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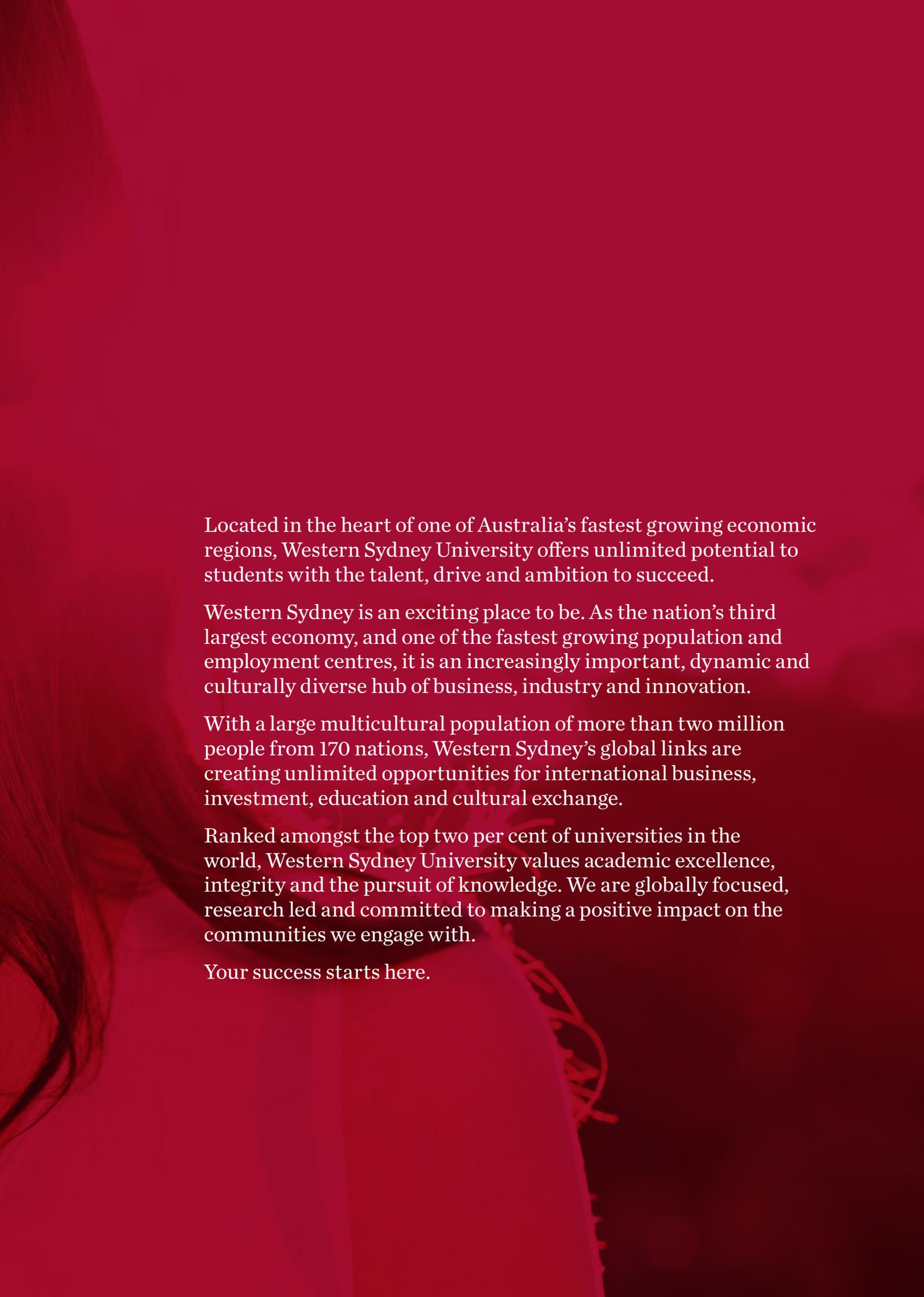


PSYCHOLOGY  
2019





**WE ARE  
WESTERN  
SYDNEY**



Located in the heart of one of Australia's fastest growing economic regions, Western Sydney University offers unlimited potential to students with the talent, drive and ambition to succeed.

Western Sydney is an exciting place to be. As the nation's third largest economy, and one of the fastest growing population and employment centres, it is an increasingly important, dynamic and culturally diverse hub of business, industry and innovation.

With a large multicultural population of more than two million people from 170 nations, Western Sydney's global links are creating unlimited opportunities for international business, investment, education and cultural exchange.

Ranked amongst the top two per cent of universities in the world, Western Sydney University values academic excellence, integrity and the pursuit of knowledge. We are globally focused, research led and committed to making a positive impact on the communities we engage with.

Your success starts here.

# WESTERN'S HSC TRUE REWARD EARLY OFFER PROGRAM.

## WE SEE THE AWESOME IN YOU.

Most people are good at something. What's your passion? Do you excel at English literature? Are you a mental mathematician? An advocate for social justice? A designer extraordinaire? Do you breathe foreign languages?

It's important to acknowledge and play to your strengths because, ultimately, your strengths will determine your future. This is the premise behind Western Sydney University's HSC True Reward - a unique early offer program that recognises the strengths of each individual.

