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Me he manawa tītī, me he kuaka mārangaranga. Ko te reo rāhiri, ko te reo pōwhiri e karanga atu ana ki a koutou ngā tītī, ngā kuaka, ngā manu tawhiti kia whai wāhi ai koutou ki te whenua haumako, te ākau mātauranga o Aotearoa, a ko te Whare Wānanga o Ōtāgo. Tēnā, karapīnepine mai, whakarauika mai.

Ahakoa tō awhero, ahakoa tō waxwata he wāhi hāneanea mōu, he ara whakamua mōu hei whakatutuki i tēnā tāu e hiahia ai. Mēnā ka whai tohu koe ki Te Kete Aronui, ki te Ture, ki te Pūtaiao, ki te Hauora, ki te Tauhokohoko rānei, ahakoa te kaupapa he wāhi mōu, he tohu mōu.

Ko te ringa āwhina ka toro atu ki a koutou, ko ngā pou taunaki ka whakaakoria, ka ārahia, ka tautokona koe ki te rere atu ki ngā karamatamata, ki ngā kōtiritihi o te ngaru mātauranga nei.

Nā reira,

Nau mai, haere mai, tauti mai!

‘A Sooty Shearwater with a stout heart, the Godwit flock rises as one’. The voice of welcome from the University of Otago calls out to you, to take rest on this rich fertile land, on this coast of knowledge. As the first university in New Zealand, the University of Otago welcomes you all.

Whatever your dreams or aspirations, they can be realised here. Whether you want to pursue Humanities, Law, Science, Medicine or Business, there is a place for you here and a qualification to suit your specialty.

At the University of Otago we have the people to teach, guide and support you to fly to the mountain tops and beyond.

Welcome, welcome, welcome.





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Welcome to the University of Otago



The University of Otago was founded in 1869 by early Scottish settlers who recognised the importance of universities. Otago is the oldest and finest university in New Zealand with a long history of excellence in teaching and research. We work in partnership with Ngāi Tahu, the tangata whenua of this place. We value the strong cultural contribution of both elements of our history; the bagpipes and the haka can be heard on our campus and at our graduation ceremonies.

We are strongly committed to international education having collaborative teaching, research and exchange agreements with major institutions around the world. Otago offers a rich cultural life, reflecting a diverse international student community and New Zealand's own multicultural population. We are proud to be a foundation member of the Matariki Network of Universities, recognising our shared commitment to an ethos of excellence in research, scholarship and rounded education.

Students at Otago are taught by academic staff who are dedicated to teaching and who are internationally recognised for their research. We are committed to educating the next generation of professionals across a wide range of disciplines, and we are also committed to nurturing the

next generation of citizens in New Zealand and other parts of the globe. At Otago you will gain a world-class qualification, and you will also learn other important lessons along the way – lessons that will allow you to thrive in all aspects of your adult life. In addition, you will make friends who you will keep for a lifetime.

In order to make the best of your brief time with us, I strongly encourage you to be the best student you can be. I also encourage you to take advantage of the wide range of extracurricular and co-curricular activities that we have on offer. The University of Otago is located in one of the most beautiful places on the planet – please take time out to discover the beaches, the hills and the native flora and fauna that are right on our doorstep. Most importantly, I challenge you to dream.

I warmly welcome you to this exciting new chapter of your life.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Harlene Hayne".

PROFESSOR HARLENE HAYNE
Vice-Chancellor
June 2018

Why Otago?



Highest possible international quality rating



20,000 students, including 2,800 international students from 100 countries



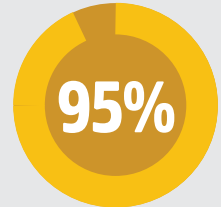
Ranked in the top 1% of universities in the world (QS World Rankings)



15 residential colleges accommodating 3,500 students



New Zealand's first university, celebrating 150 years in 2019
otago.ac.nz/150



95% of graduates go into work or on to further study



More than 195 undergraduate and postgraduate programmes



We offer more than 150 student clubs and societies



Unmatched record in the National Teaching Excellence Awards: seven Supreme Award winners



Dunedin is a gigatown with 1gb/s connectivity



Rated top university in New Zealand for international student experience (International Student Barometer 2017)



Recognised as one of the 16 most beautiful campuses in the world (Huffington Post)



Only Otago

Academic
excellence and
an outstanding
student experience.



Welcome to the University of Otago – New Zealand’s first university and the first choice for more than 20,000 students.

After 150 years, we’re still leading the way when it comes to world-class teaching and a legendary student lifestyle – the two core elements that set the University of Otago apart, and the reason students from across the country and around the world choose us for their tertiary education.

An Otago degree can give you the momentum to get where you want to go in life, And it’s not just academic achievement that you’ll take with you. The experiences and friendships forged at Otago can last a lifetime.

New Zealand Aotearoa

Embracing visitors as whānau (family) underpins every aspect of our identity.



1. Dunedin

Known as the gateway to the South Island, basing yourself in Dunedin allows for a comparably affordable way for you to access many of New Zealand's world-renowned destinations of immense natural beauty, or enjoy adventure activities.



2. Queenstown, Arrowtown and Wanaka

3.5 hours' drive.

Queenstown, the birthplace of bungee, is known as the Adventure Sports Capital of the World. The stunningly beautiful gorges and lakeside environment provide the perfect setting for skydiving, canyon swinging, jet boating and white-water rafting. This is also the Southern Hemisphere's top ski resort area and has great nightlife once the sun goes down.

Photograph by AJ Hackett Bungy

New Zealand is truly unique.

It is a safe and fun destination with friendly people, easy access to the outdoors, immersive experiences and rich culture.

It is also one of the least crowded countries in the world, with a physical size comparable to Japan or Great Britain and a population of only 4.7 million people (affectionately known as 'Kiwis').

The country is made up of two major islands (the North and South Islands) and a number of smaller islands, including Stewart Island.

Approximately two thirds of the population lives in the North Island. Auckland has over 1.3 million people, followed by the capital city Wellington and Christchurch (which each have about 400,000). Dunedin's population is around 120,000.

Māori were the first inhabitants of New Zealand Aotearoa across Te Ika a Maui

(North Island) and Te Waipounamu (South Island).

According to Māori, Kupe ventured from the Polynesian homeland of Hawaiiki to New Zealand on a waka hourua (voyaging canoe) around 1,000 years ago navigating by the stars and ocean currents. Several waka hourua arrived across the country over hundreds of years, and Māori established themselves as the first inhabitants and caretakers of the land.

Dutch explorer Abel Tasman was the first European to discover New Zealand, in 1642. English navigator James Cook mapped the country in 1769–70. Later, sealers, whalers and traders arrived and the following two centuries saw waves of European settlement.

Today the country is diverse and multicultural, enhanced by the growing number of people from the Pacific and Asia who have made New Zealand their home in recent years.

Kiwis have a reputation for being resourceful and innovative. New Zealand's urban centres are full of cafes, restaurants, arts, industry and fashion. Farming remains the country's major export industry and there is a growing focus on ecotourism ventures, the wine industry, fashion design and a flourishing film industry that is gaining international recognition.

New Zealand is renowned for its spectacular landscapes – from dramatic mountain ranges and steaming volcanoes, to sandy swimming beaches and wild and rugged coastline.

The South Island has some of the world's most picturesque scenery. Beaches, glaciers, lakes and fiords, and mountains with world-class ski resorts are all easily accessible from your base in Dunedin.



3. Fiordland

4.5 hours' drive.

Fiordland is one of the most dramatic and beautiful parts of New Zealand and has three of New Zealand's "Great Walks" – the Milford, Kepler and Routeburn Tracks.



4. Aoraki Mount Cook

4 hours' drive.

Aoraki Mount Cook National Park is home to New Zealand's highest mountain and longest glacier. Visitors come here to hike, climb, cycle, paddle among icebergs in glacial lakes, or sit and soak up the spectacular views.

Photograph by Fraser Gunn



5. The Catlins

1.5 hours' drive.

The Catlins is an area of great contrasts and natural beauty – from magnificent coastal cliffs and long sweeping beaches, to rainforests, hidden waterfalls and rolling farmland.



Dunedin: New Zealand's student capital

Our 20,000 students make up one fifth of Dunedin's population, creating an energy and atmosphere that you'll only find at Otago.

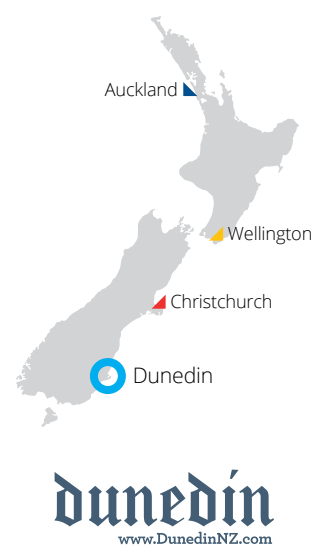
The town and the University campus developed together, so Dunedin is one of just a handful of places worldwide where education is the main activity of the city.

Our campus and residential colleges are located in the heart of town, and all of Dunedin's cafés, music venues, designer boutiques and stores, museums and galleries are never more than a short walk away.

When it comes to sport, Otago takes on the best in the world. The University's facilities are state of the art and New Zealand's only covered sports field, Forsyth Barr Stadium, is right on your doorstep for top-level rugby.

But that's just the beginning. Dunedin is a small city between the mountains, the harbour and the sea – that means there's heaps to do and it's easy to get to. Experience the distinctive beauty of each of Dunedin's four seasons. The temperate climate brings warm summers and mild winters with some frost and very occasional snowfalls. No other city in the country has the same range, quality and accessibility of leisure activities. Ride the best waves in the world, take on mighty mountain biking tracks, paddle-board, kayak or sail on the harbour, or head to Central Otago for a weekend on New Zealand's top ski fields.

Imagine changing out of your wetsuit then walking to the city centre for lunch, or snowboarding all day and getting home in time to catch your favourite band. It's just part of life in Dunedin.





City and campus

Although Dunedin is surrounded by hills, most of the central city and north and south Dunedin is generally flat and easily accessible. Unlike larger cities, you don't need a car to get around in Dunedin. It's a 10-minute walk from the campus, residential colleges and student flats into the centre of town, and there is a good public transport system covering all of the main suburbs.

“Coming from one of the most densely populated cities in the world, I found Dunedin to be a much calmer and more relaxed town.”

Neha Dhavale (India)
STUDYING FOR A PhD IN ANATOMY

Explore the Dunedin region

- 1** **TAIAROA HEAD**
1 hour drive. The only mainland breeding colony of Royal Albatross in the world
- 1** **FORSYTH BARR STADIUM**
10 minutes' walk. New Zealand's only covered sports arena
- 2** **UNIVERSITY OF OTAGO**
Main campus, residential colleges and residential flats
- 3** **THE OCTAGON**
15 minutes' walk. City centre with cafés, bars, restaurants, shopping and entertainment
- MT CARGILL**
10 minutes' drive. Great mountain biking and walking tracks
- OTAGO HARBOUR**
5 minutes' drive. Enjoy a range of water sports and stunning views
- GOLF COURSE**
10 minutes' drive. One of 12 golf courses in Dunedin
- ST CLAIR ESPLANADE**
10 minutes' drive. Great surf spot with cafés and restaurants
- Wanaka and Queenstown**
3.5 hours' drive. Best skiing in the Southern Hemisphere!
- Te Anau and Milford Sound**
4.5 hours' drive. Stunning scenery and great walks.



Life at Otago

Making a decision to study overseas is a bold one – the University of Otago will support you to make the most of your time here.

Most study takes place at our campus in Dunedin, a safe city that is easy to get around and has a relatively inexpensive cost of living. The University also has campuses in Auckland, Wellington, Christchurch and Invercargill.

Most of our international students choose to live in one of our residential colleges while others prefer to stay in University-managed flats. Whichever you choose, the support is there to help you get the very best out of your time at Otago.

A first-class education requires world-class facilities and Otago is known for its state-of-the-art lecture theatres, research labs and libraries. There's also unlimited wi-fi across campus and our computer labs are open 24/7.

Otago's International Office provides specialist support for international students, welcoming you with a tailored orientation programme and providing ongoing help and support throughout your time here.

Otago is globally recognised for its student experience. We are rated the top university in New Zealand for international experience (*International Student Barometer*) and have been

recognised by Study International as one of the top four international universities to provide a balance of academic excellence alongside an unrivalled student experience.

For those who like to play for fun, the University's Clubs and Societies programme offers over 150 short courses and activities, from arts and crafts to dancing and cooking, languages and music.

If you're serious about sport, then Otago is the best place to be. What other university hosts international cricket minutes from campus, and international rugby right next door?

Unipol Recreation Centre is a superb gym facility that offers everything you need free of charge, including cardio and weights, sports halls, group fitness classes, social sport and outdoor adventures – whatever you need to get your fix of the outdoors.

You won't regret choosing the all-round experience that only Otago can offer.



“You work hard and you play hard. There are lots of organised community activities that are great for meeting people – I’ve met lots of Kiwis as well as lots of international students, and I really like how we are so different from each other.”

Janet Leung
STUDYING FOR A BACHELOR OF ARTS





Student support

Our top-quality education and facilities are matched by our range of student support services, dedicated to helping you get the very best out of your time at Otago.

Campus Watch

The Campus Watch teams are out and about 24/7, offering assistance and advice around campus and North Dunedin whenever it is required.

otago.ac.nz/campus-watch

Career Development Centre

The Career Development Centre runs workshops, co-ordinates employer presentations and career fairs, has a range of career information for students, and has career advisers available for one-to-one discussions.

otago.ac.nz/careers

Chaplains

The University chaplaincy team is available to offer pastoral care and spiritual support to anyone who wants to talk in confidence, whatever their beliefs.

otago.ac.nz/chaplain

Childcare

The Otago University Childcare Association (OUCA) provides excellent early childhood education in high-standard purpose-built facilities. The OUCA operates four childcare centres, including a bilingual centre, for children from birth to five years.

otago.ac.nz/childcare

Computer services

Otago provides a range of IT services to students: 24-hour wireless study spaces with printers and computers, student webmail and online Office 365, and a student desktop that's accessible anywhere. Our friendly Student IT support team provide help, advice and training. Student IT offer free, short training sessions while ITS Training provides subsidised longer courses on all the software you'll require for your courses.

otago.ac.nz/studentit

Disability Information and Support Office (DI&S)

DI&S provides learning support, advice, advocacy and information to international students with disabilities, impairments, medical conditions or injuries that may impact on their study. It is important that you check in advance to ensure that the University is able to meet your specific requirements.

otago.ac.nz/disabilities

Graduate Research School

The Graduate Research School oversees graduate research study at the University of Otago. A dedicated team of administrators and advisers provide policy advice for doctoral and research masters' degrees, and manage university scholarships and prizes.

otago.ac.nz/graduate-research

International Office

The International Office provides information, support and advice to future and current international students and to students wishing to study overseas on exchange programmes. It runs on-campus orientation programmes for new international students including a wide variety of events to assist you in adjusting to life at Otago. It operates an international friendship network, offers a student visa renewal service, assistance with insurance, and US Financial Aid. All enquiries from prospective international students about application and admission should be directed to the International Office.

otago.ac.nz/international

Libraries

The University of Otago Libraries offer an outstanding range of information services, quality resources, wi-fi and warm comfortable facilities suitable for individual or group learning. Whether you are studying on or off campus, enjoy access to a wide variety of print, electronic and audio-visual resources. Make the most of readily available expert assistance with sourcing and evaluating library resources and developing your search skills from friendly, knowledgeable staff.

otago.ac.nz/library

Recreation at Otago

Unipol Recreation Services and the OUSA Clubs and Societies team provide a comprehensive programme to ensure students maintain a healthy, balanced and fun lifestyle while studying at Otago. With many recreational opportunities on and off campus there really is something for everyone!

Unipol is a fantastic facility that includes weight training and cardio rooms, and team sports areas where students and their friends can participate in casual sports such as basketball, table tennis and more. Entry is free with a current student ID card.

There are over 150 sporting, cultural, political and religious clubs and societies and they are all 100 per cent student-led. The OUSA recreation programme offers activities including arts and craft, dance, exercise, health and sport, music and singing, languages, food and beverage, and everything and anything in between.

otago.ac.nz/recreation

Otago University Students' Association (OUSA)

OUSA membership is free for students and is an independent organisation that represents students' interests within the University, in the media, and with local and national government.

OUSA can help you with lost property, tickets to gigs, answering your questions and much more. The Student Support Centre offers a friendly and confidential advisory service to help make your student experience as trouble-free as possible. It's all

free, so if you need a bit of help, a mediator, or some friendly advice OUSA can help you.

OUSA also owns Radio One 91FM, Dunedin's finest independent radio station, and student magazine *The Critic*.

ousa.org.nz

Student Health Services

Student Health is centrally located on campus in a purpose-built facility. We have approximately 55 staff, comprising nurses, general practitioners, counsellors, psychiatrists and administrative staff.

We endeavour to provide the best health care possible in a manner that is competent, compassionate, confidential, timely and in an atmosphere of mutual responsibility and respect.

We provide daily urgent and routine appointments to all international students. Different consultation fees may apply for international students and most international students are not entitled to publicly-funded health services while in New Zealand. Full details on entitlements to publicly-funded health services are available through the Ministry of Health.

otago.ac.nz/studenthealth
health.govt.nz

UniCrew Volunteers

At UniCrew Volunteers we support students to lead social projects that address causes they care about, and we help connect students with opportunities to make positive changes in our community. Through volunteering you will gain

valuable learning experiences as well as a chance to apply skills and knowledge you already have.

Student Learning Development

Student Learning Development offers a free service for enrolled students. Assistance includes interactive workshops, individual consultations with learning advisers, and peer learning and support programmes. The Peer Leadership Programme offers students opportunities to develop leadership skills through a range of workshops, activities and online study resources.

otago.ac.nz/sld

Work Ready Programme

The Work Ready Programme is free and provides tertiary international students with the confidence, knowledge and experience they require for a successful job search in New Zealand. The programme facilitates a number of workshops, seminars and events that bring together students and local employers to ensure practical experience in the job-seeking process and to increase each student's local network. The programme is a joint initiative between Study Dunedin, the University of Otago and the Otago Polytechnic.

getworkready.co.nz





Accommodation

Leaving home is a big step, but when you come to the University of Otago there are plenty of choices to make that transition easier, safe and fun!

