Choose your degree
Flinders University offers a range of flexible degrees across business, commerce, finance, international relations and political science. Choose a degree that reflects your passions and graduate with the skills and knowledge to take your place in an ever-changing world. Study on campus or choose from a range of topics offered online.

Be taught by leaders
Flinders' Business, International Relations & Political Science degrees are taught by teachers who are leaders in their fields. Our close industry links with leading business partners, practical Work Integrated Learning (WIL) placement opportunities and a strong focus on future business trends will help you graduate job-ready. Our international relations and political science experts will teach you how policies are developed and implemented, preparing you for careers in government, non-government and not-for-profit organisations in Australia and abroad.

Gain real-world 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. Flinders aims to provide each and every student with access to a WIL opportunity during their studies.

Business industry partners
Flinders has close ties to leading industry partners. Your studies will give you the opportunity to work on real-world industry projects alongside major industry organisations.

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.

The following pages feature undergraduate degree programs and information for domestic students, including SATAC codes, selection ranks and more. For international CRICOS codes, visit flinders.edu.au/international.

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 regions, Jawoyn, Kaurna, Larrakia, Ngadjurra, Ngarinyin, Rendarri, Warumungu, Wardaman and Yolngu peoples. We honour their Elders past, present and emerging.

For more information visit flinders.edu.au/business
Begin a rewarding career
A career in business means a career in an industry that influences almost every aspect of the modern world. You could work for an amazing organisation or start your own business journey. Your career could take you anywhere on the planet.

Study for success
The business world is constantly changing, but new trends and technologies are creating new employment opportunities. Projected employment growth through to November 2026 is strong across multiple business areas, such as:

- Business, Human Resource and Marketing Professionals – 13%
- Business Administration Managers – 13.6%
- Finance Managers – 11.7%
- Human Resource Managers – 16.3%

Source: 2022 National Skills Commission Projections

Real-world experience
With state-of-the-art facilities such as our Business Trading Room and practical, real-life industry projects, you’ll have the opportunity to hone your business skills, build networks and develop invaluable skills that will deliver career success.

No. 1 in Australia for overall experience in Business & Management*

* The Good Universities Guide 2020 – overall quality of educational experience (postgraduate)

No. 1 in SA in Business & Management for full-time employment, learner engagement, overall educational experience and skills development**

** The Good Universities Guide 2020 (undergraduate), public SA-founded universities only

If you want to understand global markets, there’s only so much you can get from textbooks. You need to be out there, on the trading floor, feeling the noise and excitement, making high-stakes decisions in real time.

Welcome to the Business Trading Room. It’s a simulated financial trading centre for students enrolled in Flinders Business degrees.

How does it work?
The Flinders Business Trading Room is a cutting-edge market simulation program environment. Students can access time-series data on security prices and exchange rates, execute trades in real time and plug into financial modelling that mimics the global derivatives market.

The Trading Room is powered by the same tech used by institutional dealing rooms, fund managers and government research departments. It even has mobile and algorithmic trading capabilities. Think of it like Wall Street for beginners.

Who can use the Trading Room?
The Business Trading Room is built into the curriculum for several Flinders Business degrees, including the Bachelor of Finance, Bachelor of Finance and Business Economics, and Bachelor of Business.

Flinders Business Trading Room

“I’ve found all my academics to be very helpful throughout my study. Many of them have a high degree of expertise and experience, which provide very relevant insight to the legal and business fields. Many of my academics are still engaged in the industry, from consultancy to still practising as lawyers. All of my academics have been very easy to communicate with and have always been willing to help.”

Nathaniel Ramesh
Flinders Business and Law student
Bachelor of Accounting (Online)

Prepare for yourself for a rewarding career in accounting and commerce including the analysis, interpretation and communication of financial information. Careers in accounting are available in a broad range of business situations.

- Develop skills in accounting principles, financial accounting processes, financial management and corporations law.
- Succeed in your studies with mentoring and specialised tutor programs.
- Immerse yourself in live industry projects with the New Venture Institute and engage with business in a real-world environment.
- This degree is accredited by Certified Practising Accountants Australia (CPA Australia) and Chartered Accountants Australia and New Zealand (CAANZ). It satisfies the admission requirements of professional bodies such as CPA Australia, CAANZ and the Institute of Public Accountants (IPA).

