

# Law & Criminology

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## At Flinders, it's all about your career



Flinders at Festival Plaza, opening on North Terrace in 2024

#### **Combine your degree**

Flinders University offers a range of flexible degrees covering areas such as criminology, laws and legal practice, forensics and cybersecurity. Combine your degree to pursue multiple passions and broaden your job prospects. Graduate with the skills and knowledge to take your place in an ever-changing world.

#### **Experienced teaching made personal**

Flinders has the state's largest and longest-running criminology program, and an innovative law team committed to social justice. Our classes are comparatively small with, on average, 40 students per class. That means our teachers and staff will know your name and customise learning to suit you.

#### **Hands-on experience**

Flinders' Work Integrated Learning (WIL) enables you to gain work experience while you study. You'll have the opportunity to gain real-world experience through placements, practicums, field studies and simulated workplace settings and assessment activities.

#### **New Flinders city campus**

Located in the growing heart of the CBD, the North Terrace & Riverbank Precinct, Flinders at Festival Plaza is metres away from the central Adelaide Railway Station, making study at Flinders open to all.

Flinders University acknowledges the Traditional Owners and Custodians of the lands on which its campuses are located, these are the Traditional Lands of the Arrernte, Dagoman, First Nations of the South East, First Peoples of the River Murray & Mallee region, Jawoyn, Kaurna, Larrakia, Ngadjuri, Ngarrindjeri, Ramindjeri, Warumungu, Wardaman and Yolngu people. We honour their Elders past, present and emerging.



### Law

#### **Future-ready curriculum**

You'll graduate future-ready with three innovative topics including: Legal Innovation and Creative Thinking, Innovation for Social Justice Impact, and From Innovation to Impact. In Law in a Digital Age, you'll create a simple legal software for a not-for-profit client, collaborating to make a real difference to increase access to justice.

#### Four professional placements

Students participate in professional placements providing real work experience to develop networks and be prepared for a successful career. At Flinders as part of Law in Action, you'll undertake a semester-long placement for one day a week, putting what you've learnt into practice with either the Flinders Legal Centre or industry partners, in addition to the Law in a Digital Age topic where you'll work with a not-for-profit client. Legal practice students also undertake 225 hours of workplace experience.

#### All-in-one degree

At Flinders, you'll be ready to practise because it offers an integrated undergraduate legal practice degree in South Australia. You'll undertake practical legal training in your final year of study. This enables you to seek admission from the Supreme Court of South Australia to practise law right after you graduate.

#### Study for success

Projected employment growth for law professionals is strong through to November 2026

- Legal Professionals 20.0%
- Barristers 22.5%
- Judicial and Other Legal Professionals 11.0%
- Solicitors 21.0%

Source: 2022 National Skills Commission Projections

## No. 1 in SA in Law & Paralegal Studies for student support\*

\* The Good Universities Guide 2022 (undergraduate), public SA-founded universities only

#### Top 200 in the world for Law\*\*

\*\* THE World University Subject Rankings 2022

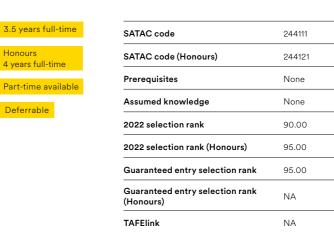


#### LAW

## Bachelor of Laws (Honours)

In this degree, you will develop legal skills and a critical understanding of the Australian legal system. You'll develop high-level communication, presentation and collaboration skills in preparation for future roles in a range of settings. If your focus is not on admission to practice, the Bachelor of Laws allows for faster completion.

SATAC code	244241
SATAC code (Honours)	244251
Prerequisites	None
Assumed knowledge	None
2022 selection rank	90.00
2022 selection rank (Honours)	95.00
Guaranteed entry selection rank	95.00
Guaranteed entry selection rank (Honours)	NA
TAFElink	NA
Adjustment factors	Yes



Adjustment factors

(Honours)

a range of professional settings.

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	4 years full-time
	Honours
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_	Deferrable
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- Gain the legal grounding required with core legal topics, including Constitutional Law, Civil Procedures, Criminal Law, Corporate Law and much more
- Study three legal innovation topics: Legal Innovation and Creative Thinking, Innovation for Social Justice Impact, and From Innovation to Impact, exploring the relationships between the law and technology.
- Develop an innovation and entrepreneurial mindset to respond to twentyfirst century opportunities.
- Have your professional accreditation recognised.

#### Career opportunities

Your degree could open up a range of employment opportunities, including:

- lawyer
- judge's associate
- legal analyst
- legal project manager
- legal solutions architect
- legal transformation manager.

#### Potential employers include:

- law firms
- commercial companies
- international agencies
- government departments.

 Qualify to practise law in four years with integrated practical training that gets you work-ready.

Yes

**Bachelor of Laws and Legal Practice** 

**Bachelor of Laws and Legal Practice** 

In this degree, you will develop legal skills and a critical

understanding of the Australian legal system. You'll develop

high-level communication, presentation and collaboration skills

in preparation for practising law or for future leadership roles in

- Study core topics in criminal law, contracts, torts, constitutional law, administrative law, equity and trusts, property law, corporate law, evidence and civil litigation.
- Study the practical legal topics required to be admitted to legal practice.
- Undertake Work Integrated Learning placements and get hands-on experience through Flinders' Legal Centre.
- Build your legal skills in student competitions (mooting, negotiation, witness examination, etc.).
- Successful completion satisfies the academic and practical requirements underpinning eligibility to be admitted as a barrister and solicitor in Australia.