True Reward offers you a place at Western before you receive your ATAR, on the basis of relevant HSC subject results. Why? Because at Western we recognise that too often, the ATAR system overlooks natural strengths and talent.

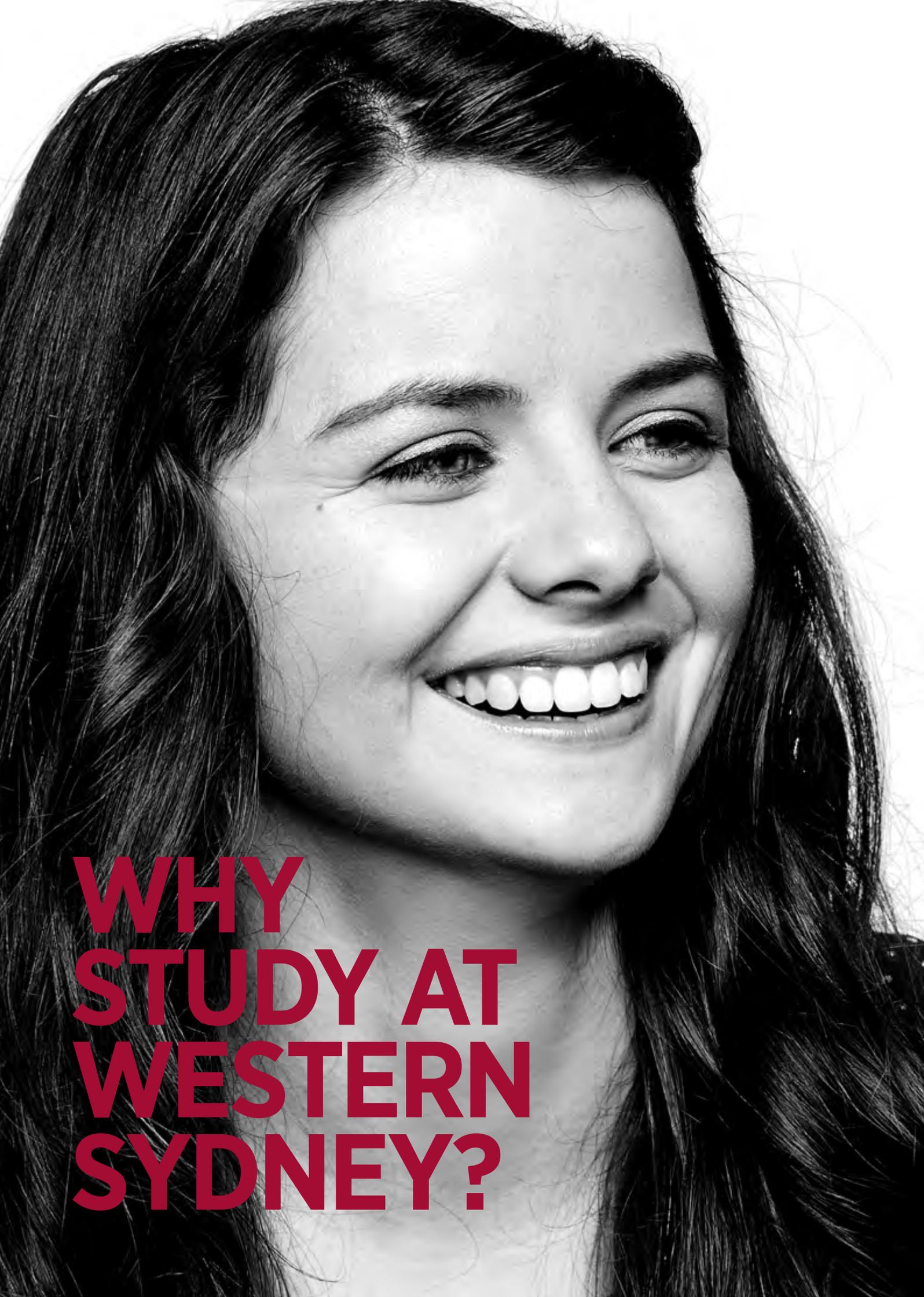
At Western, we see the awesome in you. We recognise that you are much more than your ATAR. True Reward focuses on the scores that reflect your strong points.

True Reward is a better system. It's a more equitable system. It's a system that makes sense.

True Reward acknowledges the idea that if you're good at something, you're just what Western is looking for.

Find out more about True Reward and how to apply - visit [westernsydney.edu.au/hscruereward](https://westernsydney.edu.au/hscruereward)





**WHY  
STUDY AT  
WESTERN  
SYDNEY?**

### → MAKE SENSE OF WHO WE ARE

Psychology at Western will open your mind to a world of possibilities. Because Western ranks among the world's top universities for Psychology, you'll learn from respected experts in the field. Our Psychology courses emphasise community needs, equipping you to make a positive difference to health, work, education, relationships and family life. Career options can include clinical psychology, forensic psychology, policy development, human resources, community services, youth work and more.

### → PROTECT THE NET

Get skills to manage and mitigate cyber-related security issues. Discover careers in cyber security and intelligence, cybercrime and social engineering. Our Cyber Security and Behaviour degree is not an accredited psychology degree.

