



Curtin Singapore

# ***Students Guide***

**STUDY AT  
CURTIN SINGAPORE**

2022

Make tomorrow better.



# A global university

**Start your career with a globally recognised degree from a university ranked among the best in the world.**

Curtin University welcomes more than 50,000 students from all over the world to its campuses in Australia, Malaysia, Singapore, Dubai and Mauritius. Some of our courses allow you to move between campuses during your studies, providing invaluable personal and academic opportunities.

Established in 1986, Curtin University takes its name from the widely respected former Prime Minister of Australia, John Curtin, and embraces his philosophy to “look ever forward”, instilling a culture of innovation in its teaching and research.

Curtin has risen through international university rankings in recent years as our reputation continues to grow. We're now ranked in the top one per cent of universities worldwide in the prestigious Academic Ranking of World Universities 2022.

We're also ranked second 193rd in the QS World University Rankings 2023 and received five-stars plus for overall excellence in the QS Stars University Ratings.



## Our vision

- Working in partnership we will make a difference for people and our planet.

## Our strategic positioning

- Curtin Singapore is the globally recognised, regionally relevant university of choice for students, staff, and our communities.

## Our values

- **Integrity** – to act ethically, honestly and with fairness.
- **Respect** – to listen, value and acknowledge.
- **Courage** – to lead, take responsibility and question.
- **Excellence** – to strive for excellence and distinction.
- **Impact** – to empower, enable and inspire.



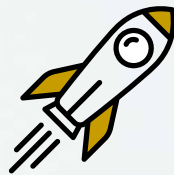
### TOP 1% IN THE WORLD

Curtin is ranked in the top 1% of universities worldwide in the highly regarded Academic Ranking of World Universities (ARWU) 2022.



### A FUTURE LEADER

Ranked 36th in the Young University Rankings by the Times Higher Education Young University Rankings 2022.



### ROCKETING UP THE CHARTS

Risen to 193rd in the world rankings by QS World University Rankings 2023.



### #3 FOR FULL-TIME PERMANENT EMPLOYMENT

Curtin Singapore is ranked 3rd in full-time permanent employment rate by SkillsFuture Singapore Private Education Institution Graduate Employment Survey 2020/21.



# The Curtin Singapore advantage

**Study in one of the world's most cosmopolitan cities and receive a quality education at Curtin's Singapore campus.**

Established in 2008, Curtin Singapore offers students a flexible, superb education in one of the world's most cosmopolitan cities. You can expect to build life skills, join an international community and become part of a forward-thinking culture committed to sharing innovative ideas.

Whether you study at Curtin Singapore or at one of our other global campuses, you'll graduate with the skills to launch your career anywhere in the world.

## Campus location and facilities

Curtin Singapore is located 20 minutes from the central business district, making it easily accessible by public transport. You'll have access to a wide range of facilities that make uni life more productive and convenient, including the Student UniHub, library, campus-wide wi-fi, computer labs and food outlets.

## Earn a globally recognised degree

When you graduate from Curtin Singapore, you will graduate with a degree from Curtin University that is recognised around the globe. You can even start your studies in Singapore, then transfer to our campus in Perth, Western Australia, to complete your studies and benefit from a new cultural and learning environment.

## Committee for private education

The Committee for Private Education (CPE) is part of SkillsFuture Singapore (SSG) and governs private education in Singapore. Curtin Singapore fully supports the legislation and works strictly within the EduTrust framework. Curtin Singapore has achieved EduTrust Certification and implemented mandatory requirements such as Fee Protection Scheme and the use of a PEI-Student Contract as required by the CPE.

## Fee Protection Scheme

One important aspect of the EduTrust framework is the Fee Protection Scheme (FPS). Compulsory for both international and local students, the FPS serves to protect students against the loss of tuition fees due to malpractice by the course providers and in the event that a private education institution (PEI) is unable to continue operations due to insolvency and/or regulatory closure.

## PEI-Student Contract

The PEI-Student Contract is a legally binding contract between Curtin Singapore and Curtin Singapore students that embodies the following mandatory requirements:

- clear definition of course details—course title, the qualification awarded, course duration
- full disclosure of all costs for tuition/non-tuition fees
- clear definition of the refund policy
- clear definition of dispute resolution mechanisms.

Curtin Singapore students will be issued with a comprehensive PEI-Student Contract with their Letter of Offer.



**IDENTICAL CERTIFICATE  
AWARDED IN  
BOTH SINGAPORE  
AND AUSTRALIA**



**FLEXIBLE TRANSFER  
OPTION BETWEEN  
SINGAPORE AND PERTH**



**FAST TRACK PROGRAMS  
THROUGH TRIMESTER  
ACADEMIC YEARS**



**PRACTICAL COURSEWORK  
ENSURES INDUSTRY-READY  
GRADUATES**



**SMALL CLASS SIZES OFFER  
SUPPORTIVE LEARNING  
ENVIRONMENT**



# Experience one of the most liveable cities in the world\*

**Singapore is a city where the young and ambitious thrive, it's a land where cultures blend, opportunities abound, and the nightlife is exhilarating and vibrant.**

Singapore offers a unique concentration of different leisure experiences to enhance your education journey, from its distinctive cultures and dining experiences, to a vibrant arts scene and world class shopping venues.

Studying at Curtin Singapore means getting a leading education in an exciting and modern setting while enjoying great quality of life in one of the world's most liveable cities\*.

