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About

UNE



UNE is one of Australia’s oldest universities with a 85 year reputation for excellence in teaching, learning and research.

The University of New England (UNE) was the first Australian university established outside a capital city. With a history extending back to the 1920’s UNE has a well-earned reputation as one of Australia’s best teaching, training and research universities.

Many graduates of UNE have gone on to hold senior positions around Australia - and overseas - in business, government, education, research and community development.

UNE has over 22,000 enrolled students with the majority studying their course online. There are over 4,500 students that study on the University’s traditional Armidale campus, including over 1,200 international students from over 70 different countries.

Choose to study in Armidale, Sydney, Adelaide, or online.



Armidale Campus

UNE's main campus is located in Armidale on the Northern Tablelands of New South Wales, Australia. Armidale is a growing, cosmopolitan city located in a picturesque tree lined setting surrounded by spectacular waterfalls, gorges, world-heritage national parks, and cool-climate vineyards.

UNE offers international students an affordable, quality living and learning experience in a beautiful Australian city. Located outside of a capital city but well serviced by transport links, Armidale offers a different Australian lifestyle experience.



-2 to 27°C
Average
Temperature



30,000
Population



To Sydney
1.15 hr



To Brisbane
1.15 hr





Life at

UNE Armidale

Academic

UNE's Academic Skills Office (ASO) will help you succeed in your studies. Students at UNE can become independent and confident learners with a range of free services and resources.

All UNE students have access the Studiosity service for free. Studiosity makes personalised learning support available to students when they need it, 24/7.

Social

Armidale offers an impressive catalogue of galleries, museums, music gigs and theatre performances. There's a bounty of cafés and restaurants, many of which focus on local ingredients, as well as picturesque national parks, majestic waterfalls and plenty of walking trails to get your fill of mountain air.

Sydney Campus

UNE Sydney welcomes students in specific courses to study from Sydney's multicultural capital Parramatta. Located across various facilities in the Parramatta CBD, UNE Sydney's main building is set in the beautiful historic Post Office at 211 Church St.

Students who choose to study at UNE Sydney will have opportunities to network and explore career paths with Australia's largest and leading companies, along with easy access to countless restaurants, bars and clubs, retail outlets, the scenic outdoors, and accessible public transport to keep you busy outside of their studies.



6-29°C
Average
Temperature



5.93M
Population



To Armidale
1.15 hr



To Armidale
476KM
6 hours





Life at UNE Sydney

Photo by Ken Leanfore

Academic

Students at UNE Sydney are supported by a dedicated team of staff who assist along the life-long student journey. Students will receive personalised, timely, and relevant support on the path to academic success.

Social

Parramatta is home to a vibrant and multicultural demographic, where all people are welcomed and celebrated. This creates an exciting and fun city full of festivals, art, music, night life and heritage. UNE Sydney is located on Church St, which is also known as “Eat Street” - students are able to either grab a coffee or bubble tea between classes, or catch up with friends at any of the countless restaurants, bars and clubs after class.

UNE Adelaide

Studying the Master of Business Administration (International) through Ironwood Institute in Adelaide, South Australia, offers an attractive destination for students looking to live, learn and explore South Australia.

About Ironwood

Ironwood Institute is also a truly international education provider, where overseas students receive a quality education while enjoying Australia's unique culture and lifestyle.

Ironwood has established strong connections with industry and higher education institutions in Australia to offer an ideal platform for students to plan their careers, from gaining hands-on skills to leading the organisations of the future.