#### Career opportunities

Your degree could open up a range of employment opportunities, including:

- lawyer
- judge's associate
- graduate analyst
- graduate policy officer
- graduate solicitor
- legal consultant.

#### Potential employers include:

- law firms
- large corporate organisations
- Australian Federal Police
- Legal Services CommissionAttorney-General's Department
- Office of the Director of Public Prosecutions
- other government agencies.

Using futurefocused legal skills to make an impact

Our law students developed an online app that aims to smooth the path into stable housing for some of South Australia's most vulnerable people. The project was part of our transformative Law in a Digital Age subject, and it's a rare opportunity to make a difference in the world.



Students Hannah Guest, Jocelyn Neumueller and Laura Spencer developed a Community Access Tool for the renowned Hutt St Centre, which advocates and empowers people at risk of or experiencing homelessness, as part of Flinders University's transformative Law in a Digital Age subject.

The new application allows Hutt St Centre staff to more effectively provide information on the services, amenities and facilities available in the communities that the centre's clients may move into. Currently, the Hutt St Centre Pathways program provides council packs to its clients when moving, which include useful information about the local services and support available. However, these packs cannot always be tailored to individual needs, and aren't available to clients who don't interact with the Pathways team.

To use the app, Hutt St Centre staff (or the clients themselves) first answer a series of questions to determine eligibility for certain kinds of assistance. The application then draws information from a database of council specific services for eligible clients.

The Community Access Tool is the result of a collaborative project within Flinders University's Law in a Digital age topic. This subject brought together law and computer science students to help prepare them for the opportunities of an increasingly digital future.

Flinders University's Dean of Law, Professor Tania Leiman, says that Law in a Digital Age is a vital subject for anyone studying law.

"It's not just about the tech," says Professor Leiman. "It's about mindset – being innovative, being enterprising and being open to exploring the possibility of new solutions. It's also about using all the tools we have to make justice more accessible and available for more people in our community."



Example of app user interface

## Combined degrees can enhance your job prospects

Combining your degree with a qualification in another discipline will help you develop specialised abilities to stand out from the pack. Studying a combined degree at Flinders is the key to enhancing your career opportunities. Example degree combinations:

## **Bachelor of Laws and Legal Practice/Bachelor of Business**

#### SATAC CODE 244121

By studying the Bachelor of Business with the Bachelor of Laws and Legal Practice, you will set yourself up as a commercial lawyer.

## Bachelor of Laws and Legal Practice/Bachelor of International Relations and Political Science SATAC CODE 244111

A laws and legal practice degree from Flinders satisfies the academic and practical requirements to practise law in South Australia. Combining these studies with a Bachelor of International Relations and Political Science opens the door to a multitude of careers in international organisations, aid and human rights, government, transnational crime prevention, counterterrorism and non-government organisations.

## Bachelor of Laws and Legal Practice/Bachelor of Criminology

#### SATAC CODE 244111

By combining studies in laws and legal practice with criminology, you will develop the professional legal skills to prepare you for a job in the legal profession and gain an understanding of how justice and society influence each other. The combination prepares you for a broad range of careers in law but also government, leadership and educational settings.

For a full list of combined degree options visit flinders.edu.au/combineddegrees

#### **Diploma in Laws**

Hoping to find out more about our legal institutions and how law works? The Diploma in Laws is a pathway to the Bachelor of Laws or the Bachelor of Laws and Legal Practice at Flinders University. Once you've obtained your Diploma, you can transition into either of those courses with a full year's worth of credit behind you.

Want to get a taste of legal problem solving, or add enviable legal skills to your professional toolkit? The Diploma of Laws is the perfect opportunity to explore an area of interest, with topics as diverse as Contracts, Criminal Law, Labour Law, Tort Law and Human Service Law & Practice. This one-year course complements countless other study options, making it the ideal qualification for those who want to understand the legal frameworks underpinning industry.

SATAC code	216071
Prerequisites	None
2022 selection rank	80.00
Guaranteed entry selection rank	80.00

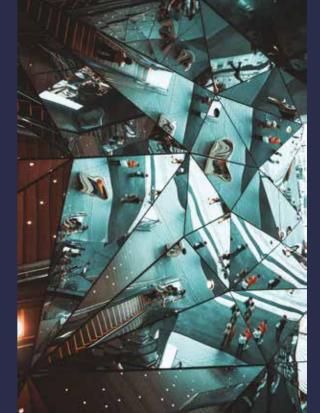




"It's so diverse – there's so many innovative topics and so many practical ways that you can learn, that will help you in your career in the future. You're learning skills that you'll be able to use straight away."

#### Nikki Esmaeili

Bachelor of Laws and Legal Practice



## Criminology

#### Careers that make a difference

Study criminology for a career that prevents crime and drives social justice. From developing public policy to careers in counselling, rehabilitation, the justice system, intelligence services and more. The impacts of cybercrime, terrorism, corruption and other criminal activities are global. Studying criminology at Flinders could see you begin a career that could take you anywhere in the world.

## SA's most experienced criminology department

Criminology research at Flinders is recognised as above world standard.\* At Flinders, you'll learn from award-winning criminologists and researchers in such areas as human and drug trafficking, policing and security, organised crime, cybercrime, prison and rehabilitation, analysis of crime and criminal networks.

You'll have the opportunity for hands-on, practical experience so that you'll graduate ready to take on a challenging career.

