Law & Criminology

Starting at Flinders

At Flinders, it’s all about your career

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 at Festival Plaza, opening on North Terrace in 2024

For more information visit: flinders.edu.au/law
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Bachelor of Laws

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.

Bachelor of Laws and Legal Practice

Bachelor of Laws and Legal Practice (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 practising law or for future leadership roles in a range of professional settings.

Study for success

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

- Legal Professionals - 20.0%
- Baristers - 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

Future-ready curriculum

You’ll graduate future-ready with these 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 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.

* 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 twenty-first 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.
- 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 Commission
- Attorney-General’s Department
- Office of the Director of Public Prosecutions
- other government agencies.
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 Laiman, says that Law in a Digital Age is a vital subject for anyone studying law.

“It’s not just about the tech,” says Professor Laiman. “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.”
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.

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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.* All 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 in criminology education and research in Australia and overseas.

* Excellence in Research for Australia, 2018
** 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 among 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.*

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**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 will 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 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.

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**Bachelor of Law and Society**

**Bachelor of Law and Society degrees**

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**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 Law and Society/Bachelor of Criminology**

**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

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**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:

- 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 or welfare services, child safety and social work
- private security.

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**Flinders offers South Australia’s only Honours program specifically in criminology.**

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**Chayse Babi**

Bachelor of Criminology

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**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
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.
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 community organisations. They will improve your employability by giving you professional practice, including projects with industry and community organisations.

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

* The Good Universities Guide 2021 (undergraduate), public SA-founded universities only

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

** 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.

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 204701
SATAC code (Honours) 204702
Prerequisites Yes*
Assumed knowledge None

2022 selection rank 65.00
2022 selection rank (Honours) 70.00
Guaranteed entry selection rank 70.00

Guaranteed entry selection rank (Honours) 80.00
TAFElink Cert IV or above
TAFElink (Honours) Diploma or above

Adjustment factors Yes

* Knowledge of SACE stage two specialist mathematics, mathematical methods or equivalent is assumed.

Potential employers include:

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

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
• Planetary Networks
• Australian Federal Police
• Interactive Intelligence Group
• Department of Communications.

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SATAC code 254281
SATAC code (Honours) 254431
SATAC code (Pathway) 254071
Prerequisites Yes*
Prerequisites (Honours) Yes*
Prerequisites (Pathway) No

Assumed knowledge None

2022 selection rank 70.00
2022 selection rank (Honours) 90.00
2022 selection rank (Pathway) 60.00

Guaranteed entry selection rank 70.00
Guaranteed entry selection rank (Honours) 90.00
Guaranteed entry selection rank (Pathway) 70.00

TAFElink Cert IV or above
TAFElink (Honours) Diploma or above
TAFElink (Pathway) Cert IV or above

Adjustment factors Yes

* SACE stage two chemistry or equivalent.

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:

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• Defence Science and Technology Group
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Starting at Flinders

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

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’ 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

Gawler Central
Smithfield Interchange
Munno Para
Elizabeth
Salisbury
Parafiel
Mawson Interchange
Dry Creek
Islington
Adelaide Central Train Station

Flinders Station

Festival Plaza Opening in 2024

Glenelg Beach 13 mins
Brighton Beach 7 mins
Westfield Marion
Flinders Station Plaza

Bedford Park
Flinders Medical Centre

Tonsley
Flinders Central Train Station

Gawler Central
Munno Para
Smithfield Interchange
Elizabeth
Salisbury
Parafiel
Mawson Interchange
Dry Creek
Islington
Adelaide Central Train Station

Key
- Flinders University Campus Locations
- Hospital
- Buses (including loop buses)
  - Flinders campus loop: 16 minutes
  - Tonsley loop to Bedford Park: 16 minutes
- Tonsley Station (20 minutes to CBD)
- Flinders Station (22 minutes to CBD)
- Train Lines
  - Main Roads (25 minutes to CBD)
- Shopping Centre
  - Flinders Station Plaza to Bedford Park (5 minutes)
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](flinders.edu.au/combineddegrees)

## 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.

[flinders.edu.au/diplomas](flinders.edu.au/diplomas)

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](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.

### 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](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](flinders.edu.au/study/pathways/flinderslink)

### 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](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](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.

Get more out of your study

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.
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.

statc.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/tafeblink

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

Student support

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/hed

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 journey.

flinders.edu.au/study/indigenous-students

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

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

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statc.edu.au/stat

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flinders.edu.au/pathways

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/tafeblink

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

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/hed

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 journey.

flinders.edu.au/study/indigenous-students
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 Yungkurriunthi 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
How to apply

Check the application dates
Applicants need to apply through the South Australian Tertiary Admissions Centre (SATAC)
satac.edu.au

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• 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

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
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Semester 2 2023 start date: 17 July 2023
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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.

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.

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.

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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