Location: L3, 112-118 Rundle Mall

Adelaide SA 5000, Australia



8-29°C
Average
Temperature



1.4M
Population



Sydney to Adelaide
2.5 hours



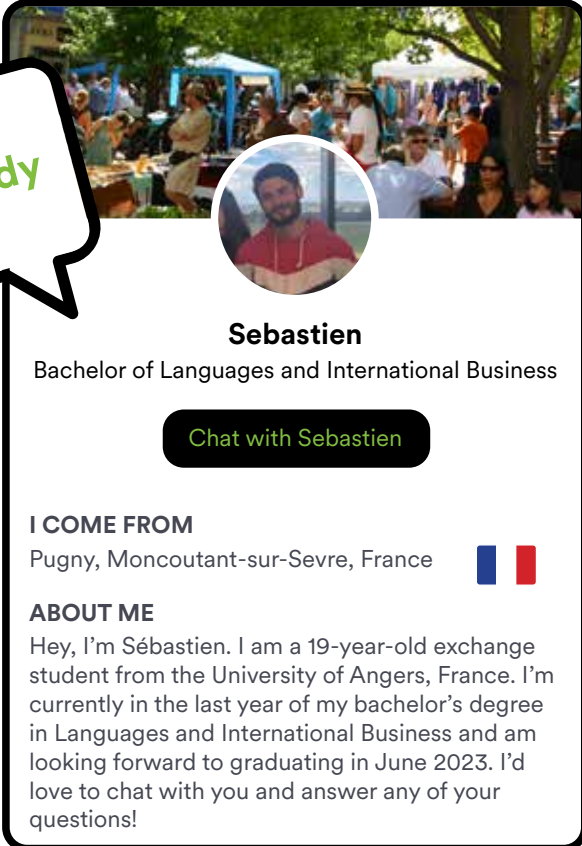
**Adelaide to Armidale
(via Sydney)**
4 hours



UNEBuddy

Do you have a question about studying at the University of New England? 'Chat with' a UNEBuddy. They will be able to offer you a first-hand account of what it's like to study and live in Armidale, Sydney, or Adelaide, Australia.

<https://www.une.edu.au/study/international/contact-us/unibuddy>




The profile card features a circular profile picture of Sebastien, a young man with a beard wearing a red shirt, set against a background of a busy outdoor market. To the left of the card is a large speech bubble with the text 'UNE Buddy' inside.

UNE Buddy

Sebastien
Bachelor of Languages and International Business

[Chat with Sebastien](#)

I COME FROM
Pugny, Moncoutant-sur-Sevre, France 

ABOUT ME
Hey, I'm Sébastien. I am a 19-year-old exchange student from the University of Angers, France. I'm currently in the last year of my bachelor's degree in Languages and International Business and am looking forward to graduating in June 2023. I'd love to chat with you and answer any of your questions!

Chat with:

- Students
- Staff
- Alumni

Study Areas

Arts and Humanities

- Archaeology
- Criminology
- History
- Indigenous Studies
- International Studies
- Languages and Linguistics
- Media and Communications
- Music
- Peace Studies
- Philosophy
- Political Studies
- Religious Studies
- Social Science
- Sustainability
- Theatre and Performance
- Urban and Regional Planning

Business and Law

- Accounting
- Agribusiness
- Agricultural and Resource
- Economics
- Business Administration
- Economic and Regional Development
- Economics
- Finance, Financial Management
- Human Resource Management
- International Business
- Law
- Management
- Marketing
- Organisational Leadership
- Training and Development
- Neuroscience & Business

As a provider of online education, not all programs are available to international students on campus in Armidale, Sydney or Adelaide.

More information about specific courses is available at: my.une.edu.au/courses/

Education

- Early Childhood Education
- Neuroscience & Education
- Teaching (Primary and Secondary)
- Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL)

Environmental and Rural Science

- Agriculture
- Animal Science
- Environmental Science
- Environmental Science and Management
- Rural Science
- Zoology

Health and Nursing

- Nursing
- Psychology
- Social Work

Online Education

Most international students study full time on campus on a student visa however, UNE students can choose to study from overseas or in Australia (on a visa other than a Student Visa) in the online education mode.

Science and Technology

- Biochemistry/Biotechnology
- Biodiversity
- Biomedical Science
- Botany
- Chemistry
- Clinical Exercise Physiology
- Computer Science
- Cybersecurity
- Exercise Science
- Forensic Science
- Genetics
- Geoscience
- Information Technology
- Mathematics
- Medicinal Chemistry
- Microbiology
- Neuroscience
- Palaeobiology
- Pharmacy
- Physics

Adelaide Campus

- International Business

Sydney Campus

- Business
- Cybersecurity
- IT
- Nursing

Teaching Quality

UNE maintains a high-standard for teaching quality; utilising its small student-to-teacher ratio, giving students excellent access to award-winning teachers.