## Enjoy some of the world's best food and entertainment

A nation of food enthusiasts, Singapore's culinary landscape has evolved in recent years and expanded in range and variety. From the vast array of authentic street food to the emerging scene of hands-on culinary experiences, Singapore has cuisine for every taste, lifestyle and budget.

Packed with concerts and exciting entertainment options, Singapore's vibrant events calendar means there's always something to do. Annual highlights include the Chingay Parade, a multicultural celebration, and the spectacular fireworks finale of the Marina Bay Singapore Countdown party.

## Stay in touch with the people you love

Singapore shares the same time zone as cities such as Shanghai, Hong Kong, Kuala Lumpur, Manila and Perth, making it convenient to contact your loved ones while you study.

Alternatively, why not catch the next flight home? Singapore's international airport is well served by flights and designated Vaccinated Travel Lane flights connecting the region with the world. Frequent flights and a broad choice of airlines mean it's easy for you to visit home.

## Transport and getting around

Transportation within Singapore is a breeze. A well-connected public transport system and road network enables easy access to Singapore's world-class attractions such as Singapore Zoo, Gardens by the Bay, Clarke Quay and Universal Studios, as well as excellent shopping opportunities.

### Living costs in Singapore

Your day-to-day living costs will vary based on your tastes, interests and financial position. You should plan a budget to suit your needs, but make sure it is flexible enough to allow for changes. Singapore is a large city with a range of options to suit the lifestyle you choose.



Monthly living expenses	(SGD\$)
Accommodation	\$1,000 to \$1,800 per month
Public transport	\$80 to \$120 per month
Food	\$600 to \$1,200 per month
Communication	\$30 to \$110 per month
Recreation	\$200 to \$500 per month

Source: [edb.gov.sg](https://edb.gov.sg). The information in this table is intended as a guide only. Prices are accurate at the time of publication but are subject to change.



Chinatown

\*Singapore is ranked 37th in the Economist Intelligence Unit (EIU) Global Liveability Index 2022.





Orchard Road



Sentosa Island



Merlion Park



Garden by the Bay



Marina Bay Sands



Haji Lane



# Explore your global opportunities

● STANFORD UNIVERSITY

From tailored study tours to professional internships and short courses, you have access to a large range of international opportunities to gain a truly global educational experience.

## Curtin campuses

We are internationally connected, with campuses located across five countries and partnerships with more than 130 tertiary education institutions worldwide. You'll receive a globally relevant education that encourages you to develop intercultural awareness, visit other countries and add international experience to your résumé.

## Cross-campus

Our academic programs are the same across all Curtin campuses, so if your course is available at a different location, you can study there for a semester with no interruption to your progress.

## Exchange and study abroad

You can choose to go on a short-term program, undertake an international internship, engage in a volunteer program or challenge yourself by going on an exchange to one of our many partner universities in Africa, Asia, Europe, North America or South America.

### 01 PERTH

Perth is a stunning, vibrant and multicultural city and the ideal place to mix study with sports, activities, dining and relaxation.

Curtin Perth is located just six kilometres from the city centre. It is a place of inspiration, with technology-rich learning spaces, high-impact research and a wide range of courses that prepare you for your future career.

Visit [curtin.edu.au](http://curtin.edu.au).

### 02 KALGOORLIE

Curtin Kalgoorlie puts Curtin students in the heart of WA's historic mining region.

Visit [curtin.edu.au](http://curtin.edu.au).

### 03 DUBAI

Our Dubai campus gives you the opportunity to study in the heart of Middle Eastern banking, tourism and trade. Its rich culture and economic growth can complement your study in arts, commerce, engineering, or IT and computing.

Visit [curtindubai.ac.ae](http://curtindubai.ac.ae).

### 04 MAURITIUS

Curtin Mauritius offers courses in design, communications, commerce and science. It delivers a world-class education in a tropical island nation that blends cultures from Europe, Africa and Asia.