#### **Real-world experience**

With the state's largest and longest-running criminology program, partnerships with government bodies, public and private organisations, a state-of-the-art lab and the strength of over 40 years' experience, Flinders University is a leader of criminology education and research in Australia and overseas.

# Flinders' Criminology research above world standard\*

\* Excellence in Research for Australia, 2018

## No. 1 SA uni for starting salary\*\*

\*\* The Good Universities Guide 2022 (undergraduate), public SA-founded universities only

## Bachelor of Criminology Bachelor of Criminology (Honours)

Build a career exploring the world of crime. Worldwide, criminology jobs are emerging as one of the top ten jobs in demand, with employment opportunities in the field of criminology, intelligence analysis, community development, network security, cybersecurity, and network security.\*

\* World Economic Forum, The Future of Jobs Report 2020

SATAC code	234661
SATAC code (Honours)	234941
Prerequisites	None
Assumed knowledge	None
2022 selection rank	65.00
2022 selection rank (Honours)	90.00
Guaranteed entry selection rank	75.00
Guaranteed entry selection rank (Honours)	95.00
TAFElink	Cert IV or above
TAFElink (Honours)	Adv Dip or above
Adjustment factors	Yes



- Study practical topics to equip you for employment and to ensure you graduate work-ready with practical work experience opportunities.
- Our teaching is informed by strong connections to government and industry through our internationally recognised research profile and Centre for Crime Policy and Research.
- You'll have the opportunity to learn from world-class researchers and develop high-level research and analytical skills.
- Learn from the best with award-winning teachers and experienced lecturers.
- Draws on one of the top-ranked criminology research programs in Australia.\*\*
- Industry-engaged use the technical skills you've learnt at university and apply them as a consultant to a business as part of an industry project.
- Flinders offers South Australia's only Honours program specifically focused on criminology.
- $^{\star\star}$  Flinders Criminology research rated above world standard (Excellence in Research for Australia, 2018)

#### Career opportunities

Your degree could open up a range of employment opportunities, including:

- assistant advocacy officer
- youth justice case manager
- community corrections officer
- investigation support officer.

#### Potential employers include:

- $\bullet$  research and/or teaching public policy development (local, state, federal)
- the criminal justice system eg. police, regulatory or intelligence services (state or federal), corrections and court administration
- rehabilitation, counselling-related or welfare services, child safety and social work
- private security.

#### **Combined Criminology degrees**

Combining your degree with a qualification in another discipline will help you develop specialised abilities to stand out from the pack. Studying a combined degree at Flinders is the key to enhancing your career opportunities. Example degree combinations:

## Bachelor of Psychological Science/Bachelor of Criminology

#### SATAC CODE 224651

By studying the Bachelor of Criminology combined with the Bachelor of Psychological Science, you can explore the intersection between psychology and the criminal justice system and the psychological factors underlying criminal behaviour. With further study, you'll be able to apply for registration as a psychologist and will be well placed for a future career in forensic psychology.

## Bachelor of Laws and Legal Practice/Bachelor of Criminology

#### SATAC CODE 244111

By combining studies in laws and legal practice with criminology, you'll develop the professional legal skills to prepare you for a job in the legal profession and gain an understanding of how justice and society influence each other. The combination prepares you for a broad range of careers in law but also government, leadership and educational settings.

## Bachelor of Criminology/Bachelor of International Relations and Political Science

#### SATAC CODE 234661

Combining your criminology studies with an understanding of international relations opens the door to a multitude of careers in international organisations, aid and human rights, government, transnational crime prevention, counterterrorism and non-government organisations.

## Bachelor of Science (Forensic and Analytical Science)/Bachelor of Criminology

#### SATAC CODE 234281

Forensics and analytical science open up career options in areas such as illicit drug testing, DNA analysis, trace evidence examination and toxicology. Combine a hands-on experience of collecting, analysing and identifying physical evidence with an understanding of the workings of the criminal justice system.

## Bachelor of Information Technology (Network and Cybersecurity Systems)/Bachelor of Criminology SATAC CODE 224701

This exciting combined degree brings together your studies in network and cybersecurity systems with criminology, providing a comprehensive understanding of computer security, communications technology, administration, network engineering, enterprise systems and information networks. Graduates possess high-demand qualifications for the technology-driven marketplace.

For a full list of combined degree options visit flinders.edu.au/combineddegrees

#### **Bachelor of Law and Society**

Develop the skills to research and analyse social issues and assess proposals for social change. This degree will give you a strong foundation in social and public policy and equip you with the skills you'll need to seek employment in a range of public and private sector organisations.

SATAC code	234641
Prerequisites	None
Assumed knowledge	None
2022 selection rank	60.00
Guaranteed entry selection rank	70.00
TAFElink	Cert IV or above
Adjustment factors	Yes



- Learn a combination of legal, philosophical and social science skills and develop knowledge of the relationships between justice, law and society.
- Study practical topics to equip you for employment in intelligence analysis, community corrections, community development and child safety work.
- Develop practical industry skills by undertaking Work Integrated Learning placements and enhance your employability in policy analysis, project coordination, justice administration and human resources.
- There are opportunities to take your studies overseas with a student exchange program.

#### Career opportunities

Your degree could open up a range of employment opportunities, including:

- dispute resolution officer
- · housing case worker
- investigation support officer
- project and court officer
- probation and parole officer.

#### Potential employers include:

- Department of Immigration and Border Protection
- Australian Federal Police
- Attorney-General's Department
- Australian Bureau of Statistics
- Workskil Australia Incorporated.