### → PREPARE FOR A BROAD RANGE OF CAREERS

If you are fascinated by the human psyche and excited by the prospects of positively impacting human health, work, education, relationships and family life, consider Psychology. A Western Sydney University Psychology degree opens doors to numerous professional careers, including clinical psychology, forensic psychology, policy development, human resource consultancy, vocational assessment, juvenile justice, family and community services, and youth work.

### → FLEXIBLE LEARNING ENVIRONMENT

Led by internationally recognised psychology academics and practitioners, the University's Psychology program combines biological, cognitive, neurological, social, developmental and personality theories in a flexible learning environment. This is complemented by research expertise and a solid grounding in foundations for practical experience during postgraduate programs.

### → GAIN FULL ACCREDITATION

Our Psychology degrees are fully accredited and provide clear pathways from an undergraduate level to a professional career in psychology. They offer professional recognition, industry-based projects and placements (at the postgraduate level), broad unit choices, full-time or part-time study, exciting career options, a balance of theory and practical applications, local and international work experience opportunities, research projects and scholarships.

### → OUR RESEARCH HAS GLOBAL IMPACT

We see learning and research as connected aspects of the student experience. Our research ethos is underpinned by a commitment to make positive change in the world, putting you close to world-leading research that is changing lives in the communities we serve.

### → ENJOY GREAT CAMPUS FACILITIES

Each University campus is directly linked to the Western Sydney community and reflects the cultural diversity, energy and growth of the region. Facilities include libraries, gyms, computer laboratories, wireless internet, cafes, bars, tennis courts, swimming pools and open space. Psychology degrees are offered on our Bankstown, Parramatta and Penrith campuses.

### → GAIN FURTHER PRACTICAL EXPERIENCE

Through our exciting partnership with Wesley Mission, a major provider of health and other services in our region, you have the opportunity to complete certificated mental health workforce training alongside your Psychology degree. This will allow you to gain additional job ready skills at a time you choose in a way that complements your training in the science of psychology.

### → FREE DIGITAL TEXTBOOKS

Western was the first university to provide all the digital textbooks for your first year units for free. We are pleased to be offering the benefit of free digital textbooks for first year units to students once again in 2019! That's up to \$800 in value. Why? Because money shouldn't stand between you and opportunity. Discover more about free digital textbooks at [westernsydney.edu.au/textbooks](http://westernsydney.edu.au/textbooks)

# Future thinking. Unlimited possibilities. The Academy at Western Sydney University.

Success is not just about getting a degree, but also developing the critical thinking and leadership skills to support a successful career.

It's about learning skills for your chosen life, not just a job.

The Academy at Western Sydney University offers advanced degrees that prepare you to thrive in the face of change and seize success at every opportunity. Whether your dream is to achieve as a professional, an entrepreneur or an academic, you will learn to think differently and creatively in whatever you do.

The Academy offers high-achieving students a unique, hands-on approach to learning in an interdisciplinary environment. Led by Professor Jonathon Allen, The Academy draws on the unique experience of leading thinkers, social change agents, community leaders, and high-achieving students both past and present.

With a focus on ethical leadership and critical thinking, built on the pillars of academic rigour, community engagement, and professional and personal development, The Academy offers students access to:

- unprecedented opportunities for industry and real-life experience
- world-class research, researchers, teachers, experts and innovation labs
- travel to national and international leadership experiences and conferences
- a range of professional and personal development workshops
- internship, service learning and volunteering opportunities
- personalised career planning
- mentorship programs
- applied leadership experience in student-led, community-focused projects.

Visit [westernsydney.edu.au/theacademy](https://westernsydney.edu.au/theacademy) for more information.