Residential colleges

Otago is famous for its residential college communities, which offer quality, safe and supervised living. Our 15 colleges cater mostly for first-year students and are all within walking distance of the University.

The unique collegiate life at Otago is an important part of the experience for many students leaving home for the first time – the community atmosphere, the support and the opportunity to discover lifelong friendships all help to make that first year away from home not just easier, but also memorable.

All of our colleges are fully-catered, warm, student-focused and secure. Professional, experienced college leaders and staff take a real interest in the well-being of their residents, and they are supported by senior students who mentor and guide new students through their first year of university. The colleges all provide regular tutorials and study spaces, and work hard to develop their residents as scholars and good community members.

College life includes a full and exciting calendar of cultural and sporting events throughout the year, including intercollege competitions for summer and winter sports, and cultural activities.

The colleges have a range of recreational facilities, ranging from games and fitness areas to gyms or cardio rooms.

otago.ac.nz/colleges



Colleges at a glance

Otago offers a unique range of world-class collegiate communities,

	Abbey	Aquinas	Arana	Caroline Freeman	Carrington	Cumberland	Hayward	Knox	St Margaret's	Salmond	Selwyn	Studoilme	Te Rangī Hīroa	Toroa	Unicol
Minutes walk (*free shuttle)	8	15*	3	5	6	4	3	12*	0	12*	0	3	5	3	0
Number of beds	75	152	404	214	241	327	162	262	224	260	188	184	125	152	501
Tutorials	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Music facilities	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Student activities (sporting)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Student activities (cultural)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Inter-college activities	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Fully catered	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Special meals	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Halal meals	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Gym (*or close to Unicol)	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✗*	✓	✓	✗*	✓	✓	✓	✓	✗	✓
Laundry (included in fees)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Parking (*costs apply)	✓*	✓*	✗	✓*	✓*	✓*	✓*	✓	✗	✓	✓*	✗	✓*	✓*	✓*
Linen (weekly)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Bicycle storage	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Disabled facilities	✓	✗	✓	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✗	✓	✗	✓
Recreational facilities (e.g. Sky, DVD, pool table)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Summer accommodation	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✗	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Single sex areas	✓	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✗	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓
Under 18	✗	✓	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✓	✗	✗	✗	✓	✗
Undergraduate/ postgraduate	P	U	U/P	U/P	U	U	U	U/P	U	U/P	U	U	U	U/P	U
Study rooms	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

Note: Salmond College accepts students studying Foundation Year.

Other accommodation

There are many accommodation options within walking distance of campus, including flats, private boarding and homestay. The Dunedin community welcomes students and many families enjoy sharing their homes with students from around the world.

Postgraduate

Several of the residential colleges provide accommodation for a number of postgraduate students. The University of Otago has New Zealand's only residential college – Abbey College – specifically for postgraduate students. This accommodation is located within a few minutes' walk of all University facilities.

Many senior students prefer to rent houses or flats near shops or schools. Although there is some accommodation suitable for couples or families close to the campus, affordable accommodation is available in the suburbs, often only a short drive or bus trip from the main campus.

University-managed flats and houses

Students who would like more independence can apply for a room in a University-managed flat. This is also the best option for single semester students. Most of these flats have a New Zealand "Kiwi Host" student. A small number of flats is available for postgraduate students

with partners and/or families, and for unaccompanied postgraduate students wishing to reside in a self-catered flat with other postgraduate students. The flats are fully furnished and within easy walking distance of campus.

otago.ac.nz/uniflats

Flatting

After the first year of study, many students move into flats. Dunedin has a wide range of rental accommodation – from studio rooms to multi-unit, purpose-built complexes. The Student Accommodation Centre can assist you to find rental accommodation and provide helpful hints for flatting life.

Temporary accommodation

We recommend that you book temporary accommodation before you arrive in Dunedin. A list of temporary accommodation can be found on our website:

otago.ac.nz/accommodation

Accommodation for people with disabilities

The University of Otago is committed to assisting students with disabilities. Our residential colleges offer a range of facilities for students with disabilities, with several colleges particularly suitable for people who use wheelchairs or have limited mobility. A number of University flats have been

modified to meet the needs of students with physical disabilities and some secure properties are available for students who use guide dogs.

The Student Accommodation Centre can help you with further details but it is important to register an interest during August and September if you require accommodation for the following year.

How to apply

To apply for residential college or University Flats accommodation for the February intake, you need to submit an online application before 15 September. Applications received after this date will still be considered as places become available. For the second semester it is preferred that applications are received before 1 June. There is no closing date for applications from postgraduate students for Abbey College.

Postgraduate and single-semester students will be sent information about accommodation when they receive an Academic Offer of Place to study at the University of Otago.

International students may apply online at otago.ac.nz for university-managed accommodation.

For further information about accommodation please contact:

otago.ac.nz
Student Accommodation Centre
international.accommodation@otago.ac.nz
otago.ac.nz/accommodation



Living costs

The table below provides an estimate of living costs in NZ\$ and is based on 2018 charging. The costs assume a single student on campus for a period of forty weeks (one academic year). Actual accommodation costs will be supplied once you have been accepted for study at Otago.

	Residential college	Shared flat
Accommodation Fee	\$14,478	-
Average rent (52 weeks @ \$150)	-	\$7,800
Food (40 weeks @ \$80)	-	\$3,200
Gas/electricity, internet (52 weeks)	-	\$1,225
Total for accommodation	\$14,478	\$12,225
Personal costs (40 weeks @ \$60)	\$2,400	\$2,400
Entertainment (40 weeks @ \$50)	\$2,000	\$2,000
Medical and travel insurance	\$620	\$620
Total	\$19,498	\$17,245

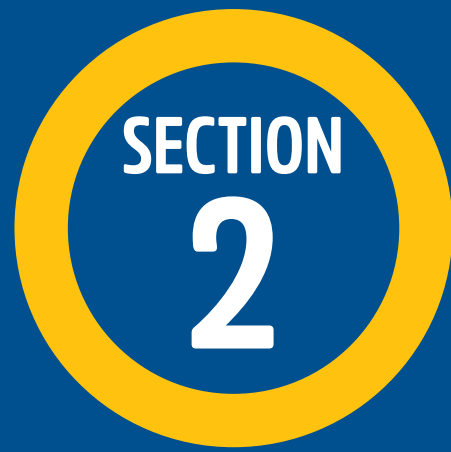
Notes:

1. Residential college contracts are normally for 38 weeks. Some colleges may charge a higher fee than the fee listed in the table.
2. In addition to the accommodation fee, the residential colleges charge a small amenity fee.
3. Food costs reflect the purchase of some lunches and takeaways. If all cooking is done in the flat they could be reduced.
4. Personal costs vary considerably depending on lifestyle. The estimate represents a restrained style of living.
5. This estimated budget does not include travel costs or any significant personal expenditure items.


Approximate cost of some common items (\$NZD)



For more information see: newzealandnow.govt.nz/living-in-nz



An Otago degree



Worried about majors and minors and prerequisites and corequisites? This section cuts through the jargon to help you decide on a degree, and how to structure it to suit your needs.

University Terminology 101

Bachelor's degrees

Your first degree is called a bachelor's degree and the subject you choose to specialise in is called your major.

A degree almost always includes subjects other than your major, but the major subject is generally studied in every year of the course. This choice of major subject determines which degree you are actually taking. It is possible to gain formal recognition for a minor subject within some programmes.

Postgraduate study

Postgraduate study is a more advanced level of study undertaken after completion of a bachelor's degree. These qualifications include doctorates (PhD), masters' degrees, honours degrees, postgraduate diplomas, and postgraduate certificates.

Papers

The building blocks of the degree are called papers. A paper is a fixed amount of work in certain aspects of a subject at a particular level. The first papers you take are called 100-level papers. You move on in subsequent years or semesters to 200-level and 300-level papers, and beyond if you choose to undertake postgraduate study.

Prerequisites and corequisites

Most papers beyond 100-level have prerequisites. If you have not completed a prerequisite for a paper, you are not normally permitted to enrol in that paper.

Some papers have corequisites. If you have not already passed a corequisite, you must take it at the same time as your other paper.

Major subjects

The subject you choose to specialise in is called your major. A degree almost always includes subjects other than your major, but the major subject is generally studied in every year of the course up to 300-level.

Each degree has its own set of subjects, although a number of subjects can be taken as a major for more than one degree. For example, Economics can be a major in a BA, BSc, BASc or a BCom.

Minor subjects

It is possible to gain recognition for a minor subject within a BA, MusB, BPA, BTheol, BSc, BAppSc, BCom, BHealSc or BASc programme. To be recognised as having achieved a minor you are normally required to complete a minimum of 90 points in that subject with at least 18 points at 300-level.

Your minor can be a subject more commonly taken for a different degree; for example, a BCom majoring in Marketing can include Japanese as a minor subject.

Workload

To complete a degree you must accumulate a number of points, with a required number at higher levels. Most papers are single semester papers and are worth 18 points. If you pass, you get all the points. Your grade shows how well you passed but does not affect the number of points you earn.

A full-time first-year course is generally 54-72 points in any one semester or 108-144 points in any one year. Part-time study is taking fewer than 54 points in any one semester or 108 points in any one year. As an approximate guide, you can expect to spend about 12 hours per week for each single-semester paper (18 points). These hours are made up of a combination of lectures, tutorials, laboratories, assignments and reading.

Teaching

The basic method of presenting subject information at university is the lecture, although many departments use a variety of other approaches. Lectures normally last 50 minutes and are a basic means of introducing new knowledge. You must back them up with your own wide reading.

You will have essays and assignments, and may take part in laboratories or tutorials where more individual attention is available. You may also find you are in regular contact with tutors, other academic staff and other students.

Postgraduate study is more intensive than undergraduate study and requires more independent research.

Assessment

Papers are assessed in a variety of ways. Examinations (finals) are usually the most important and most papers end with a three-hour examination at the end of each semester. Many subjects also have shorter tests during the year, and written assignments and laboratory work often count towards your final grade.

Postgraduate assessment can be by thesis, examination and/or internal assessment depending on the specific course being studied.

Semesters

The University operates two semesters per year. Some papers are completed in a single semester (i.e. a half year, either first or second semester), while others run for the whole year. Some single-semester papers are offered in each semester, while others occur only once a year.

Summer School

The University offers a Summer School from early January to mid-February each year. This gives students the opportunity to study one or two papers for credit over a shorter teaching period and outside the standard semester timetable.

International School

An International School programme is offered in June-July each year, giving international students an opportunity to gain credits toward their degree.

otago.ac.nz/internationalschool

Distance Learning

The University offers some papers and courses by distance study. Most distance taught courses are postgraduate courses offered in subjects where the University has specific expertise. However, there are some papers and courses for undergraduate students.

Please note that Immigration New Zealand will not normally grant a student visa for study in New Zealand where the intended programme of study is wholly delivered by distance mode.

Arina Aizal

Malaysia

Bachelor of Science (major:
Anatomy, minor: Psychology)

“Lecturers and teaching fellows are very accessible. They make me feel like I can open up, ask questions and share ideas.”



A childhood dream and the decision to follow in her father’s footsteps are the reasons Arina Aizal came to study at the University of Otago.

“My family and I moved to Dunedin from Malaysia when my dad was studying for a Master of International Studies at Otago. My brothers and I went to school here.”

Otago has been woven into Arina’s history and even as a child she knew that it was a special place.

“I knew from the start that I belong at Otago. Dunedin is home and the University has always been my first choice.”

Whilst history is the reason that Arina is studying at Otago, she has found the teaching and learning facilities to be anything but historic.

“The teaching methods at Otago are great, especially the podcasts and Blackboard online learning support. Otago supports twenty-first century teaching and its really helpful for students in this era.”

Arina also enjoys the relaxed and friendly culture at Otago.

“The teaching environment is very helpful – lecturers and teaching fellows are very accessible. They make me feel like I can open up, ask questions and share ideas.”

And being an international student has not been a barrier.

“I do not feel odd being an international student here. I am very happy that Otago provides a Muslim prayer room and also a meditation room for other religions – this eliminates hindrance for us to practice our beliefs. There is also Halal food around the University and the city and that eases Muslim students.”

Arina plans to finish her undergraduate degree and then continue with postgraduate studies in Anatomy at Otago.

“Otago provides excellence; it combines fantastic educational support with a vibrant social life for international students.”



Your bachelor's degree

Undergraduate programmes at Otago can be divided into two main types:

- general degrees
- specialised degrees.

General degrees

BAppSc	Bachelor of Applied Science
BA	Bachelor of Arts
BASc	Bachelor of Arts and Science
BBiomedSc	Bachelor of Biomedical Sciences
BCom	Bachelor of Commerce
BHealSc	Bachelor of Health Sciences
MusB	Bachelor of Music
BPA	Bachelor of Performing Arts
BPhEd	Bachelor of Physical Education*
BSc	Bachelor of Science
BTheol	Bachelor of Theology

Each of these degrees (except for BASc and BPhEd) requires a minimum of 360 points. At least 180 of these must be above 100-level and at least 72 must be at 300-level in your major. There must be a major subject in every degree other than the MusB, BPA and BTheol, which means that you must satisfy the major requirements for that subject.

It is often possible to include two major subjects in a degree programme (a “double major”).

In Arts, Music, Performing Arts, Theology, Science and Commerce degrees, you can include papers from other degrees worth up to 90 points.

The BASc degree requires at least 480 points and requires two major subjects: one from those available for BA and one from those available for BSc or BAppSc.

The BPhEd degree requires at least 504 points with a choice of four major subjects and scope for papers worth up to 126 points from other degrees.

Specialised degrees

The following qualifications are more specialised with restricted choices of papers:

BDS	Bachelor of Dental Surgery
BDentTech	Bachelor of Dental Technology
LLB	Bachelor of Laws
BMLSc	Bachelor of Medical Laboratory Science
MB ChB	Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery
BOH	Bachelor of Oral Health

*There are likely to be significant changes for new and returning students in 2019. We hope to have information on the anticipated new programmes in July 2018 and we will be holding regular update sessions throughout 2018. The latest information and FAQs can be found at

otago.ac.nz/sopeses/news/otago670686.html

BPharm	Bachelor of Pharmacy
BPhty	Bachelor of Physiotherapy
BRT	Bachelor of Radiation Therapy
BSW	Bachelor of Social Work
BSurv	Bachelor of Surveying
BTchg	Bachelor of Teaching (endorsed in Early Childhood Education, Primary Bilingual Education and Primary Education)

The BDentTech, BOH, BRT and BTchg have selective entry at first year. The rest of these degrees have selective entry to the second year, and each has its own subjects, structure and admission procedures,

BDS	Bachelor of Dental Surgery
BMLSc	Bachelor of Medical Laboratory Science
MB ChB	Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery
BPharm	Bachelor of Pharmacy
BPhty	Bachelor of Physiotherapy

These specialist degrees require a Health Sciences First Year. Admission to the second year of each degree depends on the results in the first-year course.

Double degrees and cross crediting

It is possible for students to take two degrees at the same time. This doesn't mean you double your workload. You can count some papers twice, by studying them in one degree and cross crediting them to the other degree as well. This means you can complete two degrees in less time than if you had studied them separately.

Students can cross credit 126 points between two three-year degrees, so that 594 points are required instead of 720 to complete two three-year degrees such as a BA and a BSc. This takes between four and five years, depending on how many papers are passed each year.

You may cross credit 180 points between a four-year degree and a three-year degree (e.g. LLB and BSc, or BPhEd and BCom), saving two years and completing both degrees in five years instead of seven.

If you want to plan a double-degree course, seek advice from a course adviser, schools' liaison officer, or staff in the Student Records Office of Student Administration.

Entry requirements for double-degree programmes are the same as for the individual degrees involved. If one of the degrees has restricted entry (e.g. LLB) then you still have to meet the entry requirement for that degree if you are taking it together with a general degree (e.g. LLB and BCom).

You do not have to enrol for a double-degree programme in your first year. Many students take a mixture of papers from two degrees in their first year (you are allowed to include some papers from another degree in your primary degree). You can then decide at the beginning of the second year whether or not to set up a double-degree structure.



Postgraduate study

The decision to undertake postgraduate study is a bold declaration that you intend to be a serious participant in your field. The University of Otago is New Zealand's leading postgraduate research university and offers unparalleled access to world-class academics in a full range of qualifications.

Research at Otago

Otago is a research-led university. Research students are its life-blood and are supported by many of this country's leading researchers across the Sciences, Humanities, Business, Health Sciences, Medicine and Dentistry.

Otago's researchers continue to win an ever-increasing number of research grants in what is a highly-competitive market for research funding. Otago attracts more than \$170 million in external research funding each year.

Otago has the highest proportion of postgraduate research students of any university in New Zealand – there are currently more than 1,400 doctoral candidates enrolled. PhD completion numbers are at an all-time high and the completion rate – at between 80 to 90 per cent – is internationally competitive.

The University recognises the importance of the supervisor-student relationship. Supervisors induct and support graduate research students into the research culture, backed by strong departmental facilities. Regular workshops are held for students, supervisors and postgraduate convenors.

The staff expertise website highlights the depth and breadth of specialised knowledge at Otago and is a useful resource for those looking for a supervisor:

otago.ac.nz/mediaexpertise

The University has recognised a number of areas of research strength as Research Themes and Research Centres. Many of these are multidisciplinary; they encourage research across a range of academic fields and provide outstanding opportunities for postgraduate students. Individual staff research expertise can be found on the divisional and departmental pages of the website:

otago.ac.nz/departments

POSTGRADUATE STUDY OPTIONS

Otago offers more than 120 postgraduate programmes, from one-semester postgraduate certificates to extended research degrees.

Doctor of Philosophy

The degree of Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) is a research-only qualification designed for students who intend to pursue an academic or research career. The degree is awarded on the basis of the submission of a thesis which should give evidence of the candidate's ability to carry out research, evidence that the candidate has shown originality and independence, and that the candidate has made a significant contribution to knowledge in a particular field. A diligent and competent student is expected to complete the PhD in three years of full-time study.

