# STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK AT NEW PALTZ STUDY ABROAD

# AUSTRALIA & NEW ZEALAND

Perth | Melbourne | Sydney | Wellington





Discover you. Discover the world.



# WELCOME TO Study Abroad!

s you explore opportunities to study abroad in Australia and New Zealand, I invite you to consider the benefits of this life-changing experience. We continue to learn that global challenges need global leaders, and as you challenge yourself to discover new places and people, you will gain the knowledge, skills, confidence, and passion to contribute to your community and your world.

New Paltz has a broad portfolio of programs to meet the needs of students in every major. Our advisors can point you to resources that support your plans including scholarships, financial aid, international internships, and servicelearning opportunities and will guide you as you consider:

- What you hope to gain from the study abroad experience;
- How a specific program's course offerings fit in with your academic and career plans;
- Timing of programs according to your degree requirements; and
- How the learning, social, physical, and cultural environments will impact you.

You should also consider how the benefits of education abroad will play a key role in your future. Employers hire graduates with international experience who are prepared to join the globally competitive workforce and recognize that skills developed while studying abroad are essential for management and leadership positions. Student safety is a primary concern in Study Abroad, and SUNY New Paltz prioritizes the health and security of its students through:

- One-on-one student advising;
- Pre-departure orientation;
- Direct communication through Alert Traveler and other real time applications as students prepare to leave and while they are abroad;
- Collaboration with accredited international partner institutions and providers assures the safety of students; and
- Comprehensive emergency and mental and physical health insurance.

The Study Abroad Advisors update emergency protocols through ongoing risk assessment, consultation with the SUNY Office of Global Affairs, US State Department, CDC and other agencies.

New Paltz is committed to providing a high-quality, affordable, global education experience to all students. Whether that is in Australia and New Zealand or another part of the world, opportunities await you.

What are you waiting for?

Best regards, *Beth Mugler Vargas* Executive Director, Center for International Programs

#### AUSTRALIA

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The largest country in Oceania, Australia's population is heavily concentrated on the eastern seaboard. Canberra is the nation's capital, while the largest city is Sydney. Australia is home to the only egg-laying mammal, the platypus, Eucalyptus trees, The Great Barrier Reef and the distinctive kangaroos.

# DISCOVER YOUR WORLD AT CURTIN UNIVERSITY

Curtin University of Technology is situated in the city of Perth, the capital of Western Australia. The nearby Indian Ocean provides a playground for outdoor enthusiasts with hundreds of kilometers of clean, white sandy beaches. On the shores of the Swan River, Perth is a modern city and Australia's sunniest capital.

Curtin University is Australia's leading university of technology in the region. It is ranked by the Australian Government as one of the top universities for quality assurance in Higher Education. | Curtin University offers more than 365 courses at undergraduate levels. | It is ranked 20th globally for universities under the age of 50 in the QS World University Rankings report.

## YOUR CLASSES

#### Academic Year and Semester Students:

You can study abroad at Curtin University if you are a second-semester freshman, sophomore, junior and senior with a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.75 or higher.

• The university offers courses taught entirely in English in the following disciplines:

- Humanities
- Engineering and Science
- Health Science
- Business

## YOUR HOME AWAY FROM HOME

#### Academic Year and Semester Students: Resident Halls

• Students can choose to live off-campus in and around Perth, but most study abroad students choose to live in one of the six oncampus residences.

 Accommodation is in apartments or "cottages" with separate bedrooms, shared kitchens and living areas.



# DISCOVER YOUR WORLD AT VICTORIA UNIVERSITY MELBOURNE AUSTRALIA

The beautiful city of Melbourne offers a unique blend of lifestyles and cultures in a safe and clean environment. Melbourne has something to offer everyone: restaurants from around the globe, cultural and performing arts, festivals, world class sporting events, a thriving coffee culture and exhilarating night life.

Victoria University achieved university status in 1991, but their preceding institutions date back to 1916. Victoria University is one of Australia's few dual-sector universities. Today, VU has over 40,000 enrolled higher education, and vocational education and training students studying on our campuses. | Victoria University continues to be ranked in the top 2% of universities worldwide. | The university is also ranked 56 in the world's top universities under the age of 50.

# YOUR CLASSES

#### Academic Year and Semester Students:

You can study abroad at Curtin University if you are a second-semester freshman, sophomore, junior and senior with a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher.

• You can study abroad at Victoria University if you are a secondsemester freshman, sophomore, junior and senior with a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher.

• The university offers courses taught entirely

in English in the following disciplines:

- Art, Education
- and Human Development • Communication
- and the ArtsEducation
- Social Sciences
- Psychology
- Sport and Exercise Science
- Business and Law
- Accounting
- Economics and Finance
- Hospitality Tourism and Marketing
- Law
- Management
- Information SystemsHealth, Engineering
- Fleatth, Engineern and Science
  Bio-medical
- Bio-inedical
   Health Sciences

- Engineering and Science
- Nursing and Midwifery

## YOUR HOME AWAY FROM HOME

#### Academic Year and Semester Students: Student Apartments

- UniLodge is a 12 story student apartment complex. This luxury complex offers studio apartments, 2 bedroom and 6 bedroom share apartments to rent.
- Fully furnished with study rooms, outdoor leisure space, on-sire café, theatre, rooftop terrace and BBQ facilities.