The Academy

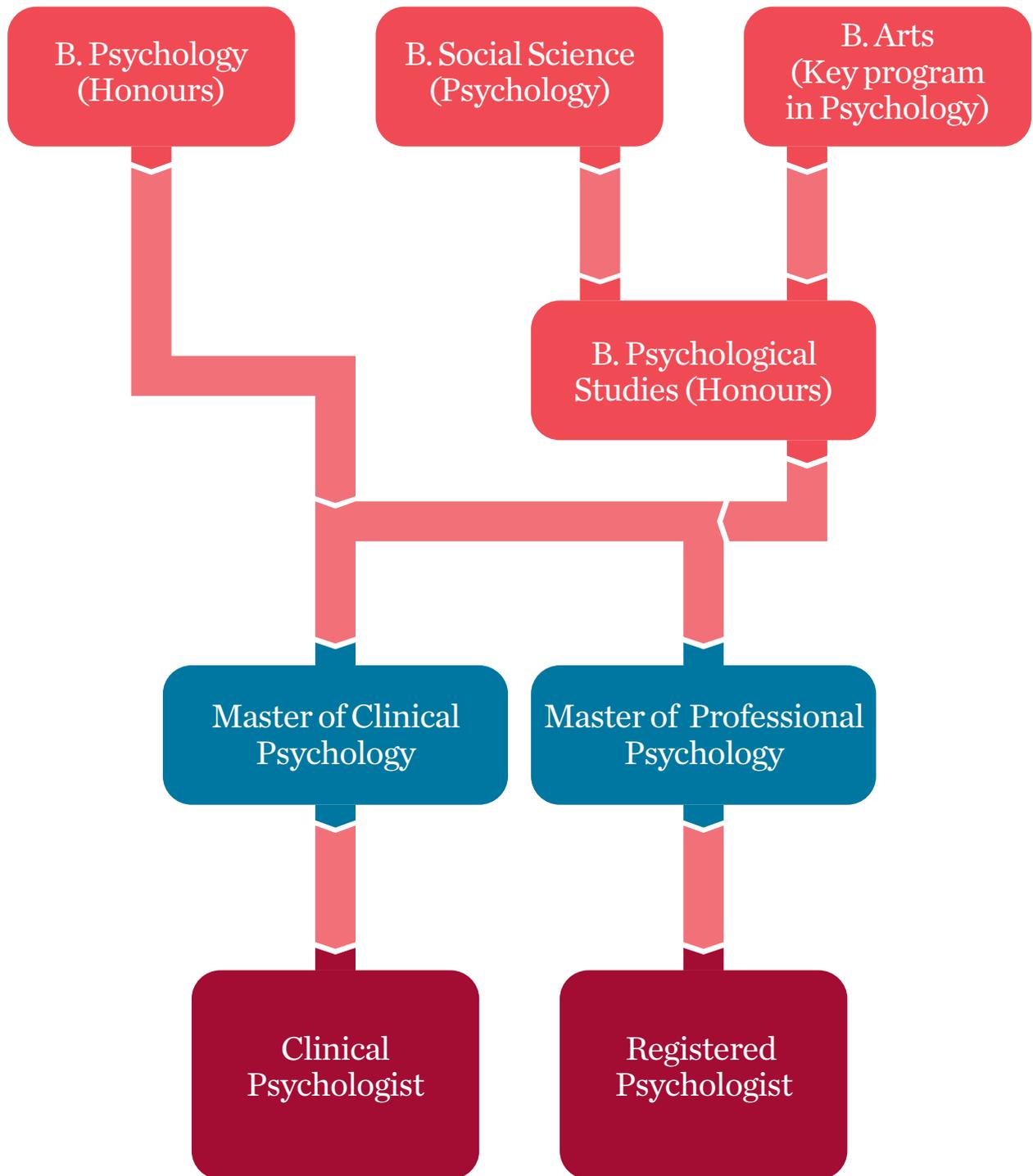


**THINK  
BIG**



# PSYCHOLOGY

## Degree Pathways



A Western Sydney University Psychology degree opens doors to numerous professional careers, including forensic psychology, policy development, human resource consultancy, juvenile justice, family and community services, and youth work.

# Bachelor of Psychology (Honours)



Accredited Course



COURSE	UAC CODE	CRICOS CODE	WS CODE	INTAKE	LOCATION	DURATION	ATAR
B Psychology (Honours)	727501	041143A	1865	March/July	Bankstown	4F/8P	87.95
	727502	041143A	1865	March/July	Parramatta	4F/8P	89.05
	727506	041143A	1865	March/July	Penrith	4F/8P	87.00

**Key:** B = Bachelor of; F = Full-time; P = Part-time.

**Note:** Part-time refers to study load, not to timetabling of evening classes.

Our Bachelor of Psychology (Honours) degree is your opportunity to understand all the things that influence human behaviour. Topics covered in this degree include: the way the brain works, how we learn, what our emotions are about, how we process information to make decisions, why no two people are the same in the ways they think, feel and act, how we develop across the lifespan, and the broad spectrum of mental health issues that affect our lives.

At Western Sydney University, we give our students a thorough grounding in the core areas of psychology so they are equipped for a range of career options after graduation, including going on to become a practising psychologist. You will also learn how to do the research needed to discover more about human behaviour and answer questions about things we don't yet understand. In addition to the core units, you will also have the choice of electives in areas of research excellence.

As a four-year degree, the Bachelor of Psychology (Honours) gives you a thorough scientific understanding of psychology. Importantly, it is strongly vocational, equipping you with the specialist psychological and research skills you will need to enter the workforce as a provisionally registered psychologist or to proceed to advanced study.

## PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION

Completion of the Bachelor of Psychology (Honours) will fulfil the Australian Psychology Accreditation Council requirements for a four-year sequence in psychology. The course satisfies the educational requirements for provisional registration as a psychologist with the Psychology Board of Australia. The course also meets the associate membership requirements of the Australian Psychological Society. A minimum of two years further study and/or supervised experience as a psychologist is required before full registration of provisionally registered psychologists.

Entry into any fourth year program is competitive, and has a minimum entry standard of an average admission mark of 70+ in second and third year units, including credit or higher grade in the majority of the Level 2 and Level 3 psychology units..

Students who have successfully completed the first three years, but who do not achieve this standard, will graduate with the Bachelor of Psychological Studies.

## CORE UNITS AND ELECTIVES

To graduate with a Bachelor of Psychology (Honours), you will be required to complete 24 units, followed by an Honours year. Some of the core units you may study in this degree include: Brain and Behaviour; Perception; Cognitive Processes; and Developmental Psychology.