Career opportunities
Your degree could open up a range of employment opportunities, including:
- accountant
- graduate consultant
- graduate audit analyst
- graduate taxation advisor.

Potential employers include:
- PricewaterhouseCoopers
- SA Water
- National Australia Bank
- Auditor-General’s Department SA.

Bachelor of Accounting and Finance

Prepare for a career in accounting or finance with an introduction to the technical and practical realities of the global marketplace. You will learn fundamental business concepts and apply them to real-world scenarios, developing analytical skills vital for roles in accounting and business analysis.

- Develop the business analysis and enterprise resource planning skills that employers are seeking.
- Get real-world work experience and develop networks through work placements.
- Immerse yourself in live industry projects with the New Venture Institute and engage with business in a real-world environment.
- This degree is accredited by Certified Practising Accountants Australia (CPA Australia) and Chartered Accountants Australia and New Zealand (CAANZ). It satisfies the admission requirements of professional bodies such as CPA Australia, CAANZ and the Institute of Public Accountants (IPA).

Career opportunities
Your degree could open up a range of employment opportunities, including:
- graduate taxation advisor
- finance systems graduate
- accountant
- graduate business analyst.

Potential employers include:
- MP Services
- Australian Securities and Investments Commission
- Reserve Bank of Australia
- Department of Treasury and Finance South Australia.

Bachelor of Banking and Finance

This degree provides students with the skills and knowledge required by financial institutions, financial institutions and markets of the financial services sector for managing money, trading stocks and managing investments in an institutional setting.

- Prepare for leadership roles in accounting, corporate financial analysis, fund management or investment banking.
- Build your personal enterprise skills through targeted electives.
- Grow your professional network with our exclusive industry work placements.
- Learn the latest FinTech theory, along with emerging data and analytical models.
- Test your market knowledge in the Flinders Business Trading Room.

Career opportunities
Your degree could open up a range of employment opportunities, including:
- investment banker
- stockbroker
- tax agent
- bank manager
- investment analyst
- chief financial officer.

Potential employers include:
- accounting firms
- financial management firms
- investment advisory organisations
- government departments
- self-employment.

Bachelor of Business (Online)

This degree provides you with the fundamental knowledge, contemporary case studies, workplace skills development and live industry experience to pursue a career in business. You'll develop real-world work experience and build networks through work placements and live industry projects.

- Succeed in your studies with free mentoring and specialised tutor programs.
- Develop valuable work-ready skills through innovative peer-review assessment activities.
- Enjoy greater flexibility by studying your degree online.
- Flinders has a series of international exchange links that give you a chance to study part of your degree overseas.

Career opportunities
Your degree could open up a range of employment opportunities, including:
- industry analyst
- client service executive
- human resource associate
- marketing manager
- graduate commercial analyst.

Potential employers include:
- KPMG
- Westpac
- Austrads
- Ruralco Holdings Limited.
Bachelor of Business (Human Resource Management)

In this degree, you’ll participate in Work Integrated Learning and industry placement programs, engage with business in a real-world environment and learn how to attract, manage, motivate and retain people. You’ll graduate with the skills and knowledge to pursue a specialist career in human resource management.

Prerequisites
- None

Assumed knowledge
- None

2022 selection rank
- 65.00

Guaranteed entry selection rank
- 75.00

TAFElink
- Cert IV or above

Adjustment factors
- Yes

• Build your knowledge of international business management, international marketing and import-export theory and practice.
• Gain practical leadership, planning and decision-making skills.
• Learn practical business skills at Flinders’ New Venture Institute.
• Participate in Work Integrated Learning and industry placement programs.
• Immerse yourself in live industry projects and engage with business in a real-world environment.

Career opportunities
Your degree could open up a range of employment opportunities, including:
- industrial relations advisor
- human resources manager
- labour market analyst/researcher
- graduate employees relations advisor
- human resources manager
- labour market analyst/researcher

Potential employers include:
- Department of Planning, Transport and Infrastructure
- Randstad
- Australian Unions
- FairWork Ombudsman.

