NEW GRADUATE SCHOOL OF BUSINESS (GSB) SCHOLARSHIPS FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

The Graduate School of Business is pleased to announce a new scholarship scheme for international students. The scholarship covers tuition fees in the final subjects of study in one of the following GSB masters courses: MBA; Master of International Business; Master of Science (Logistics); Master of Project Management; Master of Retail Management; and, Master of Management.

Scholarship conditions and application forms are available at: http://www.uow.edu.au/prospective/international/scholarships/UOW038611.html

Applications close on 14 December, 2007.

UOW RANKED AS TIMES TOP 200 UNIVERSITY

The University of Wollongong has again been listed in The Times Higher Education Supplement Top 200 World University Rankings.
There are more than 17,500 institutions worldwide vying for a spot in *The Times’ Top 200 List*. Last year 13 Australian universities made the Top 200 list while this year only 12 have made the list.

News of UOW’s success will come as no surprise to the employers of many of the University’s graduates who were surveyed for the first time as part of *The Times’* ranking process. UOW in August this year received a maximum five star ranking from the *Good Universities Guide* in the graduate outcomes category.

Universities in *The Times Higher Education Supplement Top 200 World University Rankings* are ranked by several indicators of academic and research performance including academic peer review, recruiter review, student faculty ratio, citations per faculty member, proportion of international faculty and proportion of international students.


If you wish to use this award to promote UOW in any printed or electronic material, please use the following official citations:

**LONG PUBLICATION VERSION**

**A TIMES TOP 200 UNIVERSITY**

UOW is ranked as one of the top 200 universities in the world by the *Times Higher Education Supplement*, which bases its rankings on academic peer reviews and the universities of choice for key global graduate recruitment agencies; as well as the University’s staff-to-student ratios, the number of citations of UOW academics, and the proportion of international students and staff.

**SHORT PUBLICATION VERSION**

**A TIMES TOP 200 UNIVERSITY**

UOW is one of only 12 Australian universities to be ranked in the world’s top 200 by the *Times Higher Education Supplement* 2007.

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**A TIMES TOP 200 UNIVERSITY*”**


**THE BEST CAREERS SERVICE FOR EMPLOYERS**

The UOW Careers Service was recently voted the Best Careers Service for Employers 2007 by the Australian Association of Graduate Employers (AAGE), a professional association of nearly 200 of the country’s biggest graduate employers. With this award, Australian businesses have acknowledged that UOW Careers Service listens to what employers want—and that UOW students have the very best help in starting their careers. Combined with our five-star ranking in the *Good Universities Guide* for Getting a Job, it’s clear that UOW is the best choice for students who want to launch a successful graduate career. Further information is available at: [http://media.uow.edu.au/news/UOW039323.html](http://media.uow.edu.au/news/UOW039323.html)
A new guide created specifically for Arabic-speaking international students is now available. The guide provides information on studying at UOW and WCA, living in Wollongong, accommodation options and arrival procedures. It also includes useful details of the services and facilities catering to Arabic speaking and other Muslim students and their families both at UOW and in the City of Wollongong.


**TWO-YEAR PROGRAM FOR MBA STUDY AT UOW**

The MBA offered by University of Wollongong’s Graduate School of Business is now CRICOS registered as a 2-year course (CRICOS Code 061889D). A fast track option also enables completion in 1.5 years. The total tuition fee remains unchanged ($30,510 for the full course), however, the fee per semester will be cheaper for students taking the degree over a duration of 2 years ($7,628 per session for completion over 2 years, $10,170 per session for fast-track completion over 1.5 years).

In addition to the new 2-year MBA offering and the fast track 1.5-year MBA, a 2-year MBA (Advanced) is available that enables students to take an additional 4 subjects specialising in a specific discipline.