The Bachelor of Psychology (Honours) includes a choice of additional psychology units to study as part of a Psychology extension sub-major and eight open elective units that can be chosen from other courses offered by the University.

For detailed information about the course structure and units, visit [westernsydney.edu.au/future](http://westernsydney.edu.au/future)

## INDIGENOUS AUSTRALIAN STUDIES

Enrolment in the Indigenous Australian Studies (IAS) major, sub-major or units is available to all Western Sydney undergraduate students who have open electives. For more information visit [westernsydney.edu.au/future](http://westernsydney.edu.au/future) or refer to the University Handbook.

## CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

As a graduate of Psychology, you will enjoy a range of career possibilities, including roles in:

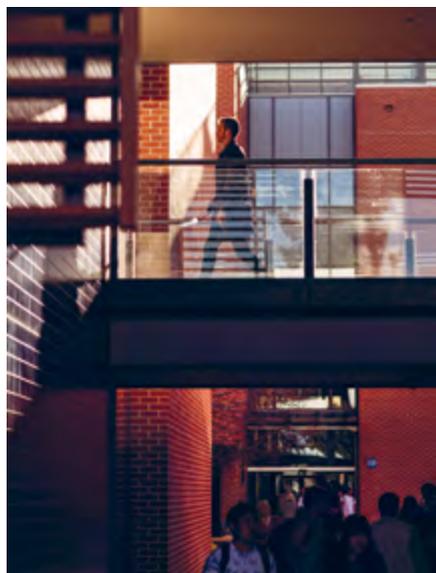
- psychology or research positions in both government departments and the private sector in clinical, industrial and organisational psychology
- counselling psychology
- vocational psychology
- clinical psychology
- disability services
- educational and developmental psychology
- psychology and the law
- media
- human resources
- community psychology
- forensic psychology
- organisational psychology
- sports psychology.

## Aimee Chugg

### BACHELOR OF PSYCHOLOGY

"The campus at Bankstown is spacious and aesthetically constructed, with plenty of garden areas just to sit and rest. Research is probably my favourite part of my studies at Western."

# Bachelor of Social Science (Psychology)



COURSE	UAC CODE	CRICOS CODE	WS CODE	INTAKE	LOCATION	DURATION	ATAR
B Social Science (Psychology)	727600	082919G	1711	March	Liverpool/Bankstown	3F/6P	78.60
	727601	082919G	1711	March	Parramatta	3F/6P	78.00
	727605	082919G	1711	March	Penrith	3F/6P	78.00

**Key:** B = Bachelor of; F = Full-time; P = Part-time.

**Note:** Part-time refers to study load, not to timetabling of evening classes. This course is also offered by WSU Online. WS Code 1711.

The Bachelor of Social Science (Psychology) combines a broadly based, interdisciplinary social sciences three-year program with an undergraduate accredited sequence in Psychology that is a foundation for anyone wishing to go on to further study to become a psychologist.

Psychology uses scientific techniques and methods to understand human cognition, affect and behaviour. This combination provides interdisciplinary and specialist knowledge that will mesh with a broad spectrum of career opportunities.

Opportunities to progress to Honours and postgraduate awards make this degree distinct and attractive. There is a high demand for graduates in the mental health workforce, as well as in related disciplines.

### PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION

Completion of the program will fulfil the Australian Psychology Accreditation Council three-year sequence in psychology requirements. Completion of an accredited fourth year will satisfy the educational requirements for provisional registration as a psychologist with the Psychology Board of Australia and the associate membership requirements of the Australian Psychological Society. A minimum of two years further study and/or supervised experience as a psychologist is required before full registration of provisionally registered psychologists.

### FURTHER STUDIES

With the accredited sequence in Psychology, an additional Honours year is available to high-achieving students. Information about Honours will be provided to you as you progress through your Bachelor degree, or you can find out more at [westernsydney.edu.au/future](http://westernsydney.edu.au/future)

### CORE UNITS AND ELECTIVES

To graduate with a Bachelor of Social Science (Psychology), you will be required to complete 24 units. While the major study is Psychology, required sub-majors include either: Child and Community; Criminology and Criminal Justice; Geography and Urban Studies; Heritage and Tourism; Peace and Development Studies; Social Sciences; or Sociology.

For detailed information about the course structure and units, visit [westernsydney.edu.au/future](http://westernsydney.edu.au/future)

### CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Psychological knowledge and skills are welcomed across professional destinations. When combined with the social sciences, opportunities are available in the areas of tourism, sociology, peace and development, policing, and counselling in both government and private sectors.

The Psychology sequence leads to further study and supervision to achieve registration as a psychologist with the Psychology Board of Australia (PsyBA).

Entry to specialist endorsed psychology fields (clinical, health, forensic, community, sports, counselling, educational and developmental psychology) begins with the Psychology sequence offered in the Bachelor of Social Science (Psychology).

# Bachelor of Arts (with a Key Program in Psychology)



## Mark Lathouwers

### THE COLLEGE, FAST TRACK (ARTS), BA (PSYCHOLOGY KEY PROGRAM)

"The facilities are very good, and the labs are state of the art. After this course, I hope to go on to my Honours, my Masters, and eventually complete my PhD. The opportunities to do further studies after graduation are very exciting."