Bachelor of Business (International Business)

Learn how culture, language, political systems and socio-economic factors affect international business practice and develop skills for a career that could span the globe. You’ll develop advanced skills and knowledge relating to international trade in multinational organisations.

Prerequisites
- None

Assumed knowledge
- None

2022 selection rank
- 65.00

Guaranteed entry selection rank
- 75.00

TAFElink
- Cert IV or above

Adjustment factors
- Yes

• Build the foundations of a rewarding management career by combining studies across all areas of business practice, including planning, decision-making, e-business, marketing, and HR and strategic management.

• The practical approach embedded in this degree will prepare you for your career as a business professional who can build and support high-performing teams.

Career opportunities
Your degree could open up a range of employment opportunities, including:
- management trainer
- customer insights analyst
- digital marketing and social media coordinator
- market analyst
- marketing consultant.

Potential employers include:
- South Australian Tourism Commission
- AccorHotels
- L’Oreal Australia
- Volkswagen Group Australia.

Bachelor of Business (Management)

Build the foundations of a rewarding management career by combining studies across all areas of business practice, including planning, decision-making, e-business, marketing, and HR and strategic management.

The practical approach embedded in this degree will prepare you for your career as a business professional who can build and support high-performing teams.

Prerequisites
- None

Assumed knowledge
- None

2022 selection rank
- 65.00

Guaranteed entry selection rank
- 75.00

TAFElink
- Cert IV or above

Adjustment factors
- Yes

• Build skills in new disciplines, such as social media marketing and e-business.
• The internal course is accredited by the Australian Marketing Institute.
• Enjoy greater flexibility by studying your degree online.
• Participate in Work Integrated Learning and industry placement programs.
• Immerse yourself in live industry projects and engage with business in a real-world environment.

Career opportunities
Your degree could open up a range of employment opportunities, including:
- marketing officer
- search engine marketer
- digital marketing and social media coordinator
- market analyst
- marketing consultant.

Potential employers include:
- South Australian Tourism Commission
- AccorHotels
- L’Oreal Australia
- Volkswagen Group Australia.

Bachelor of Business (Marketing)

In this degree, you’ll learn how to understand customers’ wants and needs and how to create, communicate and deliver products and services. You’ll learn practical skills and how to analyse data in order to develop marketing strategies across all sectors of the economy.

Prerequisites
- None

Assumed knowledge
- None

2022 selection rank
- 65.00

Guaranteed entry selection rank
- 75.00

TAFElink
- Cert IV or above

Adjustment factors
- Yes

• Build the foundations of a rewarding management career by combining studies across all areas of business practice, including planning, decision-making, e-business, marketing, and HR and strategic management.

• The practical approach embedded in this degree will prepare you for your career as a business professional who can build and support high-performing teams.

Career opportunities
Your degree could open up a range of employment opportunities, including:
- management trainer
- customer insights analyst
- digital marketing and social media coordinator
- market analyst
- marketing consultant.

Potential employers include:
- South Australian Tourism Commission
- AccorHotels
- L’Oreal Australia
- Volkswagen Group Australia.
**Bachelor of Business (Sports Management)**

This degree aims to provide students with the knowledge and competencies related to a broad range of sports management practices in sport. It will provide students with the skills to work in a diverse range of sports-related organisational, business development, management and marketing roles.

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**Career opportunities**

- Learn from Australia’s leading academics and sports management professionals.
- Get future-ready with hands-on experience with Flinders’ sports industry work.
- Examine real-world case studies and live sports management problems.
- Build your contacts through our extensive professional network.
- Learn practical management skills to boost your employment potential.

**Potential employers include:**
- local councils.
- sports clubs and organisations

**Potential employers include:**
- business entrepreneur in sports and recreation.
- sports management consultant
- sports marketer
- middle and senior level manager in sports organisations
- business researcher
- sports club
- business entrepreneur in sports and recreation.