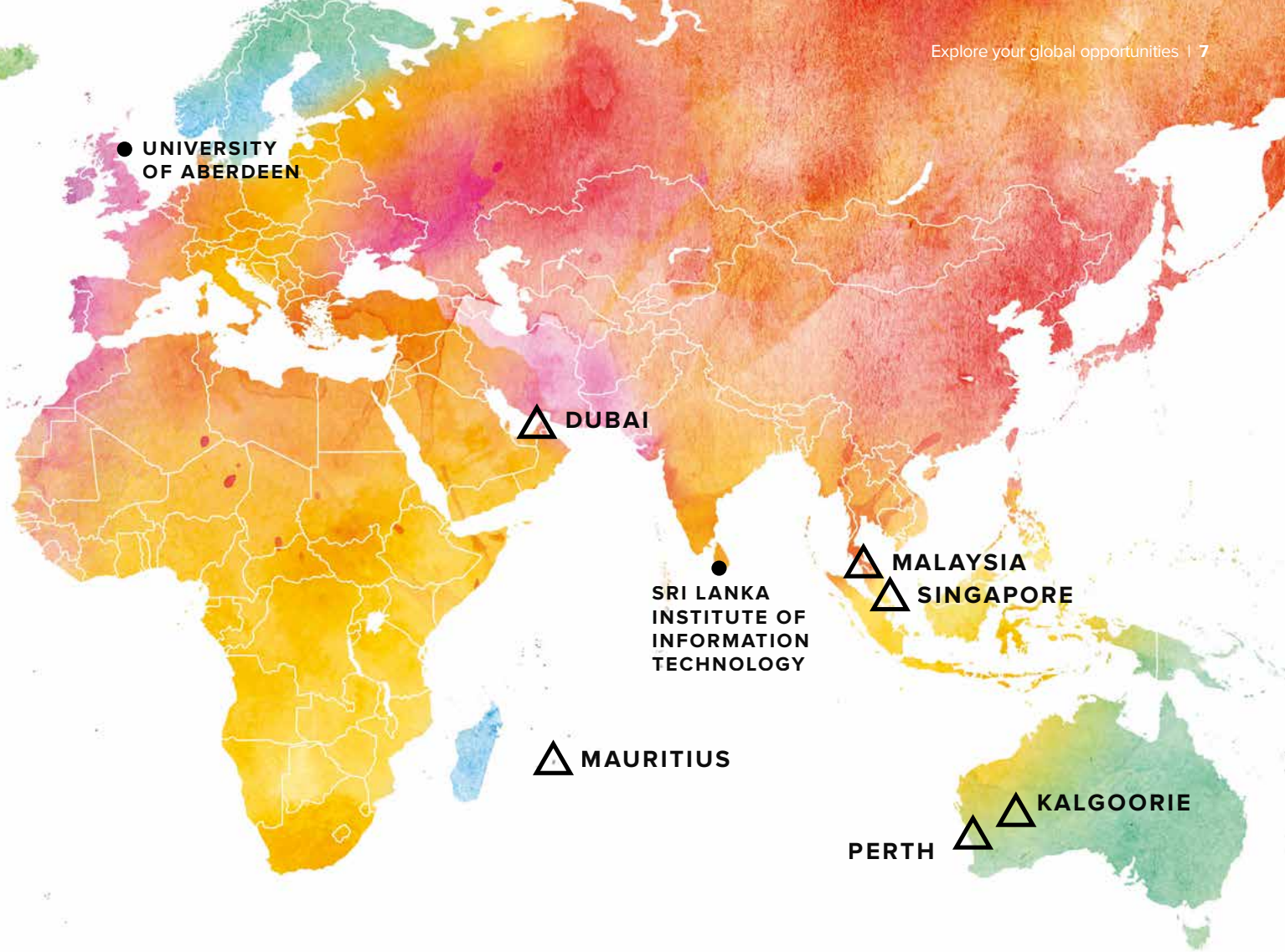
Visit [curtinmauritius.ac.mu](http://curtinmauritius.ac.mu).

### 05 MALAYSIA

Located on the island of Borneo, our Malaysian campus is modern and vibrant, featuring lush greenery and lakes. You can study a range of Curtin degrees here, including commerce, engineering, science and arts.

Visit [curtin.edu.my](http://curtin.edu.my).





△ Curtin University global campuses ● Partners

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# Life at Curtin Singapore

**With so much to see, do and experience, student life at Curtin Singapore is exciting and fulfilling. We offer a range services and support programs to ensure your time at university is enjoyable, inclusive and productive.**

## Careers

### Career Consultation services

The team at Career Consultation services help students to navigate their career options and assists them with job searching. They also run mock job interviews, enabling students to test their interview-answering skills in a real-world setting. Students are given feedback on all areas of their interview performance, including first impressions, nonverbal communication and ability to handle challenging interview questions.

[careers@curtin.edu.sg](mailto:careers@curtin.edu.sg)

### Alumni

Join a thriving Curtin alumni community and build valuable connections to help you succeed in today's competitive global market.

[alumni.curtin.edu.au](http://alumni.curtin.edu.au)

## Community

### Curtin Singapore Student Committee (STUCO)

STUCO represents Curtin Singapore students and promotes a vibrant campus life. Supported by the University, the committee organises regular activities for students including sports and arts events, festivals, volunteering and community outreach programs.

Students who would like to join STUCO can register their interest through email. Selection is based on comprehensive recruitment criteria and panel interviews.

[SEE@curtin.edu.sg](mailto:SEE@curtin.edu.sg)

## Wellbeing

### Accommodation

Curtin Singapore has a dedicated team that assists students with finding suitable accommodation while studying. There are several accommodation options available, ranging from entire rental properties to individual rooms.

Once you accept your offer from the University, you can submit an online form with your accommodation preference.

[curtin.edu.sg-accommodation](http://curtin.edu.sg-accommodation)

### Counselling services

Counselling is available to all Curtin Singapore students to discuss issues of concern that may not be easily communicated with family or friends. The Curtin Singapore Counselling Service is independent, confidential and free to all students. The service allows students to seek advice on academic matters, study and learning strategies, career and course changes, cross-cultural and personal issues.

To access counselling services, visit Student Connect during opening hours or email [counselling@curtin.edu.sg](mailto:counselling@curtin.edu.sg)

### Grievance procedures

Curtin has official procedures in place to assist students in resolving concerns about academic and other matters which are set out in the Curtin Singapore Student Handbook.

Access the handbook at [curtin.edu.sg/student-handbooks-and-guides/](http://curtin.edu.sg/student-handbooks-and-guides/).





# Pathways

If you don't meet our minimum entry requirements, you may complete a program at Navitas English, Curtin College or both. These pathways enable you to study at different levels and progress to an undergraduate or postgraduate course at Curtin Singapore.

