University of Sydney
Exchange Partner Flyer

Prestige and academic rigour
Every year, hundreds of students from around the world are welcomed to the University of Sydney through our Sydney Abroad program. Some come for our academic reputation and wide range of courses while others wish to experience our vibrant student life bolstered by our guaranteed housing and unique internship program. Whatever the reason, join us and find out why we’re Australia’s favourite option.

Excellence
We sit in the top 0.3 percent of universities worldwide, ensuring that Australian innovation and research is recognised on the international stage. Ranked 45th in the world*, and consistently within the top three in Australia, the University of Sydney is one of the country’s leading research-intensive universities and oldest member of the prestigious Group of Eight. We have 8 disciplines ranked in the top 20 in the world, including Accounting and Finance, Education and Law.

Lifestyle
Sydney ranks first as the world’s friendliest city for tourists**, and the fourth best city for students***. Our main campus is on the doorstep of the multicultural city of Sydney. The city has numerous events and festivals to keep students entertained, which can be easily accessed by public transport.

Location and campuses
The central Camperdown/Darlington campus of the University of Sydney is located approximately 3 kilometres southwest of the heart of the City of Sydney.

Faculties and Schools located here include Agriculture and Environment; Architecture, Design & Planning; Arts & Social Sciences; Business School; Education & Social Work; Engineering & Information Technologies; Law; Medicine; Pharmacy; Science and Veterinary Science.

Dentistry; Health Sciences; Nursing & Midwifery; Sydney College of the Arts (SCA) and Sydney Conservatorium of Music; plus some facilities for Agriculture and Environment and Veterinary Science are located on other campuses.

sydney.edu.au/about-us/campuses

Study Load
Single unit of study: 6 credits (standard)
Normal study load per semester: 24 credits (typically 4 units of study)
Minimum study load per semester: 18 credits (typically 3 units of study)

Where possible all students will be pre-enrolled prior to their arrival.

*2015/16 QS World University Rankings
**Condé Nast Traveler 2015
***QS World Best Student Cities 2016
**Nomination and application process**

**Nomination and application deadlines**
For study in semester 2, 2017
- Nomination deadline: 15 April 2017
- Application deadline: 30 April 2017

For study in semester 1, 2018
- Nomination deadline: 15 November 2017
- Application deadline: 30 November 2017

**Nominate your students: online nomination form**

**Application details**
After the nomination deadline we will be in touch with you and your students with the link to the relevant online application that they need to complete. In this application students will be required to upload the following supporting documents:
- Academic transcript – colour copy of front and back
- Copy of details page of passport
- List of preferred units of study
- Portfolios (if required)

**Application lifecycle**
1. Nomination received
2. Application instructions sent to student
3. Application submitted online by student
4. Application processed by University of Sydney
5. Offer made through Sydney Student Portal
6. Student accepts offer and pays for OSHC
7. Acceptance and payment processed by University of Sydney
8. Confirmation of Enrolment (eCoE) issued to student
9. Student applies for relevant visa
10. Enrolment made available to student prior to arrival

**Processing times**
Applications are processed on a rolling basis and offer letters are normally sent within 1 week of receiving a complete application. eCoEs are generally processed within 1 week of a student completing all necessary steps to accept their offer.

**Document submission**
Please let your students know we do not accept paper applications or documents. We accept true and complete scanned copies of official documents however may request hard copies if required. We may also contact the original issuing authority or relevant tertiary admissions centre, or other organisation (whether education or otherwise), or individual, whether in Australia or overseas, to verify documents.

Documents submitted in a language other than English must be accompanied by a complete English translation. The University accepts translations to English made by an accredited translator with a government body, the Registrar of the issuing institution or, for international applicants, registered University of Sydney education agents who have been designated as translators. Applicants from the Peoples’ Republic of China may have their academic transcripts referred to the Ministry of Education’s China Academic Degrees and Graduate Education Development Centre (CDGDC) for authentication.
Key Dates

2017 Semester 1 (March semester)
Meet and Greet Sessions: Monday 20 – Friday 24 February
Orientation & Enrolment: Monday 27 February
University Union O Week: Wednesday 22 – Friday 24 February
Classes Begin: Monday 6 March
Mid-semester Break: Friday 14 – Friday 22 April
Classes End: Friday 9 June
Study Vacation Period: Monday 12 – Friday 16 June
Examinations and Semester End: Monday 19 June – Saturday 1 July

2017 Semester 2 (July semester)
Meet and Greet Sessions: Monday 17 – Friday 21 July
Orientation & Enrolment: Monday 24 July
Classes Begin: Monday 31 July
Mid-semester Break: Monday 25 – Friday 29 September
Classes End: Friday 3 November
Study Vacation Period: Monday 6 – Friday 10 November
Examinations and Semester End: Monday 13 – Saturday 25 November

2018 Semester 1 (indicative only; to be confirmed) (March semester)
Meet and Greet Sessions: Monday 19 – Friday 23 February
Orientation & Enrolment: Monday 26 February
University Union O Week: Wednesday 28 Feb – Friday 2 March
Classes Begin: Monday 5 March
Mid-semester Break: Friday 30 Mar – Friday 6 April
Classes End: Friday 8 June
Study Vacation Period: Monday 11 – Friday 15 June
Examinations and Semester End: Monday 18 – Saturday 30 June

2018 Semester 2 (indicative only; to be confirmed) (July semester)
Meet and Greet Sessions: Monday 16 – Friday 20 July
Orientation & Enrolment: Monday 23 July
Classes Begin: Monday 30 July
Mid-semester Break: Monday 24 – Friday 28 September
Classes End: Friday 2 November
Study Vacation Period: Monday 5 – Friday 9 November
Examinations and Semester End: Monday 12 – Saturday 24 November

http://sydney.edu.au/study/study-dates.html
Promote your University at the University of Sydney

We are proud to be able to provide our students with the opportunity to spend a semester or year on exchange through our international partnerships. While your students are studying with us we would like to invite them to engage with University of Sydney students to promote your institution as an ideal destination for exchange.

They can do this by:
- participating in campus events hosted Sydney Global Mobility
- joining our Exchange Advisers in their regular information sessions for students

We will provide your students with further information when they arrive.

We’d like to invite you to engage with us for the University of Sydney ‘Sydney Abroad Fair’ on Tuesday 4 April 2017.

There are several ways you can participate in this event:
- Send promotional materials
- Join us on the day
- Nominate a colleague to attend in your place
- Request your students to host a stall

Please let us know how you are able to be involved by completing our registration form before Friday 24 February 2017. Our postal address for promotional materials is provided within the registration form.

For enquiries about partner visits to the University of Sydney, please contact:
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