**Assumed knowledge**

- None

**Prerequisites**

- None

**Guaranteed entry selection rank**

- 2022 selection rank: 75.00
- Guaranteed entry selection rank: 75.00

**TAFElink**

- Dip IV or above

**Adjustment factors**

- Yes

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**Bachelor of Business Economics**

Understanding the principles of economics and how to apply these to the practical needs of business will open up a range of career options. In this degree, you'll gain a clear understanding of relevant economic concepts and principles and learn how to respond to changes in the economic environment.

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**Career opportunities**

- Understand specialisation topics such as microeconomics, business forecasting, managerial economics and international business.
- Your degree has applications in banking and finance, business analysis, law, journalism and public policy, and market regulation.
- Participate in Work Integrated Learning and industry placement programs.
- Examine real-world case studies and live sports management problems.
- Learn practical management skills to boost your employment potential.

**Potential employers include:**
- premier league coach
- operations manager
- middle and senior level manager in sports organisations
- sports marketer
- sports management consultant
- sports researcher
- business entrepreneur in sports and recreation.

**Potential employers include:**
- KPMG
- Westpac
- Commonwealth Bank of Australia
- Australian Prudential Regulation Authority

**Assumed knowledge**

- None

**Prerequisites**

- None

**Guaranteed entry selection rank**

- 2022 selection rank: 70.00
- Guaranteed entry selection rank: 70.00

**TAFElink**

- Dip IV or above

**Adjustment factors**

- Yes

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**Bachelor of Commerce**

Understand the commercial forces that drive the world and prepare for a great career. This degree will see you graduate with a broad skillset, prepared for a range of professional, business-related careers in private and public enterprise.

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**Career opportunities**

- Succeed in your studies with mentoring and specialised tutor programs.
- Build a diversity of work-ready skills by choosing from more than 50 topics designed to equip you with skills valued by employers.
- Participate in Work Integrated Learning and industry placement programs.
- Learn about macroeconomics, financial management and international economics.
- Examine real-world case studies and live sports management problems.
- Participate in Work Integrated Learning and industry placement programs.

**Potential employers include:**
- corporate finance graduate
- graduate underwriter
- graduate futures/derivatives administrator.

**Potential employers include:**
- Australian Prudential Regulation Authority
- BHP Billiton
- Commonwealth Bank
- AAMI Insurance

**Assumed knowledge**

- None

**Prerequisites**

- None

**Guaranteed entry selection rank**

- 2022 selection rank: 70.00
- Guaranteed entry selection rank: 75.00

**TAFElink**

- Dip IV or above

**Adjustment factors**

- Yes

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**Bachelor of Finance**

Develop an overall understanding of the applied finance discipline, financial management and wealth creation, and gain extensive subject knowledge in specialised topics such as macroeconomics, financial management and international finance.

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**Career opportunities**

- Learn about macroeconomics, financial management and international finance.
- Develop business analysis and enterprise resource planning skills that employers are seeking.
- Get work experience and develop networks through integrated work placements.
- Succeed in your studies with mentoring and specialised tutor programs.
- Participate in Work Integrated Learning and industry placement programs.
- Immerse yourself in live industry projects with the New Venture Institute and engage with business in a real-world environment.

**Career opportunities**

- Your degree could open up a range of employment opportunities, including:
  - client service executive
  - bank officer
  - policy officer
  - business development trainee.

**Potential employers include:**
- KPMG
- Westpac
- Commonwealth Bank
- AAMI Insurance

**Assumed knowledge**

- None

**Prerequisites**

- None

**Guaranteed entry selection rank**

- 2022 selection rank: 75.00
- Guaranteed entry selection rank: 75.00

**TAFElink**

- Dip IV or above

**Adjustment factors**

- Yes

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For more information visit: flinders.edu.au/business
Though a small market, the sustainably-minded country presents major opportunities for a producer like South Australia’s Gemtree Wines. Based in McLaren Flat, the viticulture, wine and tourism business is proud of its biodynamic and organic farming practices. In fact, Gemtree Wines’ sustainability philosophies are already being celebrated by the Systembolaget, who have requested that the business explore alternative packaging options in line with Sweden’s consumer preferences, and to minimise environmental impacts.