Academic entry requirements are listed on page 14 or visit [curtin.edu.sg/how-to-apply/admission-criteria/](http://curtin.edu.sg/how-to-apply/admission-criteria/).

## Pathways

### Navitas English

Students who do not meet the English entry requirements can study a Dipooma of English for Academic Purposes program at Navitas English. The Diploma consists of four 13-week modules: two General English modules and two Academic English modules.

[curtin.edu.sg/courses/english-courses/](http://curtin.edu.sg/courses/english-courses/)

### Curtin College Diploma

Curtin College Diploma programs pathway into Year 2 of the corresponding Curtin University bachelor program in Commerce, Computing, Information Technology or Communications.

[curtin.edu.sg/courses/diploma/](http://curtin.edu.sg/courses/diploma/)

## Course types

### Undergraduate

#### Bachelor degree

A bachelor degree is the first degree earned at a university. At Curtin, it is awarded for completing an undergraduate course of study.

### Postgraduate

#### Graduate certificate

As a short vocationally-oriented program, graduate certificate courses are designed to develop skills in a specialised area of study.

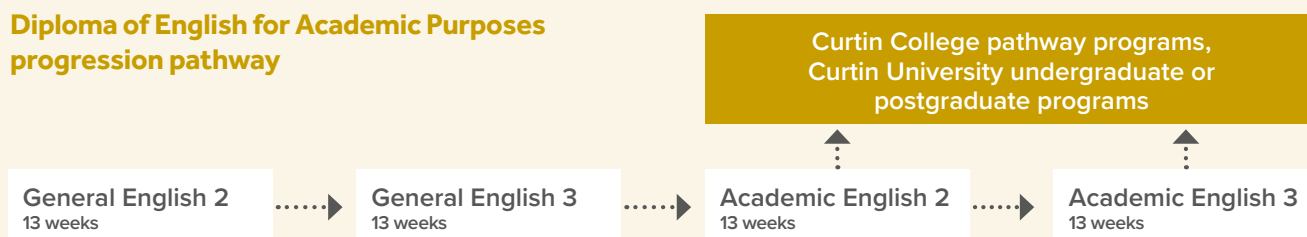
#### Graduate diploma

The graduate diploma is a specialised, vocationally orientated award usually completed in two trimesters on a full-time study mode, or four trimesters on a part-time study mode. Entry is usually based on completion of a bachelor degree.

#### Master degree

A school may accept you into a master degree provided you hold appropriate qualifications as decided by the head of school.

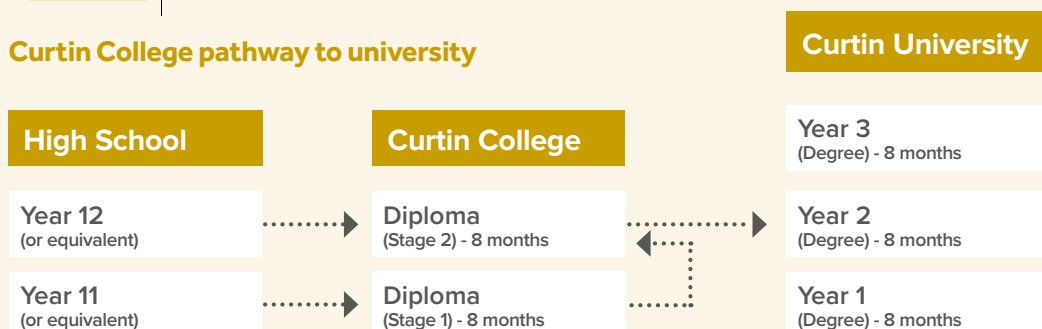
## Diploma of English for Academic Purposes progression pathway



- On successful completion of Academic English 2 with minimum 50 per cent passing mark for courses with English entry requirement of IELTS 5.5 with no bands below 5.5 or IELTS 5.5 with no bands below 5.0.
- On successful completion of Academic English 3 with minimum 50 per cent passing mark for courses with English entry requirement of IELTS 6.0 with no bands below 6.0.
- On successful completion of Academic English 3 with minimum 65 per cent passing mark for courses with English entry requirement of IELTS 6.5 with no bands below 6.0.



## Curtin College pathway to university



Refer to page 14 for more details on entry requirements.

# Program listings

For the latest course information, visit [curtin.edu.sg](http://curtin.edu.sg).

Total course fee SGD\$					
Course name	Duration	Intake	Study Mode	International Students	Domestic Students
<b>Business</b>					
<b>Diploma of Commerce (Stage 1)</b>	8 months	Feb, Jul, Nov	Full-time	15,120	10,368
<b>Diploma of Commerce (Stage 2)</b>	8 months	Feb, Jul, Nov	Full-time	19,440	13,608
<b>Bachelor of Commerce</b> Single majors in: – Accounting – Finance – International Business – Logistics and Supply Chain Management – Management – Marketing  Double majors in: – Accounting and Finance – Finance and Management – Finance and Marketing – Logistics and Supply Chain Management and Marketing – Management and Marketing – Management and Human Resource Management	2 years	Feb, Jul, Nov	Full-time	58,320	40,824
<b>Graduate Certificate in Business</b>	6 months/ 12 months	May, Sep	Full-time/ Part-time	13,392	13,392
<b>Graduate Certificate in Business Fundamentals</b>	4 months	Feb, Jul, Nov	Full-time	12,312	12,312
<b>Graduate Certificate in Supply Chain Management</b>	4 months	Feb, Jul, Nov	Full-time	12,312	12,312
<b>Master of Business Administration</b> Specialisations in: – Business Administration – Leadership	16 months/ 28-36 months	May, Sep	Full-time/ Part-time	40,176	40,176
<b>Master of International Business</b>	8 months	Feb, Jul, Nov	Full-time	24,624	24,624
<b>Master of Supply Chain Management (Professional)</b>	8 months	Feb, Jul, Nov	Full-time	24,624	24,624

All fees are inclusive of 8% GST. Fees listed are indicative and subject to annual increases and prevailing GST rate.