COURSE	UAC CODE	CRICOS CODE	WS CODE	INTAKE	LOCATION	DURATION	ATAR
B Arts (with a Key Program in Psychology)	720510	040992A	1706	March/July	Bankstown	3F/6P	77.30
	720515	040992A	1706	March/July	Parramatta	3F/6P	75.00
	720518	040992A	1706	March/July	Penrith	3F/6P	75.00

**Key:** B = Bachelor of; F = Full-time; P = Part-time.

**Note:** Part-time refers to study load, not to timetabling of evening classes.

If your interest in psychology is fuelled by a desire to understand its applications across the broad base of human endeavours, consider a Western Sydney University Bachelor of Arts, with a key program in Psychology.

This degree offers a 12-unit accredited Psychology key program. As this sequence is accredited by the Australian Psychology Accreditation Council, it allows you to go on to apply for postgraduate study in psychology, the next step to becoming a practising psychologist.

While covering the core areas in psychology, this course develops your communication and personal skills, as well as your creativity, capacity for independent thought, adaptability to new situations and problem-solving skills. Your electives can come from many other degree programs taught across the University – broadening your abilities in cultural, historical and/or social analysis.

Psychological literacies are in demand so students may have an interest in psychology without wanting to become a psychologist. By completing a Bachelor of Arts with just the eight unit psychological studies major (that is not accredited), you can broaden your knowledge, making possible a wider range of more general career outcomes outside of 'pure psychology'.

### PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION

Completion of the Psychology key program, including 12 specified Psychology units, will fulfil the Australian Psychology Accreditation Council (APAC) three-year sequence in psychology requirements. Completion of an accredited fourth year will satisfy the educational requirements for provisional registration as a psychologist with the Psychology Board of Australia and the associate membership requirements of the Australian Psychological Society. A minimum of two years further study and/or supervised experience as a psychologist is required before full registration of provisionally registered psychologists. The psychological studies major does not meet APAC requirements for an accredited sequence in psychology.

Entry into the Bachelor of Psychological Studies (Honours) is competitive, and has a minimum entry standard of an average admission mark of 70+ in second and third year units, including an average admission mark of 70+ in Psychology units.

### CORE UNITS AND ELECTIVES

To graduate with a Bachelor of Arts (with a Key Program in Psychology), you will be required to complete 24 units. The core units you may study in this degree include: Psychology: Human Behaviour; Psychology: Behavioural Science; Brain and Behaviour; Motivation and Emotion; Perception; and Social Psychology.

There are up to eight electives within the Bachelor of Arts (with a Key Program in Psychology). The elective component of the degree may be structured around other Arts specialisations including: International Relations and Asian Studies; Cultural and Social Analysis; English; History and Political Thought; Languages; Education; or Social Ecology.

For detailed information about the course structure and units, visit [westernsydney.edu.au/future](http://westernsydney.edu.au/future)

### FURTHER STUDIES

With the accredited sequence in Psychology, an additional Honours year is available to high-achieving students. Information about Honours will be provided to you as you progress through your Bachelor degree, or you can find out more at [westernsydney.edu.au/future](http://westernsydney.edu.au/future)

### CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

With an accredited Psychology sequence in the Bachelor of Arts, you can pursue many of the same career options made available by the Bachelor of Psychology, including roles in:

- psychology or research positions in both government departments and the private sector in clinical, industrial and organisational psychology
- counselling psychology
- vocational psychology
- clinical psychology
- educational and developmental psychology
- psychology and the law
- marketing and media
- human resources
- community psychology
- forensic psychology
- sport psychology.

The Bachelor of Arts (with a Key Program in Psychology) degree opens doors to careers in diverse fields, such as:

- politics and policy development
- human resource consultancy
- writing and communication
- vocational assessment.

# Bachelor of Psychological Studies (Honours)



Accredited  
Course



COURSE	UAC CODE	CRICOS CODE	WS CODE	INTAKE	LOCATION	DURATION	ATAR
Bachelor of Psychological Studies (Honours)	N/A	040992A	1860.1	March	Bankstown	1F/2P	

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Psychology at Western Sydney University can help you find the answers. Western ranks among the world's top universities for Psychology and offers access to state-of-the-art facilities, local and international work placements, and the most respected experts in the field.

The Honours year in psychology allows our graduates to take a challenging fourth-year of undergraduate study by coursework and research.

This course provides you with a thorough grounding in the scientific discipline of psychology, research skills that are sought after by employers, and psychological literacy - an advanced understanding of mental processes and human behaviour - that can be applied to any occupation or aspect of life.

Entry is limited to those students who have completed an approved accredited three year undergraduate sequence in psychology or the Graduate Diploma of Psychological Studies (an approved accredited bridging sequence) at the University in the past 10 years.

In addition, you must have obtained an Average Admission Mark of 70 plus in the University's grading system in Level 2 and 3 units with a majority of Credit or higher grades in Level 2 and 3 psychology units.

## PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION

The Bachelor of Psychological Studies (Honours) is an Australian Psychology Accreditation Council (APAC) accredited Honours fourth year for any prospective candidate who has completed an accredited three-year undergraduate Psychology course at Western Sydney University in the last 10 years.

