



**SYDNEY
POLYTECHNIC
INSTITUTE**

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Course Guide

**ACT TODAY TO
SHAPE YOUR FUTURE**

DATA SCIENCE

COMPUTING

AI

SOFTWARE ENGINEERING

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The SPI Difference

4.9 
Google Review Rating

*Highly rated by students with a
4.9 Google Review score*

Global Network

Our student community is a diverse global learning environment, featuring learners from Asia, Europe, Africa, the Americas, and the Pacific. Representing countries like **Mongolia, Nepal, India, China and Colombia, and Bangladesh**, this diversity enriches discussions and fosters collaboration. It creates an inclusive academic community that enhances learning outcomes and prepares graduates for a connected world, emphasizing cross-cultural understanding and global awareness.



SPI proudly welcomes students from a wide range of countries and regions, including:

- Nepal
- Mongolia
- Colombia
- China
- India
- Turkey
- Iran
- Brazil
- Philippines
- Kenya
- Bangladesh
- Fiji
- Indonesia
- Malaysia
- Peru
- Pakistan
- Taiwan
- Mexico
- Thailand
- Slovakia
- Japan
- Mauritius
- United States
- Italy
- Poland
- Jordan
- Solomon Islands
- Nigeria
- Norway
- Hong Kong
- Vanuatu
- Vietnam
- Ecuador
- France

Welcome

Our Vision

Our vision at **Sydney Polytechnic Institute (SPI)** is to be a highly respected technology-focused higher education institution that builds strong, collaborative business relationships with local and global industry. We aim to develop sought after graduates who have the ability to make outstanding contributions to society, business and industry.

SPI aims to provide our students with both academic learning and opportunities to undertake professional experiences that will enable you to gain valuable real-life experience and acquire relevant practical skills.

Hello and welcome to Sydney Polytechnic Institute!

It is my pleasure and privilege to be leading SPI on an exciting journey developing and delivering quality Higher Education programs.

We are focused on meeting the needs of the modern workplace by developing graduates who have a deep understanding of the role played by technology and the professional practices required to contribute outstandingly to their future employers.

Our students value the personal care and support we provide throughout their studies. So, we take pride in welcoming you into a real community where you can not only learn from the best now, but also make new friendships and industry contacts for the future.

We look forward to having you join us soon!

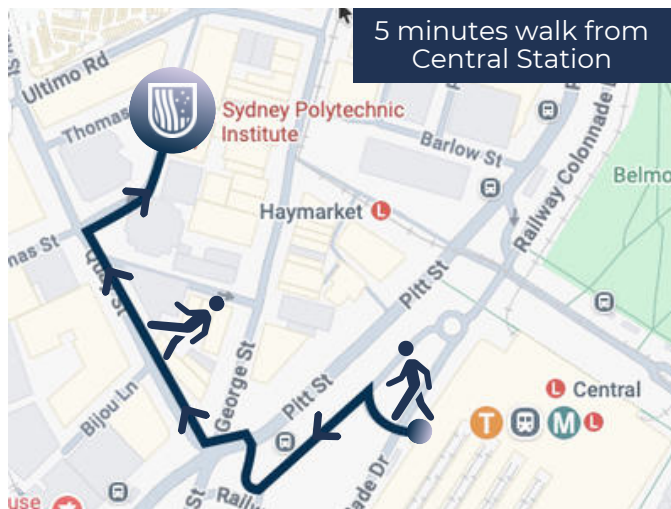
Sincerely yours

Dr Rob Forage, GAICD
CEO, Sydney Polytechnic Institute



Campus Location & Facilities

Sydney Polytechnic Institute is located in the heart of Sydney's CBD, only 5 minutes walk from major transport hubs. Students will have access to quality learning facilities and resources while enjoying Sydney's vibrant atmosphere in one of the world's most beautiful cities.



Our Graduate Attributes



Innovative and Impact-Driven

SPI graduates think critically and creatively to identify problems, generate ideas, and implement solutions that deliver tangible value. They act ethically and responsibly, contributing to their organisations and communities through a focus on using technology to drive innovations that have a positive impact.



Industry-Ready and Employable

SPI graduates possess the balance of professional skills and technical competence required to perform effectively in contemporary workplaces. They communicate clearly, collaborate productively, and apply their learning to deliver high-quality outcomes that meet employer and industry expectations.