## Admission cut-off scores

GCE  
A-Levels/  
STPM/  
(best of 2  
subjects)

GCE  
O-Levels  
/SPM

IB

UEC

China

India

Indonesia

United  
States

Vietnam

IELTS

Others

Remarks

	N/A	4 passes	18	4 passes	SM2 70	10+1 50%	SMA2 70	Year 11 GPA 1.0	Year 11 6.0	5.5 (5.0)	N/A	N/A
	2	N/A	20	2 Bs and 2 Cs	SM3 70	10+2 55%	SMA3 60 + SKHUN	Year 12 + SAT 750	Year 12 6.0	5.5 (5.5)	N/A	N/A
	5	N/A	24	15	Gao Kao 67%	HSC 65%	SMA3 77	Year 12 + SAT 1000	Year 12 7.5	6.0 (6.0)	N/A	Students progressing from Diploma of Commerce (Stage 2) will complete this program over 16 months and course fee is pro-rated accordingly.
	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	6.5 (6.0)	A bachelor degree, plus at least a minimum of five years of professional work experience including three years in a managerial capacity. For applicants without an undergraduate degree, a minimum age of 30 and eight years of professional work experience	NA
	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	6.5 (6.0)	A bachelor degree from a recognised university.	NA
	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	6.5 (6.0)	A bachelor degree (or equivalent) in a field of study other than logistics, or at least five years' relevant work experience.	NA
	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	6.5 (6.0)	A bachelor degree from a recognised tertiary institution and at least five years work experience, at least three years of which must be at a managerial, supervisory and/or senior professional level. Graduates from the Curtin Graduate Certificate in Business with a CWA of at least 70% will be considered qualified for entry to the MBA and will be required to only complete a further 8 units to gain their MBA.	All applicants will need to submit a copy of their CV/Resume highlighting prior work experience and roles that they have held. Entry to the course is competitive and applicants will be required to undertake an interview as the final stage of application assessment.
	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	6.5 (6.0)	A bachelor degree from a recognised university and industry experience (2 years working in an assistant or deputy manager and above position) or completion of the Graduate Certificate in Business Fundamentals.	
	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	6.5 (6.0)	A bachelor degree in a related discipline from a recognised tertiary institution AND 3-5 years of relevant work experience or completion of the Graduate Certificate in Supply Chain Management.	N/A

Total course fee SGD\$					
Course name	Duration	Intake	Study Mode	International Students	Domestic Students
<b>Humanities</b>					
Diploma of Arts and Creative Industries (Stage 1)	8 months	Feb, Jul, Nov	Full-time	15,120	10,368
Diploma of Arts and Creative Industries (Stage 2)	8 months	Feb, Jul, Nov	Full-time	19,440	13,608
<b>Bachelor of Communications (Top-up)</b> Double streams in: - Journalism Communication and Marketing Specialisation - Journalism Communication and Web Media Specialisation - Web Media and Marketing Specialisation	16 months	Feb, Jul, Nov	Full-time	38,880	27,216
<b>Health Sciences</b>					
Bachelor of Science (Nursing) Conversion Program for Registered Nurses (Top-up)	2 years	Feb, Jul	Part-time	N/A	21,168
Graduate Certificate in Wound, Ostomy and Continence Practice	1 year	Feb	Part-time	N/A	5,508 and 3,000 clinical placement fees payable to the clinical placement provider
Graduate Diploma in Wound, Ostomy and Continence Practice	2 years	Feb	Part-time	N/A	16,524 and 3,000 clinical placement fees payable to the clinical placement provider
Master of Advanced Practice, Clinical Leadership Specialisation	2 years	Feb, Jul	Part-time	N/A	22,032
<b>Science &amp; Engineering</b>					
Diploma of Information Technology (Stage 1)	8 months	Feb, Jul, Nov	Full-time	15,120	10,368
Diploma of Information Technology (Stage 2)	8 months	Feb, Jul, Nov	Full-time	16,848	11,880
Bachelor of Information Technology Bachelor of Science (Data Science)	2 years	Feb, Jul	Full-time	50,544	35,640
Bachelor of Computing (Cyber Security)	2 years	Feb, Jul	Full-time	50,544	35,640



## Admission cut-off scores

GCE A-Levels/STPM/ (best of 2 subjects) GCE O-Levels /SPM											
IB	UEC	China	India	Indonesia	United States	Vietnam	IELTS	Others	Remarks		