Masters' degrees

Masters' degrees vary in nature at Otago, but the majority allow for the development of individual research. Working from a strong background of study, candidates have the opportunity to contribute to existing specialist fields or to begin to develop new areas of research. Masters' degrees are typically research-only, but some can be a combination of research and coursework, or a mainly coursework programme.

A master's degree by thesis is a supervised research degree. The one-year programme consists of a thesis, which must be a substantial work and the outcome of independent research, scholarship and/or creative activity, conducted under supervision. The two-year programme comprises a year of coursework followed by a thesis year.

A master's degree by coursework comprises supervised coursework over a period of one to two years. This typically includes both taught papers and a research component.

Honours degrees

Most three-year bachelors' degrees at Otago have postgraduate honours degrees allied to them. They involve further papers in the subject of the first degree and a research report or dissertation. It is possible to undertake honours degrees in more than one subject, or to take a combined honours degree involving a blend of papers from two subjects.

Postgraduate diplomas

A postgraduate diploma provides a specialist postgraduate qualification and a pathway to research study, extending the knowledge gained in a bachelor's degree. It offers students structured courses and guidance, as well as the opportunity to undertake some independent research. Students are able to focus on a preferred area of study and may begin to formalise future research plans.

Postgraduate certificates

A postgraduate certificate is generally a six-month coursework qualification that recognises continuing professional development in the same area as the candidate's original degree.

Diploma for Graduates

The Diploma for Graduates is a qualification open to graduates. Unlike a postgraduate diploma, which involves 400-level papers, the Diploma for Graduates typically involves undergraduate papers (that is, papers at 100-, 200- and 300-level).

The Diploma for Graduates comes in two forms. In its flexible form, the diploma is intended for graduates who wish to broaden their undergraduate background, and any combination of subjects that constitutes an academically feasible and justifiable programme of study is permitted, provided that the chosen combination includes enough points at 300-level.

The endorsed form of the Diploma for Graduates identifies a subject of specialisation and requires that papers be concentrated in that subject. Since the endorsed Diploma for Graduates is approximately equivalent to a new major subject, it is often used as a bridge to postgraduate study.

otago.ac.nz/postgraduate

**Junjing (Mike)
Huang**
China
Bachelor of Physiotherapy

“It is a modern, learning-friendly place, with staff that are humorous, knowledgeable, and always happy to help students.”



A visit to New Zealand in 2015 was the first step in bringing Mike Huang to study in New Zealand. Having worked as a paediatrician for 13 years in China, the second step was his growing interest in the field of paediatric physiotherapy.

When it came to choosing a university in New Zealand, Otago was his first choice.

“The University of Otago has a very good reputation and high rankings in health sciences and physiotherapy so I decided to apply for the physiotherapy course.”

Mike is thoroughly enjoying his experience at Otago.

“It is exciting to study here. It is a great place with a long history and a beautiful campus. Students and staff are very nice. They are very friendly and respect people from different cultural backgrounds, so it is easy to make new friends and you won’t feel lonely.”

He has also had very good experiences with his “approachable and helpful” lecturers and tutors.

“It is a modern, learning-friendly place, with staff that are humorous, knowledgeable, and always happy to help students.

“It’s easy to make an appointment and meet them during work hours. They always help me out.”

When asked what he believes are the ‘stand out’ features of living and studying at Otago he says there are many – “you can choose to be quiet and peaceful or you can be active and passionate.”

Mike smiles when he describes campus life as “pretty colourful”.

“There are a variety of clubs and societies to enrich your life.”

His advice to students coming to study at Otago – “all you need to do is just be yourself and enjoy it!”



The world in which we live and conduct business is changing, and it's changing fast! The leaders of tomorrow, our future entrepreneurs, and those that help the wheels of commerce turn, will face economic, social and environmental issues that, in many cases, we are only just beginning to tackle. They will also develop solutions to currently unknown issues that humanity will face. The future is exciting, and also challenging,

We are an Asia-Pacific leader in business education and research and hold dual European Quality Improvement System (EQUIS) and Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB) accreditation status, ensuring our qualifications are globally portable and internationally recognised.

UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES

The Otago Business School's Bachelor of Commerce (BCom) is a three-year degree incorporating a "core" set of compulsory papers that provide a general overview to business education and complement your selected major area/s of study. The BCom offers nine different majors:

- Accounting: the art and science of measuring, interpreting and communicating financial information.
- Economics: teaching you how individuals, governments, firms and nations make decisions when allocating scarce resources to satisfy our unlimited wants.
- Finance: managing money and capital expenditures in the real world and making practical financial decisions that can lead to loss or gain.
- Human Resource Management: gain the knowledge and skills necessary to strategically manage the performance of people in contemporary workplaces and to work within the legal framework in New Zealand.

- Information Science: learn about information and how it is used by people within organisations.
- International Business: study a combination of business, language and culture subjects giving you an excellent knowledge base to work internationally.
- Management: become a strong leader, and gain an understanding of organisations and the employees within them.
- Marketing: learn how to effectively market products and services with teaching based on the latest research.
- Philosophy, Politics and Economics (PPE): combine the analytical reasoning of philosophers, the social insight of politics, and the methodical rigour of economists.
- Tourism: gain the insights and knowledge you need to play a key role in the exciting global travel and tourism industry.

Your BCom can also include a minor in a different subject, or you are able to complete two majors. Some disciplines within the Business School, such as Information Science and Economics, are offered as a Business degree as well as Science or Humanities degrees. This provides you with the flexibility to focus your studies in an area that best matches your long-term career aspirations.

otago.ac.nz/undergrad-business



The Department of Accountancy and Finance is a CFA Programme Partner (only 125 universities in the world have this status).

Dual AACSB and EQUIS accreditation.



Entrepreneurial competitions and business creation support.

The Business School hosts its own Bloomberg Financial Terminal.



Top-ranked MBA programme.



The Department of Tourism hosts a World Leisure Centre of Excellence.



Student exchange partner with 50+ business schools in over 30 countries.

POSTGRADUATE STUDY

Postgraduate study at the Otago Business School offers you the opportunity to gain advanced qualifications in your chosen business field. You will have access to research-informed teaching and supervision by acknowledged leaders in their fields, vital to ensuring your qualification will be acknowledged internationally as being of the highest quality. Postgraduate students enrolling in a taught programme will also benefit from small discussion-based classes.

Research excellence

The School has a host of internationally recognised scholars who teach and research in the areas of Accountancy, Economics, Entrepreneurship, Finance, Human Resource Management, Hospitality, Information Science, International Business, Management, Marketing and Tourism.

The School maintains its connection and engagement with the real world of business by continually delivering its research findings to the national and international business communities.

otago.ac.nz/business/research

Qualifications

The Otago Business School offers internationally accredited postgraduate qualifications for business and non-business graduates both in research and practical applications. Our range of postgraduate business qualifications – from honours degrees, postgraduate diplomas and coursework masters', to research masters' and PhDs – enable you to tailor your study options to suit your own specific educational or professional needs. Some qualifications require a background or undergraduate degree in a particular discipline, whereas others don't. We can assist you to specialise to a high level, undertake professional development, or change careers.

Our flagship programme, the Otago MBA (offered on-campus or online) is consistently ranked by international review agencies as being amongst the best, and our Doctor of Business Administration (DBA) offers a combination of distance learning and on-campus workshops from the University of Otago and from Shanghai Jiao Tong University in China. For a full list of qualifications, see pages 60-61 or visit our website:

otago.ac.nz/postgrad-business

Facilities and support

The School hosts a Bloomberg Financial Terminal – providing up-to-the-minute financial data from around the globe. Our Visiting Executive Programme (VEP) provides regular seminars presented by leading executives from organisations such as the Reserve Bank of New Zealand, New Zealand Trade and Enterprise, World Vision, and other successful national and international companies and organisations.

Individual departments also frequently present seminars on a wide range of topics. You are encouraged to attend, participate and develop interdisciplinary links, both within the School and with visiting international colleagues.

The Audacious competition and The Distiller aim to help launch student-run businesses. Audacious also provides seminars, workshops and a business coach, and The Distiller is a space where you can mix with likeminded students and entrepreneurs.





HEALTH SCIENCES

The University of Otago is New Zealand's longest-established health sciences research and teaching institution. It is the only New Zealand university to offer a degree in Dentistry, and one of only two to offer degrees in Pharmacy, Medicine and Physiotherapy.

The University of Otago has an outstanding history and reputation in the field of Health Sciences, and in the 2017 QS World Rankings placed 66th in the world for life sciences and medicine. It provides research-based undergraduate, postgraduate and professional courses of international standard in health and related sciences.

selection is based upon the grades achieved in the HSFY programme and, in some cases, an aptitude test and an interview.

Prior to commencing study at the University of Otago, applicants are strongly advised to contact the International Office for guidance regarding entry opportunities to the professional programmes. It is important that students are familiar with the regulations for these programmes if wishing to compete for a place in one or more of them. Regulations for these programmes can be found at

otago.ac.nz/healthsciences

UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES

Whether you are planning to use your Health Sciences degree as a base for a professional career as a researcher or specialist, or a job related to the health science field, the University of Otago offers a range of courses to suit.

The Health Sciences First Year programme comprises seven compulsory papers:

Professional programmes

The Division of Health Sciences offers the following professional programmes:

- Medicine (MB ChB)
- Dental Surgery (BDS)
- Medical Laboratory Science (BMLSc)
- Pharmacy (BPharm)
- Physiotherapy (BPhy)

- BIOC 192 Foundations of Biochemistry
- CELS 191 Cell and Molecular Biology
- CHEM 191 The Chemical Basis of Biology and Human Health
- POPH 192 Population Health
- HUBS 191 Human Body Systems I
- HUBS 192 Human Body Systems II
- PHSI 191 Biological Physics

Health Sciences First Year (HSFY) is a foundation year for all five professional programmes, and it must be your first year of tertiary study. Entry into the second year of each of these degrees is competitive and



Internationally recognised clinical and research excellence in health and biomedical sciences.

New Zealand's longest-established Health Sciences research and teaching institution.

Hands-on laboratory-based learning and clinical placements throughout NZ.



Opportunity to contribute to the improvement of health outcomes in NZ and globally.



Teaching by academics and clinicians at the forefront of their areas of expertise.

Wide range of professional qualifications leading to careers as medical practitioners, dentists, pharmacists, physiotherapists, nurses and medical laboratory scientists, alongside extensive biomedical sciences research pathways.

Other Health Sciences degrees

The Health Sciences Division also offers bachelors' degrees in Oral Health (BOH) and Dental Technology (BDentTech).

HSFY is useful preparation but not required for entry into these restricted programmes.

Otago's strength in biomedical sciences offers numerous opportunities for study in the biological sciences. Specific programme options include the Bachelor of Biomedical Sciences (BBIomedSc) and Bachelor of Science (BSc) in one of the biological majors, including Anatomy, Biochemistry, Genetics, Microbiology and Immunology, Neuroscience, and Pharmacology.

You are not required to have completed the HSFY programme to enrol for these programmes, but HSFY can be used as your first year for them.

The Division also offers a Bachelor of Health Sciences (BHealSc) with majors in Community Health Care, Māori Health, Pacific and Global Health, or Public Health. This is a three-year degree for those who want to work with patients and communities to promote health and access to health-related information in roles such as case managers or care co-ordinators in the healthcare system.

otago.ac.nz/undergrad-healthsci

POSTGRADUATE STUDY

The Division of Health Sciences offers postgraduate students a wealth of world-class opportunities that are supported by top-class supervisors, and supportive, internationally recognised research environments. Working in some of New Zealand's highest ranked university academic departments, the ratio of high-quality staff to postgraduate students is high, ensuring a challenging and rewarding experience.

Research excellence

The Division hosts many significant research collaborations including two National Science Challenges: Ageing Well and Healthier Lives, and the newly established Genomics Aotearoa – a new national science platform supporting advanced genomics research. Our neuroscience researchers also contribute to Brain Research New Zealand, a nationally recognised Centre of Research Excellence (CoRE).

The Division also houses flagship research centres in oral health, neuroendocrinology, cardiac research, public health, cancer research, diabetes and obesity, infectious diseases and global health.

Qualifications

The University of Otago's Health Sciences postgraduate programmes cover a wide range of subject areas and disciplines including the Health Sciences, Dentistry, Medicine, Pharmacy and Physiotherapy areas. Study is spread across our three campuses in Christchurch, Wellington and Dunedin.

For a full list of qualifications, see page 61 or visit our website:

otago.ac.nz/postgrad-healthsci

Facilities and support

Otago's Health Sciences researchers are very successful in gaining research funding from competitive external sources such as the Health Research Council of New Zealand. This means that students have access to excellent resources and cutting-edge facilities, equipment and services, all of which are available for use in postgraduate research projects.

Highly trained staff are on hand to assist with all techniques including bioinformatics and biostatistics. We have world-class facilities for imaging, histology, protein science, cell analysis, live imaging, behavioural analysis and motion analysis. We also have facilities for PC2 and 3 containment for plants, animals (including Zebrafish, rodents, amphibians and insects) and microorganisms (including human pathogens).



HUMANITIES

Humanities study at Otago offers intellectually curious students who are interested in people and cultures opportunities to gain a global perspective.

We provide a wide range of programmes in the social sciences, law, humanities and the creative and performing arts.

Many students come to Otago to study Humanities because of their love of a subject such as English, Classics, History or a language. Others want to try something new, and find that they become passionate about new subjects, such as Anthropology, Philosophy or Politics. We help students investigate the human world, what it means to be human, and how human beings relate to their diverse and changing environments.

Humanities scholars investigate how people think and act. They ask why individuals and societies behave in certain ways. They learn from the past and ask questions about how people are likely to behave in the future.

Humanities graduates are also highly employable: only three years after graduating, 95% of Humanities students are employed in careers related to their training.

Humanities subjects and departments at Otago enjoy a first-rate reputation, both nationally and internationally. In the 2018 QS World University Rankings Otago secured top 100 faculty rankings for arts and humanities, with eight subject areas ranked in the top 100 institutions in the world.

UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES

The Division of Humanities covers a broad range of subject areas and professional programmes with the following Bachelor degrees.

- **Bachelor of Arts:** Otago’s most flexible undergraduate degree programme, enabling students to study from a selection of more than 40 arts and social science subjects.
- **Bachelor of Arts and Science:** an exciting new degree that enables students to major in both the Arts and Sciences.
- **Bachelor of Laws:** providing an excellent grounding in such skills as analysing, decision making, negotiation, researching and forming legal arguments.
- **Bachelor of Music:** covering unique combinations including classical music, contemporary rock music, studio production, composition, music technology and world music.
- **Bachelor of Performing Arts:** pursue a career in a wide range of dance, musical/theatrical forms and styles, as well as in musical and theatrical education, media, and other related fields.
- **Bachelor of Social Work:** enabling people to develop their potential, promote their human rights and pursue social justice.
- **Bachelor of Teaching:** providing the initial step for teachers on the road of lifelong professional learning.
- **Bachelor of Theology:** Christianity has been a major force in the development of western civilization, shaping the world we live in today. Studying Theology helps students come to an informed understanding of the Christian faith.



Otago's Arts and Humanities faculty is ranked in the top 100 worldwide.
QS World University Rankings (2018).

Otago has an extremely flexible Arts degree that can be tailored to individual students' needs.

Eight Humanities subject areas are ranked in the top 100 internationally.
QS World University Rankings (2018).



95% of Humanities graduates are employed in careers related to their training.



Humanities' leading position in research excellence in New Zealand is confirmed by the Government's research quality assessment (PBRF rankings).

Otago Humanities lecturers are regular recipients of National Teaching Awards.

The Division also offers the following separate, recognised and endorsed qualifications: the Diploma in Language (DipLang) which is for students who wish to complete a programme of study in one of the five core languages taught in the Department of Languages and Cultures: Chinese, French, German, Japanese and Spanish; and the Diploma in Global Cultures (DipGlobalC) which offers a wide range of project-focused interdisciplinary courses that develop global perspectives and cross-cultural communication skills.

otago.ac.nz/undergrad-humanities

POSTGRADUATE STUDY

The Division offers a comprehensive range of postgraduate options and, in a typical year, has around 500 students enrolled for higher degrees by thesis. There is also a growing number of students studying towards specialised masters' degrees by coursework.

Research excellence

The New Zealand Government's 2012 Performance Based Research Fund (PBRF) quality evaluation confirmed the research strengths of the Division of Humanities at Otago. The following subject areas were ranked either first or second in the country: Anthropology and Archaeology; Education; History, Art History and Classics; Law; Philosophy; Sociology,

Gender and Social Work; and Theology and Religious Studies. The Division also hosts six of the top 12 nominated academic units within the University.

Research Centres, Themes and Clusters

Humanities researchers are involved in collaborative, multi-disciplinary research with colleagues and institutions within the University, nationally and internationally. Our range of research centres, themes and clusters reflects the strength and diversity of these collaborations.

The Centre for Research on Colonial Culture and the Centre for Sustainability are formally recognised and supported University "flagship" Research Centres; and the Performance of the Real, Poutama Ara Rau and Centre for Global Migrations are University Research Themes.

The Division's rich research culture also includes the National Centre for Peace and Conflict Studies; the centre for Artificial Intelligence and Public Policy; the Centre for Theology and Public Issues; the Legal Issues Centre; the Centre for Law and Emerging Technologies; the Children's Issues Centre; the Centre for Distance Education and Learning Technologies; the Centre for Educational Leadership and Administration; the Centre for the Book; and the Centre for Irish and Scottish Studies.

Qualifications

The Division of Humanities offers a wide range of postgraduate qualifications across many subject areas and disciplines. These include honours degrees, postgraduate certificates and diplomas, coursework masters' degrees, research masters' degrees and PhDs.

For a full list of qualifications, see page 56 or visit our website:

otago.ac.nz/postgrad-humanities

Facilities and support

The library and gallery resources for Humanities students – both on-campus and in the wider Dunedin area – are impressive. The University's Central Library and Robertson Library contain more than 2.8 million items (including print and electronic journals). Of particular note is the Hocken Collections, one of the foremost historical research libraries in New Zealand.