A range of masters programs articulate into the MBA:

- Master of Strategic Human Resource Management
- Master of Finance
- Master of Strategic Marketing
- Master of Strategic Management
- Master of Strategic Management & Marketing
- Master of Commerce
- Master of Accountancy
- Master of Applied Finance
- Master of Forensic Accounting
- Master of Engineering Practice
- Master of Engineering Management
- Master of Nutrition Management
- Master of Health Leadership and Management
- Master of Health Management
- Master of Science (Nutrition Management)
- Master of Information Technology Management
- Master of Management
- Master of Science (Logistics)
- Master of International Business
- Master of Retail Management
- Master of Project Management

**TWO-YEAR STUDY OPTIONS AT UOW**

A range of two-year study options are available at UOW. Two-year study options include double master degrees, articulation pathways and two-year master degrees. Information for international students who are interested in two-year study options in relation to an application for a General Skilled Migration visa is available at:


**NEW COURSES AND MAJORS IN 2008**

The following new courses and majors will be available in 2008. Detailed information on the
New Programs:

- Bachelor of Commerce (Public Relations) *(CRICOS Code: 027464A, Tuition fee: $8,800 per session, Duration: 6 sessions)*
- Graduate Certificate in Advanced Dietetic Practice - for practising Dietitians who wish to apply for the title of Advanced Accredited Practising Dietitian with the Dieticians Association of Australia *(CRICOS Code: 061882M, Tuition fee: $9,550 per session, Duration: 1 session)*

New Majors:

- Bachelor of Communication & Media Studies *(CRICOS Code: 045471G)* – new major in Digital Communications
- Bachelor of Arts *(CRICOS Code: 000612E)* – new major in Spanish

STUDY PROGRAMS FOR WORKING HOLIDAY VISA HOLDERS

Study Abroad and Exchange students coming to UOW for one session only, can now study at UOW on Working Holiday visas (sub-class 417). UOW Autumn and Spring semester dates in 2008 comply with the maximum four calendar month permissible period of study for Working Holiday visa holders.

Working Holiday visas are available to citizens of the following countries: Belgium, Canada, Republic of Cyprus, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Hong Kong, Republic of Ireland, Italy, Japan, Republic of Korea, Malta, Netherlands, Norway, Sweden, Taiwan and United Kingdom.

Some conditions apply; please contact the Study Abroad & Coordinator for further details:
Carly Ludbrook
Study Abroad & Exchange Coordinator
carlyl@uow.edu.au

2008 FEES FOR UOW STUDENT ACCOMMODATION

2008 fees for UOW Student accommodation are now available on the Accommodation website:


Reminder: The deadline for applications for university accommodation commencing in Autumn 2008 is 30 November, 2007.

GSB PARTNERS WITH GLOBAL VILLAGE SYDNEY (UNIVERSAL ENGLISH COLLEGE)

The Graduate School of Business in Sydney has selected Global Village Sydney (Universal English College) as its preferred English language pathway provider in Sydney.

Applicants to GSB Sydney who receive an offer conditional upon English language will be referred to Global Village (GV) Sydney’s EAP 3 program.

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Overall GV Sydney (UEC) EAP3 grade requirements for entry to GSB Sydney are:

- **B Grade (65-74%)** – for entry to GSB courses with entry requiring IELTS 6.0
- **A Grade (75-84%)** - for entry to GSB courses with entry requiring IELTS 6.5

Agents of UOW who are not currently agents of GV Sydney (UEC) are invited to contact Amanda McKenzie at A.McKenzie@uec.edu.au to apply for an agency agreement.

Offer letters issued by GV Sydney (UEC) for English language courses will be issued separately by GV Sydney (UEC), and can be packaged with GSB degree and graduate certificate offers.

UOW continues to recognise a number of Sydney-based English language providers for entry to GSB Sydney as well as UOW courses, and these are listed at:


**FREE AIRPORT PICK-UP FOR WCA/UOW PACKAGE OFFER STUDENTS**

We would like to remind representatives that, in addition to students commencing UOW degree courses, students with a package offer for WCA and UOW courses (for example, WCA English + UOW degree, WCA Foundation Studies Program + UOW degree) are also entitled to free airport pick-up. The airport pick-up is organized by UOW Accommodation Services.