	N/A	4 passes	18	4 passes	SM2 70	10+1 50%	SMA2 70	Year 11 GPA 1.0	Year 11 6.0	5.5 (5.0)	N/A	N/A
	2	N/A	20	2 Bs and 2 Cs	SM3 70	10+2 55%	SMA3 60 + SKHUN	Year 12 + SAT 750	Year 12 6.0	6.0 (6.0)	N/A	N/A
	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	6.5 (6.0)	A polytechnic diploma in a relevant discipline or Diploma of Arts and Creative Industries (Stage 2).	This is a top-up program and covers year two and year three of the full degree program.
	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	7.0 (6.5)	Graduate of a 3-year Diploma in Nursing recognised by Curtin University.	This is a top-up program and covers final year of the full degree program. Applicant must have current registration as a registered nurse with the Singapore Nursing Board.
	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	7.0 (7.0)	A bachelor degree in nursing from a recognised university.	Applicant must have current registration as a registered nurse with the Singapore Nursing Board.
	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	7.0 (7.0)	A bachelor degree in nursing from a recognised university and minimum of 12 months post-registration clinical experience in the speciality area.	Applicant must have current registration as a registered nurse with the Singapore Nursing Board. Applicants with Graduate Certificate in Wound, Ostomy and Continence Practice will be eligible for a maximum of 100 credits of Credit for Recognised Learning.
	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	7.0 (7.0)	A bachelor degree in a relevant clinical based health or allied health field or in a related area, entry to the course is competitive, with a high course weighted average required.	Applicants must hold three (3) years' experience in their related field post bachelor degree with a minimum of 12 months postgraduate experience in a specialist area of practice and current health professional registration/accreditation.
	N/A	N/A	N/A	4 passes	SM2 70	10+1 50%	SMA2 70	Year 11 6.0	Year 11 6.0	5.5 (5.0)	Course prerequisites: Mathematics	N/A
	2	N/A	N/A	2 Bs and 2 Cs	SM3 70	10+2 55%	SMA3 60	Year 12 6.0	Year 12 6.0	5.5 (5.5)	Course prerequisites: Mathematics	N/A
	5	N/A	24	15	Gao Kao 67%	HSC 65%	SMA3 77	Year 12 + SAT 1000	7.5	6.0 (6.0)	Course prerequisites: Mathematics Data Science course prerequisites: Mathematics (including Calculus)	Students progressing from Diploma of IT (Stage 2) will complete this program over 16 months and course fee is prorated accordingly.
	8	N/A	28	22	Gao Kao 70%	HSC 71%	SMA3 83	Year 12 + SAT 1100	80	6.0 (6.0)	Cyber Security course prerequisites: Mathematics. Calculus is desirable.	Students progressing from Diploma of IT (Stage 2) will complete this program over 16 months and course fee is prorated accordingly. Progression hurdle applies for articulation into Bachelor of Computing

# Academic entry requirements

## Indicative academic entry requirements

Region / Qualification	Diploma (Stage 1)	Diploma (Stage 2)
<b>Brunei</b>	General Certificate of Education Ordinary Level (GCE O Level) with four passes.	Two points from two GCE Advanced Level (A Level) subjects.
<b>China</b>	Senior Middle two (Gao Er) with minimum average of 70% OR Hui Kao with minimum average of 60%.	Senior Middle three (Gao San) with minimum average of 70% from four academic subjects.
<b>Hong Kong</b>	Form 5 with a minimum average of 50%.	Hong Kong Diploma of Secondary Education (HKDSE) with minimum 10 points from four Category A subjects.
<b>India</b>	India Senior School 10+1 with minimum average of 50%.	India Senior School 10+2 with minimum average of 55% from four academic subjects.
<b>Indonesia</b>	Ijazah Sekolah Menengah Atas (SMA) 2 with minimum average of 70%.	SMA 3 (school exam) with minimum average of 60% and completion of SKHUN (national exam).
<b>International Baccalaureate (IB)</b>	Year 1 of International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma with a minimum of 18 points from four subjects.	Completion of the IB Diploma with a minimum of 20 points from six subjects.
<b>Korea</b>	High School Year 2 with Rank 5.	High School Year 3 with Rank 6.
<b>Malaysia</b>	Sijil Pelajaran Malaysia (SPM), Form 5 OR Malaysian Unified Examination Certificate (UEC) with minimum four passes.	Sijil Tinggi Persekolahan (Malay medium) (STPM) with minimum CGPA/NGMP of 2 from two relevant subjects (no grade less than C or NGMP 2.00) OR UEC with two grade B and two grade C.
<b>Myanmar</b>	Matriculation Examination with minimum average of 55%.	Cert IV from YIUS or EduLink. All other qualifications are assessed on a case-by-case basis.
<b>Philippines</b>	Year 11 (Academic Track) with overall average of 75%, OR Year 11 (Arts & Design/Sports Track) with overall average of 80%, OR Year 12 Senior High School Diploma (Technical-Vocational Livelihood Track) with overall average of 80%	Year 12 (Academic Track) with overall average of 80%.
<b>Russia, Kazakhstan, Turkmenistan, Uzbekistan, Tajikistan, Kyrgyzstan</b>	Completion of Svidetel'stvo o Srednem Obschchem Obrazovanii (Certificate of Secondary Education)	Completion of Svidetel'stvo o Srednem Obschchem Obrazovanii (Certificate of Secondary Education) with GPA of 3.5.
<b>Singapore</b>	General Certificate of Education Ordinary Level (GCE O Level) with minimum four passes OR completion of Nitec qualification.	Two points from two A Level subjects OR Higher Nitec passing grade C.
<b>Thailand</b>	Matayom 5 with minimum GPA 2.5.	Matayom 6 (or Certificate of Secondary Education) with minimum GPA 2.0.
<b>United States</b>	Year 11 with GPA of 1.0 or grade D or 60%	High School Diploma (HSD) & SAT with minimum score of 750 out of 1600 OR American College Test (ACT) with minimum score of 17.
<b>Vietnam</b>	Year 11 with minimum average of 6.0.	Year 12 (Bang Tot nghiep Trung hoc Pho thong) with an average grade of 6.0

Entry is competitive and levels higher than the minimum may be required for admission to some courses. Students from countries not listed should contact Curtin Singapore for further details.