Dunedin also offers other excellent resources of interest to Humanities students in the Otago Museum, Toitū Otago Settlers Museum, the Dunedin Public Art Gallery and the Dunedin office of Archives New Zealand, all within a short distance of the campus.

In addition to work undertaken in New Zealand, the Division also has fieldwork sites throughout the Pacific and all over the world.



SCIENCES

The Division of Sciences has research and teaching strengths in fundamental and applied sciences, human performance and health, and in environmental sciences. It offers several disciplines unique to Otago and hosts a number of nationally and internationally acclaimed research centres.

Studying Science at Otago gives you the opportunity to participate and learn in an environment where cutting-edge research projects are under way all the time. It's an environment that has earned us our international reputation.

We have world-leading researchers and teachers, as well as unique field sites for environmental sciences. Our research and teaching facilities are state of the art, but you can't beat having the deep ocean as your lab, or classes taught under the trees of one of the world's most beautiful campuses.

UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES

As well as our cornerstone Bachelor of Science, Bachelor of Applied Science and Bachelor of Arts and Science degrees with their large assortment of majors, you may also be interested in our professional degrees, or programmes that cut across normal departmental structures.

Biology-related subjects

Biology is the science of life. It covers the study of living organisms and their morphology, physiology, anatomy, behaviour, origin and distribution. At undergraduate level the Division of Sciences offers 25 different majors in biological sciences.

Chemistry-related subjects

Chemistry is the study of matter, its properties, how and why substances combine or separate to form other substances, and how substances interact with energy. At undergraduate level the Division of Sciences offers 15 different science majors related to chemistry.

Mathematics-related subjects

Mathematics is the abstract science of number, quantity, and space, either as abstract concepts or as applied to other disciplines such as physics and engineering. Statistics is the science of collecting and analysing numerical data in large quantities. At undergraduate level the Division of Sciences offers 19 different majors related to mathematics and statistics.

Physics-related subjects

Physics is the study of the nature and properties of matter and energy. Studying physics includes investigating; mechanics, heat, light and other radiation, sound, electricity, magnetism, and the structure of atoms. At undergraduate level the Division of Sciences offers 15 different majors related to physics.



School of Physical Education, Sport and Exercise Sciences ranked 12th in the world QS World University Rankings (2018).

Otago is home to the National School of Surveying.

Internationally renowned Dunedin Study awarded New Zealand's most valuable science honour, the Prime Minister's Science Prize.

State-of-the-art teaching facilities.



Department of Psychology gained the highest score of any academic department in New Zealand in the most recent (2012) PBRF evaluation.

Two national centres of research excellence (CoREs): the Dodd-Walls Centre for Photonic and Quantum Technologies and Brain Research New Zealand *Rangahau Roro Aotearoa* (co-hosted with Auckland).

Physical Education

There are likely to be significant changes for new and returning students in 2019. We hope to have information on the anticipated new programmes in July 2018 and we will be holding regular update sessions throughout 2018. The latest information and FAQs can be found at otago.ac.nz/sopeses/news/otago670686.html

Surveying

The four-year Bachelor of Surveying degree produce graduates skilled in the science of measurement, in the practical issues of land planning and development, and in the legal issues associated with land ownership and resource management. otago.ac.nz/undergrad-sciences

POSTGRADUATE STUDY

The Division of Sciences is home to many proven research leaders who, through their passion and capability, have created a thriving research environment across every department and programme; this in turn attracts and inspires postgraduate students drawn to the very best research opportunities.

Research excellence

The School of Physical Education, Sport and Exercise Sciences has been ranked 12th in the QS World University Rankings; and the Department of Psychology gained the highest score of any academic department in New Zealand in the most recent (2012) PBRF evaluation. And, while top researchers with novel concepts are the stars, postgraduate students are the engine room of research, developing their own components of a greater whole. Otago's outstanding research performance enriches a broad range of high-quality postgraduate programmes spanning the fundamental sciences, applied science and multidisciplinary curricula in the ecological and environmental sciences and neuroscience.

Qualifications

At postgraduate level the Division of Sciences has a very wide range of qualifications available – some designed as professional development for people in the workforce and some offering a high level of specialisation within a particular discipline. For a full list of qualifications, see page 56 or visit our website: otago.ac.nz/postgrad-sciences

Facilities and support

Interdisciplinary research themes and research centres generate novel research topics, recognising the cutting-edge science that happens at the interface between disciplines. Centres and themes focus on active earth processes, ecology, lasers and applications, memory, polar environments, photonics and ultra-cold atoms, ocean and climate change, energy, and obesity, with strong affiliations to research in other areas of the University.

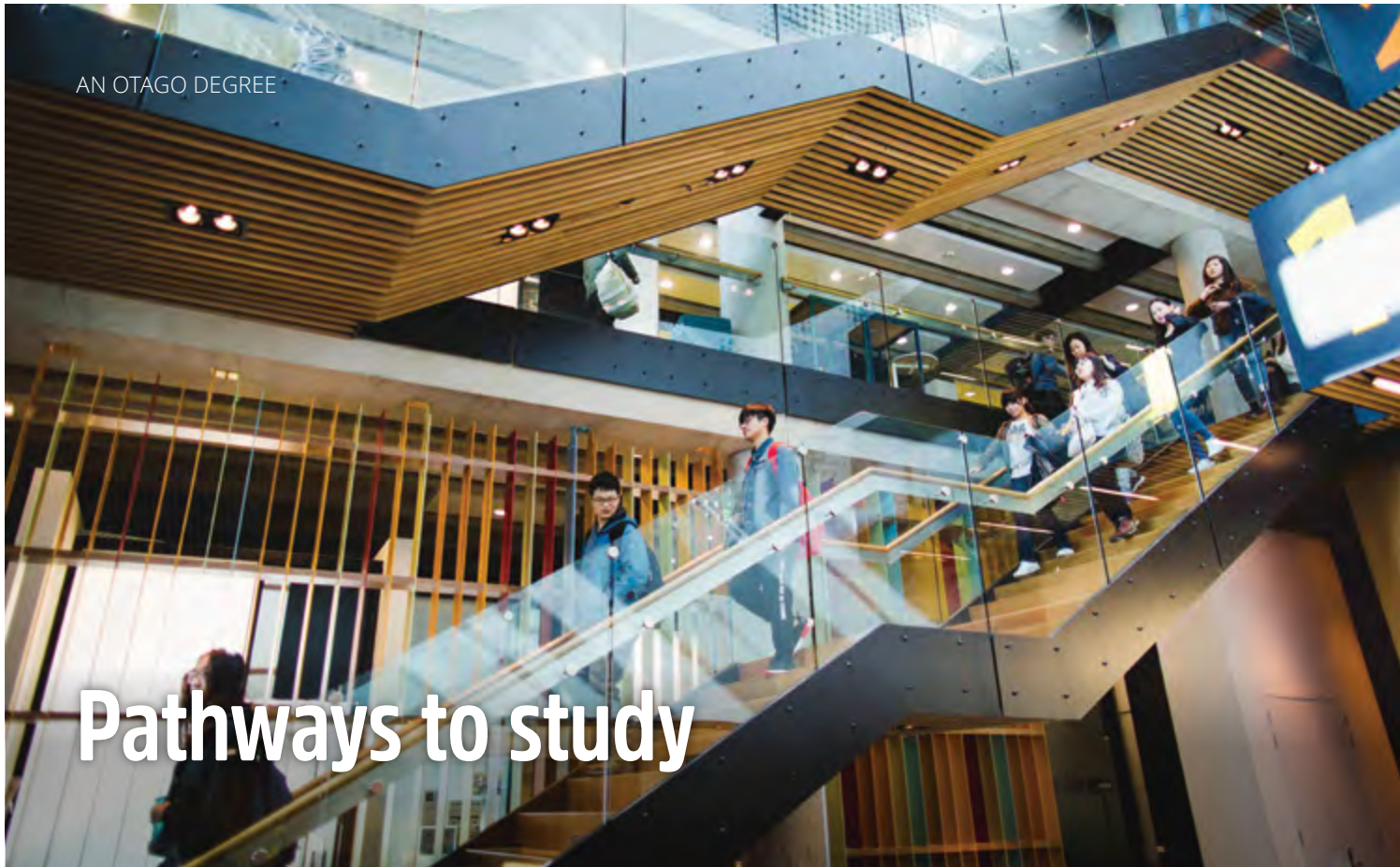
Signal ICT Graduate School



SIGNAL is a collaboration of the South Island's top tertiary providers: Ara Institute of Canterbury, Lincoln University, Otago Polytechnic, the University of Canterbury and the University of Otago who are focused on growing New Zealand's professional IT workforce.

If you already have a degree (in any discipline), and want to transition to an IT role in New Zealand – then SIGNAL's Shift programme is for you. This nine month, immersive Graduate Diploma includes real-world project work and internships with South Island industry leaders.

For more information, visit the Signal website: signal.ac.nz/programmes/shift/



Pathways to study

To help students achieve their goal of studying at Otago, the University of Otago Language Centre and Foundation Year (UOLCFY) offers a pathway for students to meet the entrance requirements for undergraduate or postgraduate study. It also provides excellent preparation for academic study at the University of Otago.

UNIVERSITY OF OTAGO LANGUAGE CENTRE (UOLC)

UOLC offers English language tuition for students and provides the ideal pathway to university study.

General English

UOLC offers five levels of English tuition from elementary to advanced. Class sizes have an average of 12 students with a maximum of 18 students. There are 23 hours of tuition each week.

English for Academic Purposes (EAP)

This programme prepares you specifically for study at an English-speaking University. The aim is to help you become confident in using the conventions of academic English as required for tertiary study and to develop the skills needed for independent learning.

EAP does not offer a pathway to Foundation Year or to the University of Otago, but it provides good preparation for the English for Otago programme.

English for Otago (EFO)

This programme offers a pathway for students to meet the English language requirements for undergraduate or postgraduate study at the University of Otago. EFO provides excellent preparation for academic study in an English-speaking environment. There are two programmes for both undergraduate and postgraduate study starting in February and October each year.

International English Examinations

UOLC is a registered test centre for the International English Language Testing System (IELTS), Cambridge Mainsuite ESOL, Internet-Based Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL iBT), Test of English for International Communication (TOEIC) and Occupational English Test (OET) examinations.

IELTS and TOEIC preparation classes are offered at UOLC as part of the General English programme for students of an intermediate level or above.

UNIVERSITY OF OTAGO FOUNDATION YEAR (UOFY)

The University of Otago Foundation Year offers two 13-week semester programmes. Students who successfully complete the 26 week programme, consisting of 10 papers, are awarded the Foundation Studies Certificate. This certificate guarantees students entry to their chosen University of Otago first-year course (except those with limited intakes) and is recognised by all New Zealand universities as an entrance qualification.

Students may study any one of the four academic streams which align with the four University of Otago academic divisions:

- Business/Commerce
- Health Science
- Arts/Humanities
- Science/Applied Science/Life Science.

Students wishing to study Health Sciences must start in either February or June. All other students may start in any of the three intakes: February to October; June to February; and October to June.

To be admitted into Foundation Year students must meet the English language and academic requirements. If they do not meet these requirements they are able to complete a General English and/or Bridging Programme as a pathway to Foundation Year.



The University of Otago Plaza, a purpose-built educational facility that houses the University of Otago Language Centre and Foundation Year.

The Bridging Programme is a six-week course designed to increase their chances of success in the Foundation Year programme.

Lectures and laboratories are held on campus in university facilities alongside undergraduate classes. Foundation Year tutorials are taught in the dedicated, state-of-the-art University Plaza building situated on the university campus. Maximum class size is 18 students. Weekly one-on-one consultations are an integral part of the programme.

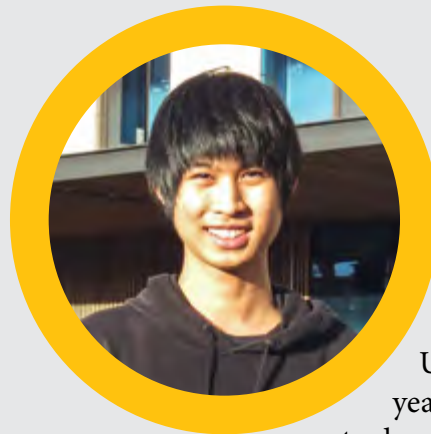
Student services

Students in the UOLCFY are offered full student support services, a comprehensive orientation and a weekly programme of student activities and events.

A student ID card gives access to University of Otago resources including libraries, 24-hour computer suite; modern gymnasias at Unipol, student health, clubs and societies, student cafés and provides discounts on shopping, entertainment and travel. A homestay placement service arranges quality homestay accommodation for all students.

Further information, including tuition, homestay and other costs, can be viewed at:

otago.ac.nz/uolcfy



“I am studying in the Science stream of the University of Otago Foundation Year. I intend to stay at the University for five years, as I am planning to do a Bachelor of Arts and Science degree, and then a Master of Teaching and Learning. The University is an ideal mixture of serious study and a fun social atmosphere. Everyone is friendly, helpful and willing to listen to what you have to say, so there is no fear of holding back your thoughts.”

Geraldi Ryan
Indonesia

Foundation Year student

Otago Global Student Exchange

The University of Otago has formal exchange agreements with many institutions worldwide, allowing for the reciprocal exchange of students. Further information is available at: otago.ac.nz/student-exchange

If you are enrolled at an institution listed below, please contact your home institution's international office for further information on selection procedures. If your university does not have an exchange agreement with the University of Otago, you are welcome to apply as a study abroad student:

otago.ac.nz/study-abroad

ARGENTINA	Pontificia Universidad Católica Argentina	ICELAND	University of Iceland
AUSTRALIA	La Trobe University (Indigenous)	INDIA	Indian Institute of Management Ahmedabad
	Melbourne University (Indigenous)	IRELAND	University College Dublin, National University of Ireland and Lochlann Quinn School of Business
	University of Western Australia		Università Commerciale Luigi Bocconi
AUSTRIA	Wirtschaftsuniversität Wien	ITALY	Hirosaki University
BELGIUM	Catholic University of Louvain (Business School)	JAPAN	Hokkaido University
BRAZIL	Fundação Getúlio Vargas (FGV-EAESP)		Keio University
	Pontificia Universidade Católica do Rio de Janeiro		Kyoto University
BRUNEI	Universiti Brunei Darassalam		Ochanomizu University
CANADA	Brock University		Otaru University of Commerce
	Dalhousie University		Rissho University
	McGill University		University of Tokyo
	Memorial University of Newfoundland (Indigenous)		Yokohama National University
	Mt Allison University	MEXICO	Instituto Tecnológico Autónomo de México (ITAM)
	Queen's University		Universidad Veracruzana
	University of Alberta	NORWAY	University of Bergen
	University of British Columbia	POLAND	Warsaw School of Economics
	University of Toronto	PORTUGAL	Universidade Nova de Lisboa, Faculdade de Economia
	Western University, Western Law and Richard Ivey School of Business		University of Edinburgh
	York University, Schulich School of Business	SCOTLAND	University of Glasgow
CHILE	Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile		University of Strathclyde
CHINA	Chinese University of Hong Kong	SINGAPORE	National University of Singapore
	Dalian University of Foreign Languages		Trinity Theological College
	Fudan University	SPAIN	ESADE
	Ocean University of China	SWEDEN	Universidad Complutense de Madrid
	Sun Yat-sen University, Business School		Lund University
	Tsinghua University and Tsinghua University School of Economics and Management		Stockholm School of Economics
CZECH REPUBLIC	Charles University		Umeå University
	University of Economics, Prague		Uppsala University
DENMARK	Aarhus University and Aarhus Universit School of Business and Social Sciences	SWITZERLAND	Universität St Gallen
	University of Copenhagen and Copenhagen Business School (CBS)	TAIWAN	National Taiwan Normal University
ENGLAND	Aston University, Aston Business School	THAILAND	Mahidol University, College of Management
	Durham University	THE NETHERLANDS	Erasmus University, Rotterdam School of Management
	Falmouth University		Leiden University
	University of Bristol	TURKEY	University of Amsterdam
	University of East Anglia		Graduate School of Social Sciences, of Middle East Technical University
	University of Essex	USA	Boston College
	University of Exeter		Colorado Boulder
	University of Manchester and Alliance Manchester Business School		Duke University, Fuqua School of Business MBA
FINLAND	Aalto University School of Business		Florida International University
	University of Helsinki		Indiana University, Kelley School of Business MBA
FRANCE	Grenoble Ecole de Management		Texas Tech University
	Université Jean Moulin Lyon 3		University of California (9 campuses)
	Université Joseph Fourier		University of Colorado Boulder
	Université Sorbonne Nouvelle (Paris 3)		University of Hawai'i at Manoa
GERMANY	Universität Heidelberg (Ruprecht-Karls-Universität)		University of Minnesota Carlson School of Management and Department of Food Science and Nutrition
	Universität Leipzig, Social Sciences and Philosophy		University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, UNC Kenan-Flagler School of Business and UNC MBA Programme
	Universität Tübingen		University of Oregon
	University of Cologne Faculty of Management, Economics and Social Science		University of Richmond
HONG KONG	Chinese University of Hong Kong and CUHK Faculty of Business		University of Texas and McCombs School of Business
	University of Hong Kong		University of Virginia
HUNGARY	Corvinus University of Budapest	WALES	Willamette University (Indigenous)
			Cardiff University

Khushboo Soni

India

Bachelor of Applied Science
(Forensic Analytical Science)

“Otago has made
both the living
and the learning
invigorating.”



Khushboo Soni always wanted to study forensic science and says she was excited to discover that the University of Otago offers the only forensic science undergraduate programme in New Zealand.

“I chose Otago for other reasons, too. It is renowned for its academic achievements all over the world and it provides an excellent education at a very reasonable price.”

Khushboo was awarded a New Zealand Excellence award (NZE) scholarship and is finding that there is more to Otago than a world-class academic reputation.

“I haven’t felt homesick since the day I left my home town because there is so much to do here and so many people around to help me out. People are helpful, kind-hearted and welcoming too, which is a relief for international students like me.”