Adaptable and Future-Focused

SPI graduates are self-directed and reflective learners who respond effectively to changing work environments. They proactively engage with emerging technologies and evolving professional practices, demonstrating agility, curiosity, and a commitment to lifelong learning and professional growth.

Our People



The Hon. Prof. Geoffrey Lee, Chair, Governing Council

The Hon Dr Geoff Lee was elected as the State Member for Parramatta in 2011, 2015 and 2019 for a record three consecutive terms. Geoff was appointed Minister for Corrections (2021-2023), Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education (2019-2021) and acting Minister for Sport, Multiculturalism, Seniors and Veterans (2019-2021).

He has published over 25 peer-reviewed journal and conference papers and raised significant external research grants.



Professor David Lowe, Chair, Academic Board

Since 2012, David Lowe has been a professor of software engineering and the Deputy Dean of the Faculty of Engineering at the University of Sydney.

From 2002-2008 David was the Associate Dean (Teaching & Learning) for the Faculty of Engineering, University of Technology, Sydney and the Director of the Centre for Real- Time Information Networks from 2008 to 2012.



Dr Rob Forage, CEO, Sydney Polytechnic Institute

Rob Forage combines academic and commercial expertise with substantial entrepreneurial and business development experience. He has nearly 20 years in the education sector, working with high schools, vocational colleges, and universities. As CEO and Director of UNSW Global for a decade, he established a strong business foundation and collegiate culture, focusing on pre-university education and assessments, enabling the organization to thrive as a subsidiary of UNSW Sydney.

Bachelor of Computing

CRICOS CODE: 116959C

Our innovative three-year program is comprised of two “streams” running in parallel and is designed to provide a clear pathway into an IT based profession. It combines a mix of solid **computing fundamentals** with the development of strong professional skills through integrating theoretical knowledge with practical, real-world applications.

Course Information

Intakes

March | July | November

Duration

156 weeks

Fees

Domestic \$66,000

International \$79,200

Career Pathway

- Developer
Programmer
- Software Engineer
- Software &
Application
Programmer
- Web Developer

More roles to explore

Admission criteria

English Language Proficiency

- **IELTS Academic** A minimum result of 6.5 overall and a minimum result of 6.0 in each subtest; or
- **PTE Academic** A minimum result of 58 overall and a minimum result of 50 in each subtest; or
- **TOEFL iBT** A minimum result of 79 overall including a minimum result of 21 in Writing, 13 in Reading, 12 in Listening and 18 in Speaking; or
- **TOEFL PBT** A minimum result of 550 overall including a minimum result of 4.5 in Writing.

A completed secondary education qualification equivalent to Australian Year 12.

Students will be expected to have studied mathematics at a level equivalent to NSW HSC 2U Maths.



Innovative study mode

Study Mode	Learning Approach
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Mock Consultancy Stream

The Mock Consultancy stream embeds students into a simulated professional IT consulting company, where students progress through a sequence of roles from intern to junior consultant to senior consultant and carry out real-world projects.

The consultancy experience is designed to integrate the theoretical knowledge learnt in the core unit stream and apply it to real-world problems, supplemented with workshops and seminars that focus on developing workplace capabilities.

Career Pathway Stream

The Career Pathway units are year-long and require students to complete **850 hours** of guided learning, practical experience, and consulting exposure through elective modules. These modules are chosen to support the mock consultancy projects and are aligned with students' interests and career goals.

Elective modules are typically completed independently and at the student's own pace. Students are supported by SPI staff through weekly meetings and workshops. These workshops facilitate discussion, monitor progress and provide any assistance needed to students.



Project-Based Stream

The Mock Consultancy simulates a real IT consulting firm, allowing students to take on various roles and work on projects from industry partners for practical experience.



Role Specialisations

Students can earn role specializations noted on their transcripts, indicating they have developed skills for high-demand positions like Software Engineer, Development Operations Engineer, and Systems Analyst.



Agility to Adapt to Industry needs

The Bachelor of Computing aims to adapt its elective components to prioritize innovation and meet the evolving needs of the industry.



Future-Proof Your Career

SPI's Bachelor of Computing course focuses on developing professional skills and managing self-learning, essential for success in the fast-changing technology landscape.

