



# Apply

APPLY AUSTRALIA

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# APPLY COURSE SECTIONS

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# AUSTRALIA

- Language: English
- Warm Weather
- Population: 25 Million
- Proper Scholarship & Funds (more than Canada)
- 7 University under 100 in world ranking
- 40 university (30 of them for International students)
- Lower Bank statement
- 20 hours work permit
- Work permit for couples
- Full time work permit for Ph.D.
- Language Test: IELTS, TOEFL, PTE

# SKILLED WORKER VISA

- 65 points for Australian PR (Permanent Residence)
  - Age 25-32: 30 points
  - Completing a degree in Australia: 5 points
  - Studying Ph.D./Master: 10 points
  - ...
- Subclass 485 (Duration 2 – 4 years : work or study after graduation)
- One year after getting PR: Apply for Citizenship

# APPLY - COLLEGE

- Diploma, Certificate (Australia), Degree (USA, Canada)
- Mostly 1 year College
- Difficult to obtain a visa with college acceptance

# APPLY – POSTGRADUATE STUDY

- Master
  - By Coursework (Occupation) (Maybe Research)
  - By Research (Same as Ph.D. but shorter) (Maybe Courses) (More Fund)
  - Supervisor (Research)
  - Bachelor's degree with minimum GPA (better to be more than 15 out of 20)
  - English Language Test (IELTS: min 6, TOEFL: 80 min, 1-2 points for TOEFL is neglectable if articles provided, Don't need GRE)
- Ph.D. (3-4 years) (Thesis) (Maybe Courses)
  - Completed Master by Research – OR article (if master by coursework)
  - GPA requirements (17: Melbourne)
  - English Language Test (IELTS: min 6, TOEFL: 80 min, 1-2 points for TOEFL is neglectable if articles provided, Don't need GRE)
  - Supervisor

# STEP BY STEP!

1. English Language Test (not need report - Scan or PDF)
2. Translate Documents (NAATI) and Prepare CV (NAATI) (Scaling 20 for grades is ok), Recommendations (3), Passport Scan, Bank Statement, SOP, GTE (Genuine Temporary Entrant), EOI (Expression of Interest)
3. Find Major
4. Finding University (Ranking, Reputation, Fund, Tuition, location, Recent Publication & Researches ... )
5. Finding Department (Research interest, No Restriction)
6. Finding Professor (Google, Google Scholar, ... ) - Finding Potential Supervisors (For Research Based)
7. Email Faculty Members (Postgraduate & Postdoc (Just Email & Interview)) - Obtaining the Support of supervisor (5 month earlier) (Maybe Need Proposal (Researches)) (Recommendations – reference letters)
8. Interview (Professors)
9. Fill your application for the university (Mostly No application fee – (100 \$ course bases))
10. Visa (After getting COE (Certificate Of Enrolment))

# GTE (GENUINE TEMPORARY ENTRANT) (AUSTRALIA)

- GTE (Genuine Temporary Entrant)
  - GTE letter for Embassy
  - GTE form asked by university
- All applicants for a Student visa must show they are coming to Australia temporarily to gain a quality education.
- You should provide evidence, proof, and information regarding your previous study, gap in previous studies, current and previous employment, ties to country of residence, and economic situation country of residence.
- more vitally important for self-funded students

# TIPS OF FINDING POTENTIAL SUPERVISOR

- Academic Rank (No Difference in Australia): Lecturer, Senior Lecturer, Associate Professor, and Professor
- Their research interests/their recently published papers should align with that of yours

# AUSTRALIAN UNIVERSITIES

TOP 8: Group of 8 ( 2 B\$ budget: Big share) | portfolio

1. University of Melbourne
2. Australian National University (ANU)
3. University of Sydney
4. The University of Queensland
5. Monash University.
6. The University of New South Wales Sydney
7. The University of Western Australia
8. The University of Adelaide.

Ranking Interval	Number of Universities
1-100	7
101-200	2
201-300	9
301-400	4
401-500	4
+500	9

# TIMELINE (DEADLINE)

- Deadline: January (دی) (CA, USA), August (شهریور) (Australia)
- Email: April (فروردین)
- Start off your program: February (بهمن), July (تیر) (Winter)
- Example: USNW: 18 Sep 2020 (Summer intake : The majority of scholarships)

# PREPARING A RESEARCH PROPOSAL

- The proposal subject should be in line with your supervisor research interests/recently published papers.
- You may change the subject of your Ph.D. thesis after the commencement of your studies.
- Your proposal would be scored in the scholarship competition
- Each university have a specific template for the proposal
- Make sure you address all the required details in your proposal which the university asks you.
- The proposals are usually 2-3 pages.
- Some supervisors may specify the field of your proposal, but most often they do not.
- Proposals are not fixed
- Due to the sanctions on Iran, you should make sure that the field you plan to work on is not among sanctioned services (Technology Alert List).