The style of teaching at Otago has also been a surprise.

“It is very different to what I have experienced in the past. Even in the theoretical classes, concepts are taught in a practical way. And the labs are simply amazing!”

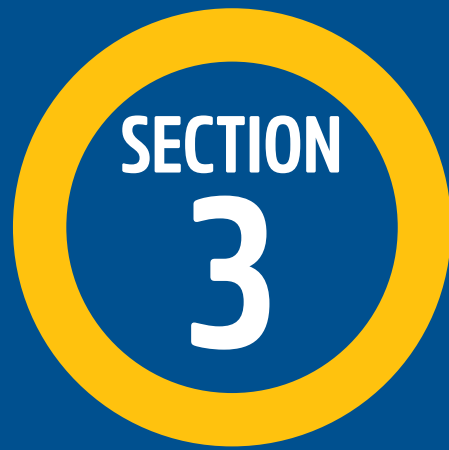
Khushboo says that the teaching staff and availability of lecturers are not only helping her to learn, but also encouraging her passion for the subjects she is studying.

“I have had a wonderful experience with the staff, they are very approachable.

“And I have found that studying is not merely learning – it is much more than that – it has become an exciting and fun task for me. Otago has made both the living and the learning invigorating.”

When asked how she would describe the University of Otago to an international student thinking of studying here she replies:

“The University of Otago is a gateway to your dreams. You will have a once in a lifetime experience with world-class facilities and faculty.”



Entrance and enrolling



A university entrance qualification is essential for admission to the University of Otago. Find out about our admission requirements and application process in this section, or contact one of our liaison team.



Important dates

Application

1 April	Applications open for accommodation for second semester
30 April	International student applications close for study beginning in second semester
31 May	Applications close for postgraduate Dentistry programmes for study beginning in the following academic year
31 July	Applications due for Master of Teaching and Learning
1 August	Applications open for first semester and full-year accommodation
31 August	Applications due for Bachelor of Teaching
15 September	Applications due for Bachelor of Oral Health, Bachelor of Dental Technology, Bachelor of Physiotherapy, Bachelor of Pharmacy, Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery, Bachelor of Medical Laboratory Science, and Bachelor of Dental Surgery
27 September	Applications for a place in a residential college should be submitted
31 October	International student applications close for study beginning in first semester

Summer School

6 January	New international students for Summer School should arrive by this date
6 January	New international student orientation
7 January	Summer School begins
16 February	Summer School examinations begin
21 February	Summer School examinations end

First semester

18 February	New international students for first semester should arrive by this date
18 – 22 February	New international student orientation
22 February	Preliminary lectures begin
25 February	First semester lectures begin
19 April	Mid-semester break begins
29 April	First semester resumes
5 June	First semester examinations begin
19 June	First semester examinations end

Second semester

1 July	New international students for second semester should arrive by this date
1 July – 5 July	International student orientation
8 July	Second semester lectures begin
24 August	Mid-semester break begins
2 September	Second semester resumes
16 October	End-of-year examinations begin
9 November	End-of-year examinations end

Entrance requirements

This section contains entrance, application and cost information for international students. International students include:

- all students who require student visas to study in New Zealand
- all individuals on New Zealand work visas enrolling for part-time study
- all students, other than New Zealand citizens, enrolled in distance-taught programmes and resident outside New Zealand.

UNDERGRADUATE ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS

International qualifications	International Baccalaureate: IB Diploma with a minimum 26 points. Cambridge International Examinations (CIE) GCE Advanced Levels: minimum Numerical Score of 8. The numerical scores are normally calculated on the best three A-Level principal subjects (excluding the General Paper) taken at one sitting, or two A-Level passes with two A-Level Subsidiary passes at one sitting. (i) Scores for the Advanced levels are calculated on the basis that: A = 5, B = 4, C = 3, D = 2, E = 1 (ii) Scores for the Advanced Subsidiary level results are calculated on the basis that: A = 2.5, B = 2, C = 1.5, D = 1, E = 0.5
African, Middle East, South American countries	One year of successful study at a recognised institution of university standing, or successful completion of a New Zealand Foundation Year programme.
Australia	Australian Year 12 qualification with a minimum ranking score of 74. This also applies to students studying Australian qualifications outside Australia.
Canada	Canadian High School Graduation with a minimum overall grade average of 70%. Ontario Secondary School Diploma (OSSD) with a minimum average of 70% in six subjects in Grade 12. The score is calculated as an average of six Grade 12 OSSD University Preparation (4U) Courses or University/College Preparation (4M) Courses. This applies to students studying OSSD outside Canada.
China	Senior High School graduation and one year of successful study in a bachelor's programme at a recognised institution of university standing; or Senior High School graduation and completion of a diploma with high passing grades at a recognised institute or university. Students with the requisite scores in Gaokao may be given direct entry to bachelor degree programmes.
Denmark	Studentereksamen (Gymnasium, HHX – Højere Handeleksamen, HTX – Højere Teknisk Eksamen) or Højere Forberedelseseksamen.
Fiji	Minimum of 270/400 (including English) in the Year 13 Certificate Examination. The score represents the total of the best three academic subjects plus English. No subject should be below 50%.
France	Baccalauréat Général.
Germany	Abitur/Zeugnis der Allgemeine Hochschulreife/Faehhochschulreife.
Hong Kong	Completion of the Hong Kong Diploma of Secondary Education (HKDSE) with achievement at Level 4 or higher in English and at least two elective subjects, and Level 3 or higher in two other subjects (excluding Chinese language).
Hungary	Érettségi.
India	Minimum overall average of 75% in the All India Senior School Examination (CBSE) or Indian School Certificate Examination (CISCE) with a minimum of 70% in English. The scores are calculated on the best four academic subjects excluding local languages and non-academic subjects. One year of successful study at a recognised institution of university standing, or successful completion of a New Zealand Foundation Year programme.
Indonesia	One year of successful study at a recognised institution of university standing, or successful completion of a New Zealand Foundation Year programme.
Israel	Bagrut (Matriculation) or Mechina.
Japan	One year of successful study at a recognised institution of university standing; or completion of a junior college diploma of two or three years' duration.

ENTRANCE AND ENROLLING

Malaysia	<p>Minimum of three Sijil Tinggi Persekolahan Malaysia (STPM) "Principle Passes" with a minimum grade of 2.7. All passes must be gained in one sitting.</p> <p>The grade point average is normally calculated on the best three STPM principal subjects (excluding the General Paper) taken at one sitting: A = 4, A- = 3.67, B+ = 3.33, B = 3.0, B- = 2.67, C+ = 2.33, C = 2.0, C- = 1.67, D+ = 1.33, D = 1.0.</p> <p>A maximum of 15 points over six academic subjects, including one of Advanced Mathematics, Physics or Chemistry, in the Senior Middle III Examination (UEC) of the Malaysian Independent Chinese Secondary Schools System.</p> <p>Malaysian Matrikulasi Certificate with appropriate grades.</p>
Netherlands	VWO-Gymnasium A or B; VWO-Atheneum A or B.
New Zealand	<p>New Zealand National Certificate of Educational Achievement (NCEA) Level 3 with 14 credits at Level 3 or higher in each of three subjects from the approved list. You must also meet the following literacy and numeracy requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Literacy: 10 credits at Level 2 or above in standards from the specified list, with at least 5 credits in Reading and 5 credits in Writing. You cannot use IELTS, TOEFL or similar test. • Numeracy: 10 credits at Level 1 or above, made up of achievement standards, or a package of three numeracy units or standards (26623, 26626, 26627).. <p>Cambridge International Examinations (CIE): minimum 120 points on the UCAS tariff with a grade of D or better at AS and/or A level in syllabuses from at least three different syllabus groups, which are broadly equivalent to the NCEA approved list.</p> <p>You must also satisfy literacy and numeracy requirements, by either:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • gaining an E grade or better in any one of AS English Language, AS Literature in English or AS Language & Literature in English, and a D grade or better in IGCSE or GCSE Mathematics, or; • meeting the NCEA literacy and numeracy requirements. <p>University of Otago Foundation Year: Minimum GPA of 6.5</p>
Norway	Vitnemål for Videregående Opplæring with a minimum grade of 3.5
Samoa	A minimum of B3 (60%) average over 8 papers (including English A) in the University Preparatory Year of the National University of Samoa.
Singapore	<p>Passes at Advanced Level with a minimum grade of 8.</p> <p>Numerical scores are normally calculated on three H2 Level academic subjects taken at one sitting (excluding the General Paper); or a minimum two H2 Level academic subjects taken at one sitting and two appropriate H1 Level academic subjects.</p> <p>(i) Scores for the H2 are calculated on the basis that: A = 5, B = 4, C = 3, D = 2, E = 1</p> <p>(ii) Scores for the H1 are calculated on the basis that: A = 2.5, B = 2, C = 1.5, D = 1, E = 0.5</p> <p>Completion of a Polytechnics Diploma with appropriate grades.</p>
Sri Lanka	Three Sri Lankan A-levels. Grades are calculated on the same basis as the GCE A-levels.
Sweden	<p>Slutbetyg Från Gymnasieskolan with grades of VG or MVG.</p> <p>Examensbevis with minimum grade of C.</p>
Taiwan	One year of successful study at a recognised institution of university standing, or successful completion of a New Zealand Foundation Year programme.
Thailand	One year of successful study at a recognised institution of university standing, or successful completion of a New Zealand Foundation Year programme.
United Kingdom	<p>Three passes at Advanced Level taken at one sitting with a minimum Numerical Score of 8.</p> <p>In Scotland, appropriate passes at Higher Level are acceptable.</p> <p>BTEC National Diploma at Level 3 with appropriate passes will be considered on a case-by-case basis.</p>
USA	High School Graduation Diploma with minimum B grade average and a minimum SAT score of 1190 or a minimum ACT composite score of 24.
Vietnam	GPA of 8.0 or better in the upper secondary education graduation diploma (on completion of year 12) at a school for the gifted students.

The minimum requirement for students from many countries not listed is the completion of a high school qualification plus satisfactory completion of one year's study at an approved tertiary institution, or successful completion New Zealand Foundation Year programme. Entry requirements are constantly reviewed and the University reserves the right to amend the above requirements at any time. Selection into Health Sciences Professional Programmes is limited and occurs after the completion of Health Sciences First Year.



POSTGRADUATE ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS

General information on minimum entrance requirements for postgraduate studies is below. Please note that entrance requirements vary by course with most requiring a minimum bachelor-level qualification in the same field, and some having additional requirements such as relevant work experience and/or professional registration in New Zealand.

Special requirements for individual programmes may be listed on page 60 of this Prospectus, or visit

otago.ac.nz/postgraduate

Diploma for Graduates

Candidates with a bachelor's degree or extensive training and experience in an appropriate field may apply.

Honours degrees

A postgraduate honours degree can be taken at any time after the completion of a bachelor's degree. It is usually undertaken in the same area of study as the major subject pursued for a bachelor's degree, or in a related discipline, and requires achievement at a high academic level.

Postgraduate Certificate

A postgraduate certificate can be taken at any time after the completion of a bachelor's degree. It is usually undertaken in the same area of study as the major subject pursued for a bachelor's degree or in a related discipline.

Postgraduate Diploma

A postgraduate diploma can be taken at any time after the completion of a bachelor's degree. It is usually undertaken in the same area of study as the major subject pursued for a bachelor's degree, or in a related discipline, and requires achievement at a satisfactory academic level.

Masters' degrees

Candidates with an honours degree or postgraduate diploma may apply for master's study by thesis only. In some cases, candidates with a bachelor's degree may apply for a coursework master's degree or for a master's by coursework and thesis.

A master's degree is usually undertaken in the same area of study as the major subject pursued for a bachelor's degree, postgraduate diploma or honours degree. However, some other masters' programmes are available that require only that the candidate is a graduate and/or has appropriate work experience.

otago.ac.nz/masters

Doctor of Philosophy

Admission usually requires the completion of a master's degree, or a first-class or upper second-class honours degree in the same area of study, or a related discipline, as the intended area of research.

The PhD degree has its own admission process. Initial admission for the degree is provisional and is confirmed only after one year of satisfactory full-time study. Further information on admission requirements and the PhD regulations is available online.

otago.ac.nz/phd

ENGLISH LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS

All courses at the University of Otago are taught and examined in English. If your first language is not English, you must provide evidence of a satisfactory level of English language proficiency. You should include with your application a certified statement of results from an accepted English language test that has been taken within two years of the commencement of your proposed course.

Undergraduate English requirements

Qualification	University of Otago requirements
IELTS	IELTS score of 6.0 in the academic module (with no individual band below 6.0)
Paper-based TOEFL	Score of 550 (TWE 4.5)
Internet-based TOEFL	Score of 80 (writing 20)
Cambridge Certificate in Advanced English (CAE)	Overall score of 176 (with no individual band below 169)
Cambridge Certificate of Proficiency in English (CPE)	Overall score of 176 (with no individual band below 169)
CIE	E grade or higher in any one of AS English Language, AS Literature in English or AS Language & Literature in English; OR meeting the NCEA literacy requirements
GCE A or AS English Language, Literature in English, Language and Literature in English	Grade C or higher
GCE AS level General Paper (English)	Grade C or higher
International Baccalaureate	English at Higher or Standard level in Language A: literature, Language A: language and literature, or at Higher Level in Language B
Pearson Test of English (PTE) Academic	Overall score of 58 with no communicative skills score below 50
University of Otago Language Centre 'English for Otago', English for Undergraduate Academic Purposes (EUAP)	Grade C or higher
University of Auckland English Language Academy (ELA) pathway programmes	Successful completion of the English Pathway for Undergraduate Studies (EPUS) with a C Grade
University of Auckland Foundation Certificate in English for Academic Purposes (FCertEAP)	Successful completion of the certificate with a C Grade
Denmark	A minimum GPA of 6 in A-level English or a minimum GPA of 9 in B-level English when graduating from Upper Secondary School Diploma
Fiji	Year 13 Certificate English score of 50% or higher
Germany	B or higher in each of the four components of the University English Language Proficiency test from the English department of the home institution, or B or higher in the old DAAD test, or C1 or B2 overall in the new DAAD test
Hong Kong	Level 4 or better in English language in the Hong Kong Diploma of Secondary Education (HKDSE)
India	70% in English for the All India Senior School Certificate (CBSE) or the Indian School Certificate (CISCE)
Malaysia	GCE 'O' Level English 1119 – Grade B4 or higher
Netherlands	Grade 7 in the VWO-Gymnasium or the VWOAtheneum A or B
NCEA	10 credits at Level 2 or above in standards from the specified list, with at least 5 credits in Reading and 5 credits in Writing
Norway	Grade of 4.0 or higher in English in the student's final year of studying high school English in the Vitnemal for Videregaende Opplaering
Samoa	A score of B3 (60%) in English A in the University Foundation Certificate of the National University of Samoa
Singapore	GCE 'O' Level English – Grade C or higher or the General Paper H1 level – Grade C or higher
Sweden	A minimum grade of C (VG) in English 5 & 6 (English A & B) in the Slutbetyg/Examensbevis från Gymnasieskolan



Postgraduate English requirements

Qualification	University of Otago requirements
IELTS	Score of 6.5 in the academic module (with no individual band below 6.0)
Paper-based TOEFL	Score of 587 (TWE 4.5)
Internet-based TOEFL	Score of 95 with a minimum writing score of 22
Cambridge Certificate of Proficiency in English (CAE)	Minimum of 176
Cambridge Certificate of Proficiency in English (CPE)	Minimum of 176
Pearson Test of English (PTE) Academic	Overall score of 64 with no communicative skills score below 57
University of Otago Language Centre 'English for Otago', English for Postgraduate Academic Purposes (EPAP)	Grade C or higher
University of Auckland English Language Academy (ELA) pathway programmes	Successful completion of the English Pathway for Postgraduate Studies (EPPS) with a B Grade
University of Auckland Foundation Certificate in English for Academic Purposes (FCertEAP)	Successful completion of the certificate with a B Grade

Some undergraduate and postgraduate programmes require higher levels of achievement than the minimum requirements listed above. Students enrolling in courses leading to the Diploma for Graduates (regardless of content or endorsement) must meet the standard postgraduate English requirements.

English language preparation

If your English proficiency does not yet meet the required standard you may take pre-sessional courses in English at the University of Otago Language Centre (UOLC):

otago.ac.nz/uolcfy

The University of Otago TOEFL institution code is 9483.

How to apply

Follow this simple application process:

1 Choose your programme

Pages 56-71 list the University's undergraduate and postgraduate programmes across the four Divisions or you can visit otago.ac.nz/international. Please check the programme information on pages 56-71 for details on relevant intakes.

2 Check your programme entry requirements

Before applying to the University of Otago make sure you are eligible for entry and meet the English language requirements. See pages 41-44 of this Prospectus or visit otago.ac.nz/international

3 Submit your application online

Go online to complete an application at otago.ac.nz
The University operates an online application and enrolment system called eVision. eVision allows you to apply online and supply relevant documentation as part of the online process. You will be guided through the process as you go.

4 Application outcomes

All applications will be acknowledged and assessed for eligibility.

The application processing time can be up to:

- two to five weeks for undergraduate programmes
- three to six weeks for postgraduate coursework programmes
- two months for programmes that are research only.

Application processing times can be affected by failure to provide all required documentation.

Successful applicants will be sent a conditional or unconditional Offer of Place. You will be advised of the outcome of your application via your student portal in eVision.

5 Acceptance

Once you have accepted your Offer of Place you can:

Apply for Accommodation: Places in all University managed accommodation require an online application form. See pages 14-17 of this Prospectus for more details.

Pay your fees: Information on how to pay tuition fees is available at: otago.ac.nz/international/int_paying_fees.html

Start your Student Visa application: A good place to get information on the student visa process is here: nzready.immigration.govt.nz

6 Course enrolment

Paper selection, course approval and the declaration are all online through your student portal. You will not be able to complete the declaration until after you have arrived on campus and attended an orientation seminar (this does not apply to Distance Learning students).

