

# Your direct pathway to the University of Canterbury

Christchurch, New Zealand

## Why UC International College (UCIC)?

### Progress to UC, Top 1% of universities worldwide

UCIC provides alternative pathways to realise your goals of attaining a UC bachelor degree.

### Supporting your success

- Study with experienced staff in small classes.
- Academic study skill support throughout your programme.
- Having more hours with teachers and classmates will support your academic success.

### Proven track record

- 98% of UCIC graduates have progressed into UC.
- Every year, many UCIC students receive UC First Year International Scholarships.

### Many activities

Develop your English and other soft skills by joining activities at UCIC, such as Buddy Programme, Student Representative Council, Peer Tutors etc.

### Learning doesn't stop because of COVID.

Why should you?

Start online now finish in New Zealand

### Save time & money

Our unique programmes are equivalent to the first year of a Bachelor's degree.



QS 5 star rating\*



Top 1%  
worldwide\*

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more subjects  
ranked in the  
world's TOP 200\*

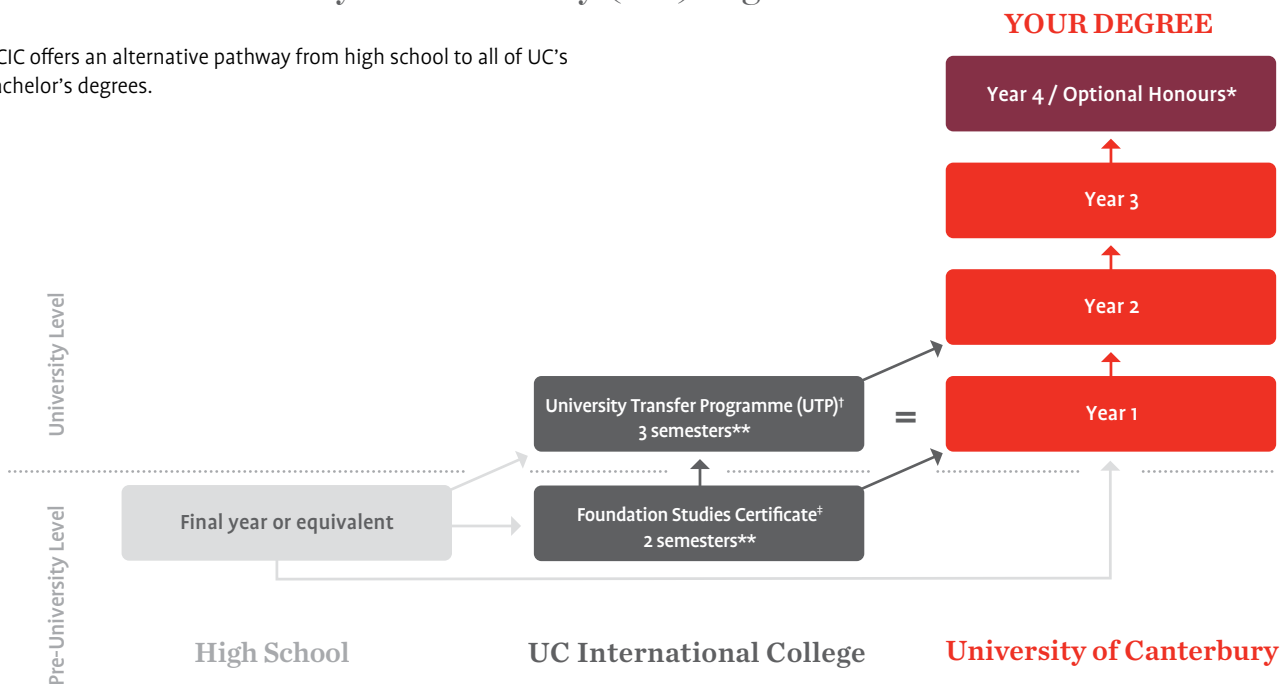


TOP 100 in the world for  
Civil and Structural Engineering,  
and Linguistics\*

# Your pathway to the University of Canterbury

Studying at UC International College (UCIC), you will have a pathway to a world-class University of Canterbury (UC) degree.\*

UCIC offers an alternative pathway from high school to all of UC's Bachelor's degrees.



\*UC's Bachelor of Commerce, Bachelor of Product Design and Bachelor of Science are three-year degrees with an additional optional honours year for high achieving students. UC's Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) is a four-year honours degree.

† UTP is equivalent to Year 1 of the relevant degree from UC. Successful students then pathway to Year 2.

‡ Foundation Studies Certificate pathways to Year 1 of degree at UC or to UTP, dependent on grades.

\*\* Each semester has 12 weeks of teaching following by an exam week.

Programmes are subject to change without notice. For the latest programme information, visit [ucic.ac.nz](http://ucic.ac.nz) or contact us at [info@ucic.ac.nz](mailto:info@ucic.ac.nz).

## Programme outlines

UC International College provides personalised attention and support, while encouraging students to adapt to their new learning environment.

All programmes are delivered on campus at the University of Canterbury, with access to many of the world class facilities UC has to offer. This helps to ease the transition into university life in a new country. UCIC offers:

### Foundation Studies Certificate

Foundation Studies Certificate is designed to help bridge the gap between high school and university entrance. Delivered in a nurturing and supportive environment, students will study eight courses to prepare them for their chosen degree at the University of Canterbury.

### University Transfer Programme (UTP)

UTP allows you to transition from high school and complete your bachelor degree in the same amount of time as students admitted directly to UC. It is equivalent to the first year of the relevant bachelor degree at the University.