## Minimum English language entry requirements

English language test	Diploma (Stage 1)	Diploma (Stage 2)	Bachelor / Master	Bachelor / Master (Health Sciences)
IELTS (International English Language Testing System) - Writing and Speaking - Reading and Listening - Overall Band Score	5.0 5.0 5.5	5.5/6.0* 5.5/6.0* 5.5/6.0*	6.0 6.0 6.0/6.5**	6.5/7.0** 6.5/7.0** 7.0
TOEFL (Test of English as a Foreign Language) IBT	54 (R7, L6, S15, W17)	54 (R12, L11, S17, W20)/70 (R13, L12, S18, W21)*	68 (R13, L13, S18, W21)/79 (R13, L13, S18, W21)**	94 (R20, L20, S20, W24) / 99 (R24, L24, S23, W27)**
Pearson Test of English Academic	42 (no score less than 36)	42 (no score less than 42)/50 (no score less than 50)*	50 (no score less than 50)/58 (no score less than 50)**	65 (no score less than 58)/65 (no score less than 65)**

\* Higher English entry only applies to the Diploma of Arts and Creative Industries (Stage 2) program.

\*\*Higher English entry is required for postgraduate programs.



Bachelor
Three passes (Grade C or better) in the GCE O level and two passes (minimum of five points) in the GCE Advanced Level Exam.
Successful completion of the National College Entrance Examination (NCEE or also known as Gao Kao) and obtain an aggregate of the required individual subjects which is equivalent to 67% of the overall maximum score, or a grade of 322/480, 402/600, 503/750, 543/810 or 603/900.
HKDSE minimum 15 points from the best five subjects with minimum grade 4 in English Language.
Successful completion of the Indian School Certificate (ISC) awarded by Council for the Indian School Certificate Examinations (CISCE) OR ALL India Senior School Certificate awarded by the Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) with a grade average of 60% in the best four subjects OR Higher Secondary School Certificate (Standard Year 12 Qualification) awarded by one of the recognized Higher Secondary Education Boards in India with a grade average of 65% in the best five subjects.
Successful completion of the Ijazah Sekolah Menengah Atas (SMA3) (Certificate of Completion from Academic Senior Secondary School) with an overall average grade of at least 77%.
Completion of the IB Diploma with a minimum of 24 points from six subjects. Three of the subjects must be at the higher level and one of the six subjects must be English.
Completion of Academic Secondary School Certificate with a score of 300 (75%) in the National University Entrance Examination (College Scholastic Ability Test) (CSAT) OR completion of one year full-time of a four years bachelor degree course from a recognised institution.
Completion of the Sijil Tinggi Persekolahan Malaysia (STPM) (Malaysia Higher School Certificate) with at least two subject or maximum of best three subjects (minimum 5 points) and three SPM credit passes OR UEC with 15 points aggregated from the best five academic subjects excluding languages.
Successful completion of two years full-time study of a three years Bachelor degree (in arts, economics, commerce and management, foreign languages, and science (including computer science)) OR one year full-time study of a four years Bachelor degree (in community health, education, law, nursing, paramedical sciences, pharmacy, technology (including computer technology and nautical technology)) at a Section 1 Higher education institution listed on AEI CEP.
Successful completion of Philippines High School Diploma (Grade 12) (Academic track) with a final result of 80%, and a Total score (sum of two sections) of at least 1000 out of 1600 in the SAT from the same sitting, with a minimum score of 400 in each section: Evidence-Based Reading and Writing section; Math Section.
Successful completion of one year of a four years full-time Bakalavr at a State institution or fully accredited private institution.
Five points from two A Level subjects OR successful completion of a polytechnic diploma.
Successful completion of the Thailand Certificate of Secondary Education (MAW 6) with GPA of 3.0 out of 4.0 OR Successful completion of one year full-time study of a four years Bachelor degree at one of the Section 1 Higher Education institutions OR successful completion of one year full-time study of a four years Bachelor degree with at least Grade of 3.0 (or Good or Grade B) out of 4.0 at one of the Section 2 Higher Education institutions
HSD with a GPA of 3.0 out of 4.0 (or an average grade of B) and a Total score (Evidence-based Reading and Writing section and Math section) of at least 1000 out of 1600 in the SAT from the same sitting, a minimum of 400 in Evidence-based Reading and Writing section, and 400 in Math section is required OR a composite score of 21 or better in the ACT OR a grade point score of 6 from two College Board Advanced Placement (AP) examinations .
Completion of the Bang Tu tai or Bang Tot nghiep Pho thong Trung hoc (Vietnamese Upper Secondary School Graduation Diploma) with at least GPA 7.5 out of 10 in the score for graduation evaluation OR Successful completion of the Vietnamese High School Graduation Diploma with at least final GPA of 7.5 out of 10 in Grade 12 school report from one of the approved gifted high schools.