As part of Flinders University’s Industry Project program, which pairs a team of Flinders University students with a real company, students researched whether this opportunity was worth pursuing – and, if so, what the products would be, and how they would be packaged. The findings are intended to inform a potential, formal proposal that Gemtree Wines could put forward to the Systembolaget.

One of the students assigned to the project was Penelope Bryant, a Business student who recently returned to studies after deciding she needed a change of direction. “I studied at Flinders because I wasn’t happy working in the job I was in, and I really wanted to change up my life a bit,” she says.

“Having young kids, I wanted to show them that you can do anything.” Bryant has enjoyed working with the client, researching the Swedish market and putting everything she’s learned at university into practice. With aspirations to be a marketing consultant some day, she credits the course with pushing her to step outside of her comfort zone – like speaking in public.

Stepping outside of campus and into a real-world project has brought meaning to the business theory Bryant has come to know so well. While she’s enjoying her time at university for the moment, she feels content in the knowledge that she’s on the right path to achieving her long-term goals.

“I feel like I’m being a bit fearless right now,” she says. “This project pushes you out of your comfort zone so much, and it’s great to kind of be pushed – maybe kicking and screaming a little bit – but it’s been really wonderful to learn that I can do anything that I put my mind to.”

Penelope Bryant
Flinders University Business student

Learn more about the project our students worked on with Gemtree Wines.
**Bachelor of Finance and Business Economics**

Prepare for a career as an effective financial analyst and executive by being exposed to the Australian economic policy framework and how it applies to the financial services industry. This degree will give you a firm grasp of rational economic decision-making processes.

**Bachelor of International Business (Wine, Spirits and Tourism)**

Studying wine, spirits and tourism at Flinders prepares you to lead the growing wine, spirits and tourism industries, market their products globally and bring to life new innovations. You will graduate career ready with the course’s unique combination of business education, sector-specific knowledge and access to industry leaders, industry placements and professional networks.

- SATAC code: 244351
- Duration: 3 years full-time
- Part-time available: Deferrable

**Assumed knowledge:**
- TAFElink: Cert IV or above
- Complete four years of the following: Year 12 or equivalent

**Potential employers include:**
- AMP Services
- Australian Prudential Regulation Authority
- Australian Securities and Investments Commission
- Department of Planning, Transport and Infrastructure

**Career opportunities**
Your degree could open up a range of employment opportunities, including:
- corporate finance graduate
- graduate data analyst
- graduate financial advisor
- graduate futures/derivatives administrator.

**Potential employers include:**
- AMP Services
- Australian Prudential Regulation Authority
- Australian Securities and Investments Commission
- Department of Planning, Transport and Infrastructure

**Combined degrees**
Explore your interests and unlock more career opportunities by combining 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. Find out about combining these qualifications:

**Bachelor of Psychological Science/Bachelor of Business (Human Resource Management)**

- SATAC CODE 224651
- Duration: 3 years full-time
- Part-time available: Deferrable

**Assumed knowledge:**
- TAFElink: Cert IV or above

**Potential employers include:**
- corporate finance graduate
- graduate data analyst
- graduate financial advisor
- graduate futures/derivatives administrator.

**Career opportunities**
Your degree could open up a range of employment opportunities, including:
- business manager – strategy and exporting
- career development manager
- human resources manager
- retail manager
- sales manager
- wine store manager.

**Potential employers include:**
- wine and spirits companies
- distributors – importer/exporter
- hotels and resorts
- government and industry associations
- restaurants and hospitality.

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**A career in wine, spirits and tourism starts here**

Wine, spirits and wine tourism are not only big business in SA. The sector is a major player across Australia and the world, with the industry expected to grow to $450 billion by 2024.

Flinders’ Bachelor of International Business (Wine, Spirits and Tourism) is designed for anyone wanting to explore the business of wine, spirits and tourism, or for those wanting to upskill and take the next steps in their careers. You will graduate career-ready with the course’s unique combination of business education and sector-specific skills.

From the wineries of the Barossa to the breweries of the Adelaide Hills or the amazing distilleries popping up across the country, this is your chance to forge a career in an iconic industry.

“The hands-on experience with four-week industry placements, field trips and study tours combined with an innovative curriculum prepares students for the future of work.”