Postgraduate Qualifying Program

CRICOS CODE: 114577M

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Are you passionate about data science but lack the academic qualifications to pursue your dream postgraduate degree?

Not eligible for direct entry into an SPI postgraduate degree?

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Our 26 teaching weeks Postgraduate Qualifying Program (PQP) is your gateway to success!



Structured pathway



Targeted academic skills



Strong foundation in data science



Course Information

Intakes

January | April | August

Duration

26 weeks

Fees

Domestic \$11,000

International \$13,200

Admission criteria

English Language Proficiency

- **IELTS (Academic)** Score of 6.0 or equivalent, with no band less than 5.5

Completion of a three-year post-secondary (equivalent to completion of Australian Year 12) qualification such as an Associate Degree, Diploma or Advanced Diploma (equivalent to AQF 5 or 6).

Alternatively, other post-secondary qualifications combined with relevant work or other experience can be assessed on a case-by-case basis.

Embark on Your Data Science Journey

Bridging the Gap

Designed specifically for students who don't meet the direct entry requirements for SPI postgraduate study. Successful completion of the SPI PQP will gain you entry into the SPI Masters of Data Science program.

Focused Curriculum

Gain vital skills in academic writing, study techniques, and research methods tailored for SPI master's level degrees in data science.

Foundation in Data Science

Learn essential data science concepts, preparing you for advanced studies, even if you haven't had formal training in quantitative subjects.

Pathway to Prestigious Degrees at SPI



Graduate Certificate in Data Science (CRICOS code 112063J)

Graduate Diploma in Data Science (CRICOS code 112064H)

Master of Data Science (CRICOS code 112062K)

Master of Data Science with AI Specialisation (CRICOS code 112062K)

Your Future in Data Science Starts Here!

The PQP not only prepares you for rigorous postgraduate studies but also equips you with the analytical skills and knowledge crucial in the ever-evolving field of data science. Whether your interest lies in general data science or the cutting-edge field of artificial intelligence, this program is your first step towards a rewarding career.

Join a Global Community

Our program is tailored to meet the needs of international students, offering a supportive and culturally diverse learning environment. You'll join a network of ambitious students from around the world, sharing the journey towards academic and professional success.

Master of Data Science & Master of Data Science (AI)

CRICOS CODE: 112062K

In the information age, Data Scientists play a critical role in advancing industry, commerce, governance and research so graduates skilled in this area are in high demand.

A **Master of Data Science (MDS)** from SPI prepares students for a career in data science or artificial intelligence and gives you the skills needed to organise, identify, analyse and use data to inform strategies and find solutions that make a genuine impact.

The MDS caters to students from a variety of educational backgrounds by including foundation units in **programming, mathematics and database systems**.

Students with a background in these areas from previous studies or work experience, may accelerate their study by gaining credits for these units, or may choose to take more data science or artificial intelligence electives.

Please refer to our website for more information.

The SPI Difference

4.9 ★★★★★
Google Review Rating

Susan Candela

★★★★★

My experience during the SPI Orientation Day was excellent. The session was well-structured, informative, and engaging. I truly appreciate that SPI provides students with interactive tools and resources that make learning more dynamic and effective. The staff were very supportive and created a welcoming environment. I am really excited to start my Master's degree and to be part of such a professional and inspiring academic community.

Lunshwa Shakya

★★★★★

I'm really happy with my experience at SPI College. The support from the student team has been wonderful, they're always friendly, approachable, and ready to help. I've noticed great improvements in the way things are managed, especially around scheduling and resources. It's clear that the college is listening to student feedback and making real changes.

Course Information

Intakes March | July | November

Admission criteria

English Language Proficiency

IELTS (academic)

A minimum result of 6.5 overall and a minimum result of 6.0 in each subtest; or

PTE Academic

A minimum result of 58 overall and a minimum result of 50 in each subtest; or

TOEFL iBT

A minimum result of 79 overall including a minimum result of 21 in Writing, 13 in Reading, 12 in Listening and 18 in Speaking; or

TOEFL PBT

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Education and Other Qualifications

Please refer more details on our website www.spi.nsw.edu.au.

