



Graduate Certificate of Demography



CRICOS code: 108301A

UAC code: 830019

Duration: 0.5 Year FT or 1 Year PT

Prerequisites: none



1st
in Australia

ANU is ranked #1 in Australia
(and in the top-20 in the world) for
9 disciplines across humanities,
arts and social sciences.

*QS World University Rankings by Subject 2024

The Graduate Certificate of Demography is the only postgraduate certificate of its kind offered in Australia.

The certificate provides students with an opportunity to study population issues in a research-led environment, with a focus on applying learning to real-world scenarios. The certificate will equip students with cutting-edge skills in demographic techniques, research and writing. Graduates will emerge with skills to undertake demographic analysis and apply these to societal issues like population ageing, migration, and population growth.

Completion of coursework for this graduate certificate may be applied towards completion of the Master of Social Research and Master of Public Science degrees currently offered by ANU.

Career opportunities

The program provides a postgraduate certification showing skills and knowledge for employment in jobs related to demography or allied disciplines. Job opportunities may include federal, state, and local governments, non-profits, and in the private sector.

Professional outcomes

Students and researchers in the ANU School of Demography examine some of the most important issues facing the world today, including fertility, family formation and change; mortality, ageing and health; population change; and both national and international migration.



You will develop the following skills to contribute to these issues:

- Formulate demographic research questions
- Locate demographic data and evaluate their quality and utility
- Implement appropriate methods for demographic analysis and interpret the results
- Use demographic research to inform policy
- Complete an internship based on a demographic question for policy makers.

Demography at ANU

The ANU School of Demography is a world-class demographic research centre, and the Graduate Certificate in Demography provides an opportunity to develop and apply demographic knowledge and methods to real-world demographic issues.

Many of our researchers are involved in international projects in the areas of fertility and family studies; mortality, ageing and health; and migration and spatial demography. You will learn from our specialist researchers to study population change and address population issues.

The Graduate Certificate in Demography offers small group teaching and many courses include an opportunity to apply learning to real-world issues. We focus on issues concerning both developed and developing nations with a program that provides the theories and methods to study population change.

Prizes & scholarships

There are a number of scholarships for both international and domestic students. To find out if you are eligible see anu.edu.au/students/scholarships-fees/scholarships

Admission enquiries

- A Bachelor degree or international equivalent with a minimum GPA of 4/7.
- Graduate Diploma or international equivalent with a GPA 4/7; or
- Graduate Certificate or international equivalent with a GPA 4/7; or
- Masters or international equivalent with a GPA 4/7; or
- 24 units of courses in a postgraduate program with a GPA of 4/7; or
- PhD
- All applicants must meet the University's English Language Admission Requirements for Students.

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