#### **Combined Law and Society degrees**

Combining your degree with a qualification in another discipline will help you develop specialised abilities to stand out from the pack. Studying a combined degree at Flinders is the key to enhancing your career opportunities. Example degree combinations:

## Bachelor of Law and Society/Bachelor of International Relations and Political Science

#### SATAC CODE 234641

Combining the Bachelor of Law and Society with a Bachelor of International Relations and Political Science will give you the opportunity to enhance your legal, philosophical and social science skills with a broader understanding of key relationships within the global community.

## Bachelor of Criminology/Bachelor of Law and Society

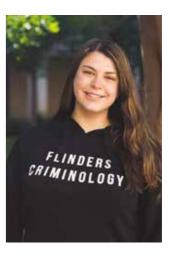
#### SATAC CODE 234661

## Bachelor of Criminology (Honours)/Bachelor of Law and Society

#### SATAC CODE 234941

Combining your criminology studies with a Bachelor of Law and Society will prepare you for a range of careers. Your skills in areas such as cybercrime, transnational crime, policing and security will complement your understanding of the relationship between justice, law and society.

### For a full list of combined degree options visit flinders.edu.au/combineddegrees



"They get us ready for when we graduate, for when we're in the real world... teaching us on how to research properly, or how to collect data, or how to write reports, like lab reports."

#### **Chayse Babi**

Bachelor of Criminology

PRISONS:
HOW CAN WE
DO BETTER?

Cooper Lawson, a Flinders Criminology student, explored ways of improving the corrections system in his Industry Project. It went so well, that the Department for Correctional Services offered him a job.

Criminology students have the opportunity to complete an Industry Project as part of their degree. In 2022, our students explored the creation of new environments and delivering rehabilitation programs more effectively, in a project involving the Department for Correctional Services.

Representatives from the Department for Correctional Services said that the external view provided by students was immensely helpful in learning about the public's perspective on rehabilitation. It also helps the Department network with the next generation of public servants, who will one day make a difference to the lives of offenders

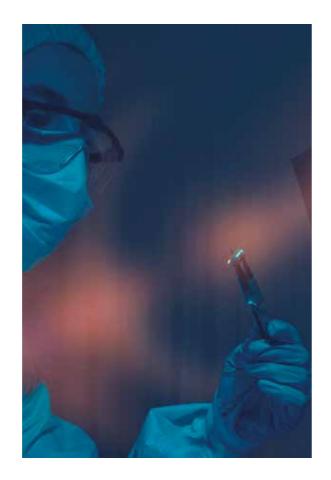
"It was really nice to be able to meet the industry project providers, and some of my future colleagues... I'm actually the first Aboriginal Victim Liaison Officer – this is a new role within the Victim Services Unit," says Lawson. "Being an Aboriginal student myself, I'm really excited to be able to engage with this, because that means that I can bring that cultural inclusivity, and those different conversations, into such a dynamic workforce."

Learn more about the Industry Project our students completed with the Department for Correctional Services.





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# The science of crime

#### Your career could keep our future safe

Study towards a career protecting society from the challenges created by changing technologies. As SA's No. 1 university in Computing & Information Systems for learning resources,\* Flinders will see you graduate with cutting-edge skills and up-to-the-minute knowledge.

#### **Study for success**

Flinders' strong links to industry give you the opportunity to study real-world problems and graduate ready to step into your new career. Our nationally recognised Work Integrated Learning (WIL) program can be in the form of internships, field education, vocational and professional practice, including projects with industry and community organisations. They will improve your employability by giving you valuable practical experience in a workplace setting, directly related to the degree you're studying.

No. 1 in SA in Science & Mathematics for overall quality of educational experience, skills development and student support\*

\* The Good Universities Guide 2022 (undergraduate), public SA-founded

No. 1 in SA in Computing & Information Systems for learning resources and full-time employment\*\*

 $\star\star$  The Good Universities Guide 2021 (undergraduate), public SA-founded universities only

#### CRIMINOLOGY AND SCIENCE

## **Bachelor of Information Technology** (Network and Cybersecurity Systems)

#### Bachelor of Information Technology (Network and Cybersecurity Systems) (Honours)

Gain a comprehensive understanding of computer security, communications technology, administration, network engineering, enterprise systems and information networks.

224701
224711
Yes**
None
65.00
70.00
70.00
80.00
Cert IV or above
Dip or above
Yes

mathematical methods or equivalent is assumed.

Part-time available

Deferrable

3 years full-time

- Discover how electronic communication works (and when it doesn't).
- Your studies will cover all cutting-edge developments in communications technology like optic fibre technology, cloud computing, and social networking and media.
- You'll learn how to design electronic communications systems that maximise safety and security.
- Learn to work professionally and in a team through group projects, or take the opportunity to gain first-hand industry experience with a 12-week industry placement.
- This degree is accredited by the Australian Computer Society at the professional level.

#### Career opportunities

Your degree could open up a range of employment opportunities, including:

- business analyst
- network engineer
- systems support officer
- cloud applications net developer
- information and IT security analyst.

#### Potential employers include:

- Accenture
- Plenary Networks
- Australian Federal Police
- Interactive Intelligence Group
- Department of Communications.

## Bachelor of Science (Forensic and Analytical Science)

## Bachelor of Science (Honours) (Forensic and Analytical Science)

## **Bachelor of Science (Forensic and Analytical Science Pathway)**

Work towards a fascinating career using chemistry and biology to analyse evidence, help investigate crime and contribute to justice.