Core Units

-  Programming Foundations
-  Mathematical Foundations
-  Data Science Methodology
-  Database Systems & Infrastructure
-  Machine Learning & Data Mining
-  Artificial Intelligence & Innovation

Specialisation Core Units

-  Data Visualisation and Tools
-  Big Data Infrastructure & Processing
-  Deep Learning
-  Probabilistic Artificial Intelligence
-  Reinforcement Learning

Areas where you will develop skills



Machine Learning



Programming



Statistics



Database Systems



Big Data



Cloud Computing Infrastructure



Artificial Intelligence



Business Intelligence



Analytics



Strategic Decision Making

Master Of Business Administration

CRICOS CODE: 119363G



Industry-aligned curriculum with capstone industry projects.



Flexible learning modes: face-to-face, blended, and online



AQF Level 9 qualification with pathways to DBA and further research



Designed for the digital workforce of today and tomorrow.

3 Specialisations

Digital Marketing

Technology Leadership

Digital Transformation

Course Information

Intakes July | November

Admission criteria

English Language Proficiency

English Language Skills Test

- IELTS Academic - A minimum result of 6.5 overall and a minimum result of 6.0 in each subtest; or
- PTE Academic - A minimum result of 58 overall and a minimum result of 50 in each subtest; or
- TOEFL IBT score - A minimum result of 79 overall including a minimum result of 21 in Writing, 13 in Reading, 12 in Listening and 18 in Speaking; or
- TOEFL PBT score - A minimum result of 550 overall including a minimum result of 4.5 in Writing.

Prior Study

If the Applicant has completed a minimum of 2-years of higher education studies, or in the final 2 years of secondary level, where the language of instruction was English.

Assessment of English Proficiency based on work experience

If the Applicant has lived and/or worked in an English-speaking country (refer to our website) continuously for at least two years prior to the commencement of the program at SPI. A work reference letter on company letterhead with a clear statement on the nature of work undertaken, the period of employment and contact details for the reference check.

Education and Other Qualifications

Please refer more details on our website www.spi.nsw.edu.au.

Master Of Business Administration

Digital Marketing

This specialisation aims to create graduates who can develop digital marketing solutions for organisations. The purpose is to align with industry and scholarly best practices and enable students to link marketing, data, and digital technologies to create impactful and meaningful digital marketing strategies. The specialisation emphasises ethical and sustainable digital marketing practices, including responsible advertising, data privacy, and minimising environmental impact.



Career Pathways

-  Digital Marketing Manager
-  Customer Insights Consultant
-  Brand Strategist
-  Marketing Specialist



Career Pathways

-  Digital Transformation Manager
-  Change Manager
-  Brand Strategist
-  ESG-Focused Consultant

Master Of Business Administration

Digital Transformation

This specialization equips students to assess digital transformation opportunities for organizations adapting to the modern workplace, Industry 4.0. It focuses on evaluating these opportunities from an Environment, Social and Governance (ESG) perspective perspective, including energy efficiency, resource conservation, and social impact. Students will develop both technical and operational skills to advise on, implement, monitor, and adjust digital transformation efforts across various organisations.

Master Of Business Administration

Technology Leadership

This specialisation emphasises developing skills for leading organisations towards technical excellence, managing technology teams, and fostering agile organisations through technology use.

It also focuses on creating a competitive advantage and leveraging technology for sustainable practices to tackle environmental and social challenges.



Career Pathways

-  Technology Leader
-  CTO
-  Startup Founder
-  Tech Project Manager



Graduate Representative 2025

Chester Lance Batisla Philippines
Studied Master of Data Science

I'm proud to say that I'm one of SPI's first students to complete the full course cycle of the program.

Two years of studying this program showed us that it is not just as simple as studying and making sure to get a passing grade. Instead, this was a special journey because of the people we met and worked with.

Studying at SPI has been a rewarding journey. I've grown a lot – both technically and personally. Thanks to the support of my lecturers and peers. I'm proud to be part of this community.

Hear what our students said

Student Representative 2024

Hritika Adhikari Nepal

Studied Master of Data Science

I really love that our college is just minutes walk away from the central train station and right in the heart of Sydney's CBD. From the moment you step onto campus it's such a welcoming atmosphere and everyone is so friendly.

The administrative support is right at the front and has ensured a smooth journey for me throughout my student journey and academic endeavours. I like to spend my study time in the library as there are private study spaces and I have access to valuable resources. I can even take them home to study in my own space.

It makes it feel like it's not just a college; but it's a community. I really think other prospective students would love to join us at Sydney Polytechnic Institute in the future.



