 2-4 weeks.
- If we require more documents to assess your application, they will be requested from you.
- Assessment of your application will be delayed until we receive these documents.

Credit for Recognised Learning (CRL)

- We will not be able to assess CRL for previous studies without an application and certified copies of all your academic transcripts/ statement of marks and award certificates to date.
- CRL is granted at the discretion of the school/faculty.







Your offer package consists of:

- Letter of Offer
- Acceptance of Offer form
- Payment Options form
- · Terms of Offer
- International Student Refund Agreement flyer
- Pre-departure guide
- Curtin Housing Services brochure
- Overseas Student Health Cover (OSHC) brochure.



• ACCEPT YOUR OFFER

Steps to accept your offer:

Step 1

Read your Letter of Offer carefully, ensuring your name, course title and semester are correct.

Step 2

Meet all conditions on your Letter of Offer.

Step 3

Submit your Acceptance of Offer form, deposit of tuition fees, Overseas Student Health Cover fee, and a photocopy of your passport details page.



- You will need to apply for your student visa after receiving your electronic Confirmation of Enrolment (eCoE).
- Your eCoE will be sent to you via email.
- The duration of your student visa will vary depending on your course (contact the Australian Embassy to find out more about the visa application process).



Your journey at Curtin doesn't have to end after you've finished your studies. Opportunities to connect with your fellow graduates, pursue further study or gain career support mean there are a variety of ways for you to remain a member of the Curtin community.

GET CAREER SUPPORT

The Curtin Careers and Employment Centre offers advice, programs, services and tools to support you with career development and job applications.

CAREERHUB

CareerHub is our comprehensive job search engine displaying part-time and full-time vacancies, tailored career resources and access to a suite of on-campus, discipline-specific workshops and employer events.

careerhub.curtin.edu.au

GLOBAL CAREERS

Global Careers connects you with employers around the world. You can view hundreds of job opportunities advertised by some of the world's largest and most prestigious employers, and can search for jobs based on your course of study, citizenship and individual working rights.

globalcareers.curtin.edu.au

PURSUE FURTHER STUDY

After you've finished your undergraduate degree, you can advance your career by undertaking one of the following options for further study:

HONOURS OPTIONS

If you have a high course-weighted average, you may be invited to take an extra year's study, leading to an honours award. During your extra year, you will learn research techniques and undertake your own research project. Honours is also a pathway to a higher degree by research.

POSTGRADUATE PATHWAYS

Postgraduate pathways can help you acquire new skills and stand out in the job market. High achieving undergraduate health sciences students can choose from a range of courses available at different award levels.

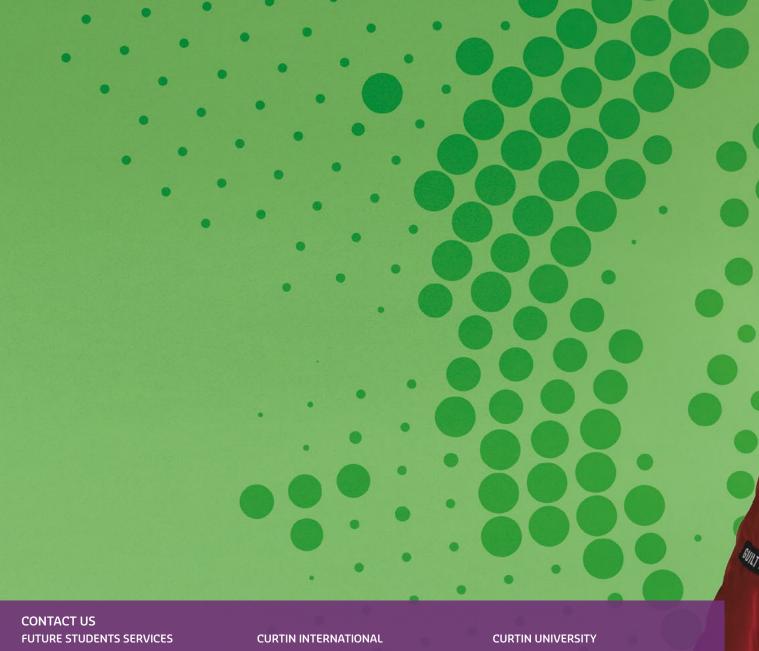
CONNECT WITH ALUMNI

More than 200,000 individuals make up Curtin's community of alumni (former students and graduates), with many being influencers, creators, innovators and game changers who are striving to make tomorrow better. When you graduate, you will automatically join this community.

The Curtin Alumni Network can provide you with lifelong access to a range of benefits and opportunities to support your professional development and help you maintain a connection with Curtin.

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