7 Prepare for arrival

Book your airport shuttle and make sure you are on campus in time for the international orientation. Information for students who have accepted their offer can be found at: otago.ac.nz/international/internationalprearrivalinfo.html

DEADLINE DATES

You are encouraged to apply as early as possible in order to be sure of a place in your chosen course, and for the University to be able to assist with your accommodation arrangements well in advance of your arrival.

First semester (February)

Applications close 31 October but late applications, not requiring evaluation for credit, may be considered until 1 December.

Second semester (July)

Applications close 30 April.

Summer School (January)

Applications close 31 October.

APPOINTING AN AGENT

If you are submitting your application through an agent, you are advised to check before submission that the agent is an authorised agent of the University of Otago. A full list of authorised University agents can be found on the University's website:

otago.ac.nz/international/agents

Applications submitted through non-authorised agents will not normally be processed.

HOW TO APPLY – DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

The PhD degree has its own admission process. Initial admission for the degree is provisional and is confirmed only after one year of satisfactory full-time study.

Students should seek informal acceptance from a department and supervisor(s) before applying formally for PhD admission.

As a potential research student, you need to be well prepared, and show initiative and aptitude.

1 Visit the website

Visit the website of the academic department with which you hope to study. Many departments will have specific instructions for future PhD students.

2 Identify research interests

Identify the research interests of the relevant department(s) and individual staff members. The University has created an expertise database to help you find an academic staff member(s) who shares the same research interests as you.

otago.ac.nz/mediaexpertise

3 Develop a research topic

Develop a possible research topic that fits in with these interests (see otago.ac.nz/phd or department websites for guidance on putting together a proposal).

4 Approach a potential supervisor

In order to be considered for the programme you need to contact an academic staff member(s) directly with an introductory email.

- Attach a detailed research proposal that shows you are familiar with current literature surrounding your topic.
- Attach an up-to-date curriculum vitae.
- Provide an approximate start date.

5 Submit your application online

Once you have received confirmation that the academic staff member is willing to supervise you go online to complete an application at otago.ac.nz

6 Commence study

Applicants for research-only (thesis) programmes may commence study at any time of the year and may make application throughout the year.



Important application information

A. QUALIFICATION EVALUATION

If you are applying for study and have partially or fully completed tertiary qualifications from countries or territories **other** than those listed below, you need to provide an Educational Credentials Evaluation (ECE):

All member countries of the European Union

Australia

Canada

Fiji

Hong Kong

Japan

Malaysia

Norway

Singapore

South Africa

South Korea

Switzerland

United Kingdom

United States of America

Students who lodge their applications through one of the University's approved agents may be eligible for an exemption from an Education Credentials Evaluation (ECE). In order to be eligible for this exemption, the University requires agents to provide additional information to assist in the evaluation of an application for admission. If the information provided is deemed to be insufficient for admission purposes, the University of Otago reserves the right to request an ECE.

If an ECE is required, you must submit your qualifications to:

Education Credentials Evaluation

PO Box 514070

Milwaukee

Wisconsin 53203-3470

United States of America

Tel 1 414 289 3400

Fax 1 414 289 3411

Email Eval@ece.org

Web ece.org

You have to request and pay for the course-by-course evaluation option, with you and the University each receiving a copy of the resulting evaluation report. This evaluation is an important part of the University's admissions process, and helps to ensure that the University is admitting qualified candidates. The application form can be downloaded from the ECE website at: ece.org

Please note that your application cannot be processed until the evaluation report is received.

You will receive information about the ECE requirement as you go through the online application process.

B. APPLICATION FOR A RESEARCH-ONLY PROGRAMME (MASTER'S BY THESIS OR PhD)

Applicants for research-only study are expected to have contacted a supervisor and obtained approval in principle prior to making application. It is recommended that you first look at the website pages for the relevant department and gather as much information as possible prior to putting together a proposal for research.

General information on research study can be found at

otago.ac.nz/study/masters and otago.ac.nz/study/phd

C. CERTIFICATION OF DOCUMENTS

Official translations of original documents are required where these are not in English. If original documents are not being provided all copies should be certified/notarised by an authorised authority such as Registrar, Notary Public, Justice of the Peace or Solicitor. Failure to provide certified/notarised documents will result in a delay in the assessment of your application.



Essential information for international students

Code of Practice

The University of Otago has agreed to observe and be bound by the Education (Pastoral Care of International Students) Code of Practice 2016. Copies of the code are available on request from the University of Otago or from the New Zealand Ministry of Education website.

minedu.govt.nz

Student visa

You need to be granted a student visa before entering New Zealand and continue to hold a valid student visa throughout your enrolment period at the University of Otago. Full details of student visa requirements are available from Immigration New Zealand. If you are already in New Zealand on a student visa, and you wish to renew it, you may be able to do this on campus through the International Office.

immigration.govt.nz/study

If you're planning on bringing your spouse/partner and/or children with you to New Zealand, they will need to apply for an appropriate visa based on their circumstances.

immigration.govt.nz/joinfamily

Work rights

International students may be granted work rights of up to 20 hours a week during the academic year and full time during all scheduled holidays and/or during the summer holiday period. Visa conditions do not restrict the number of hours that research masters' or doctoral programme students may work.

On completion of your University of Otago qualification you may be eligible to apply for the 12 month Post Study Work Visa - Open. If you obtain an offer of full-time employment in the same area as your qualification you may subsequently apply for the Post Study Work Visa - Employer Assisted.

Please check your eligibility at immigration.govt.nz/work

Medical and travel insurance

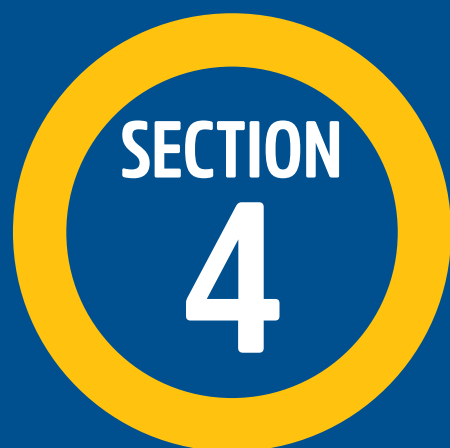
All international students are required to have comprehensive health and travel insurance while in New Zealand. The University of Otago's recommended policy is Studentsafe Inbound University. When you enrol you will automatically be covered by Studentsafe, and the insurance premium will be added to your student account. Further details are available on our website including information on using an alternative insurance policy.

otago.ac.nz/international/healthcare.html

Accident insurance


The Accident Compensation Corporation provides accident insurance for all New Zealand citizens, residents and temporary visitors to New Zealand, but you may still be liable for all other medical and related costs. Further information can be viewed on the ACC Website.

acc.co.nz



Programmes

and fees



Otago offers more than 195 undergraduate and postgraduate programmes. In this section you can learn about the programmes on offer, how long they take to complete, when you can start, and how much they cost.



International students can apply for more than \$15 million worth of scholarships

Scholarships

Undergraduate entrance scholarships

New Frontiers scholarships

New Frontiers undergraduate entrance scholarships (see below) are open to international students who have completed year 12 and have completed or are in the process of completing year 13 at a New Zealand secondary school; or have completed or are completing a Foundation Year at a New Zealand institution; or have completed A Levels, IB, or ATAR; or obtain permission from the Director International (for all other international pre-university and matriculation programmes).

These scholarships are for students who do not have another University of Otago Entrance Scholarship (except the University of Otago Dux Scholarship), have not previously been admitted to the University of Otago, and who are planning to undertake their first year of undergraduate study at first-year level. To be eligible, students must intend to commence and maintain a full-time, full-year enrolment at the University of Otago in any one (or any combination) of the following Bachelors' degrees: Applied Science, Arts, Commerce, Law, Music, Performing Arts, Science, Social Work, Surveying, Teaching, or Theology.

	Standard value (\$NZ)	Standard duration (months)	Closing date
New Frontiers (Excellence)	2,500	12	March 2019
New Frontiers (Sustained Excellence)	5,000	12	March 2019

Other entrance scholarships

The following undergraduate entrance scholarships are open to international students who have completed years 12 and 13 at a New Zealand secondary school. These scholarships are for students

who have not been previously admitted to the University of Otago and who are planning to undertake their first year of undergraduate study at first-year level.

	Standard value (\$NZ)	Standard duration (months)	Closing date
Academic Excellence	Up to 45,000	36	15 August 2018
Alumni	6,000	12	15 August 2018
Donna-Rose McKay	6,000	12	15 August 2018
Dux	Up to 6,000	12	15 August 2018
Leaders of Tomorrow	6,000	12	15 August 2018
Māori and Pacific Peoples'	10,000	12	15 August 2018
Performance	16,000	36	15 August 2018

Application procedure

For students who have completed year 12 and have completed or are in the process of completing year 13 at a New Zealand secondary school, the 'apply now' button for Undergraduate Entrance Scholarships will be available on the home page of your eVision portal after you have completed the first three stages of enrolment at the University of Otago (personal details, contact details and educational background). For more information on the Undergraduate Entrance Scholarships application process, please see otago.ac.nz/entrance-scholarships

If you have completed a Foundation Year at a New Zealand institution; or have completed an international qualification such as A Levels, International Baccalaureate, or ATAR; **and** have achieved excellent grades you **may** be invited to apply for a New Frontiers Scholarship. Invitations are sent to your eVision portal after you have gone through the first stages of enrolment at the University of Otago.

otago.ac.nz/entrance-scholarships
entrance.scholarships@otago.ac.nz

Postgraduate scholarships

The University offers a number of generous masters' awards and doctoral scholarships (for PhD and other doctoral-level study). These scholarships are awarded on the basis of academic merit, research ability (where applicable) and suitability within the

department. No interview is required. Students already receiving a full scholarship covering tuition fees and living costs are not usually eligible.

	Tuition fees	Annual value (\$NZ)	Duration (months)
Coursework Master's Scholarship	Partial (\$10,000)	10,000	-
International Master's Scholarship (Master's thesis)	Partial fees waiver	13,000	12
Doctoral Scholarship	Fees waiver	25,000	36
Pacific Island Doctoral Scholarship (Indigenous Pacific Island students)	Fees waiver	25,000	36
Dr Sulaiman Daud 125th Jubilee Postgraduate Scholarship (Doctoral, Malaysian students)	Fees waiver	25,000*	36
Special Health Research Scholarship (Doctoral)	Fees waiver	25,000	36

* plus additional sundry costs (e.g. partial insurance costs, establishment allowance)

Application procedure

Students can usually apply for postgraduate scholarships when they apply for admission to their chosen degree. An invitation to apply for a scholarship will be available through the eVision portal after an application for admission is made,

For further information contact the Scholarships Office at: scholarships@otago.ac.nz
otago.ac.nz/scholarships

External scholarships

New Zealand International Doctoral Research Scholarships (NZIDRS)

These scholarships, funded by the New Zealand Government through Education New Zealand, are open to all students who do not hold New Zealand or Australian residence and are awarded on the basis of academic excellence.

For further information, please see:

enz.govt.nz/support/funding/scholarships/new-zealand-international-doctoral-research-scholarships

New Zealand Excellence Awards (NZE for India)

The New Zealand Excellence Awards are partly funded by the New Zealand Universities and Education New Zealand (ENZ) and provide partial scholarships of NZ\$5,000 to Indian students for selected programmes of study in 2019.

studyinnewzealand.govt.nz/how-to-apply/scholarships/803940/new-zealand-excellence-awards

New Zealand Aid Programme scholarships

The New Zealand Government provides scholarships to citizens of some developing countries to undertake vocational training or tertiary level study in their home country, in New Zealand or in the Pacific region through the New Zealand Aid Programme. The scholarships foster and build potential leaders, as well as equipping individuals with skills and knowledge to benefit their home country.

otago.ac.nz/study/scholarships/database/

New Zealand ASEAN Scholarships

The New Zealand ASEAN Scholarships recognise New Zealand's close cultural, economic, and geographic ties with Southeast Asia. They seek to empower individuals with the knowledge, skills and qualifications to contribute to the economic, social, and political development of their region. New Zealand ASEAN Scholarships are offered for postgraduate level study only.

otago.ac.nz/international/nzd_asean.html

Student Loans for US Citizens, US Nationals, Permanent Residents, or eligible non-citizens

The University is accredited to participate in the US Federal Student Aid Loan Program and eligible US citizens are able to apply for William D. Ford Federal District Loans to fund their study. The University of Otago's US Department of Education School Code is G21568. Students intending to apply for loans should first contact the US Financial Aid section of the International Office:

us.financialaid@otago.ac.nz

Further information on individual student eligibility is available at:

otago.ac.nz/international/usfinancialaid/index.html

2019 international tuition fees

International tuition fees are detailed on the course information pages of this prospectus. The notes below provide further explanatory information on how tuition fees are charged and important policies associated with these fees.

- 1 All fees are inclusive of GST (New Zealand Goods and Services Tax).
- 2 Tuition fees do not include the student services fee.
- 3 Tuition fees do not include any of the University's administrative charges.

2019 administrative fees will be set in late 2018; please see otago.ac.nz/tuition-fees

- 4 **The tuition fees detailed on pages 56-72 provide an estimate of costs for 2019. The tuition fees listed may not represent the actual cost of a programme of study and students are liable for any fees payable over and above the estimated amount printed.** Generally, a student's total tuition is made up of the collective fees for each paper for which the student is enrolled. The subject category fee (as listed in this schedule) and the EFTS (funding equation) value will determine the fee of any paper. The actual programme fee will be affected by:
 - the enrolment for more or less than 1 EFT (a normal full-time course)
 - the inclusion of papers from different subject areas (which are at different fee rates)
 - the sequencing of enrolment in papers within the course
 - a change to the structure of the course and the availability of papers.

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 - the inclusion of papers from different subject areas (which are at different fee rates)
 - the sequencing of enrolment in papers within the course
 - a change to the structure of the course and the availability of papers.
- 5 Tuition fees are assessed each year. The fee categories are applicable only to the calendar year (January-December) in which the course is commenced. If a course of study extends for one or more semesters in a subsequent calendar year(s), the students will be required to pay the tuition fee applicable for that calendar year(s). Annual fee increases (or decreases) are expected to be modest. Under current circumstances this would be in the order of up to 5% per annum.
 - 6 An orientation programme will be held before enrolment. There will be no extra charge for participation in this programme.
 - 7 Costs for some course materials, field trips and thesis publication are not included in the quoted fees.
 - 8 The following students are normally eligible to enrol at the University of Otago under the same conditions as New Zealand students and at the same level of fees:
 - Australian citizens and permanent residents of Australia residing and studying in New Zealand for the duration of their courses of study
 - Citizens of the Cook Islands, Niue and Tokelau who are New Zealand citizens.

Australian citizens and permanent residents of Australia residing and studying outside New Zealand are required to pay full-cost international fees.

- 9 Students who have been granted study awards or scholarships by Rotary International, Commonwealth Scholarship Scheme, Fulbright Awards, or DAAD pay equivalent New Zealand fees only.
- 10 Most PhD students enrolling at a New Zealand university are eligible to pay tuition fees at the New Zealand domestic level. International PhD students must be resident in New Zealand during their studies, apart from approved temporary absences overseas for the purposes of PhD research, to be classified as domestic students.

Student services fee

The University of Otago is required by Government regulation to ensure a range of services are available to students and these are funded through the charging of the Student Services Fee.

In 2018 the Student Services Fee (GST inclusive) for Dunedin on-campus students is \$798.00.

Students whose course is delivered at the other University of Otago campuses, Wellington are charged a Student Services Fee of \$124.00 and Christchurch are charged a Student Services Fee of \$153.00, Southland campus students are charged \$134.00. Postgraduate students at these campuses are charged a Student Services Fee of \$40.83.

Students enrolled for courses taught entirely at a distance are not charged the Student Services Fee.

Fees refund and fee protection policy

Please note that policies and deadlines are subject to change. Up-to-date policies are available from the University's website.

otago.ac.nz/international/intrefundspolicy.html

Rachel Yzelman

Singapore
PhD (Geography)



“But by the end of an amazing first year ... I’d made friends, got to know my lecturers and tutors well, and found a home in Dunedin.”

Rachel Yzelman came to the University of Otago as a fresh undergraduate in 2012, only intending to stay for a year.

“The plan was to study hard and get a transfer to the University of Auckland, or to the National University of Singapore. But by the end of that amazing first year I knew I wanted to stay – I’d made friends, got to know my lecturers and tutors well, and found a home in Dunedin.”

Rachel completed her undergraduate degree (a Bachelor of Arts majoring in Geography and Sociology) before going on to do an honours degree. And she’s not stopping there – she is currently studying towards her PhD with the Department of Geography.

“I have been blessed with a University of Otago Doctoral Scholarship. It was a hard fight and required an immense amount of conviction and support to gain a high grade for my honours degree. Thankfully, with the incredible support of my supervisor, my family, friends and support team, the hard work paid off.”

Geography is where her heart lies, but it isn’t the subject alone that has led her on her path to a PhD.

“The Department of Geography’s teaching and administration staff and students, especially my supervisors Drs Sophie Bond and Douglas Hill, always go above and beyond in ensuring that I am taken care of.

“It’s more of a family feel in the department, rather than a detached business-like place. They’re all exceptionally learned individuals who are passionate in what they do. It’s been awe-inspiring and why I’ve remained at Otago for my postgraduate studies.”

It’s not only academic knowledge and experience that Rachel has gained at the University of Otago. She has also developed a sense of self-belief.

“Dr Sophie Bond is the main individual who encouraged me to strive for more, believing in my abilities when I thought I had none, and now I can hardly believe where I am.”

