



Why choose Griffith ?

A global career choice

Ranked in the top 4% of universities worldwide (Times HES-QS World Ranking) Griffith University's global perspective is preparing graduates for workplaces of the future. As a Griffith graduate you will have the versatility to be mobile across careers and countries.

- > As a founding member of Innovative Research Universities Australia (IRU -Australia) Griffith has a reputation for identifying emerging career fields and pioneering innovative degree programs for tomorrow's global job market.
- > First in Australia to offer International Business, Asian Studies, Multimedia, Microelectronic Engineering and an education alliance in Aviation studies.
www.griffith.edu.au/future-students
- > To match your desired career goals with one of our new innovative degree programs access Griffith Career Search.
www.griffith.edu.au/searchacareer
- > With our Career Smarter Program, Griffith will help you establish a clearer picture at the start of your studies so you can develop the skills and confidence to be work-ready. Our staff at career services can also assist you to find part-time employment during the course of your studies.
www.griffith.edu.au/careers
- > Griffith graduates are successful leaders in their fields around the world, so you will continue to forge useful contacts internationally in our ever-growing alumni community.
www.griffith.edu.au/development-alumni

Areas of study include

- > Accounting, Banking and Finance
- > Applied Linguistics
- > Asian Studies
- > Aviation
- > Biotechnology
- > Communication
- > Dentistry and Oral Health
- > Education
- > Engineering
- > Environmental Science
- > Film, Television and Photography
- > Graphic, Interior and 3D Design
- > Health
- > Humanities and Social Sciences
- > Information Technology
- > International Business
- > Journalism
- > Law, Criminology and Criminal Justice
- > Marine Biology and Ecotourism
- > Multimedia Studies
- > Music and Music Technology
- > Nursing and Public Health
- > Pharmacy
- > Physiotherapy and Exercise Science
- > Psychology
- > Science
- > Sport Management
- > Tourism and Hotel Management
- > Visual and Creative Arts



In 2007, Griffith University was the **number one** Australian university destination for students from 23 countries, including Canada, Japan, Sweden, United Arab Emirates and Zimbabwe.



Come join our global community

- > 8 800 international students from 123 countries.
- > The Griffith Exchange Program provides you with the opportunity to increase your edge in global employability with access to a global network of over 200 partner universities.
- > Constantly ranked in Australia's top 10 research institutions our leading academics are working on international partnerships in critical areas of research including :
 - > Water
 - > Drug discovery
 - > Asian politics, trade and development
 - > Climate change adaptation
 - > Criminology
 - > Music, the Arts and the Asia Pacific
 - > Innovations in health care
 - > Tourism

Key Dates 2009

Semester 1 (Approximately 17 weeks)

* Orientation	16 - 20 February
Start date	2 March
Mid-semester vacation	13 - 17 April
End of teaching	5 June
Study week	8 - 12 June
Examinations	15 - 26 June
Inter-semester vacation	29 June - 24 July

Semester 2 (Approximately 17 weeks)

* Orientation	13 - 17 July
Start date	27 July
Mid-semester vacation	28 September - 2 October
End of teaching	30 October
Study week	2 - 6 November
Examinations	9 - 20 November

* **Please note:** the Study Abroad and Exchange Student Orientation program dates may vary from those detailed above please check www.griffith.edu.au/studyabroad

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Griffith in 2008

9th largest in Australia	37 800
International Students	8 800
Campuses	5 (Nathan, Gold Coast, Mt Gravatt, Logan, South Bank)
Research Centres	38
Undergraduate Programs	268
Postgraduate Programs	382
Research Programs	104
Exchange Partners	215

Griffith Profile

- > 2008 Australia's leader in Environmental Science with AU\$50 million invested into the National Climate Change Adaptation Research Facility (NCCARF).
- > 2008 Australia's new headquarters for Center of Excellence in Policing and Security (CEPS), located at Nathan campus.
- > 2008 One of the first Australian universities to share its lectures, research and campus life online through the iTunes store website.
www.griffith.edu.au/podcasts/itunes-u
- > 2007 Times HES-QS World Universities Ranking, Griffith ranked 309th overall with Griffith Social Sciences ranked 235th, placing it in the top 4% of institutions worldwide.
- > 2007 Griffith's Accounting and Finance Research is ranked 72nd in the world (Accounting & Finance Vol 47, Issue 2).
- > 2007 Australia's largest and most modern film school with a new state-of-the-art film facility at the South Bank cultural precinct.
- > 2007 Graduate Management Association of Australia (GMAA) 5 star rating for MBA, MBA Advanced and MBA Honours (6 years running).
- > 2007 Finalist in the Queensland Tourism Awards for Excellence in Education and Training.
- > 2005 Ranked the 6th smartest and most innovative company in Australia (Business Review Weekly Vol 27, No 10).

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