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Virtual Exchange nominations are now open for Session 1, 2021 - Macquarie University

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Dear Partner,

Greetings from Sydney, Australia! We hope this finds you safe and well.

The outbreak of COVID-19 worldwide has had a significant impact on the University's operations and the Australian Government has implemented travel restrictions that prevent most international travellers from arriving in Australia. The lifting of these restrictions, and return to normal operations for the University, is dependent on advice from Government authorities.

With this in mind, Macquarie University has decided to open Virtual Exchange for Session 1, 2021.

Macquarie University is pleased to inform you applications for the Virtual Exchange program 2021, Session 1 will open on the 14th of September.

Please read the information below carefully as details vary from usual sessions.

Important considerations

- The exchange program is conducted online only, we will not issue a Confirmation of Enrolment for Visa purposes, as your students won't be able to enter the country. Even if travel restrictions are lifted during session 1, 2021, we will not issue a Confirmation of Enrolment for Visa purposes.
- The students can select to study between 1 to 4 units during their exchange program.
- For exchange balances purposes, if your students study 1 or 2 units, we will count them as 0.5-semester spots. If your students study 3 or 4 units, we will count them as a 1-semester spot.
- The students can only select units that are offered fully online – this includes both lectures and tutorials.
- Your students may be required to attend live classes or tutorials, so we advise they check the time difference between their home country and Australia when selecting their units.
- We will only receive applications for a one semester exchange. Full year applications are closed.

Nomination Deadline:

December 15, 2020

Applications Deadline:

December 31, 2020

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Nomination Deadline: 15 December 2020

Application Deadline: 31 December 2020

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Please submit your student nominations via our [Nomination link](#).

While completing the nomination, please upload the following documents:

Students transcripts: If your student is applying to a postgraduate program, postgraduate transcripts and undergraduate transcripts and degree award are required.

Proof of English proficiency such as IELTS (Academic) - Minimum requirement: 6.5 overall with 6.0 in each section. For a detailed list of other acceptable levels of English proficiency and English language package providers as approved by Macquarie University, please refer to our [website](#).

Once the nomination process has been completed, please forward the [Application link](#) to your students. Please remind your students to tick the box 'Exchange' and not 'Study Abroad', as Study Abroad is our fee-paying program.

More information about how to apply can be found here: [a step-by-step-process](#).

Important Materials for your office and students:

Please find attached our Virtual Exchange Fact Sheet.

[2021 Grading and Credit Points system](#)

[2021 Exchange Program Brochure](#)

Please do not hesitate to contact us at mi.exchange@mq.edu.au if you have any questions.

Thank you and we look forward to receiving your nominations!

Kind regards,

Macquarie Abroad Team

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 Fact Sheet – Virtual Student Exchange Session 1 - 2021.pdf

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Virtual Exchange Program Information

Academic Dates

Semester Dates	Semester 1, 2021
Compulsory Virtual Orientation Date	15 February 2021 – 22 February 2021
Beginning and End of Semester (incl. exams)	22 February 2021 – 28 June 2021
Nomination and Application Deadline	15 December 2020 – 31 December 2020

Application Procedure

How to apply	Your home university will nominate you as a Virtual Exchange student and they will send you the link to apply: Application Link This guide outlines the application, acceptance and arrival process: How to Apply
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Important Information

Virtual Exchange – Important Considerations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - As your exchange program is conducted online only, we will not issue a Confirmation of Enrolment for Visa purposes. - You can select to study between 1 to 4 units during your virtual exchange program. - You can only select units that are only offered fully online – this includes both lectures and tutorials. - You may be required to attend live classes or tutorials, so we advise you check the time difference between your home country and Australia when selecting your units.
Unit Guide and Handbook	<p>Please visit our website to pre-select your units for your upcoming exchange program Handbook – Unit Guide</p> <p>You can select and study units from any of our faculties. While selecting the units, you must consider the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Units are available in the enrolled semester (Session 1 = February to July) - Suitable to the students' level of study (UG = Undergraduate and PG = Postgraduate). <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Undergraduate level = 1000 level (1st year) Undergraduate level = 2000 level (2nd year) Undergraduate level = 3000 level (3rd year) Postgraduate level = 8000 and 9000 level <p>You have met the academic prerequisites or equivalent at your University.</p>
Restricted Units	Please find the list of Restricted units , not available to Exchange students.
Programs with special entry requirements	<p>Postgraduate Law School: 180 ECTS completed to be admitted to the postgraduate exchange Law program (Students can study 8000- level units).</p> <p>Postgraduate Psychology: Please request waivers and wait for the approval before accepting your offer letter. Units are very limited and restricted. Please send the units request to avril.moss@mq.edu.au</p>



Academic Requirements	Weighted Average Mark (WAM) - Non-Law students = 60 % Weighted Average Mark (WAM) - Law students = 65 %
English Requirements	Minimum requirement: IELTS (Academic) 6.5 overall with 6.0 in each section. For a detailed list of other acceptable levels of English proficiency and English language package providers as approved by Macquarie University, please refer to: English Requirements

Macquarie University overview	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Student Services and Student Wellbeing- Diversity of courses available- Diversity of student population (11,000 international students and 39,000 domestic students)- Institutional Video – You to the Power of Us
Macquarie University Grading System	Please find the link to our Grading System

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Online education in
Australia



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Macquarie is a world-class university

Experienced in online and offline delivery
of highly-ranked academic programs.