Programme summary

UNDERGRADUATE

QUALIFICATION	DURATION (Years)	INTAKES (S1: Semester 1 S2: Semester 2)	LOCATION	IMPORTANT INFORMATION	FEES NZ\$ per year*
Business					
Bachelor of Commerce (BCom)^	3	S1, S2	Dunedin		
Accounting					27,154
Economics					27,154
Finance					27,154
Human Resource Management					27,154
Information Science					30,851
International Business				Language / cultural papers as part of course	27,154
Management					27,154
Marketing Management					27,154
Philosophy, Politics and Economics					27,154
Tourism					27,154
Health Sciences					
Bachelor of Dental Surgery (BDS)^	5	S1	Dunedin	Competitive entry after HSFY	
Health Sciences First Year (HSFY)				Aptitude test, interview	33,539
Years 2-5 (per year)				Applications close 15 September	95,319
Bachelor of Medical Laboratory Science (BMLSc)	4	S1	Dunedin	Competitive entry after HSFY	
Health Sciences First Year (HSFY)					33,539
Years 2-4 (per year)				Applications close 15 September	38,808
Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery (MB ChB)	6	S1	Dunedin	Competitive entry after HSFY	
Health Sciences First Year (HSFY)				Aptitude test	33,539
Years 2-3 (per year)				Applications close 15 September	78,400
Years 4-6 (per year)					87,360
Bachelor of Pharmacy (BPharm)^	4	S1	Dunedin	Competitive entry after HSFY	
Health Sciences First Year (HSFY)					33,539
Years 2-4 (per year)				Additional further year required for registration Applications close 15 September	39,858
Bachelor of Physiotherapy (BPhy)^	4	S1	Dunedin	Competitive entry after HSFY	
Health Sciences First Year (HSFY)					33,539
Years 2-4 (per year)				Applications close 15 September	39,858
Bachelor of Dental Technology (BDentTech)^	3	S1	Dunedin	Competitive entry	
Year 1				Applications close 15 September	36,888
Year 2					39,475
Year 3					37,627
Bachelor of Oral Health (BOH)	3	S1	Dunedin	Competitive entry	
Year 1				Applications close 15 September	37,320
Year 2					36,352
Year 3					39,475
Bachelor of Biomedical Sciences (BBiomedSc)^	3	S1	Dunedin		32,760
Biomedical Sciences First Year (BSFY)					
Years 2-3					
Drugs and Human Health					
Functional Human Biology					

QUALIFICATION	DURATION (Years)	INTAKES (S1: Semester 1 S2: Semester 2)	LOCATION	IMPORTANT INFORMATION	FEES NZ\$ per year*
Infection and Immunity					
Molecular Basis of Health and Disease					
Nutrition, Metabolism and Human Health					
Reproduction, Genetics and Development					
Bachelor of Health Sciences (BHealSc)	3	S1, S2	Dunedin		32,760
Community Health Care					
Māori Health					
Pacific and Global Health					
Public Health					
Humanities					
Bachelor of Arts (BA)^	3	S1, S2	Dunedin		
Anthropology					25,109
Anthropology (Archaeology)					30,851
Art History and Visual Culture					25,109
Asian Studies					25,109
Biblical Studies					25,109
Chinese					25,109
Christian Thought and History					25,109
Classics					25,109
Communication Studies					25,109
Computer Science					30,851
Economics					27,154
Education					25,109
English					25,109
English and Linguistics					25,109
European Studies					25,109
Film and Media Studies					25,109
French					25,109
Gender Studies					25,109
Geography					30,851
German					25,109
History					25,109
Indigenous Development/He Kura Matanui					25,109
Information Science					30,851
Japanese					25,109
Language and Linguistics					25,109
Linguistics					25,109
Māori Studies					25,109
Mathematics					25,109
Music					28,922
Pacific Islands Studies					25,109
Philosophy					25,109
Philosophy, Politics and Economics					25,109
Politics					25,109

^Honours degrees are available
Important notes to be read with the 2019 indicative fees are located on page 54.
Minimum duration assumes full-time study, part-time study is possible for some courses.

*The tuition fees listed are an estimate only and may not represent the actual cost of a programme of study. Students are liable for any fees payable over and above the estimated amount printed.

UNDERGRADUATE CONTINUED

QUALIFICATION	DURATION (Years)	INTAKES (S1: Semester 1 S2: Semester 2)	LOCATION	IMPORTANT INFORMATION	FEES NZ\$ per year*
Psychology					30,851
Religious Studies					25,109
Sociology					25,109
Spanish					25,109
Statistics					25,109
Theatre Studies					25,109
Tourism, Languages and Cultures					25,109
Bachelor of Arts and Science (BASc)	4	S1, S2	Dunedin		27,980
Bachelor of Laws (LLB)^	4	S1	Dunedin	Competitive entry to second year	29,702
Bachelor of Music (MusB)^	3	S1, S2	Dunedin	Auditions for music performance	28,922
Composition					
Performance					
Studio Production					
Bachelor of Performing Arts (BPA)	3	S1	Dunedin	Auditions for music performance	28,922
Bachelor of Social Work (BSW)	4	S1	Dunedin & Distance	Entry normally after 2 years of university study IELTS of 7.0 with no individual band below 7.0	25,109
Bachelor of Teaching (BTchg)	3	S1	Dunedin	Interview. IELTS of 7.0 with no individual band below 7.0 Applications close 31 August	25,109
Early Childhood					
Primary					
Bachelor of Theology (BTheol)^	3	S1, S2	Dunedin & Distance		25,109
Biblical Studies					
Christian Thought and History					
Pastoral Studies					
Diploma in Language (DipLang)	2-3 p/t	S1	Dunedin		26,365**
Diploma in Global Cultures (DipGlobalC)	1	S1, S2	Dunedin		26,365**

Science

Bachelor of Applied Science (BAppSc)^	3		Dunedin		
Applied Geology		S1, S2			30,851
Aquaculture and Fisheries		S1, S2			30,851
Computational Modelling		S1, S2			30,851
Consumer Food Science		S1, S2			30,851
Energy Management		S1, S2			30,851
Environmental Management		S1			30,851
Forensic Analytical Science		S1			32,760
Geographic Information Systems		S1, S2			30,851
Molecular Biotechnology		S1			32,760
Software Engineering		S1, S2			30,851
Sport and Exercise Nutrition		S1			32,760
Sports Technology		S1, S2			32,760

*The tuition fees listed are an estimate only and may not represent the actual cost of a programme of study. Students are liable for any fees payable over and above the estimated amount printed.

**This programme has a workload higher than the normal equivalent full-time course load (1EFT). The fee listed is indicative only of what you might expect to pay in one full year of study.

^Honours degrees are available.

Important notes to be read with the 2019 indicative fees are located on page 54.

Minimum duration assumes full-time study, part-time study is possible for some courses.

QUALIFICATION	DURATION (Years)	INTAKES (S1: Semester 1 S2: Semester 2)	LOCATION	IMPORTANT INFORMATION	FEES NZ\$ per year*
Bachelor of Physical Education (BPhEd)^	4	S1, S2	Dunedin		32,136
There are likely to be significant changes for new and returning students in 2019. We hope to have information on the anticipated new programmes in July 2018 and we will be holding regular update sessions throughout 2018. The latest information and FAQs can be found at otago.ac.nz/sopeses/news/otago670686.html					
Bachelor of Science (BSc)^	3	S1, S2	Dunedin		
Anatomy					32,760
Biochemistry					32,760
Botany					30,851
Chemistry					30,851
Computer Science					30,851
Ecology					30,851
Economics					27,154
Electronics					30,851
Energy Science and Technology					30,851
Food Science					30,851
Genetics					32,760
Geography					30,851
Geology					30,851
Human Nutrition		S1			30,851
Information Science					30,851
Land Planning and Development					31,493
Mathematics					25,109
Microbiology					32,760
Neuroscience					32,760
Oceanography					30,851
Pharmacology					32,760
Physics					30,851
Physiology					32,760
Plant Biotechnology					32,760
Psychology					30,851
Statistics					25,109
Surveying Measurement					31,493
Zoology					30,851
Bachelor of Arts and Science (BASc)	4	S1, S2	Dunedin		27,980
Bachelor of Surveying (BSurv)^	4	S1	Dunedin	Competitive entry to second year	31,493

^Honours degrees are available
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Doctor of Philosophy (PhD)	3	Any time	Dunedin Christchurch Wellington	R		Domestic
Arts, Languages, Theology, Mathematics						6,587~
Commerce						6,351~
Law						7,123~
Computer Science, Geography, Information Science, Music, Science						7,691~
Health Sciences, Pharmacy, Surveying						9,756~
Medicine						9,756~
Dentistry thesis (Non clinical)						9,955~
Diploma for Graduates		S1, S2	Dunedin	CW		Contact International Office
Any subject specified as a major subject for BA, BAppSc, BTheol, BSc, BCom (excluding Tourism)						
Advertising						
Buddhist Studies						
Dentistry						
Sports Business						
Studio Music Teaching						
Tourism						

Business						
Postgraduate Diploma in Business Administration (PGDipBusAdmin)	9 months (on campus) 15 months (online)	March	Dunedin	CW	3 years' work experience, interview	22,889*
Master of Business Administration (MBA)	15 months	March	Dunedin	CW	3 years' work experience, interview, GMAT	45,778**
Master of Business Administration (MBA) Online option	2.5	May/Sept	Distance	CW	3 years' work experience, interview	22,889
Doctor of Business Administration (DBA)	3		Dunedin, China	CWR		Contact International Office
Master of Business Data Science (MBusDataSc)	1	S1	Dunedin	CWR		48,195
Postgraduate Diploma in Commerce (PGDipCom)	1	S1, S2	Dunedin	CW		As per MCom
Master of Commerce (MCom)	1	S1, S2	Dunedin	R		
Accounting						28,715
Economics						28,715
Finance						28,715
Information Science						33,100
International Business						28,715
Management						28,715
Marketing Management						28,715
Tourism						28,715
Master of Economics (MEcon)	1	S1, S2	Dunedin	CWR		43,073**
Master of Entrepreneurship (MEntr)	15 months	S1	Dunedin	CW		43,078**

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Master of Finance (MFinC)	1	S1	Dunedin	CWR		43,073**
Master of International Business (MIntBus)	1	S1, S2	Dunedin	CWR		43,073**
Master of Marketing (MMart)	1	S1	Dunedin	CWR		43,073**
Master of Professional Accounting (MProfAcct)	1.5	S1	Dunedin	CWR		57,439**
Master of Sustainable Business (MSusBus)	1	S1, S2	Dunedin	CWR	Fee may increase depending on elective	43,073**
Master of Tourism (MTour)	1	S1, S2	Dunedin	CWR		43,073**

Health Sciences

BIOETHICS

Postgraduate Certificate in Health Sciences (PGCertHealSc) – Clinical Ethics	1 p/t	S1, S2	Dunedin & Distance	CW	Includes compulsory residential workshops	16,550
Postgraduate Diploma in Health Sciences (PGDipHealSc)	2 p/t	S1, S2	Dunedin & Distance	CW	Includes compulsory residential workshops	33,100
Master of Health Sciences (MHealSc)	1 or 2	S1, S2	Dunedin & Distance	R	Includes compulsory residential workshops	33,100
Postgraduate Diploma in Bioethics and Health Law (PGDipBHL)	1	S1, S2	Dunedin & Distance	CW	Includes compulsory residential workshops	33,100
Master of Bioethics and Health Law (MBHL)	1 or 1.5	S1, S2	Dunedin & Distance	CW	Includes compulsory residential workshops	33,100**

HEALTH SCIENCES

Postgraduate Certificate in Health Sciences (PGCertHealSc) S1, S2

Aeromedical Retrieval and Transport	1 p/t		Distance	CW		19,739
Hazard Assessment and Management	2 p/t		Distance	CW	Some compulsory workshops	19,739
Human Nutrition	1 p/t		Distance	CW		16,550
Musculoskeletal Management	1 p/t		Distance	CW		19,739
Occupational Health	1 p/t		Distance	CW	Compulsory workshop attendance	19,739
Pain and Pain Management	1 p/t		Distance	CW		19,739
Radiation Therapy (Advanced Practice)	1 p/t		Distance	CW	NZ registered health professional	19,739

Postgraduate Diploma in Health Sciences (PGDipHealSc) S1, S2

Aeromedical Retrieval and Transport	2 p/t		Distance	CW		39,478
Hazard Assessment and Management	2 p/t		Distance	CW	Some compulsory workshops	39,478
Human Nutrition	2 p/t		Distance	CW		33,100
Musculoskeletal Management	2 p/t		Distance	CW		39,478
Obesity Prevention and Management	1 or 2 p/t		Distance	CW		39,478
Occupational Health	1 or 2 p/t		Distance	CW	Compulsory workshop attendance	39,478
Pain and Pain Management	2 p/t		Distance	CW		39,478
Unendorsed study	1 or 2		Dunedin, Christchurch Wellington, Distance	CW		39,478

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QUALIFICATION	DURATION (Years)	INTAKES (S1: Semester 1 S2: Semester 2)	LOCATION	MODE OF STUDY [^]	IMPORTANT INFORMATION	FEES NZ\$ per year*
Master of Health Sciences (MHealSc)		S1, S2				
Aeromedical Retrieval and Transport	4 p/t		Distance	CWR		39,478
Aviation Medicine	4 p/t		Distance	CWR		39,478
Health Management	1 or 2		Dunedin Christchurch Wellington	CWR		39,478
Human Nutrition	1 or 2		Dunedin	CWR		33,100
Musculoskeletal Management	1 or 2		Distance	CWR		39,478
Occupational Health	1 or 2		Distance	CWR		39,478
Occupational Medicine	4 p/t		Distance	CWR		39,478
Pain and Pain Management	1 or 2		Distance	CWR		39,478
Unendorsed Study	1 or 2		Dunedin Christchurch Wellington Distance	CWR		39,478
Postgraduate Diploma in Health Management (PGDipHealMgt)	1 or 2	Four terms	Dunedin	CW	Requires two years' work experience	39,478
MEDICAL LABORATORY SCIENCE						
Postgraduate Diploma in Medical Laboratory Science (PGDipMLSc)	1 or 2	S1, S2	Dunedin Christchurch Wellington	CW	Must hold Medical Laboratory Science degree	39,478
Master of Medical Laboratory Science (MMLSc)	1 or 2	S1	Dunedin Christchurch Wellington	R	Must hold Medical Laboratory Science degree	39,478
MEDICAL TECHNOLOGY						
Postgraduate Certificate in Medical Technology (PGCertMedTech)	1	S1	Distance (NZ)	CW		19,739
Postgraduate Diploma in Medical Technology (PGDipMedTech)	2	S1	Distance (NZ)	CW	Currently working as a medical technician	39,478
MEDICINE						
Postgraduate Certificate in Aeromedical Retrieval and Transport (PGCertAeroRT)	1 p/t	S1, S2	Distance	CW	Medical practitioner	19,739
Postgraduate Diploma in Aeromedical Retrieval and Transport (PGDipAeroRT)	2 p/t	S1, S2	Distance	CW	Medical practitioner	39,478
Master of Aeromedical Retrieval and Transport (MAeroRT)	3 p/t	S1, S2	Distance	CW	Medical practitioner	39,478**
Postgraduate Certificate in Civil Aviation Medicine (PGCertCAvMed)	1 p/t	S1, S2	Distance	CW	Medical practitioner	19,739
Master of Aviation Medicine (MAvMed)	4 p/t	S1, S2	Distance	CW		39,478
Postgraduate Certificate in Clinician-Performed Ultrasound (PGCertCPU)	1 p/t	S1, S2	Dunedin & Distance (NZ)	CW	Must be registered in NZ as a medical practitioner	19,739
Postgraduate Diploma in Child Health (DCH)	1	S1, S2	Distance (NZ)	CW	Must be registered in NZ as a medical practitioner and hold a hospital position in paediatrics	19,739
Postgraduate Certificate in General Practice (PGCertGP)	2 p/t	S1, S2	Distance (NZ & Aust)	CW	Must be registered in NZ/ Aust as a medical practitioner	19,739

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Postgraduate Diploma in General Practice (PGDipGP)	4 p/t	S1, S2	(NZ & Aust) Distance	CW	Must be registered in NZ/ Aust as a medical practitioner	39,478
Master of General Practice (MGP)	2 p/t	S1, S2	(NZ & Aust) Distance	CWR	Must be registered in NZ/ Aust as a medical practitioner	39,478
Master of Medical Science (MMedSc)	1	S1, S2	Dunedin Christchurch Wellington	R	Approved medical degree required	39,478
Postgraduate Certificate in Musculoskeletal Medicine (PGCertMSM)	1 p/t	S1, S2	Distance	CW	Registered medical practitioner	19,739
Postgraduate Diploma in Musculoskeletal Medicine (PGDipMSM)	2 p/t	S1, S2	Distance	CW	Registered medical practitioner	39,478
Postgraduate Diploma in Obstetrics and Medical Gynaecology (PGDipOMG)	1 or 2 p/t	S1, S2	Distance (NZ)	CW	Must be registered in NZ as a medical practitioner and hold a hospital position in O & G	39,478
Postgraduate Diploma in Ophthalmic Basic Sciences (PGDipOphthBS)	2 p/t	S1, S2	Dunedin & Distance	CW	Registered medical practitioner	39,478
Master of Ophthalmology (MOphth)	1	S1, S2	Dunedin	R	Registered medical practitioner	39,478
Postgraduate Certificate in Primary Health Care (PGCertPHC)	1 p/t	S1, S2	Wellington & Distance (NZ)	CW		19,739
Postgraduate Diploma in Primary Health Care (PGDipPHC)	2 p/t	S1, S2	Wellington & Distance (NZ)	CW		39,478
Master of Primary Health Care (MPHC)	2 p/t	S1, S2	Wellington	CWR		39,478
Postgraduate Diploma in Surgical Anatomy (PGDipSurgAnat)	1	S1	Dunedin & Distance	CW	Registered medical practitioner	39,478
Postgraduate Certificate in Travel Medicine (PGCertTravMed)	1 p/t	S1, S2	Wellington & Distance (NZ)	CW		19,739
Postgraduate Diploma in Travel Medicine (PGDipTravMed)	2 p/t	S1, S2	Wellington & Distance (NZ)	CW		39,478
Master of Travel Medicine (MTravMed)	2 p/t	S1, S2	Wellington	CWR		39,478
Postgraduate Certificate in Women's Health (PGCertWHlth)	0.5	S1, S2	Distance (NZ)	CW		19,739
NURSING SCIENCE						
Master of Nursing Science (MNSc)	2	S1	Christchurch	CWR	Bachelor's degree 'B' average	39,478
OCCUPATIONAL MEDICINE						
Postgraduate Certificate in Occupational Medicine (PGCertOccMed)	1 p/t	S1, S2	Distance	CW	Medical practitioner	19,739
Postgraduate Diploma in Occupational Medicine (PGDipOccMed)	2 p/t	S1, S2	Distance	CW	Medical practitioner	39,478
Master of Occupational Medicine (MOccMed)	3 p/t	S1, S2	Distance	CW	Medical practitioner	39,478**
PHARMACY						
Postgraduate Certificate in Pharmacy (PGCert Pharm)	0.5	S1, S2	Dunedin	R		19,739