SATAC code	234281
SATAC code (Honours)	234431
SATAC code (Pathway)	234171
Prerequisites	Yes*
Prerequisites (Honours)	Yes*
Prerequisites (Pathway)	No
Assumed knowledge	None
2022 selection rank	70.00
2022 selection rank (Honours)	80.00
2022 selection rank (Pathway)	60.00
Guaranteed entry selection rank	70.00
Guaranteed entry selection rank (Honours)	80.00
Guaranteed entry selection rank (Pathway)	70.00
TAFElink	Cert IV or above
TAFElink (Honours)	Dip or above
TAFElink (Pathway)	Cert IV or above



- Get hands-on experience during laboratory practicals and learn how forensic technologies are applied to real-life cases.
- Your degree opens career options in areas such as illicit drug testing, DNA analysis, trace evidence examination and toxicology.
- This degree has strong links with Forensic Science South Australia and other agencies and researchers around the world.
- You'll be able to access research facilities among Australia's best, and undertake research in the field.
- There are opportunities to take your studies overseas with a student exchange program.

#### Career opportunities

Your degree could open up a range of employment opportunities, including:

- forensic chemist, forensic biologist or forensic toxicologist
- analytical chemist
- formulation chemist
- graduate chemist.

#### Potential employers include:

- Forensic Science SA
- Australian Federal Police
- Defence Science and Technology Group
- Victorian Institute of Forensic Medicine.

# **Starting** at Flinders



Flinders is ranked in the top 2% of universities in the world\*

\* THE World University Rankings 2022 as a percentage of the total number of universities in the world according to the International Association of Universities

### **This is Flinders**

Flinders' Adelaide campuses include the Bedford Park campus, featuring an award-winning hub and plaza, with retail, food outlets and a state-of-the-art sport and fitness centre.

Flinders at Tonsley houses state-of-the-art facilities and close links to industry. In 2024, our Victoria Square CBD campus will move to the stunning new Flinders at Festival Tower on North Terrace, right beside the Adelaide Railway Station.

Take a virtual tour of Flinders University and explore our amazing locations. It's the next best thing to being here!

Flinders.edu.au/vr



Flinders University students want flexibility, convenience and connectivity. That's why we're taking our presence in the Adelaide CBD to a whole new level. As an anchor tenant in the new Festival Plaza development on North Terrace, Flinders will offer new courses and new career pathways in a new city campus.



#### **Tonsley**

Flinders at Tonsley is a place where our students interact with business, and where business interacts with our researchers in areas such as engineering, medical devices and nanoscale technologies.



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### **Getting to Flinders**

#### **Transport options**

The Flinders Railway Line gets you from the CBD to Tonsley in a super-fast 20 minutes, or to Bedford Park in just 22 minutes. And with free Campus Connector and Tonsley Link bus services running 7am – 6pm Monday to Friday, getting to and from your studies is simple. You'll be able to schedule your day without worrying about missing a single lecture!

flinders.edu.au/loop-bus

## Plan your trip to Flinders: adelaidemetro.com.au/routes/flndrs

#### The Flinders railway line is now open

The new Flinders train line has made travel easier and more convenient than ever, linking Bedford Park to our Tonsley campus and the Adelaide city centre, now just 22 minutes away.





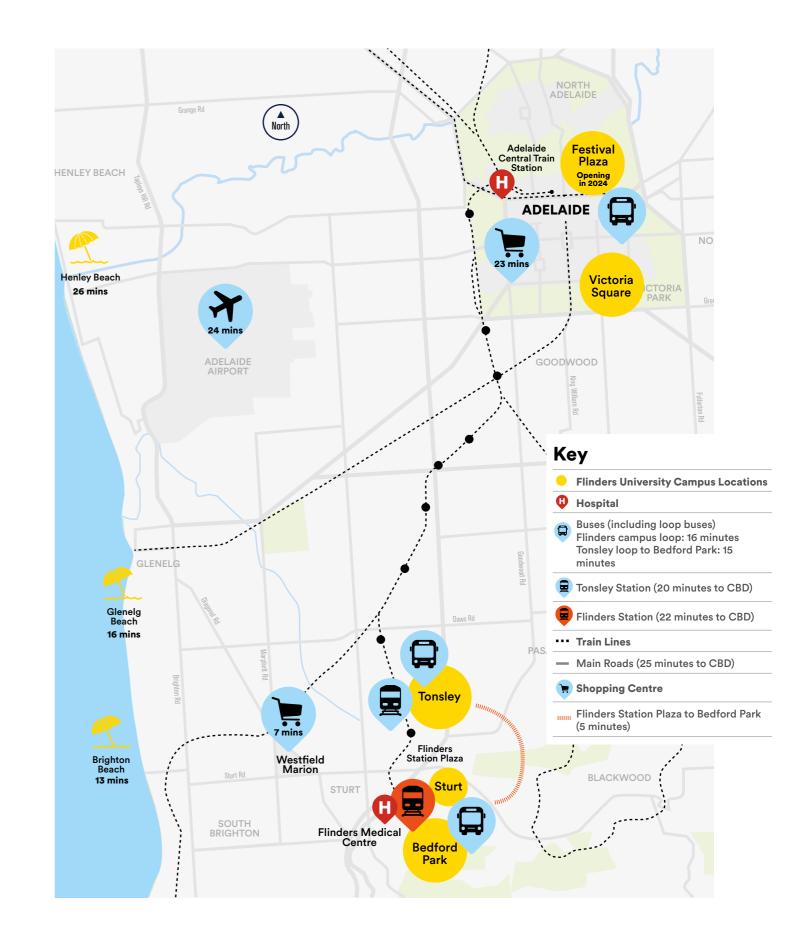
#### A new link from the north

Opened in June 2022, the electrified Gawler Rail Line provides services from the northern suburbs to the CBD, with express services expected to take around 48 minutes from Gawler to the CBD.