# FACTS ABOUT STUDYING ABROAD

AND NEW ZEALAND

## It's Affordable

We strive to make study abroad affordable to the whole student population. There are many scholarships and funding opportunities.

### Your Funding Travels With You

Did you know that if you're a SUNY student, the following automatically applies: • Financial Aid

- Federal Pell Grant
- New York State TAP Grant
- Excelesior Scholarship
- Any scholarships already received by student

\*Some conditions apply. Please consult Financial Aid.

### You Can Graduate On Time

Yes, you can! Talk to your academic advisor and the study abroad staff on campus.

#### You Don't Need To Know A Second Language

Study abroad opportunities are available throughout the English-speaking world, and programs with courses taught in English are available in non-English speaking countries.

## Studying Abroad Enhances Your Degree and Education

Today's employers want to hire graduates with international experience and cross-cultural understanding.

#### It's Never Too Early To Plan

First-year students can take part in winter intersession and summer programs. These opportunities, as well as semester-long and academic year study abroad experiences, are available.

## SCHOLARSHIPS AND FUNDING

**The Benjamin A. Gilman International Scholarship** Award amounts up to \$5,000

#### SUNY Diversity Abroad Honors Scholarship Award amounts up to \$2,000

SUNY New Paltz College Foundations Scholarships Award amounts varies **Global Scholar Program** Award amount varies

**EOP Travel Grant** Award amounts up to \$750

**Go! Study Abroad Scholarship** Award amounts up to \$1,000

For a listing of all scholarship and funding opportunities, please visit www.newpaltz.edu/ studyabroad/students/ financesandscholarships.



# DISCOVER YOUR WORLD AT UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY SYDNEY

The University of Technology, Sydney (UTS) is located in the heart of the city of Sydney, the gateway to Australia. It's a vibrant, exciting and friendly metropolis. As well as being world famous for its surfing beaches and unique Opera House, Sydney boasts many theaters, museums, art galleries, cinemas and music venues. With Sydney's diverse population, there are a multitude of ethnic restaurants, clubs and festivals. The mild climate allows a whole range of outdoor activities to take place year round, from bushwalking in nearby parks to sailing on crystal blue waters of the harbor.

UTS offers over 130 undergraduate and 210 postgraduate courses across traditional and emerging disciplines such as architecture, built environment, business, communication, design, education, engineering, information technology, international studies, law, midwifery, nursing, pharmacy and science. | UTS is reported as the highest performing university in Australia under 50 years of age. | Ranked 64th in world for graduate employability.

## YOUR CLASSES

#### Academic Year and Semester Students:

You can study abroad at University of Technology Sydney if you are a secondsemester freshman, sophomore, junior and senior with a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher.

• The university offers courses taught entirely in English in the following disciplines:

- BusinessCommunication
- EngineeringInformation
- Technology
- Science
- General Electives
- Design Architecture and Building

## YOUR HOME AWAY FROM HOME

#### Academic Year and Semester Students: Student Apartments

■ UTS provides oncampus accommodation for 720 students in studio, two and six bedroom shared apartments.

# The student accommodation

includes fully furnished rooms with multiple communal areas, including theatre, music, games, computer lab and study rooms, outdoor barbecue and rooftop terrace. It also offers students spectacular views of Sydney.



# DISCOVER YOUR WORLD AT VICTORIA UNIVERSITY OF WELLINGTON

Wellington is the cultural center of New Zealand and the southernmost capital city in the entire world. It is New Zealand's political and cultural center, and currently has the 12th best quality of living in the entire world. The culture of Wellington is a diverse and often youth-driven one with a large social scene. Coffee culture in Wellington is vastly overrepresented and the city has more cafes per capita than New York City.

Victoria University is ranked as New Zealand's top ranked university for research quality. | Victoria University of Wellington is in the top 2 percent of the world's universities. | Victoria University of Wellington is one of only 13 universities in the world to hold the maximum 5 Stars Plus in the QS Stars rating of excellence and five stars in each of eight categories—arts and culture, discipline ranking and accreditations, employability, facilities, inclusiveness, internationalization, research, and teaching.

# YOUR CLASSES

#### Academic Year and Semester Students:

You can study abroad at Victoria University of Wellington if you are a second-semester freshman, sophomore, junior and senior with a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.75 or higher.

- The university offers courses taught entirely in English in the following disciplines:
  - Humanities and Social Sciences
  - Commerce and Administration
  - Law

- Architecture and
- Design • Education
- Educatio
   Science
- Business
- The Victoria
   International Leadership

Programme (VILP) is an academicallyoriented extra-curricular programme of seminars, speaker events and experiential activities relevant to the themes of: • international leadership• cross-cultural communication• global connectedness, and• sustainability. Victoria International Leadership Programme offers a tailored version for Study Abroad and Exchange students.

#### Academic Year and Semester Students: Residence Halls

■ Participants live in university residence halls with shared kitchen, bathroom, and laundry – bedrooms are either single or double, depending on housing option chosen – an extra fee for electricity may be required, depending on hall selected.

• "Catered" and "Self Catered" Halls are available. All meals are provided in all the catered halls. To-go meals are provided if you cannot return to the hall.







## YOUR PATH TO DISCOVERY BEGINS HERE!

## FOR PROGRAM INFORMATION CONTACT

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