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PHYSIOTHERAPY						
Postgraduate Diploma in Physiotherapy (PGDipPhy)	1	S1	Dunedin & Distance	CW	International students need to apply for temporary registration with Physiotherapy Board of NZ	39,478
Orthopaedic Manipulative Therapy						
Sports Physiotherapy						
Unendorsed						
Master of Physiotherapy (MPhty)	1.5	S1	Dunedin & Distance		International students need to apply for temporary registration with Physiotherapy Board of NZ	39,478**
Orthopaedic Manipulative Therapy				CW		
Sports Physiotherapy				CW		
By Research				CWR		
PUBLIC HEALTH						
Postgraduate Certificate in Public Health (PGCertPH)	0.5 or 1 p/t	S1, S2	Dunedin Christchurch Wellington	CW	IELTS 7.5	19,739
Environmental Health						
Health Economics						
Health Promotion						
Health Systems and Services						
Māori Health						
Public Policy and Health						
Research Methods						
Postgraduate Diploma in Public Health (DPH) 1 or 2 p/t		Four Terms	Dunedin Christchurch Wellington	CW	IELTS 7.5	39,478
Epidemiology						
Health Promotion						
Social Research Methods						
Unendorsed Study						
Master of Public Health (MPH)	1 or 2 p/t	S1, S2	Dunedin Christchurch Wellington	CWR	IELTS 7.5	39,478
REHABILITATION						
Postgraduate Certificate in Rehabilitation (PGCertRehab)	2 p/t	S1, S2	Wellington & Distance (NZ)	CW		19,739
Postgraduate Diploma in Rehabilitation (PGDipRehab)	1 or 2	S1, S2	Wellington & Distance (NZ)	CW		39,478
Master of Health Sciences (MHealSc)	1 or 2	S1, S2	Wellington & Distance	CWR		39,478
Rehabilitation						
SPORT AND EXERCISE MEDICINE						
Postgraduate Diploma in Sport and Exercise Medicine (PGDipSEM)	2 p/t	S1	Dunedin & Distance	CW	Graduate in relevant health science field	27,563

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Dentistry						
CLINICAL DENTISTRY						
Postgraduate Diploma in Clinical Dentistry (PGDipClinDent)	1 to 2	S1, S2	Dunedin	CW	Dental practice experience. Part-time candidates can be in practice. BDS or equivalent. IELTS of 7.5 with no band below 7 Applications close 31 May	64,896
Endodontics						
General Practice					May be undertaken while in practice outside Dunedin	
Oral Medicine						
Oral Pathology						
Oral Surgery						
Paediatric Dentistry					May be undertaken while in practice outside Dunedin	
Periodontology					May be undertaken while in practice outside Dunedin	
Prosthodontics						
Restorative Dentistry					May be undertaken while in practice outside Dunedin	
Special Needs Dentistry						
Master of Dentistry (MDent)	1	S1	Dunedin	CWR	Registered dental practitioner IELTS of 7.5 with no band below 7 Applications close 31 May	97,344**
Aesthetic Dentistry						
Rural Oral Health Care						
Doctor of Clinical Dentistry (DClinDent)	3	S1, S2	Dunedin	CWR	Bachelor of Dental Surgery or equivalent IELTS of 7.5 with no band below 7 Applications close 31 May	64,896
Endodontics						
Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery						
Oral Medicine						
Oral Pathology						
Oral Surgery						
Orthodontics						
Paediatric Dentistry						
Periodontology						
Prosthodontics						
Special Needs Dentistry						
COMMUNITY DENTISTRY						
Postgraduate Diploma in Community Dentistry (PGDipComDent)	1	S1	Dunedin	CW	Part-time candidates can be in practice. BDS or equivalent IELTS of 7.5 with no band below 7 Applications close 31 May	39,478

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QUALIFICATION	DURATION (Years)	INTAKES (S1: Semester 1 S2: Semester 2)	LOCATION	MODE OF STUDY [^]	IMPORTANT INFORMATION	FEES NZ\$ per year*
Master of Community Dentistry (MComDent)	2	S1	Dunedin	CWR	Dental practice experience. Part-time candidates can be in practice. BDS or equivalent IELTS of 7.5 with no band below 7 Applications close 31 May	39,478
DENTAL TECHNOLOGY						
Postgraduate Diploma in Clinical Dental Technology (PGDipCDTech)	1	S1	Dunedin	CW	Diploma/Bachelor of Dental Technology IELTS of 7.5 with no band below 7 Applications close 31 May	39,099
Postgraduate Diploma in Dental Technology (PGDipDentTech)	1	S1, S2	Dunedin	CW	Diploma/Bachelor of Dental Technology IELTS of 7.5 with no band below 7 Applications close 31 May	39,099
Master of Dental Technology (MDentTech)	2	S1, S2	Dunedin	CWR	Bachelor of Dental Technology or PGDip in Dental Technology or equivalent IELTS of 7.5 with no band below 7 Applications close 31 May	39,099

Humanities

Master of Arts (MA) by Thesis	1	Anytime	Dunedin	R	All subjects listed except Biblical Studies and Christian Thought and History	
Postgraduate Diploma in Arts (PGDipArts)	1		Dunedin	CW	As per MA by Thesis	
Anthropology		S1				26,634
Anthropology (Archaeology)		S1				33,100
Art History and Visual Culture		S1				26,634
Biblical Studies		S1, S2	Dunedin & Distance		PGDipArts and Honours Only	26,634
Childhood and Youth Studies		S1, S2			MA only	26,634
Chinese		S1				26,634
Christian Thought and History		S1, S2	Dunedin & Distance		PGDipArts and Honours Only	26,634
Classics		S1				26,634
Communication Studies		S1				26,634
Computer Science		S1				33,100
Development Studies		S1			MA only	26,634
Economics		S1, S2				28,715
Education		S1, S2	Dunedin & Distance			26,634
English		S1				26,634
Film and Media Studies		S1				26,634
French		S1				26,634
Gender Studies		S1				26,634

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QUALIFICATION	DURATION (Years)	INTAKES (S1: Semester 1 S2: Semester 2)	LOCATION	MODE OF STUDY [^]	IMPORTANT INFORMATION	FEES NZ\$ per year*
Geography		S1				33,100
German		S1				26,634
History		S1				26,634
Indigenous Development/He Kura Matanui		S1				26,634
Information Science		S1				33,100
Japanese		S1				26,634
Linguistics		S1, S2				26,634
Māori Studies		S1				26,634
Mathematics		S1, S2				26,634
Music		S1			Not for performance or composition	30,233
Pacific Islands Studies		S1			MA only	26,634
Peace and Conflict Studies		S1, S2			MA only	26,634
Philosophy		S1, S2				26,634
Politics		S1, S2				26,634
Psychology		S1				33,100
Religious Studies		S1	Dunedin & Distance			26,634
Sociology		S1				26,634
Spanish		S1				26,634
Statistics		S1, S2				26,634
Theatre Studies		S1, S2				26,634
Master of Arts (MA) by Coursework	1		Dunedin	CWR		
Anthropology		S1				31,500**
Anthropology (Archaeology)		S1				31,500**
Art History and Visual Culture		S1				31,500**
Childhood and Youth Studies		S1, S2				31,500**
Chinese		S1				31,500**
Classics		S1				31,500**
Communication Studies		S1				31,500**
Education		S1, S2				31,500**
English		S1				31,500**
Film and Media Studies		S1				31,500**
French		S1				31,500**
Gender Studies		S1				31,500**
Geography		S1				31,500**
German		S1				31,500**
History		S1				31,500**
Indigenous Development/He Kura Matanui		S1				31,500**
Japanese		S1				31,500**
Linguistics		S1, S2				31,500**
Māori Studies		S1				31,500**
Music		S1			Not for performance or composition	31,500**

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Philosophy		S1, S2				31,500**
Philosophy, Politics and Economics		S1, S2				31,500**
Religious Studies		S1				31,500**
Sociology		S1				31,500**
Spanish		S1				31,500**
Theatre Studies		S1, S2				31,500**
Master of Indigenous Studies (MIndS)	1	S1	Dunedin & Distance	CW		21,000
Master of International Studies (MIntSt)	1	S1, S2	Dunedin	CW		29,768**
Master of Peace and Conflict Studies (MPCS)	1	S1, S2	Dunedin	CW		29,768**
Master of Planning (MPlan)	2	S1	Dunedin	CWR		33,100
Master of Politics (MPols)	1	S1, S2	Dunedin	CW		31,500
EDUCATION						
Master of Education and Learning (MEdLn) endorsed in Curriculum, Digital Technologies, Early Childhood Education, Leadership or Studies in Teacher Education; or not endorsed *subject to CUAP approval	1 or 2	S1, S2	Distance	CW		26,634
Doctor of Education (EdD)	6 p/t	S1	Distance	CWR		26,634
Postgraduate Certificate of Education and Learning (PGCertEdLn) endorsed in Curriculum, Digital Technologies, Early Childhood Education, Leadership or Studies in Teacher Education; or not endorsed *subject to CUAP approval	0.5	S1, S2	Distance	CW	Must be registered to teach in NZ or have equivalent teaching qualification or experience	13,317
Postgraduate Diploma of Education and Learning (PGDipEdLn) endorsed in Curriculum, Digital Technologies, Early Childhood Education, Leadership or Studies in Teacher Education; or not endorsed *subject to CUAP approval	1	S1, S2	Dunedin & Distance	CW	Must be registered to teach in NZ or have equivalent teaching qualification or experience	26,634
Master of Teaching and Learning (MTChgLn) endorsed in Primary Education, Secondary Education and *Early Childhood Education *subject to CUAP approval	1	S1	Dunedin	CW	IELTS of 7.5 with no band below 7.5 Applications close 31 July	39,951**
LAW						
Master of Laws (LLM)	1	Anytime	Dunedin	R	IELTS of 7.5 with no band below 7.0	29,702
Master of Emerging Technologies Law (METL)	1	S1	Dunedin	CW	IELTS of 7.5 with no band below 7.0	29,702
LINGUISTICS						
Graduate Diploma in Second Language Teaching (GDipSLT)	1	S1, S2	Dunedin	CW		26,364

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MUSIC						
Postgraduate Diploma in Music (PGDipMus)	1	S1	Dunedin	CW		30,233
Master of Music (MMus)	1	Any time	Dunedin	R	Performance or composition or studio production	30,233
Doctor of Musical Arts (DMA)	3	Any time	Dunedin	R	Performance, composition or studio production	30,233
SOCIAL WORK AND CHILDREN'S ISSUES						
Postgraduate Certificate in Children's Issues (PGCertChIs)	1 p/t	S1	Dunedin & Distance	CW		13,317
Postgraduate Diploma in Child-Centred Practice (PGDipCCP)	1	S1	Dunedin & Distance	CW		26,634
Postgraduate Diploma in Social Welfare (PGDipSW)	1	S1	Distance (NZ)	CW	Professional social services qualification and two years' work experience	26,634
Master of Social and Community Work (Applied) (MSCW(Applied))	2	S1, S2	Dunedin & Distance	CW		26,634
Master of Social Work (MSW)	2	S1, S2	Dunedin & Distance	CWR		26,634
THEATRE STUDIES						
Master of Fine Arts (MFA)	1	S1, S2	Dunedin			26,634
THEOLOGY						
Postgraduate Diploma in Theology (PGDipTheol)	1	S1, S2	Dunedin & Distance	CW		26,634
Biblical Studies						
Christian Thought and History						
Pastoral Studies						
Master of Theology (MTheol)	1	Anytime	Dunedin & Distance	R		26,634
Postgraduate Diploma in Ministry (PGDipMin)	1	S1, S2	Dunedin & Distance	CW		26,634
Master of Ministry (MMin)	2	S1, S2	Dunedin & Distance	CWR	Minimum of three years' ministry experience	26,634
Postgraduate Certificate in Chaplaincy (PGCertChap)	0.5	S1, S2	Dunedin & Distance	CW		13,317
Postgraduate Diploma in Chaplaincy (PGDipChap)	1	S1, S2	Dunedin & Distance	CW		26,634
Master of Chaplaincy (MChap)	1.5	S1, S2	Distance	R		39,957
Master of Faith-Based Leadership and Management (MFBLM)	2	S1, S2	Distance	CW		26,634

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Applied Science						
Postgraduate Certificate in Applied Science (PGCertAppSc)	0.5	S1	Dunedin	CW		
Applied Geology						16,550
Bioengineering						16,550
Computational Modelling						16,550
Computer Science						16,550
Electronics						16,550
Environmental Management						16,550
Geographic Information Systems						16,550
Microbiology						18,050
Molecular Biotechnology						18,050
Plant Biotechnology						18,050
Quantitative Genetics						18,050
Science Innovation and Enterprise						16,550
Software and Knowledge Engineering						16,550
Sport and Exercise Nutrition						16,550
Telecommunications						16,550
Postgraduate Diploma in Applied Science (PGDipAppSc)	1	S1	Dunedin	CW		
Applied Geology						33,100
Bioengineering						33,100
Computational Modelling						33,100
Computer Science						33,100
Electronics						33,100
Environmental Management						33,100
Geographic Information Systems						33,100
Microbiology						36,099
Molecular Biotechnology						36,099
Plant Biotechnology						36,099
Quantitative Genetics						36,099
Science Innovation and Enterprise						33,100
Software Engineering						33,100
Sport and Exercise Nutrition						33,100
Telecommunications						33,100
Master of Applied Science (MAppSc)	1	S1	Dunedin	CW		
Applied Geology						49,650**
Bioengineering						49,650**
Computational Modelling						49,650**
Computer Science						49,650**
Creative Non-fiction Writing in Science						49,650**
Electronics						49,650**
Environmental Management						49,650**
Geographic Information Systems						49,650**

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Microbiology						54,149**
Molecular Biotechnology						54,149**
Plant Biotechnology						54,149**
Quantitative Genetics						54,149**
Science and Natural History Filmmaking						49,650**
Science Communication						49,650**
Science Innovation and Enterprise						49,650**
Science in Society						49,650**
Software Engineering						49,650**
Sport and Exercise Nutrition						49,650**
Telecommunications						49,650**
PHYSICAL EDUCATION						
There are likely to be significant changes for new and returning students in 2019. We hope to have information on the anticipated new programmes in July 2018 and we will be holding regular update sessions throughout 2018. The latest information and FAQs can be found at otago.ac.nz/sopeses/news/otago670686.html						

Science						
Master of Science (MSc)	1		Dunedin	R	All subjects listed except Software Engineering and Telecommunications	
Postgraduate Diploma in Science (PGDipSci)	1		Dunedin	CW		As per MSc
Anatomy		S1, S2				36,099
Biochemistry		S1				36,099
Bioengineering		S1				33,100
Botany		S1, S2				33,100
Chemistry		S1				33,100
Cognitive Science		S1			MSc Only	33,100
Consumer Food Science		S1				33,100
Computer Science		S1				33,100
Ecology		S1				33,100
Economics		S1, S2				28,715
Electronics		S1				33,100
Energy Science and Technology		S1, S2				33,100
Environmental Management		S1				33,100
Environmental Science		S1			MSc Only	33,100
Food Science		S1				33,100
Genetics		S1, S2				36,099
Geography		S1			MSc Only	33,100
Geology		S1			MSc Only	33,100
Geophysics		S1			MSc Only	33,100
Human Nutrition		S1, S2			MSc Only	33,100
Immunology		S1, S2			MSc Only	36,099
Information Science		S1				33,100
Marine Science		S1				33,100
Mathematics		S1, S2				26,634

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Microbiology		S1				36,099
Neuroscience		S1				36,099
Pharmacology		S1				36,099
Physics		S1, S2				33,100
Physiology		S1				36,099
Plant Biotechnology		S1				36,099
Psychology		S1				33,100
Software Engineering		S1, S2			PGDipSc Only	33,100
Statistics		S1, S2				26,634
Surveying		S1				33,100
Telecommunications		S1, S2			PGDipSc Only	33,100
Toxicology		S1			MSc Only	36,099
Wildlife Management		S1, S2			MSc subject to completing requirements for PGDipWLM	33,100
Zoology		S1, S2				33,100
Postgraduate Diploma in Applied Statistics (PGDipApStat)	1	S1, S2	Dunedin	CW		26,634
Master of Dietetics (MDiet)	2	S1	Dunedin		IELTS of 7.5 with no band below 7	33,100
SCIENCE COMMUNICATION						
Postgraduate Certificate in Science Communication (PGCertSciComm)	0.5	S1	Dunedin & Distance	CWR		16,068
Science in Society						
Science and Natural History Filmmaking						
Creative Non-fiction Writing in Science						
Unendorsed						
Postgraduate Diploma in Science Communication (PGDipSciComm)	1	S1	Dunedin & Distance	CWR		33,100
Science in Society						
Science and Natural History Filmmaking						
Creative Non-fiction Writing in Science						
Unendorsed						
Master of Science Communication (MSciComm)	2	S1	Dunedin & Distance	CWR	Graduate entry or work experience and relevant qualification	33,100
Science in Society						
Science and Natural History Filmmaking						
Creative Non-fiction Writing in Science						
Unendorsed						
Postgraduate Diploma in Wildlife Management (PGDipWLM)	1	S1, S2	Dunedin	CW	Work experience and relevant qualification	33,100
Master of Wildlife Management (MWLM)	1.5	S1, S2	Dunedin	CW		49,657**
Master of Surveying (MSurv)	1 to 2	S1, S2	Dunedin	CWR or R	IELTS of 7.5 with no band below 7.0	33,100

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