Most Postgraduate students pay tuition fees, however, limited Postgraduate Commonwealth Supported Places are available to eligible students in some UNSW programs, listed below. Commonwealth Supported Places are not available to students undertaking study at UNSW Canberra at ADFA or the UNSW Business School (including AGSM MBA Programs).

A Commonwealth Supported Place is a higher education place for which the Government makes a contribution towards the cost of the student's education. Students pay a Student Contribution amount (previously known as HECS charges), which varies depending on courses undertaken. For a definition of Commonwealth Support refer to Study Assist.

How to apply

Applications are submitted either directly to UNSW or the Universities Admissions Centre (UAC). Please refer to Apply Online for details and application closing dates.

Students who receive an offer for a Commonwealth supported place (outlined in offer letter) are required to accept their offer and complete the ‘Request for a Commonwealth Supported Place and HECS-HELP Loan’ Commonwealth Assistance Form (CAF) electronically. The electronic CAF will be offered to eligible students as part of the ‘Part 2’ online acceptance and enrolment process by the relevant census date.

Please see Getting Started for more information on acceptance.

Important: Commonwealth supported places are subject to availability at the time of application. If you are enrolled or intending to enrol in the following programs please note that a Commonwealth Supported Place is not guaranteed.

Available programs in 2017

Art & Design

Art

9314 Master of Art - all plans
5307 Graduate Diploma in Art - all plans
7307 Graduate Certificate in Art - all plans

Curating and Cultural Leadership

9318 Master of Curating and Cultural Leadership - all plans
5312 Graduate Diploma in Cultural Leadership - all plans
7318 Graduate Certificate in Cultural Leadership - all plans
Design

9313 Master of Design - all plans
5306 Graduate Diploma in Design - all plans
7306 Graduate Certificate in Design - all plans

Arts & Social Sciences

Counselling

8930 Master of Counselling Social Work

Development Studies

8942 Master of Development Studies - all plans

Education

8910 Master of Education - all plans
8926 Master of Teaching (Secondary) - all plans
7327 Graduate Certificate in Teaching - all plans
7401 Graduate Certificate in Education - all plans
8960 Master of Educational Leadership
7960 Graduate Certificate in Educational Leadership
7375 Graduate Certificate in University Learning and Teaching

Indigenous Studies

8223 Master of Indigenous Studies - all plans
5223 Graduate Diploma in Indigenous Studies - all plans
7223 Graduate Certificate in Indigenous Studies - all plans

Interpreting and Translation

8202 Master of Interpreting
8203 Master of Translation
8204 Master of Translation and Interpreting

Built Environment

Architecture

8143 Master of Architecture - all plans
Planning

8148 Master of City Planning - all plans

Engineering

Biomedical Engineering

- **8660 - Master of Biomedical Engineering**
  Academic plan: All
- **5449 - Graduate Diploma of Biomedical Engineering**
  Academic plan: BIOMAS5449
- **8338 - Master of Engineering Science**
  Academic plan: BIOMBS8338

Civil and Environmental Engineering

- **8338 - Master of Engineering Science**
  Academic plans:
  - Civil Engineering - CVENZS8338
  - Environmental Engineering - CVENMT8338
  - Geospatial Engineering - CVENNT8338
  - Geotechnical Eng & Eng Geology - CVENRT8338
  - Project Management - CVENFT8338
  - Structural Engineering - CVENXS8338
  - Sustainable Systems - ENGGAS8338
  - Transport Engineering - CVENCT8338
  - Water Engineering: Catchments - CVENIT8338
  - Water, Wastewater & Waste Eng - CVENKT8338
- **5341 - Graduate Diploma of Engineering Science**
  Academic plans:
  - Civil Engineering - CVENAT5341
  - Environmental Engineering - CVENDT5341
  - Geospatial Engineering - CVENPT5341
  - Geotechnical Eng & Eng Geology - CVENST5341
  - Project Management - CVENET5341
  - Structural Engineering - CVENWS5341
  - Transport Engineering - CVENBT5341
  - Water Engineering: Catchments - CVENHT5341
  - Water, Wastewater & Waste Eng - CVENJT5341
- **7320 - Graduate Certificate of Engineering Science**
  Academic plans:
  - Civil Engineering - CVENTG7320
  - Geospatial Engineering - CVENOT7320

Computer Science and Engineering

- **8543 - Master of Information Technology**
  Academic plan: All
- **5543 - Graduate Diploma of Information Technology**
  Academic plan: All
- **7543 - Graduate Certificate of Computing**
  Academic plan: All

Electrical Engineering and Telecommunications
8338 - Master of Engineering Science
Academic plans:
Nuclear Engineering - ENGGPS8338
Satellite Systems Engineering - ELECOS8338

Mechanical and Manufacturing Engineering

8338 - Master of Engineering Science
Academic plans:
Manufacturing Engineering and Management - MANFCS8338
Mechanical Engineering - MECHIS8338

5341 - Graduate Diploma of Engineering Science
Academic plans:
Manufacturing Engineering and Management - MANFFS5341
Mechanical Engineering - MECHZS5341

Photovoltaics and Solar Energy

8338 - Master of Engineering Science
Academic plans:
Photovoltaics and Solar Energy - SOLACS8338
Renewable Energy - SOLADS8338

5341 - Graduate Diploma of Engineering Science
Academic plans:
Photovoltaics and Solar Energy - SOLAES5341
Renewable Energy - SOLAFS5341

Note: This program offers both DFEE and CSP rates. See www.law.unsw.edu.au for more information.

Law

9150 Juris Doctor - all plans

Medicine

Health Management*

8901 Master or Health Management - all plans
8902 Master of Health Management (Extension) - all plans
5509 Graduate Diploma in Health Management - all plans
7360 Graduate Certificate in Health Management - all plans

Public Health*

9045 Master of Public Health - all plans
5507 Graduate Diploma in Public Health - all plans
7368 Graduate Certificate in Public Health - all plans
9046 Master of Public Health (Extension) - all plans

International Public Health
Master of International Public Health - all plans
Graduate Diploma in International Public Health - all plans
Graduate Certificate in International Public Health - all plans

Infectious Diseases Intelligence
Master of Infectious Diseases Intelligence
Graduate Diploma in Infectious Diseases Intelligence
Graduate Certificate in Infectious Diseases Intelligence

Dual Degrees
Master of Public Health / Health Management - all plans
Master of International Public Health / Master of Public Health - all plans
Master of International Public Health / Master of Health Management - all plans
Master of Int'l Public Health (Extn)/ Master of Public Health
Master of Int'l Public Health (Extn)/ Master of Health Mang't
Master of Int'l Public Health/ Master of Public Health (Extn)
Master of Public Health (Extn)/ Master of Health Management
Master of Public Health/Master of Health Management (Extn)
Master of Int'l Public Health/Master of Health Mang't (Extn)

* Note: All programs in Public Health / Health Management offer both DFEE and CSP places. Please refer to http://www.sphcm.med.unsw.edu.au/ for more information

Science
Mathematics
Master of Mathematics - plan MATHNS8719
Master of Financial Mathematics - plan MATHFS8161

Ocular Therapy
Graduate Certificate in Ocular Therapeutics - plan OPTMDS7436

Psychology
Master of Psychology (Clinical) - all plans
Master of Psychology (Forensic) - all plans
Master of Psychology (Organisational) - all plans

Science
5304 Graduate Diploma (Research) - plans BABSAS5304 and PHYSLS5304

Statistics

8750 Master of Statistics - plan MATHTS8750

5659 Graduate Diploma in Statistics - plan MATHTS5659

7659 Graduate Certificate in Statistics - plan MATHTS7659