



Accommodation

You will stay in shared, self-catering apartments conveniently located ten to fifteen minutes walk from campus. You will have your own room with shared kitchen, living and bathroom. Bedding, linen and wifi access are included.

Fees

The fee for the course is NZ\$ 10,200.00 (GST inclusive). Fees include tuition, field trip costs, access to libraries and IT facilities, insurance, an orientation programme, airport transfers, and accommodation. Fees do not include air travel, food, transport in and around Auckland or personal expenses.



Further information

To register your interest for the 2014 programme or for more information please contact us at winterprogramme@auckland.ac.nz

More detailed course information is available at www.auckland.ac.nz/winterprogramme2014

Experience New Zealand

2014 Winter Programme | 16 June – 25 July



Welcome to Auckland

Study at the University of Auckland, New Zealand's leading research university, ranked 94th among the world's top universities.*

With a student roll of 40,000 it is the largest university in the country with approximately 5,000 international students choosing to study here each year.

The main University campus is located in the heart of Auckland City, ranked third out of 221 cities for quality of life.**



Academic programmes

These six-week, credit-bearing programmes are designed for those students wanting to immerse themselves in a uniquely New Zealand learning adventure.

Running from 16 June - 25 July 2014, each of the three distinctly New Zealand themed programmes combine field trip and classroom learning and are taught by experts in their field.

*QS World University Rankings 2013/2014

**www.mercer.com/qualityofliving



Option A (30 Points) - Marine Science and Field Studies in Environment

New Zealand's unique geological history, its biota, climate and location in the South West Pacific provide opportunities for you to enjoy two unique field experiences. During a week at Leigh Marine Laboratory you will take a trip on the research vessel *RV Hawere* and work in the research laboratories at Goat Island Marine Reserve. The second field experience includes visits to a number of locations where you will investigate and explore environmental history and processes in the Bay of Plenty/Gisborne region (East Coast of New Zealand's North Island).

Follow these visits with four weeks study on the city campus to fully understand the marine and geographical environments you have experienced. Listen to lectures from a variety of experts, use the laboratories to investigate and analyse field materials, and undertake web and library research.

Option B (30 Points) - Field and Laboratory Methods in New Zealand Archaeology

Learn about field and laboratory methods in New Zealand archaeology through a unique experience on a privately owned island off the Coromandel Peninsula. You will spend two weeks at a field school and take part in an active research project. The focus of the field school is learning appropriate methods of survey and excavation of Māori archaeological sites including Pa sites, agricultural areas and occupation sites.

Experts will help you record and process artefacts and features using the latest digital technologies. During the following four weeks you will attend classes to supplement content learnt during the field school, undertake laboratory analyses of materials



recovered and complete an individual research project. This course is suitable for those with an interest in archaeology and who have taken both introductory and more advanced archaeology courses at their home universities.

Option C (30 Points) - Lights! Camera! Action! TV Drama Studio

Make a film in the land of *The Hobbit* and visit New Zealand filmmaking sites. Using both studio production skills and field camera production, you will produce a series of short dramatic pieces shot in a television studio with inserts shot on field location.

As well as developing technical skills in multi-camera production, single-camera location shooting and digital editing, you will be introduced to the processes of script breakdowns, casting and directing actors. The course will also include visits to an Auckland film studio and to the Hobbiton Movie Set in Matamata, the real Middle-earth. Prior academic and creative background in film is required.