### Plan your trip to Flinders CBD:

adelaidemetro.com.au/routes/gawc





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### Get more out of your study

## Begin your journey to a successful career

#### **Combined degrees**

Combining your degree with a qualification in another discipline will give you more expertise and expand your career prospects. Studying a combined degree at Flinders will help you stand out from the crowd. A combined degree is a combination of two Flinders bachelor degrees. As a combined degree graduate you will have two qualifications in just one to one-and-a-half years of extra study.

There are dozens of combinations available, so why not explore your interests and find out where a combined degree could take you?

Our combined degree programs are designed to enhance your educational, academic and professional qualifications while minimising the cost and length of your studies. Flinders' combined degrees allow you to undertake in-depth study in exciting combinations that aren't usually available in single degrees.

#### flinders.edu.au/combineddegrees

Combine your Bachelor of

#### Criminology with

Law and Society, International Relations and Political Science

#### Laws and Legal Practice with

Arts, Business, Criminology, Behavioural Science (Psychology), International Relations and Political Science

#### Medical Science with

Engineering (Biomedical) (Honours)

#### **Psychological Science with**

Criminology

Business (Human Resource Management)

Business (Marketing)

Sport, Health and Physical Activity

Languages

#### Science (Forensic and Analytical Science) with

Archaeology Criminology

#### Flinders diplomas

Flinders' diploma-level qualifications give you the chance to experience university life without having to commit to long-term study.

The one-year Diploma in Business, Diploma in Laws, or Diploma in Arts give you the chance to explore a range of interests, and successful completion allows you to apply for up to one year of credit towards a range of bachelor degrees, and guaranteed entry to the following courses:

- Bachelor of Archaeology
- Bachelor of Arts
- Bachelor of Business
- Bachelor of Business (Human Resource Management, International Business, Management, Marketing, Sports Management)
- Bachelor of Business Economics
- Bachelor of Creative Industries (Digital Media, Film and Television, Interactive Design, Theatre and Performance, Writing and Publishing, Festivals and Arts Production)
- Bachelor of Disability and Community Inclusion
- Bachelor of Disability and Developmental Education
- Bachelor of Engineering Science
- Bachelor of Information Technology
- Bachelor of International Business (Wine, Spirits and Tourism)
- Bachelor of International Relations and Political Science
- Bachelor of Law and Society
- Bachelor of Laws
- Bachelor of Laws (Honours)
- Bachelor of Laws and Legal Practice
- Bachelor of Laws and Legal Practice (Honours)
- Bachelor of Science

Standard University admission requirements apply.

#### flinders.edu.au/diplomas

## Pathways to study

Whether you are a school leaver or returning to study at a later date, there are many ways to gain admission to Flinders University. Explore your options and find the entry path that's right for you.

#### If you have secondary education

#### **Year 12 Entry**

Most Year 12 applicants enter university via the traditional entry method, where offers are made to eligible applicants with the highest selection rank until all places in the degree are filled. Your selection rank is used by Flinders to assess your admission to a course and is based on your ATAR plus any adjustment factors for which you are eligible.

#### flinders.edu.au/year12

#### **Guaranteed entry**

If you achieve an ATAR equal to or above the published guaranteed entry selection rank (and you meet course prerequisites) you will be guaranteed a place at Flinders. We offer guaranteed entry for most courses.

#### **Indigenous Admission Scheme**

The Indigenous Admission Scheme provides an alternative pathway for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people, who may not have been able to gain entry to university by traditional means, with the opportunity to study at Flinders.

See page 24 for further details.

#### **Elite Athlete Pathway**

If you've officially represented your school or state at a national level competition, we'll consider your school's recommendation about your academic potential when you apply.

#### flinders.edu.au/study/sport/elite-athletes

#### **Research Project B Pathway**

If you have strong results in the Research Project B subject you will be considered for entry into Flinders on the basis of your Year 12 results and Research Project B performance.

#### flinders.edu.au/study/pathways/year-12-entry/research-project

#### **School Recommendation Program**

We may consider your school's recommendation about your academic performance as part of your admission into Flinders.

#### uniTEST

If you're in Year 12, uniTEST is available to enhance your chances of getting into Flinders. We will select students based on their Year 12 results (60% weighting toward the ATAR selection rank) and uniTEST results (40%). Flinders will also consider applicants based on their uniTEST results (100%) as a standalone entry score (subject to SACE completion and any course prerequisites or specific admissions requirements). If you take the test and don't do well, we will only consider your highest selection rank.

#### flinders.edu.au/unitest

#### If you haven't achieved the results you expected

If you haven't achieved the results you expected in Year 12, there are a number of pathways to your preferred degree. You can start studying one course and move to another via internal transfer or Flinderslink.

#### flinders.edu.au/study/pathways/flinderslink

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### Pathways to study

## **Student support**

#### If you have work and life experience

#### **Foundation Studies**

The Foundation Studies program has been designed to introduce you to university study in a supportive learning environment. Open to people from all backgrounds, Foundation Studies provides a pathway to gain entry to most degrees at Flinders and offers guaranteed entry into some degrees.