**Ranked top 1% of
world universities**
(QS World University
Rankings, 2020)



**Ranked #1 in
Australia for
Graduate
Employment Rate**
(QS Graduate Employability
Rankings, 2020)



**8 subjects ranked
in the top 100
globally**
(QS World University
Rankings by Subjects,
2020)



**\$4 million in
scholarships for
international
students**



**126-hectare
world-class
campus with a
metro station**



**30,000 work
placements in
Sydney's fastest
growing business
region**

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Australia



Experience our award- winning online education

With decades of success and experience.



**Founding Partner of
Open Universities
Australia**

*(Leading Australian online
education provider)*



**Ranked #2 in
Australia for online
education excellence**

*(Open Universities Australia,
May 2020)*



**Online Global MBA
ranked #1 in Australia
and #6 globally**

*(CEO Magazine Global Online MBA
Rankings, 2020)*



**Top 10 Most popular
course on Coursera**

(Excel Skills for Business)

Excellence in online
learning and teaching



Learn from world-class professors



- Study in live lectures from experienced professors and researchers
- Engage with highly interactive audio and visual content
- Interact in real-time with breakout discussions, knowledge quizzes and live Q&A chats
- Study at convenient times in your own time zone
- Download class recordings for viewing afterwards

Excellence in online learning and teaching



Engage in small tutorials and seminars



- Engage with classmates and tutors in small-sized tutorials (undergraduates) and seminars (postgraduate)
- Interact in real-time in group projects, class discussions, assignment reviews and live Q&A chats
- Collaborate and discuss with classmates on discussion forums and personal messaging platforms

Excellence in online learning and teaching



24/7 virtual academic support



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Studiosity

Study help, anywhere

Mon 24 February	Getting started with academic writing
Mon 24 February	Taking charge of your study
Tues 25 February	Taking better notes

One-on-one consultation with lecturers, tutors and academic advisors [Learn more](#)

Online library academic database with academic support i.e. StudyWISE, WriteWISE [Learn more](#)

24/7 online academic support with tutors for academic writing, feedback, research skills and exam preparation
***FREE Access for Macquarie students only [Learn more](#)

Workshops in learning skills, academic writing and numeracy support [Learn more](#)

Accessible and innovative technology

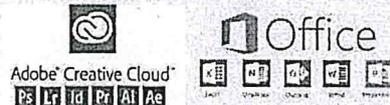
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Free access to Adobe Creative Suite and Microsoft Office Suite for Macquarie students to conduct learning



Online library databases with 1.8m academic resources and personal support

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Live interactive small-sized tutorials and seminars with group work and tutor support

zoom

echo³⁶⁰

Livestreaming lectures and download class recordings

iLearn

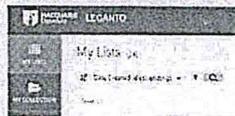
Bespoke Macquarie-only central learning management system: Units, lessons, class recordings, presentation slides, discussion forums and assignment submission



VoiceThread - Multimedia voice assignments with collaborative functions

turnitin

Assignment submission platform with plagiarism checker and feedback functions



Leganto - Online reading materials and textbook resources



Virtually custom learning spaces

Accessible and innovative technology



Online assessments

- Fully online to ensure equitable treatment for all students
- Innovative virtual assessment methods
- Access a range of digital assessment resources
- IT and academic support available

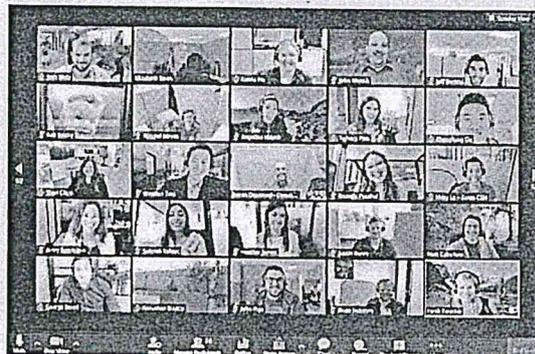
Assessment type	Online submission
Tests & quizzes	iLearn
Essays	Turnitin
Group/Individual projects	iLearn
Portfolio items	iLearn and Portfolium
Take-home exams	Turnitin and iLearn
Oral presentations	Recorded or live on Zoom
Multimedia assignments	Bespoke software

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Online assessments

Example of video-based assessment.



- Create solo videos online using Echo360 capture.
- Submit a PowerPoint with speaker's notes and slide-by-slide voice-narration to iLearn Assignment.
- Group presentations recorded using screen/video sharing on Zoom
- Interactive one-on-one oral / viva exams in Zoom
- Provide oral or video recorded responses to questions via iLearn quiz – including for ID verification

Virtual extracurricular and employability activities



Virtual Orientation Sessions



Connect with peer mentors, academic advisors and student support staff to get settled into our virtual classroom, learn about our online services and make friends online from around the world.

