



YOUR PATH TO SCIENCE DEGREES IN AUSTRALIA

START YOUR DEAKIN UNIVERSITY SCIENCE DEGREE AT THE ROYAL INSTITUTE OF COLOMBO

You can begin your Deakin University degree at the Royal Institute of Colombo (RIC). Through this unique program, RIC students can complete the final two years of their degree at Deakin University in Australia.

Deakin University

Deakin University, Australia, is a top-rated university with world-class graduates. Deakin has a long tradition of using cutting-edge technology while providing a highly personalised learning experience. Industry-focused degree programs and a strong international outlook mean that Deakin graduates are ready for the global workplace.

The University is highly ranked globally and was named the 2014 International Educator of the Year by the Government of the Australian State of Victoria. Deakin has a reputation for addressing the needs of our students, and has been ranked first in Victoria for student satisfaction for the last five years. (Australian Graduate Survey 2011-2015).

What can I study?

Deakin offers world-class courses in a wide variety of science study areas. Through this unique pathway program students can begin their studies at RIC and then complete a Deakin bachelor's degree in the following areas:

- Science
- Biomedical Science
- Biological Science

For more information about each study area, please see the reverse side of this flyer.

RIC pathway to Deakin

Through the RIC pathway to Deakin University you will complete one year of study as an on-campus student at RIC. The credit you earn through this study will be applied toward a Deakin degree that you will complete through studies in Australia.

Science

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| RIC - 1 year | Deakin - 2 years |
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Biological Science

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| RIC - 1 year | Deakin - 2 years |
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Biomedical Science

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Admission requirements

- 3 credit passes at Sri Lankan National A/Levels
- 6 points in UK A/Levels*

Students who meet these admission requirements are eligible for admission into the RIC program. Once admitted, they are expected to be full-time, on-campus students while they complete their RIC units.

* Points are determined on the grades obtained: 5 points for a pass with grade 'A', 4 for grade 'B', 3 points for grade 'C', 2 points for grade 'D'.

THE DEGREES



Science

For students who are interested in finding solutions to issues that make a world-wide impact, the Bachelor of Science at Deakin is for you. With a range of specialisation areas including animal biology; cell biology; chemistry; chemistry and material science; freshwater biology; human biology; and plant biology you will be prepared for a career in a range of areas including government, science-related industries and research.



Biological Science

Equip yourself with the skills needed to tackle the environmental and medical challenges of the 21st century with Deakin's biological science program. Deakin offers a wide range of study areas to prepare students for a career in general health and medical industry; food and agriculture-based industries; wildlife biology; environmental consulting; museums; herbaria; and the emerging biotechnology industries.



Biomedical Science

Gain the skills to expand and apply your knowledge of human biology and health, with an emphasis on causes, diagnosis and treatment of disease at the molecular, cellular and system levels. Deakin's biomedical science degree program provides students with career opportunities in a range of health-related industries including medical research, genetic engineering, the pharmaceutical industry and laboratory technology.



I was able to complete the same units taught in Deakin in my first year at the Royal Institute of Colombo in Sri Lanka before transferring across into second year at Deakin. As an international student I was overwhelmed by the support Deakin gave me to help with my studies.



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