With particular strengths in agriculture, business and nursing, UNE offers unique access to Australia's best educators. Academics who teach at the university are also actively involved in research and many are world experts in their field.

Consumer comparison website CANSTAR Blue awarded UNE 'Most Satisfied Students' in the National Universities, Online Universities and NSW Universities in 2022.

UNE was the only university to receive five stars for Quality of Education, Teaching Staff, Student Support, Career Prospects and Learning Resources in both the National and Online University categories.

Academic Structure

Faculty of Humanities, Arts, Social Sciences, and Education (HASSE)

- School of Humanities,
- Arts and Social Sciences
- School of Education

Faculty of Medicine and Health (M&H)

- School of Health
- School of Psychology
- School of Rural Medicine

Faculty of Science, Agriculture, Business and Law (SABL)

- School of Science and Technology
- School of Environmental and Rural Science
- UNE Business School
- School of Law





UNE Armidale

Accommodation

On campus

UNE provides the complete on-campus experience combining affordability, student support and social life. Graduates consistently rate living at UNE as being 'an affordable lifestyle, priceless experience'. UNE's Residential System gives students the benefit of academic, social and personal support networks and a rich tradition of vibrant inter-college competition in sporting and cultural activities.

UNE's residential accommodation consists of eight colleges, including six traditional college residences, a village of self-contained units and the modern studio apartments complete with private kitchen and bathroom facilities at Wright College.

Off campus

For students who prefer to live off-campus, UNE can assist in finding shared accommodation, private board and local rentals in Armidale. Most students living off-campus choose to live in share houses or apartments. Shared housing is a great way to meet new friends and be a part of a learning and social environment off campus.

More information about accommodation options is available at: <https://www.une.edu.au/study/international/living-in-australia/accommodation/armidale-campus>

UNE Sydney

Accommodation

UNE Sydney campus is located in the suburb of Parramatta. The university partners with the Australian Homestay Network to offer rewarding short-term living options, or you can choose from a variety of long-term private rentals close to UNE Sydney campus.

Short-term housing

A homestay is a cultural exchange between an international student and a local individual or family in the host country. The host provides accommodation and support for an agreed time and rate. Australian Homestay Network organises these arrangements and can tailor your experience to include meals, assistance and other activities.

Long-term housing

The Parramatta area has a range of affordable apartments and share-house options near the university campus. Real estate agents generally manage apartments, while individuals or students manage shared accommodation. Closeby suburbs include Rosehill, Granville, Harris Park, Merrylands, Northmead, Westmead and Wentworthville.

More information about accommodation options is available at: <https://www.une.edu.au/study/international/living-in-australia/accommodation/sydney-campus>



English Language Centre

The English Language Centre (ELC) at UNE Armidale provides a range of English language courses to students and a direct pathway to study at UNE through its English for Academic Purposes (EAP) program.

- Placement Tests for each student on arrival, to ensure the tailoring of programs to student needs
- Guest lectures
- Access to university teaching resources and facilities
- Access to specialised academic resources
- Quality assurance processes that ensure that courses are delivered to the highest standard



Research

UNE currently has more than 700 PhD candidates pursuing fundamental and applied research in areas including agriculture, economics, education, sciences, environmental management, health, and rural medicine.

Areas

- Agricultural Sciences
- Biological Sciences
- Earth Sciences
- Education and Human Society
- Environmental Sciences
- Humanities and Creative Arts
- Mathematical and Computational Sciences
- Medical and Health Sciences

- Palaeoscience Research Centre
- PoultryHub Australia
- The National Centre of Science, Information and Communication Technology, and Mathematics Education for Rural and Regional Australia (SiMERR)

Collaborative Research Centres

- Bushfire and Natural Hazards CRC
- Centre for Innovation in Regional Health
- Cotton Research and Development Corporation
- CRC for Beef Genetic Technologies
- CRC for Remote Economic Participation
- CRC for Spatial Information
- Centre for Invasive Species Solutions
- Food Agility

Centres and Institutes

- Animal Genetics and Breeding Unit (AGBU)
- Centre for Agribusiness
- Centre for Agriculture and Law (AgLaw)
- Centre for Local Government
- Centre for Rural Criminology
- Cotton Hub at UNE
- Manna Institute
- New England Institute of Healthcare Research (NEIHR)

Student Exchange

UNE enables overseas students to study in Australia for one Trimester or one academic year as part of their degree.