# SCHOLARSHIPS IN AUSTRALIA

- Education provider scholarships (From universities not supervisors (TA, RA) (90% of scholarships))
  - A committee will rank the applicants and award the scholarships to the best ones.
  - You would be automatically considered for scholarship when applying for admission if you were eligible.
- Research Training Program (RTP) (Government)
- Australian organizations
- Other sources (supervisor grants, department, ...)
- Tuition fee waiver | tuition fee waiver + other benefits
- Stipend (~2,500\$/month), OSHC (Overseas Student Health Cover) (single or double)
- Masters by Research degree: 2 years
- PhD: 4 years
- Top-up scholarship (Merit-based)

# COMPETITION IN SCHOLARSHIP

- Different scoring criteria
- Publication, previous studies (GPA, university), quality of the reference letters, package (Melbourne +18, Queensland: publications)
- Supervisor opinion
- Both your GPAs and your previous
- Universities are considered
- Publication (Quality, Q1)
- The quality of the proposal, English language test result, work experience, Gap

# SCHOLARSHIP RESULT

- This process can take between two to four months
- You should make sure that all the required documents are provided
- Until winning an scholarship, look for other supervisors and apply to other universities

# ACCEPTANCE HISTORY

Bachelor	Master	Publication	University	Scholarship
Sharif (GPA: 16.1)	Sharif (GPA: 17.3)	None	UNSW	YES
Zanjan (GPA: 17.1)	Khaje Nasir (GPA: 18.7)	ISI (4)	Melbourne	YES
Sharif (GPA: 17.7)			Melbourne	YES
Azad (GPA: 14.8)	Zanjan (GPA: 18)	ISI (1), Conference (2)	Monash	YES

# LIVING COSTS & TUITION FEE

For	Living Cost/Year
Student	21,000 \$
His/Her Partner	7,300 \$
His/Her Child	3,000 \$

Average tuition fee per semester = 15,000 > Canada

Tuition fee per year	University Of Adelaide	University Of South Australia	Queensland University Of Technology (QUT)
Master by Coursework	21,500 \$	19,000 \$	18,000 \$
Master by Research	22,000 \$	19,000 \$	15,000-18,000 \$
Ph.D.	22,000 \$	17,000 \$	15,000-18,000 \$

Dentistry tuition fee per year = 70,000 \$

# STUDENT VISA

- After receiving the COE (Certificate of Enrollment) from the university, you can apply for the visa.
- If awarded an RTP (Research Training Program) scholarship, the visa application fee would be waived.
- Applying for the Australian Student visa is 100% online. No interview. No trip to Turkey!
- You will be asked to provide your biometrics. (23 Euro/person)
- You or your partner may also be asked to do a medical test. (For specific courses like medicine, dentistry)
- Australia Student visas require no interview or appointments.
- Takes about 20 days - 2 months.
- Currently, visa processes of HDR (higher degree by research) students takes about 7 months.
- The universities may defer the enrolment date up to one year.
- The duration of Student visa process depends on your future field of study.
- Visa accepted = granted

# TIPS FOR STUDENT VISA

- You should attach all the required documents, including OSHC (Overseas Student Health Cover) policy, financial capacity evidence, and GTE requirement letter
- The Persian documents can be translated by a NAATI translator and English ones require no certification.
- The documents which you should attach depend on your case. (For example Gap: work experience proof) (Sample Job Letter)
- Failing to provide the required evidence will lead to delay in the visa issuance or rejection of your visa.
- Winning scholarship = increase in chance

# STUDENT VISA ACCEPTANCE RATE

	Iran	Iranian in Australia	Overall outside
Ph.D, Master By Research	95.5%	100%	98.2%
Master By Coursework	76.6%	100%	88.6%
College	0%	93.2%	68.6%

# TOTAL COST

Item	Price
TOEFL	220 - 250 US Dollor
Document Translation	
Visa Application Fee	600 Australian Dollor
Trip Ticket	
Biometrics	23 Euro

# FAQ

- Recommendation: prepared form
- Military project: Mostly granted, not sensitive
- GPA: plus 14 is okay
- Master by Coursework: You may get discount in tuition or even fully waived
- Second Master: GTE or don't mention
- Gap: Work Experience proof, official
- Change your major in Ph.D. and getting funded: rarely occurred, background needed
- Bachelor unrelated, Master related, Ph.D. apply: Okay
- Up to 40: Ph.D. is okay
- University of Melbourne : Doesn't accept master of Economics in Iran



THANK YOU

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