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Our employment programs provide hands-on experience to further prepare you for your future career.

Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Employment Pathways Initiative

The School of Psychology, Social Work and Social Policy has partnered with Service to Youth Council (SYC) to develop an employment pathway for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students studying within the School.

Selected students may undertake their studies part-time and gain paid employment in a highly-regarded non-government organisation, opening up a range of opportunities to apply their knowledge and further develop their professional skills.

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Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Graduate Trainee Program

As part of the University's commitments to the Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Employment Strategy and Yaitya Warpulai Tappa (Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Work Path), two trainee positions have been allocated to UniSA students of Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander descent.

Nominated graduates work under a fixed-term contract for two years, across a range of business areas to achieve a broad skill set and an understanding of the University's operations. Participants are encouraged to apply for longer term positions within UniSA during their final six months.

Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Scholarships

There is a huge variety of scholarships available for Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander applicants at UniSA.

Each year more than 2500 UniSA students benefit from scholarships and grants worth millions of dollars, so chances are there's one for you.

A scholarship might just provide the helping hand you need, providing financial assistance, valuable work experience, mentoring opportunities and even overseas travel.

To find out which scholarships are open for application, your eligibility and how to apply, visit the scholarships webpage.

unisa.edu.au/scholarships

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The large circles represent Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities surrounded by its rich history, spiritual relationship to land, traditions and cultures. Each pathway leads to a central body representing UniSA, as the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander University of Choice.

The two smaller outer circles represent the broader education offerings available to our students. The smaller shapes between those bodies is the journey travelling in an out of those offerings leading to greater collaboration with UniSA, communities and Aboriginal peoples.



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How we support your success

Our dedicated learning support services are designed to help Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students succeed.

Wurringka Student Services (WSS)

Wurringka Student Service (WSS) offers Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander UniSA students a friendly, comfortable and supportive place to study.

WSS are accessible at all UniSA campuses, including regional locations, to offer support and to assist with your questions. Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students are also there to provide peer support.

Contact Wurringka Student Services

City West: (08) 8302 0121

Magill: (08) 8302 4691

Mawson Lakes: (08) 8302 5303

City East: (08) 8302 2316

Whyalla: (08) 8302 6179

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Alternative entry for Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students

Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander applicants applying through SATAC who do not have the standard pre-requisites for entry into a UniSA program may be invited to participate in the alternative entry process managed by Wurringka Student Services.

An applicant's eligibility will be assessed on the basis of their performance in a number of written tasks and an interview.

Off-campus study

Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students who are studying externally from rural and remote areas can access WSS off-campus study facilities. These centres are located at TAFE SA campuses in Ceduna and Port Augusta. An off-campus study centre is located at 85 Tasman Terrace, Port Lincoln.

For further information please contact Wurringka Student Services – Whyalla on 8302 6179.

Aboriginal Tutorial Program

The Aboriginal Tutorial Program (ATP) is a free service that connects UniSA's Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students with academic tutors for each of their courses.

The scheme offers access to qualified tutors, in metropolitan and rural areas, with skills and experience in a wide range of study areas. Tuition aims to equip students with the skills necessary to graduate and includes assistance with program content, time management, academic writing skills, essay planning, referencing skills and more.

Increasingly third and fourth-year students are playing a greater role in tutoring first-year students.

For further information please contact Wurringka Student Services.

University Preparation Sessions

University Preparation Sessions are held before the start of the academic year and provide a solid and supportive foundation for new Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students.

These sessions offer academic and study skills, and provide opportunities to make new friends, develop support and study networks and learn more about academic procedures and resources.

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Acknowledgement of Country

UniSA respects the Kurna, Boandik, Wirangu, Nawu and Barngarla peoples' spiritual relationship with their country. We also acknowledge the diversity of Aboriginal peoples, past and present.

Find out more about the University's commitment to reconciliation at unisa.edu.au/RAP.



AIME Mentoring

Want to get more out of your university experience?

Why not take part in the Australian Indigenous Mentoring Experience (AIME), a dynamic educational program that gives Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander high school students the skills, opportunities, belief and confidence to succeed at and finish school. AIME has proven to dramatically improve the chances of Indigenous kids finishing school. AIME also connects students with post year-12 opportunities, including further education and employment.

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