Exchange programs are a fantastic way to travel to Australia while still studying for your degree. Come to UNE Armidale on exchange and meet new people, see new places and experience life in the unique growing city of Armidale at the University of New England.

To be eligible for the UNE exchange program, you need to be studying at one of UNE's partner institutions.

Exchange is currently only available at UNE's Armidale campus.



Study Abroad

UNE's fee-paying Study Abroad program lets you explore Australia. Meet new friends in Armidale while you study for your degree!

When you study abroad in Australia, you usually take a leave of absence from your university at home and pay fees to UNE. You can often get a credit towards your degree.

Most importantly, you will have the experience of a lifetime. Your learning environment will bring new wonder and excitement each day. The classrooms at UNE sit within a truly Australian bushland setting.



Community

Armidale

Armidale's population of approximately 30,000 makes it easier to join clubs and organisations, to get to know people and become part of the community.

The city's sporting facilities include a golf course, tennis clubs, outdoor and indoor (heated) swimming pools, gymnasiums, and sailing, bushwalking, orienteering and canoeing/kayaking clubs.

There are also many local sporting teams to participate in (or watch from the sideline) including football, soccer, cricket, hockey, rugby, golf, swimming and athletics.

The Autumn Festival in April is one to mark on the social calendar. An energetic street parade opens the festival, comprising a mix of student, community, sports, and local school floats. Dancers and walking groups bring the city alive. Live music, market stalls, and community groups showcasing many cultures in their traditional dress make for a fun, family-friendly event.



Parramatta, Sydney

Parramatta hosts a multitude of cultural festivals, events, and activities throughout the year. Culture, art, food and music festivals frequent the city, and the campus is located between one of Australia's largest retail outlets and sporting arenas.

Parramatta is home to the Heritage listed Parramatta Park and Commbank Stadium; where you'll find the Rugby League team Parramatta Eels and soccer team Western Sydney Wanderers. Closeby is Sydney Olympic Park where you can attend concerts, sports and Western Sydney Giants AFL games.

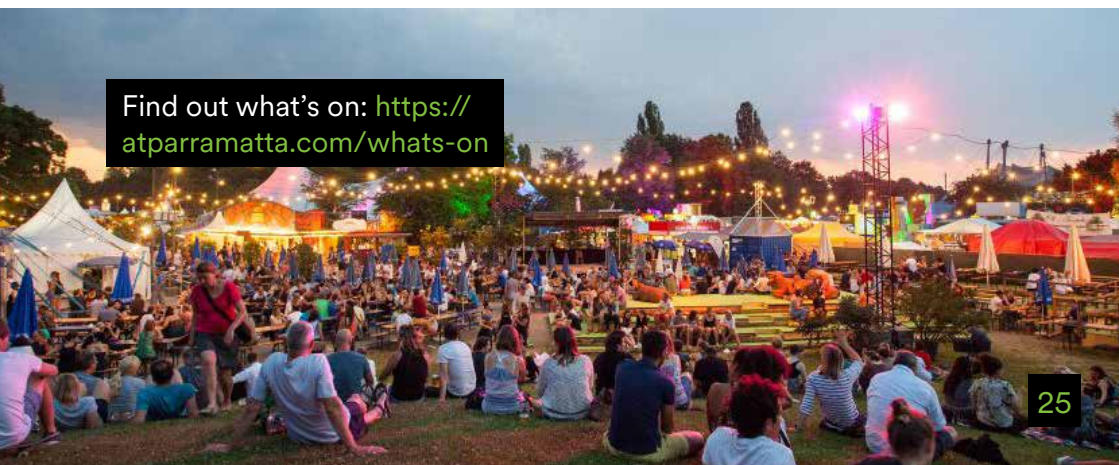
The University also participates in various events within the local business community.