A minimum of two years further study and/or supervised experience as a psychologist is required before full registration of provisionally registered psychologists.

## CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

As a Psychological Studies graduate, you are able to register as a provisional psychologist with the Psychology Board of Australia.

This degree opens you up to psychology or research positions in:

- Clinical, industrial and organisational psychology
- Disability services
- Psychology and the law
- The media
- Community psychology
- Forensic psychology

# Bachelor of Cyber Security and Behaviour



COURSE	UAC CODE	CRICOS CODE	WS CODE	INTAKE	LOCATION	DURATION	ATAR
B Cyber Security and Behaviour	727052	094541D	1837	March/July	Parramatta	3F/6P	79.00

**Key:** B = Bachelor of; F = Full-time; P = Part-time.

**Note:** Part-time refers to study load, not to timetabling of evening classes. This course is also available at WS Online. WS code 1837.

As cyber threats become more sophisticated and damaging across all types of organisations, cyber security has become one of the nation's top priorities. The Bachelor of Cyber Security and Behaviour meets the pressing need for the application of psychological theory and research to understand cyber security issues in the context of decision-making, human errors, social influence, organisational cultures and vulnerable populations.

You will also gain a solid grounding in conventional computer and network security concepts and skills.

### PRACTICAL EXPERIENCE

In their final year of the degree program, our students can choose to complete either a specialised industry placement or a research project.

### CORE UNITS AND ELECTIVES

To graduate with a Bachelor of Cyber Security and Behaviour, you will be required to complete 240 credit points, including the opportunity to complete work experience.

The core units you may study in this degree include: Social Science and Computer Science units plus specialised web based units, including Living, Learning and Working on the Web, Cyber Crime and Cyber Safety and Policing and Terror Informatics.

There are eight electives within the Bachelor of Cyber Security and Behaviour. Electives may be chosen from other Western Sydney University programs or from other Social Science or Computer Science related programs, allowing students flexibility.

### CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

This degree leads to a range of rewarding career options for graduates. Examples include cyber safety officer, data security, security analyst, risk analytics, cyber policing, cyber intelligence, intelligence analytics and terror-informatics.

For more information, visit [westernsydney.edu.au/future](http://westernsydney.edu.au/future)



## Bachelor of Applied Leadership and Critical Thinking

When you enrol in an advanced degree at Western Sydney University, you also qualify for the Bachelor of Applied Leadership and Critical Thinking. This degree is designed to be undertaken in combination with any Bachelor degree. It focuses on ethical leadership, creativity and innovation, the capacity to deal with complex issues, relationships and critical thinking skills. You will learn to think from multiple perspectives, see and create opportunities, and bring creative, cooperative, and ethical leadership to your future role in the workplace – even if that role is, as yet, unimagined.

**Note:** The Bachelor of Applied Leadership and Critical Thinking is not a stand-alone degree. It can only be taken in combination with an existing Bachelor degree. Students enrolled in a degree linked with the Bachelor of Applied Leadership and Critical Thinking will gain entry into The Academy. A minimum ATAR of 85.00 is required for the combined degree.

For more detailed information about the course structure and units, visit [westernsydney.edu.au/future](http://westernsydney.edu.au/future)



# A ONE OF A KIND DEGREE IN DATA SCIENCE.

In the world of tomorrow, data skills will be essential – no matter what other qualifications you may have. Western's new Bachelor of Data Science is a one of a kind. It's unique because it can only be studied in conjunction with another degree. This is a real advantage in a competitive environment. Graduates who understand the intricacies of extracting information and knowledge from data are highly sought after, whatever their discipline.

Blend Data Science with courses like Marketing, Engineering, Information and Communications Technology, Science or Psychology to graduate with a combined degree.

It will all add up to an unstoppable future. Find out more about what our Bachelor of Data Science degree can offer.

[westernsydney.edu.au/datascience](http://westernsydney.edu.au/datascience)

## Combined degrees

COURSE	UAC CODE	CRICOS CODE	WS CODE	LOCATION	DURATION	ATAR
B Arts (Key Program Psychology)/ B Laws	725011	041113G	2537	Campbelltown	5F/10P	96.00
	725013	041113G	2537	Parramatta	5F/10P	96.00

**Key:** B = Bachelor of; F = Full-time; P = Part-time.

**Note:** Part-time refers to study load, not to timetabling of evening classes.

The Arts/Law combined degree program with a key program in Psychology permits students to undertake multi-skilling and offers diverse career paths providing high marketability in multiple areas of expertise. The Law element provides our students with professional legal skills including the ability to analyse legal material and understand fundamental legal principles; an understanding of the relationship between law and society; the skills to analyse and solve non-legal problems and specialised study into the Australian legal system.

The Psychology element provides our students with skills in the areas of human behaviour and behavioural science.

### CORE UNITS AND ELECTIVES

Qualification for a double degree in law requires the successful completion of 400 credit points (40 units), including the units listed in the recommended study sequences for the relevant double degree programs.

You are eligible to graduate in the associated degree at the end of three years of full-time study, only when you have completed all non-law units plus the eight law units specified in the study sequence as being in the first three years of the relevant double degree.

### CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

After graduating from the Bachelor of Arts (key program in Psychology)/ Bachelor of Laws program, you will be qualified for a variety of careers in law or to apply for an accredited fourth year in psychology.

For more more detailed information about the course structure and units, visit [westernsydney.edu.au/future](http://westernsydney.edu.au/future)



# ALTERNATIVE ENTRY PATHWAYS

## THE COLLEGE

Western Sydney University The College (The College) provides a range of pathway options and support services to help you on your journey to university. Through its comprehensive range of integrated Diploma/Bachelor courses, Extended Diplomas and University Foundation Studies featuring small class sizes and individual attention from academic staff, The College provides a well-supported environment for you to succeed in your tertiary studies.

## DIRECT ENTRY ADVANTAGE

One of the many advantages of studying at The College is the direct entry arrangement with Western Sydney University. After successfully completing the University Foundation Studies program you will be able to apply for a place in the first year of a corresponding undergraduate degree at Western Sydney University.

The 12-month Diploma component of the Integrated Diploma/Bachelor course covers the same units as first year uni over the same time span, meaning there's no time lost. Our entry scheme also means upon successful completion of your first year of studies, you'll receive guaranteed direct entry into the second year of the corresponding university degree.

The 16-month Extended Diploma program covers the same units as first year uni, as well as additional preliminary units to prepare you for success in your tertiary studies. Upon successful completion of the program, you'll have the opportunity to enter into the second year of the corresponding university degree.

The College provides pathways in the following fields:

- Arts (for students wishing to study Arts, Education, Humanities, Law, Psychology and Social Sciences)
- Building Design Management
- Business
- Communication
- Construction Management
- Criminology
- Design
- Engineering
- Health Science
- ICT Health Informatics
- Information and Communications Technology
- Nursing
- Policing
- Science
- Social Science

HECS-HELP loans are available to eligible students. For more information, visit [westernsydney.edu.au/thecollege](https://westernsydney.edu.au/thecollege)



# APPLICANT CHECKLIST

# 1

## FIND OUT ABOUT OUR COURSES

- Read the information within this Guide
- Talk with careers advisors, your parents and teachers/mentors
- Refer to the Future Students site, visit [westernsydney.edu.au/future](https://westernsydney.edu.au/future)

# 2

## TALK TO US

- Attend Western Sydney University events – find out more at [westernsydney.edu.au/events](https://westernsydney.edu.au/events)
- Call the Course Information Centre on **1300 897 669** or email [study@westernsydney.edu.au](mailto:study@westernsydney.edu.au)
- Get the inside information on Alternative Entry Pathways, Advantage Entry programs, Bonus Points and scholarships

# 3

## APPLY TO US

- Apply through UAC, visit [uac.edu.au](https://uac.edu.au) or apply direct to Western at <https://westernsydney.uac.edu.au/ws>
- Place your Western Sydney University preferences
- Check your eligibility and submit a scholarship application, visit [westernsydney.edu.au/scholarships](https://westernsydney.edu.au/scholarships)

## INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

If you are an international student completing one of the following qualifications in 2018, you must apply through UAC International:

- an Australian Year 12 in or outside Australia
- an International Baccalaureate
- a New Zealand National Certificate of Educational Achievement (NCEA) Level 3.

You can lodge your application online at [uac.edu.au/international](http://uac.edu.au/international)

All other International students must apply direct to Western Sydney University at [westernsydney.edu.au/international/apply](http://westernsydney.edu.au/international/apply)

For information about studying at Western Sydney University, including courses, tuition fees, English requirements, intakes, assessment methods, accommodation options and living in Australia, visit [westernsydney.edu.au/international](http://westernsydney.edu.au/international)

If you have any questions about applying as an international student, call 02 9852 5499 or email [internationalstudy@westernsydney.edu.au](mailto:internationalstudy@westernsydney.edu.au)

## ADVANTAGE ENTRY PROGRAMS

Western Sydney University provides the following Advantage Entry programs:

### BEFORE THE ATAR

#### → Schools Recommendation Schemes (SRS)

If you apply to the SRS through UAC, you may be eligible for a guaranteed offer even before your ATAR is released.

### HSC TRUE REWARD

At Western, we do things differently. In 2018, we are giving HSC students the opportunity to plan their futures early because we believe your hard work matters.

The HSC True Reward is the only program of its kind in NSW, open to 2018 NSW HSC students, that makes an early offer for entry to a degree based on corresponding HSC subject band outcomes.

Register now to receive information from Western Sydney University about this program at [westernsydney.edu.au/hsctrueaward](http://westernsydney.edu.au/hsctrueaward)

## PROVIDING OPPORTUNITIES THROUGH SCHOLARSHIPS

At Western Sydney University we have over \$22.4 million in scholarships, grants and prizes for our students.

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### 2018

#### August

Open Day  
19 Parramatta campus

#### September

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Future Students Information Evenings  
10 Penrith campus  
11 Campbelltown campus

Open Day  
22 Liverpool City city

#### November

Western U Day  
7 Parramatta campus

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Future Students Information Evenings  
12-13 Penrith campus

#### All year

School Visits  
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