UTP is designed to give students extra academic and language support in that all important first year of study. Students will study the equivalent of eight academic courses (120 credits) over 12 months and pathway directly into Year 2 at UC.

#### UTP: Commerce

The business school at UC works with many local businesses partners to provide opportunities for students to gain practical experience and make important contacts..

#### UTP: Science

The facilities for Science students are world-class and include field stations throughout the South Island of New Zealand. Students will have access to cutting edge laboratories, 24-hour computer labs and specialist library collections. UC Science graduates are experts in problem solving, teamwork and communication.

#### UTP: Engineering

Gain entrance to the second year of an Engineering degree at UC. The College of Engineering at UC is internationally accredited and is ranked in the top one percent of the world.

#### UTP: Product Design

UC is leading the way with its multidisciplinary Bachelor of Product Design. Product Design combines creative design, science, engineering, and business studies.

### Study Abroad Certificate

Study Abroad Certificate is a one-semester programme designed to give students a taste of what student life is like at UC International College. Students can choose three academic courses from one stream while experiencing the best of what New Zealand has to offer.



# What is flexible learning?



## Study in your timezone

Classes run at different times in New Zealand to allow students to join from all over the world.



## Stay connected with students on campus

Our flexible learning design allows you to study and connect with the students here in the classroom in New Zealand.



## Need a VPN? No problem

UCIC will provide a free VPN for any student who needs it to access our learning management systems.



## Don't limit yourself to online learning

When borders open, transition to our beautiful campus.

# Student support

Online students are given dedicated student support throughout their study.

- Study with experienced staff in small classes.
- Academic study skill support throughout your programme.
- Having more hours with teachers and classmates will support your academic success.
- Academic support
- Social support
- Support to enhance your communication skills
- One on one teacher time
- Drop in help sessions
- Student buddies
- Wellbeing support
- Personalised study plans



# Start online, Finish in New Zealand

Don't let COVID upset your study plans any further.

Save time and money while working towards your pathway to a University of Canterbury degree.

## How much can you save

Programme	2021 Fees	Fees Excluding GST	15% Online Award	Total Savings*
Foundation Studies Certificate	\$ 23,720	\$ 20,626	\$ 17,532	\$ 6,188
UTP: Commerce	\$ 28,900	\$ 25,130	\$ 21,360	\$ 7,540
UTP: Engineering	\$ 39,800	\$ 34,609	\$ 29,417	\$ 10,382
UTP: Product Design	\$ 32,720	\$ 28,452	\$ 24,184	\$ 8,536
UTP: Science	\$ 30,900	\$ 26,870	\$ 22,839	\$ 8,061

When borders open and you transition to onshore learning, to secure your student visa, you must pay the tuition fees for your entire year of study with UC International College, before your programme of study begins.

Other fees and charges

- Student Services Levy (annual 2021 fee): \$877.20
- Medical and travel insurance (annual fee for a single student with no dependants): \$670

\* Total savings are for online offshore students who qualify for the 15 percent online award and are exempt from paying GST while offshore.  
Students pay tuition fees per course as they progress through their study. If you are required to repeat a course this will incur an additional fee per course. Fees are correct as at the time of printing, UC International College reserves the right to vary its fees at any time.

15% ONLINE AWARD\*  
\* Online enrolments only

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15% GST EXEMPTION†  
† Conditions apply

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UP TO 30% SAVINGS

Need to package with English? Study at CCEL the official English provider for The University of Canterbury



15% DISCOUNT\*  
Special offer for online UCIC students

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15% GST EXEMPTION†  
Conditions apply

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## Academic Semesters

UC International College conducts three academic semesters per calendar year, starting in February, June and October. The dates below are indicative only, for finalised dates please see [www.ucic.ac.nz/important-dates](http://www.ucic.ac.nz/important-dates).

Year	Academic semester	Orientation date*	Semester starts	Mid-semester break	Semester ends
2021	February	17 Feb	22 Feb	5-12 April	29 May
	June	16 June	21 June	2-9 August	25 Sept
	Oct	13 Oct	18 Oct	24 December- 5 January 2022	29 Jan 2022

\* Attendance is compulsory for new commencing students.

## What will my study programme look like at UC International College?

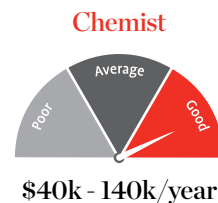
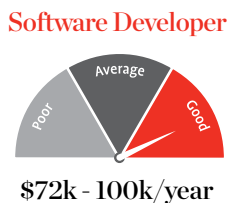
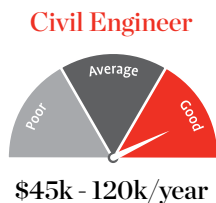
Program	Semester 1	Semester 2	Semester 3
Foundation Studies Certificate	4 academic courses	4 academic courses	
UTP	3 academic courses	3 academic courses	2 academic courses

# Graduate outcomes

Employment prospects in each of these fields are good, due to a shortage of workers and growing demand.

## Job opportunities and pay range

Source: [www.careers.govt.nz](http://www.careers.govt.nz).



# Life in Ōtautahi Christchurch

Christchurch is the largest city in the South Island and the second largest in the country. It is also New Zealand's most affordable major city.

Christchurch is a revitalising city filled with an entrepreneurial spirit. You will find:

- New infrastructure
- Comparatively low cost of living
- Low traffic congestion
- Affordable housing
- Easy access to both beaches, and mountains
- International shops, businesses, and restaurants



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