Students will always have somewhere and something to go to with their classmates, friends and family.



Photo by Cassandra Hannagan

Find out what's on: <https://atparramatta.com/whats-on>



Living Costs

As a UNE international student, your living costs will depend on whether you are in Australia on your own, or with your family.

Cost of living in Armidale

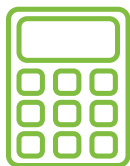
To help you estimate what you need, we provide approximate costs for everyday items and services.

<https://www.une.edu.au/study/international/living-in-australia/living-costs>



Cost of living in Sydney

For those international students who choose to study at UNE Sydney, cost of living in the big city will be a little higher. The Cost of Living Calculator in collaboration with Insider Guides, will assist you to estimate how much it could cost to have the lifestyle you choose in Australia.



<https://insiderguides.com.au/cost-of-living-calculator/>



Internships

UNE's Professional Internship Program connects students with opportunity. We match students and graduates with global businesses, drawing on established networks and shared experiences.

How our program will benefit you

- Gain real-world industry experience
- Build your foundational skills
- Learn Australian workplace culture
- Build your professional network
- Receive ongoing support

How do our internships work?

- Duration of 12 weeks unpaid internship
- Two business days per week
- On-site and remote internships

Benefits and inclusions

- Mentorship from a supervisor
- Local work experience
- Resume & LinkedIn workshops



Graduate Attributes

Attributes of a UNE Graduate, applies to both undergraduate and postgraduate students. Our graduate attributes are:

Knowledge of a discipline



Graduates will have knowledge of their discipline including a global perspective.

Communication skills



Graduates will convey ideas and information effectively to a range of audiences.

Problem solving



Graduates will apply logical, critical and creative thinking to solve a range of problems.

Information literacy



Graduates will recognise when information is needed, and identify, evaluate, and effectively use information as required.

Ethical conduct and social responsibility



Graduates will be able to recognise, reflect on and respond appropriately to social, cultural and ethical issues.

Lifelong learning



Graduates will be prepared for lifelong learning in pursuit of personal and professional development.

Independence & collaboration



Graduates will work independently and collaboratively to achieve individual and common goals.

UNE provides experiences and opportunities conducive to the development of each attribute during a student's time at UNE, and encourages students to be partners in acquiring attributes to enhance their post-university opportunities.

Employability

We're here to help you with your study, your career development and life outside of the classroom. From administrative to personal support services, our goal is to ensure your university life is the best preparation for your work life!

<https://www.une.edu.au/current-students/support/student-support/career-development>

- In 2022 employment rates among international graduates reached their highest level on record.*
- The full-time employment rate for international graduates rose by 14.7 per cent from 2021 to sit at 57.7 per cent.*
- UNE was in the top three performing universities for domestic full-time graduate employment outcomes at (86.8 per cent).*

* Graduate Outcomes Survey (GOS)

The GOS is completed by graduates of Australian higher education institutions approximately four to six months after finishing their studies. The GOS measures short-term employment outcomes including skills utilisation, further study activities, and graduate satisfaction.



Apply

- 1 Complete the online application.
une.edu.au/study/international/apply
- 2 UNE will assess your completed application. If you meet the academic requirements, a conditional or unconditional Offer Letter will be issued.
- 3 If your admission application is not successful, UNE will advise you in writing.
- 4 You may be required to undergo additional Genuine Temporary Entrant (GTE) assessment. Your Offer Letter will tell you if you are required to do this.
- 5 Once you have met all admission conditions, you should formally accept your Offer and arrange payment of fees as outlined in your Offer letter.
- 6 UNE will process your acceptance and issue a Confirmation of Enrolment (CoE) for your visa application.
- 7 If you are coming to study on campus, you should arrange your travel and accommodation as soon as you have your Student Visa granted.



If you apply to UNE through an approved agent, please note that all correspondence relating to your application will be sent to that agent.

Find an authorised UNE agent at:
<https://eap.ascentone.com/une>



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