



Raffles College of Design and Commerce

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Parramatta campus

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Open days

Raffles Open Days will be held on Saturday 10 September 2016 and Saturday 22 September 2016. Visit www.raffles.edu.au for further details. Individual campus visits are also welcome.

Important dates

Semester 1	Monday 6 February 2017
Semester 2	Monday 17 July 2017

ABOUT

Raffles College of Design and Commerce is a unique education provider based in the heart of Parramatta, Western Sydney, specialising in design, arts and visual communication. Students can major in Fashion Design, Fashion Marketing, Graphic Design, Interior Design, Multimedia, Animation, Games Design, Photography and New Media & Digital Film. We deliver premium vocational and higher education programs from Certificates through to Bachelor degrees.

We've been around for over 25 years. By keeping pace with industry, we deliver excellent courses and produce graduates who are well-respected and successful in their careers and the industry. Our lecturers are very active in the profession outside of the classroom, so their teaching constantly delivers real world knowledge of what's happening in the industry.

As members of the Raffles global community, our students will be able to develop their knowledge and experience both individually and in the company of their peers. Our aim is to equip students with a strong set of skills and the ability to keep learning, enabling them to enter the industry confidently and continue to grow and develop as their career advances. Our focus is on our students – their individual ambition and talent, their professional and personal development.

Whether you already have a career pathway in mind, or you're unsure which direction to take, we can help you open the door to a future that's full of possibilities. Our staff – your lecturers and the dedicated team supporting them – really want to inspire you to get the most out of your course.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

You must meet the minimum entry requirements listed below in one of the following categories:

For Higher Education courses:

- completion of Year 12 or equivalent; or
- Certificate IV in a relevant discipline; or
- completion of a lower year level or qualification, plus experience
- successful admission interview (with portfolio for design disciplines).

For Vocational Education courses:

- completion of Year 11 or equivalent; or
- completion of Year 10, plus experience.

Further details are available on Raffles' website at www.raffles.edu.au.

HOW TO APPLY

Applications must be made directly to Raffles online at www.raffles.edu.au. Once you've applied, you will be contacted by a Raffles staff member regarding the next step in your application process.

ENROLMENT

You will receive information about acceptance and enrolment procedures with your letter of offer.

FEES AND CHARGES

Visit the Raffles website for the latest information on course fees. Raffles courses are FEE-HELP and VET FEE-HELP approved meaning Australian students can access loans to cover part or all of their tuition fees. Students also have the option to pay part of all of their tuition fees upfront.

Full-time students may also be eligible for Austudy, Youth Allowance or ABSTUDY. Read 'Financial assistance' below.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Students can apply for FEE-HELP, which is available to Australian citizens and repaid through the taxation system once your income is above the threshold. For more information on FEE-HELP, visit www.studyassist.gov.au.

STUDENT AND CAMPUS SERVICES

Raffles College is located in the heart of Parramatta, across the road to transport, food and shopping services. Additionally, we offer:

Library and learning support: We have a range of specialist resources and are linked to millions more through online databases. We have a qualified Librarian and Learning Support Officer to provide student assistance.

Counsellor: We have a qualified Counsellor to offer guidance to students in their studies and personal life.

Classrooms and study spaces: We have a range of different spaces for all the varied activities that our students get up to. Classrooms range from small studio workshops (essential for practical design classes) to larger lecture-style rooms depending on what you're studying.

Photography and film studio: We have state-of-the-art studios equipped with the following:

- studio space, flats and blue screen
- darkroom
- lighting board and dimmer, with a range of professional lights
- props and equipment store
- range of cameras, grip and sound equipment
- edit suite with Final Cut Pro, Premier and After Effects
- audio mixer and professional sound editing software
- voiceover/Foley booth.