Vil du studere sykepleie i Australia?

Velg en Bachelor of Nursing på Flinders University med ett år i Norge og to år i Australia!

Flinders University
Adelaide, Australia
Flinders University is an inclusive University which welcomes a highly diverse student population, with many nationalities, cultures, languages and religions helping to make it a stimulating and rewarding place to study.

Flinders campus is about 20 minutes south of Adelaide’s Central Business District. The 180 hectare campus is set amongst natural Australian bushland, pine forests and gardens. It offers sweeping views of Adelaide’s metropolitan area, the CBD and the coast.

Accommodation options include living on-campus in either the University Hall (catered) or Deirdre Jordan Village (self-catered). Also many current and past Nursing students have chosen to live close to the beach or the CBD in private accommodation, which is easily accessible to Flinders University by public transport. Flinders Housing can help assist new students in any of these options.

Adelaide is the capital of South Australia, a city of over one million people, but with a relaxed and friendly attitude. It is a multicultural city renowned for its food, wine and festivals. Adelaide is a safe and affordable city whose cost of living is consistently less than that of Sydney, Melbourne, Brisbane and Perth.

The suburban coastline offers many kilometres of beautiful sandy beaches which are perfect with our Mediterranean climate of cool to cold winters and hot dry summers.

If you are looking at combining the best of living in a large multicultural city, with safety, affordability and with beautiful hills and beaches all easily accessible, then Adelaide is the place for you.
The School of Nursing & Midwifery at Flinders University is internationally recognised for its high quality programs in nurse and midwifery education, clinical practice and research. Today the School is one of Australia’s leading nurse and midwife education institutions. Students value the Flinders program because of its high quality, accessibility and flexibility. Qualifications from Flinders are internationally recognised and highly regarded.

Nursing

The School of Nursing & Midwifery at Flinders University and Bjørknes College in Norway established the Bachelor of Nursing twinning program in 1999. The program has students undertaking their first year in Oslo and their second and third years at Flinders University. Since the twinning program began in 1999, over 300 Norwegian students have graduated with a Bachelor of Nursing from Flinders University.

First year in Norway
The first year aims to prepare the student for clinical practice by introducing communication, nursing and research skills, and studying the scientific basis of nursing together with the role of the nurse in the health care system. The lectures are in Norwegian, but the literature, exams and assessments are in English.

Second & Third years in Australia
During Second Year students continue to develop nursing skills and relate all aspects of body function with nursing practice. Students continue to gain clinical experience in the various health care settings.

The Third Year student explores more complex health issues through clinical reasoning and clinical practice. In the final semester of the course, students undertake a professional practicum and transition topic that aims to prepare the student for their role as a Registered Nurse after graduation.

What will the Bachelor of Nursing give me?
Today’s nurses play an important role in health promotion, maintenance and education, as well as in traditional patient care and the restoration of health. This course produces graduates who:
> can function in a variety of settings and roles
> have well developed clinical reasoning skills
> understand that professional practice demands life-long learning
> understand how social, environmental and economic factors affect health
> can access and evaluate information and have good communication skills
> are able to negotiate with people from a variety of backgrounds and understand cultural differences and their relationship to health
> have reached the competency levels set by the Australian Nursing Council.

At the completion of the course students are eligible to register with the Nurses Board of South Australia. On returning to Norway students can gain their nursing authorisation through the Norwegian Registration Authority for Health Personnel (SAFH).
Kathrine Lillejord
Bachelor of Nursing

Kathrine is one of the many Norwegian students to complete the Bachelor of Nursing twinning program since the program began in 1999, undertaking the course on the recommendation of a friend. After studying the first year in Norway she said the transition to living in Australia had been helped by the information sessions provided before departure and after arrival by Flinders University.

Kathrine recommends the course to fellow Norwegian students. “The academic staff at Flinders University have been helpful and supportive, and were sensitive to the difficulties sometimes faced by overseas students, including the language barrier,” Kathrine said.

And upon returning to Norway she says that the graduates can expect their Bachelor of Nursing degree to be highly regarded. “The graduates of the Flinders course who return home to work enjoy a good reputation in Scandinavian hospitals, where their practical and clinical knowledge, in particular, is highly valued,” Kathrine said.

A big fan of Adelaide, Kathrine said she enjoyed the convenience and the friendliness engendered by the city’s comparatively small size. Kathrine enjoyed meeting new people and found Australians friendly and approachable. “Australians are very open, and it’s easy to get to know them.”