#### flinders.edu.au/study/pathways/foundation-studies

#### **Military Pathways**

Use your military service in the Australian Defence Force as a pathway to a Flinders University degree.

#### flinders.edu.au/study/pathways/military-veterans

#### **Special Tertiary Admissions Test (STAT)**

Adult entry to university via the Special Tertiary Admissions Test (STAT) enables people aged 18 years and over to apply to study at Flinders via the Special Tertiary Admissions Test (STAT). Applications are made via SATAC.

#### satac.edu.au/stat

Alternatively, you may wish to consider an undergraduate certificate or diploma. These shorter courses allow you the opportunity to explore your interests and to progress to further study. Certificate courses are Commonwealth supported.

#### flinders.edu.au/pathways

#### If you have some higher education

#### **Tertiary Transfer**

If you have completed at least one semester of full-time equivalent study at university, you may be able to transfer to study at Flinders University using your grade point average (GPA).

#### **TAFElink**

Flinders offers guaranteed entry to selected degrees for applicants who have completed a TAFE/VET Certificate IV or higher-level qualification, as long as degree prerequisites are met.

#### flinders.edu.au/tafelink

#### **TAFE SA Dual Offers**

Flinders University together with TAFE SA offer dual offer pathways in various disciplines.

### Whatever you decide to study at Flinders, we're always here to help you succeed.

#### **Careers & Employability Service**

The Careers and Employability Service helps give you the edge in your career. CareerHub, our online employment portal, offers personalised job opportunities, career planning, programs to help you broaden your skills and experience, access to employer events and career-related resources. Whatever you are studying, CareerHub can help you find your direction and start your career.

#### flinders.edu.au/careers

#### **Flinders Connect**

Flinders Connect can help with everything from enrolment and fees to exams and graduation. You can also access Flinders Connect for specialist services in admissions, careers and IT help. A range of support services is also available.

#### flinders.edu.au/flindersconnect

#### Flinders Library

Our extensive library is more than a book repository. We provide a range of services such as computing and printing, document delivery and one-on-one librarian appointments for assistance with search strategies and finding resources for your assignments.

#### library.flinders.edu.au

#### Flinders Living

Flinders is the only university in Adelaide that gives you the opportunity to live on campus, and both University Hall and Deirdre Jordan Village are located within the Bedford Park campus. The wide range of social, sporting and community activities also enhances the student experience at Flinders Living.

#### flinders.edu.au/living

#### **Flinders University Student Association**

The Flinders University Student Association (FUSA) continues a long tradition of active student involvement and represents the rights and interests of students. FUSA manages social events, non-sporting clubs and societies, and the student publication Empire Times, and helps with academic, administrative and welfare issues.

#### fusa.edu.au

#### **Health, Counselling & Disability Services**

Managing your health is important. We have facilities and services available to help you look after your physical and mental health.

#### flinders.edu.au/hcd

#### **Horizon Award**

The Flinders Horizon Award program sits alongside your academic studies; it is an innovative program that provides further opportunities to develop your professional skills and gain new experiences and insights that will benefit you now and in your future career.

#### flinders.edu.au/horizon

#### **Transition to university**

Starting at university is a big step; let's make it easier. The Student Learning Centre provides a range of services from writing and mathematics support to assistance with study and time-management skills.

#### students.flinders.edu.au/study-support/slc

#### Yungkurrinthi Student Engagement

Yungkurrinthi Student Engagement is committed to increasing Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander student access, participation, retention and success at Flinders University. Providing a range of services and supports for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students, our team of highly qualified staff is dedicated to supporting you throughout your student increase.

#### flinders.edu.au/study/indigenous-students

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## Indigenous Admission Scheme

The Indigenous Admission Scheme provides an alternative pathway for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people, who may not have been able to gain entry to university by traditional means, with the opportunity to study at Flinders.

#### Are you eligible?

To be eligible for the Indigenous Admission Scheme you must be an Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander person in accordance with the Commonwealth definition, which requires you to:

- be of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander descent, and
- identify as an Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander, and
- be accepted as an Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander in the community in which you live or have lived. You may be currently studying Year 12 or be a non-school leaver.

#### How to apply

- Apply for the course you want to study through the South Australian Tertiary Admissions Centre (SATAC). You will get an application number from SATAC that you will need for your Indigenous Admission Scheme application form.
- Complete the Indigenous Admission Scheme Application form online (flinders.edu.au/indigenousadmissions). If you are having trouble completing an online application, you can request a paper based application via ias@flinders.edu.au or call us on 08 8201 3033.
- An interview is part of the application process, but you will be notified about this.

#### **Application and interview dates**

First round applications close late November and second round applications close early January for semester 1. For our midyear intake to a number of courses, applications close in June.

flinders.edu.au/indigenousadmissions



"I originally chose Flinders as they have one of the best facilities for future teachers and fantastic student engagement. Studying at Flinders has been a wonderful experience that has given me the opportunity to discover what I truly want into the future while also providing me with support in every way imaginable. Flinders and Yungkurrinthi have given me the opportunity to meet others with similar ambitions and goals as myself and find the benefit of an education in places I would never have thought to look. As a proud Indigenous woman, I want to use my degree to work in First Nation communities to help our young people make it through their high schooling experience and onto their own future aspirations."

## Emilee Pyrke Bachelor of Arts, Conditional entry to Master of Teaching (Secondary)

### Study abroad/scholarships

Over 450 scholarships worth \$2.4 million in total – ranging from \$1,000 to \$20,000.

