

Trimester Abroad

Application process

A Trimester Abroad allows you to study overseas at one of Deakin's partner universities for one or two trimesters. With over 200 partners around the world you are spoilt for choice.

- 1 **Attend an information session**
Attend the compulsory information session. It's your first step towards learning how it all works: deakin.edu.au/abroad-info-session.
- 2 **Contact a Student Adviser at Deakin Student Central**
Your adviser will help develop a course map based on your current enrolment. This map will determine if you can study core or elective units abroad. A full-time study load (or 3-4 Deakin credit points) is required.
- 3 **Research Deakin's exchange partners**
Consider the type of experience you wish to have. Decide on a destination and host university. Review your potential host university's course catalogue to check for suitable units.
- 4 **Create your profile and apply on the portal**
When applying, please note that all host universities are colour-coded. Ensure your application is based on the colour system and ranked in order of preference. Apply by the deadline.
- 5 **Fill out your overseas study plan**
An approved outgoing study plan (OSP) must be submitted as part of your application. Student Central (SC) advisers assist you with the process of getting your OSP approved. SC facilitate assessment of proposed host university units in order to provide students with an approved OSP for trimester abroad. The Deakin Abroad Team can assist you in requesting detailed unit syllabus as required.
- 6 **Receive a conditional offer**
If successful, you will receive a conditional offer letter outlining the next steps.
- 7 **Apply to your host university**
You are then required to apply directly to your host university within their application deadline. This process and the required documentation are detailed in your conditional offer letter.
- 8 **Organise your travel**
Upon receiving the acceptance letter from your host university, arrange you flights, accommodation etc. If there is an unsuccessful outcome from the host university, speak with your Study Abroad Coordinator for an alternative option.
- 9 **Attend the pre-departure session and complete documentation**
You will receive important information from Study Abroad staff at this compulsory session. Complete the pre-departure documents such as the Exchange Enrolment Form, OS-HELP loan application, and Centrelink, if applicable, and you are ready for your overseas study.
- 10 **Have a great experience!**
- 11 **Host university transcript**
For your exchange results to be counted towards your Deakin degree, please ensure a copy of your host university transcript is received by our team.