## Non-tuition fees (SGD\$)

Non-tuition fees (SGD\$)	International students	Domestic students
Administration fee	864	216
Medical insurance*	47.52	47.52
Group Hospital and Surgical Insurance for COVID-19**	91.80	NA
Fee Protection Scheme insurance#	Course dependent	Course dependent

All fees are inclusive of eight per cent GST. The tuition fee (shown in Singaporean dollars) listed are indicative and subject to annual increases and prevailing GST rate, and charged on a trimester or semester basis. The tuition fees are based on a normal full-time workload of 100 credits per trimester or part-time workload of 50 credits per semester unless otherwise stated. The indicative fee is a guide as to what the actual tuition fee will be, as the actual tuition fee is not calculated until enrolment is completed. To calculate the actual course fee, you can refer to the unit (subject) fee that is listed at [curtin.edu.sg](http://curtin.edu.sg).

\* Curtin Singapore has in place a medical insurance scheme for all its students as required by CPE under EduTrust certification scheme. Local students can opt out of the medical insurance if students can provide proof of adequate medical insurance coverage. For more information, visit [curtin.edu.sg](http://curtin.edu.sg)

\*\* Group Hospital and Surgical Insurance for COVID-19 will cover hospitalisation costs at Singapore Government or Singapore Government Restructured Hospitals due to COVID-19 infections only.

# The Fee Protection Scheme (FPS) insurance aims to protect students' paid fees in accordance with a master insurance policy, standard student contract and the Curtin Singapore refund policy. For more information on the Curtin Singapore Refund Policy, please visit [curtin.edu.sg](http://curtin.edu.sg) or contact [finance@curtin.edu.sg](mailto:finance@curtin.edu.sg).

# Application process

The following information is relevant to you if you are applying directly to Curtin Singapore. If you are using the services of a Curtin registered agent, you should lodge your application via the agent and contact them with any queries throughout the admission process.

## 1. Apply

Apply online at

**[apply.curtin.edu.sg](https://apply.curtin.edu.sg)**.

Documents to be submitted with the application:

- Certified copies of all your previous qualifications (e.g. academic transcripts, grading system descriptions and award certificates).
- English language entry requirements such as academic IELTS and TOEFL (if applicable).
- Identification documents (e.g. NRIC, working pass, or passport).
- Evidence of change of name (if applicable)

## 2. Await your offer

Assessment of your application takes 1–2 weeks.

If we require further documents to assess your application, they will be requested from you.

Assessment of your application will be delayed until we receive these documents.

### Credits for Recognised Learning (CRL)

We will not be able to assess CRL for previous studies without an application and certified copies of all your academic transcripts/ statement of marks and award certificates to date.

CRL is granted at the discretion of the school/faculty.

## 3. Receive your offer

Your offer package consists of:

- Letter of Offer
- Acceptance of Offer form



*“Studying at Curtin has allowed me to see things from many different perspectives as I got to meet people from different countries and backgrounds. The practical assignments and opportunities beyond the classroom have helped me to gain more confidence to step into the workforce.”*

**Ruth Joyce**

*Bachelor of Commerce (Logistics and Supply Chain Management and Marketing)*

## 4. Accept your offer

### FOUR STEPS TO ACCEPT YOUR OFFER

#### Step 1

Read your Letter of Offer carefully, ensuring all personal information and course details are correct. Meet all conditions on your Letter of Offer if applicable.

#### Step 2

Complete the Acceptance of Offer form and return it to [admissions@curtin.edu.sg](mailto:admissions@curtin.edu.sg). You will receive a Standard PEI Student Contract via email.

#### Step 3

Read and understand all terms and conditions stated in the Standing PEI-Student Contract before signing it. Local students may sign the contract on campus with an Admissions Officer and international students will be provided with a video guide to explain the key elements of the contract.

#### Step 4

Make payment for your course fees and provide proof of payment, including your full name and student ID number to [finance@curtin.edu.sg](mailto:finance@curtin.edu.sg)

## 5. Apply for your visa

### INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

Your Student's Pass will be applied by the Admissions Office and the application process takes approximately two to four weeks.

Upon approval, your In-Principle Approval (IPA) letter will be sent to you through email.

The duration of your Student's Pass will vary depending on your course.

### Diploma of English for Academic Purposes 2023\*

Intakes	Dates
2023	20 Feb, 3 Jul, 23 Oct

### Academic calendar for Semesters 2023\*

	Semester 1, 2023	Semester 2, 2023
Applications close	2 weeks before orientation	
Orientation week	17 Jan	21 Jun
Semester commences	27 Feb	24 Jul
Semester ends	16 Jun	10 Nov

### Academic calendar for Trimesters 2023\*

	Trimester 1A 2023	Trimester 2A 2023	Trimester 3A 2023
Applications close	2 weeks before orientation		
Orientation week	20 Feb	26 Jun	23 Oct
Trimester commences	27 Feb	3 Jul	30 Oct
Trimester ends	16 Jun	13 Oct	9 Feb 2024v

Note: Courses at Curtin Singapore are taught on either a semester or trimester basis.

\* All dates are subject to change and may vary depending on the course.





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