### Take your studies overseas

Why wait until you graduate to explore the world? Flinders' Learn Without Borders could see you studying overseas, gaining a unique perspective and immersing yourself in a different culture, language and lifestyle. Our global study programs are designed to allow students to take their Flinders study overseas and earn academic credit toward their Flinders program. With 70+ overseas partner universities, why wait until you graduate to see the world?

flinders.edu.au/learn-without-borders

## **Explore Flinders** scholarships

Flinders offers a generous range of scholarships for students in undergraduate courses. With over 450 available scholarships, including scholarships to students from low socio-economic backgrounds, students from rural and regional areas, and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students, you may be eligible for support that will help you achieve your goals at university.

flinders.edu.au/scholarships

"I always knew I wanted to study overseas at some stage during my degree. A semester exchange gave me the chance to complete topics that weren't available in my home university and experience life in a city that is very different to my own. Having completed a semester overseas, I now have an edge over the countless other students that are completing the same degree as me and have formed memories that will always stay with me."

#### **Annelise Smith**

Bachelor of Business (Advanced Leadership)

"The Wyndham Richardson Scholarship Fund has been invaluable to reduce the financial pressure during studies, especially now that I am in the later years of my degree."

#### **Ryan Rowston**

Bachelor of Computer Science

Wyndham Richardson Scholarship Fund recipient

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### How to apply

### When can I start?

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#### Check the application dates

Applicants need to apply through the South Australian Tertiary Admissions Centre (SATAC)

#### satac.edu.au

#### Read the course information

- check the admission criteria
- check the prerequisites
- check assumed knowledge and additional admission criteria
- consider combined degrees
- consider pathways to your degree

#### Visit us

- attend Flinders Open Days
- check other upcoming events at

#### events.flinders.edu.au

#### Contact us if you have any questions

- call 1300 354 633 (local call cost)
- email askflinders@flinders.edu.au

#### Apply

- apply through SATAC at satac.edu.au
- apply for scholarships at flinders.edu.au/scholarships
- lodge separate Indigenous Admission Scheme (if applicable) at flinders.edu.au/indigenousadmissions

#### Accept your offer

Enrol in your subject/topics at

students.flinders.edu.au/my-course/enrolment

Flinders offers two admissions cycles each year for undergraduate degrees.

#### Semester 1 - March start

Applications open in August for commencement the following year.

#### Semester 2\* – July start

Mid-year applications open in August for commencement in July the following year.

\* Not all degrees are offered for semester 2.

#### **Key dates**

Flinders Open Days: Friday 12 August, Saturday 13 August 2022

Semester 1 2023 start date: 27 February 2023 Semester 1 Orientation week: 20 February 2023 Semester 2 2023 start date: 17 July 2023 Semester 2 Orientation week: 24 July 2023

#### Fees and charges

#### Your course fees - Commonwealth support

All our courses list indicative fees, but as an undergraduate student your course is Commonwealth supported provided you're an eligible Australian citizen, New Zealand citizen or permanent resident.

Your course being Commonwealth supported means that your course fees are shared between the Australian government and you – with your portion being the student contribution amount.

#### **HECS-HELP loan**

You won't have to pay your fees up-front if you're an Australian citizen or holder of a permanent humanitarian visa. You can get a HECS-HELP loan for your student contribution portion of your uni fees. Find out more about costs to plan for while you're at uni at

flinders.edu.au/fees

There are many terms used within a university that may be unfamiliar or confusing. Below are a few terms that may need explanation.

#### Admission pathway

Any one of the options available to a prospective higher education student that will enable them to meet the entry requirements of their chosen courses.

#### **ATAR**

The Australian Tertiary Admission Rank (ATAR) is a ranking from 30 (lowest) to 99.95 (highest) agreed by COAG as a nationally equivalent measure of a person's relative academic ranking within their complete age cohort in the year they graduated from senior secondary school.

#### Adjustment factors

Often referred to as 'bonus points', these are additional points that may be used in combination with an applicant's university aggregate to derive a person's course selection rank.

#### Defer

Delaying the start of a course of study by one year (commencing students only). If you have already enrolled, then you need to withdraw from topics before you can defer.

Not all courses are deferrable, please visit flinders.edu.au/defer for details.

#### **Guaranteed entry selection rank**

Achieve a selection rank equal to or above the published guaranteed entry selection rank and you'll be guaranteed a place at Flinders.

#### Maior

A sequence of topics required to be taken as defined in your course rule, normally across all years of a course.

#### Minor

A sequence of topics required to be taken as defined in your course rule, generally as part of a major.

#### Offer round/s

Refers to the series of dates on which offers of higher education places are issued to applicants throughout the year, whether through a tertiary admission centre or directly by a higher education provider.

#### Selection rank

The ranking that tertiary admission centres and most universities actually use to assess admission to a course. A person's course selection rank can include their ATAR, any adjustments they are eligible for, such as equity or subject adjustments, other contributions calculated on the basis of work experience or previous non-secondary study, portfolio assessments, results of the Special Tertiary Admissions Test, other supplementary tests, etc.

#### **Listing your SATAC preferences**

You may enter up to six course preferences that you would like to study. You should list these in order in which you'd like to study them, with the one you would like most listed first. If you cannot be offered a place in your first preference, you will then be considered for your second preference and so on. It is also important to consider a backup plan. Ensure you include our recommended pathway courses in your preferences.

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