**Professor Roberta Crouch**

Director Wine, Spirits and Tourism Business Programs
Develop global skills
Flinders’ International Relations and Political Science degree will teach you the skills to play a part in world events and drive political, social and economic change through exciting careers in the public, private and not-for-profit sectors.

Study with international experts
Study with SA’s largest group of international relations and political science experts, and gain practical experience through industry placements and opportunities to travel to Indonesia, China, Japan, USA and elsewhere, including unique internship opportunities with the US Congress (Washington) and Consulate (Melbourne).

A career in diplomacy, international aid or global consulting
An incredible breadth of career opportunities awaits you in a range of international organisations, in the public or not-for-profit sectors, or as a diplomat. You could work locally for a government department or an SA-based business, pursue a corporate career helping set international policy or help change the world with organisations like Amnesty International or Projects Abroad.

No. 1 in SA in Political Sciences*
* 2019 Academic Ranking of World Universities, public SA-founded universities only

Top 200 in the world for Public Administration**
** 2019 Academic Ranking of World Universities

Flinders University’s links with world-class universities and organisations enable you to undertake an exchange program or internship that will enhance your international relations and political science experience.

There are opportunities all over the world, and over 120 of our students have studied or worked in the US since 2000, in the last five years, some for a semester or more.

For those interested in an experience closer to home, you can also participate in internationally relevant internships onshore, with a variety of organisations in Adelaide and across Australia.

Key affiliated international institutions in North America, Europe and Asia include:
- Georgetown University – Washington, USA
- York University – Toronto, Canada
- Uppsala University – Uppsala, Sweden
- UNESCO-IHE, Institute for Water Research – The Netherlands
- Hiroshima University – Hiroshima, Japan
- Nanke University – Tianjin, China
- Parahyangan Catholic University – Bandung, Indonesia
- International Network of Universities
- Department of Defence – Adelaide and Canberra
- Defence Science and Technology Group – Adelaide and Canberra
- Cabinet Office, Department of the Premier and Cabinet – South Australia
- Department of Human Services
- Amnesty International
- Australian Consortium for In-Country Indonesian Studies (ACICIS)
## Bachelor of International Relations and Political Science

### Bachelor of International Relations and Political Science (Honours)

In this degree you’ll develop an understanding of how to drive policy development at home and abroad. You’ll graduate with a comprehensive understanding of key political, social, economic and strategic relations within the domestic and global communities.

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**Prerequisites:**
- Consulting firms.
- Private sector.
- Not-for-profit sector.
- International aid sector.
- Federal, state and local government.
- Intelligence, security or political analyst.
- Research officer, analyst or assistant.
- Electorate officer.
- International aid or development worker.
- Journalist or digital media content maker/manager.
- Diplomat or public service officer.

**Career opportunities**

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

- Policy analyst
- Diplomat or public service officer
- Journalist or digital media content maker/manager
- International aid or development worker
- Electorate officer
- Research officer, analyst or assistant
- Intelligence, security or political analyst.

**Potential employers include:**

- Federal, state and local government
- International aid sector
- Not-for-profit sector
- Private sector
- Consulting firms.

### Combined degrees

Explore your interests and unlock more career opportunities by combining degrees.

By combining your degree with a qualification in another discipline, you’ll connect diverse knowledge in unique ways and develop specialised abilities to help you stand out from the pack. Studying a combined degree at Flinders is the key to enhancing your career opportunities. Example degree combinations:

- **Bachelor of Languages/Bachelor of International Relations and Political Science**
  - SATAC CODE 214921
  - Leverage your love of languages into a career engaging with political, social and cultural issues in Australia and around the world.