Virtual extracurricular and employability activities



Career and employability skill workshops



Career & Employment Service

Get started now and head over to **CareerWISE** on iLearn!

Level 9, 18 Wally's Walk
T: 02 9850 7372
E: careers@mq.edu.au

- CareerWise – Macquarie Career Zone with job search resources
- CV360 – Instant CV review
- Online workshops – Resumes, interviews, job search, LinkedIn, online tools
- Online industry speaker sessions – Virtual networking with professionals
- 1:1 career appointments – For personal advice on career planning

Virtual extracurricular and employability activities



Weekly social events calendar



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WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK AT MUIC ELC

MONDAY 11/7	TUESDAY 12/7	WEDNESDAY 13/7	THURSDAY 14/7	FRIDAY 15/7
TRIVIA SESSION Join us for a fun and competitive trivia session. Prizes for the winners!	COOKING TIPS Learn how to cook delicious meals with our expert chefs. Perfect for those who love to eat!	WELLBEING LESSON Discover the importance of mental health and how to take care of yourself.	STUDENT BLOG Read the latest student blog posts and share your own experiences.	PEER MENTORS Connect with experienced students who can provide guidance and support.

- Peer Mentors
- Trivia sessions
- Online student club and societies
- MQ Sport and Aquatic Centre - Free workout and fitness sessions
- MQ Scoop – Student blog
- Facebook and Instagram- Cooking tips, wellbeing lessons and community updates

Virtual extracurricular
and employability
activities



Global Leadership Program (GLP)

An award-winning program designed to transform students into collaborative, conscious global leader and conscious global citizen. Attend online workshops, think tanks or take part in online volunteering activities.

[Learn More](#)

Virtual student
support



Student Wellbeing and Student Connect



Comprehensive virtual support services

Student Connect – our central student enquiry centre. Is accessible online via live chat, phone and email. If student encounters difficulties with IT tools and systems, OneHelp can provide individual support. Student Wellbeing offers free online and confidential counselling support to help students maintain emotional wellbeing, with the MQ Wellbeing app.

[Macquarie Wellbeing](#)

[Student Success Network Services](#)

[Macquarie Cheat Sheet for Where to Get Help](#)

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2020 Macquarie University Credit Points and Grading system

While it is not possible to equate hours, credit points or grades exactly between institutions in North American, Asia, Europe and Macquarie University, the following explanation of our grading system and credit points description will assist you with the accreditation process.

Credit Points and Class Hours

Full-time undergraduate and postgraduate students at Macquarie University study between 30 to 40 credit points per semester:

3 units = 30 credit points

4 units = 40 credit points

30 credit points are accepted as the minimum full-time load per semester and 40 credit points is the maximum that undergraduate and postgraduate students can study per semester.

The study time needed for the completion of work in any unit varies widely from student to student, from level to level, unit to unit and even from week to week, depending on the nature of the work, on whether there are written assignments/essays due in any given week, and on the nature and frequency of tutorial and practical assignments set.

Units Levels.

Macquarie University in line with other Australian universities has 3-year degrees for Arts, Science and Economics, so undergraduate units are classified as 1000 level, 2000 level or 3000 level.

Specialisation in many areas begins in final year of High School, so Australian universities do not have a year of breadth-type units.

Postgraduate units are at 8000 and 9000 level.

Generally, our unit levels are:

Undergraduate level = 1000 level (1st year)

Undergraduate level = 2000 level (2nd year)

Undergraduate level = 3000 level (3rd year)

Postgraduate level = 8000 and 9000 level

Assessment/Assignment

There is no continuous assessment at Macquarie University in the sense of weekly class tests or assignments from which students can judge their progress. Macquarie students undertaking units in the humanities and social sciences are typically required to complete anywhere between two to three essays or assignments per unit per semester, varying between 1500-4000 words, depending on the individual unit requirements. There is also EITHER a final examination OR a long essay in lieu of an examination at the end of each unit. There is a great deal more individual study required at Australian universities than many overseas students are accustomed to.



Grades

The following table shows Macquarie's grading system.

Macquarie University	Standardised Numerical values	US equivalent	ECTS equivalent
High Distinction (HD)	85-100	A	A
Distinction (D)	75-84	A	B
Credit (Cr)	65-74	B	C
Pass (P)	50-64	C	D
Fail (F) / Fail Absent (FA)	Less than 50	Fail	F

NOTE: Macquarie does not award + or – grades as a final grade.

Definition of Macquarie University grades

HD – denotes performance that meets all unit objectives in such an exceptional way and with such marked excellence that it deserves the highest level of recognition.

D – denotes performance that clearly deserves a very high level of recognition as an excellent achievement in the unit.

Cr – denotes performance that is substantially better than would normally be expected of competent students in the unit.

P – denotes performance that satisfies unit objectives.

S – Pass grade. Used for units where grading is on a pass or fail basis only.

F or FA – denotes performance or attendance did not satisfy unit objectives.

European credit transfer system

7.5 ECTS = 10 Macquarie University credit points (1 unit/course)

30 ECTS = 40 Macquarie University credit points (or 1 semester – 4 units/courses)