### Other combinations

- Bachelor of Accounting
  - SATAC CODE 244001
- Bachelor of Business
  - SATAC CODE 244191
- Bachelor of Business (Human Resource Management)
  - SATAC CODE 224411

### SATAC CODEs

- Bachelor of Business (Management)
  - SATAC CODE 224361
- Bachelor of Business (Marketing)
  - SATAC CODE 224371
- Bachelor of Business Economics
  - SATAC CODE 244061
- Bachelor of Criminology
  - SATAC CODE 234661
- Bachelor of Laws and Legal Practice
  - SATAC CODE 244111
- Bachelor of Laws and Legal Practice (Honours)
  - SATAC CODE 244121
- Bachelor of Law and Society
  - SATAC CODE 234661
- Bachelor of Business (Marketing)
  - SATAC CODE 244001
- Bachelor of Business (Human Resource Management)
  - SATAC CODE 224411

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

### Study policy areas such as social policy, Indigenous affairs, multiculturalism, education, trade, economic development, foreign affairs and human rights.

- Gain real-world understanding of how Parliament and public agencies work through placement opportunities.
- Meet professionals working on current international ventures and build your international professional profile.
- Engage with the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade and defence officials in simulated activities.
- Experience South Australian politics first-hand through the South Australian Parliamentary Internship and the South Australian Government Cabinet Office Internship, or take your studies overseas with the Washington Internship Program.

### Career opportunities

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- Diplomat or public service officer
- Journalist or digital media content maker/manager
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- Electorate officer
- Research officer, analyst or assistant
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### Potential employers include:

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- International aid sector
- Not-for-profit sector
- Private sector
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### Washington Internship Program

The Washington Internship Program provides you with an opportunity, unparalleled in Australia, to experience political life in Washington DC.

Flinders has been sending students on this unique seven-week placement in the US Congress since the program’s inception in 2000. To date, we’ve sent over 127 students to Capitol Hill.

The program can give you a unique insight into US politics and an appreciation of the workings of the American political system.

As a participant in the program, you will work full-time in the office of a member of the United States Senate or the US House of Representatives.

The goal of the internship is to provide an experience of political life in an influential congressional office and the many tasks, priorities and pressures of that office.

To find out more visit: flinders.edu.au/washington-internship-program

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### South Australian Parliamentary Internship

2022 was the 27th anniversary of the prestigious South Australian Parliamentary Internship Program.

The program gives you the opportunity to experience how Parliament operates from the inside, enhancing both your degree and future career opportunities.

Interns will work attached to the office of a Member of Parliament while completing a public policy research project nominated by the member, under the formal supervision of a member of the Flinders academic staff.

**Kyle Whenan**

Intern, 2022 Washington Internship Program

“I’ve had several ‘pinch myself’ moments... You never know what historic world events might unfold during the Washington Internship Program, and being able to witness those events from within the global centre of power that is the US Congress is an experience unlike anything else.”

**Mariah Spronk**

Intern, 2022 Washington Internship Program

“If I had the chance to do this again, I would... you will make new friends, experience different cultures, see Washington up close, and develop all the skills necessary to help you gain employment post-study.”

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For more information visit: flinders.edu.au/international-relations-political-science
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

Flinders is one of the world’s top universities, offering students a supportive, inclusive education in an unrivalled study environment.

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

This is Flinders

Flinders at Festival Plaza – opening 2024
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.

Bedford Park
Flinders’ huge main campus features an award-winning hub and plaza, with retail, food outlets and a state-of-the-art sport and fitness centre.

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.
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

Gawler to Festival Plaza in 48 minutes
Get more out of your study

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 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 one to one-and-a-half years of extra study.

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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 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.

Begin your journey to a successful career

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.

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 28 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.

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.

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.

For further details on guaranteed entry and Indigenous Admission Scheme, please visit the University’s website.
Pathways to study

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.

stat.sac.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.

Student support

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.

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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.

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flinders.edu.au/living

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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

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flinders.edu.au/study/indigenous-students

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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

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

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
1. 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.
2. 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.
3. 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)

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Annelise Smith
Bachelor of Business (Advanced Leadership)

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Bachelor of Business (Advanced Leadership)
Glossary

How to apply

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
Enroll in your subject/topics at students.flinders.edu.au/my-course/enrolment

When can I start?

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 Orientation week: 20 February 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

Glossary

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.

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.

Major
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.
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Contact us
Our friendly staff are available to answer your questions:
1300 354 633 (local call cost) | askflinders@flinders.edu.au | flinders.edu.au/ask

International students should contact:
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