Study Abroad Programs

✓ Experience Australian Academic Culture

Learn through Australian teaching styles, academic standards, and professional expectations in a diverse learning environment.

✓ Get Official Certificate

Receive an SPI Certificate of Completion, supporting future credit exemptions and academic progression.

✓ Flexible & Stress-Free Learning

Short-term, non-academic study tours designed for international students seeking overseas experience without academic pressure.

✓ Real-World AI Applications

Build practical skills in machine learning, data prediction, neural network optimization, and AI-driven solutions.

This course is ideal for students who is...



Students

Individuals seeking to enhance their data science and AI skills



New Starter

Individuals aspiring to enter the AI or data industry



Entrepreneurs

Individuals aiming to create AI products or commercial applications

Course Information

Program Duration & Promoted Tuition Cost

3 months (\$4,000 AUD)

8 months (\$8,000 AUD)

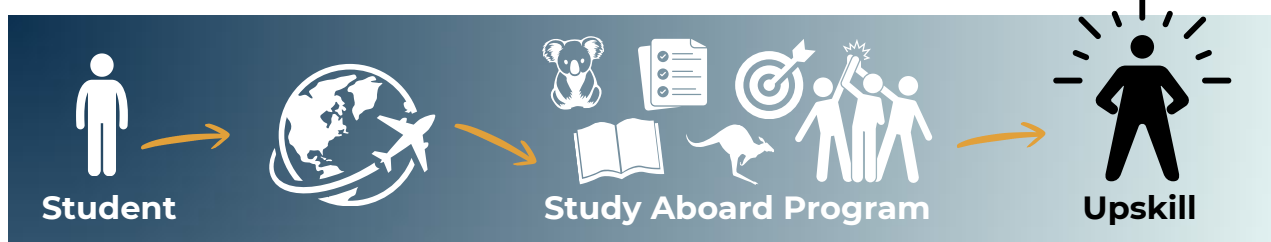
12 months (\$12,000 AUD)

Entry criteria

- Fundamental understanding of mathematics and programming.
- English proficiency of IELTS 6.5 or its equivalent (students with a lower level of English proficiency may first enroll in an intensive English course)

Key Study Areas

- Python, R, APIs & Data Structures
- Statistics, Linear Algebra & Time Series
- AI Development, Machine Learning & Data Analysis
- Cloud Computing, Network Security & Operating Systems
- Optimization Algorithms & Graph Theory



Student Life *Get to know the Australian student experience*

Culture

Australia is a melting pot of cultures where you can experience a global village right in your city. From Chinatown to Little Italy, every corner of Australia offers a taste of the world. Don't miss experiencing the rich indigenous culture, with its art, music and storytelling that are thousands of years old.

Whether you're visiting the Sydney Opera House or catching a street performance, Australia's vibrant cultural scene will keep you entertained and enlightened!



Dining and Shopping

Foodies, rejoice! Australia's dining scene is a gastronomic paradise. From sizzling street food markets to high-end restaurants, you'll find every cuisine imaginable. Indulge in fresh seafood, exotic Asian dishes, and the best coffee you've ever tasted.

For shopaholics, Sydney offers endless retail therapy. Whether shopping for local or international brands in modern malls, timeless buildings like the Queen Victoria Building (QVB) or boutique lanes, Sydney has everything.



Festivals and Events

Australia knows how to throw a party! The country's calendar is packed with exciting festivals and events. Dance your heart out at Vivid Sydney, marvel at the spectacular New Year's Eve fireworks, or immerse yourself in cultural festivals like the Sydney Festival.

Outdoor Activities

Get ready to bask in Australia's natural beauty! Whether you're a beach bum or a mountain enthusiast, there's something for everyone. Dive into the crystal-clear waters of Bondi Beach, hike through the breathtaking Blue Mountains, or enjoy a picnic in the lush Royal Botanic Garden. Australia's great outdoors is your playground, perfect for adventure seekers and nature lovers alike.

Accommodation

Finding your new home in Australia is an adventure in itself. Whether you choose the independence of an off-campus apartment, or the cultural immersion of a homestay, there's a perfect spot waiting for you. Temporary accommodations like hostels and hotels are also great for when you first arrive. Wherever you choose, you'll find a welcoming community ready to help you settle in.

Transportation

Getting around Australia is a breeze! In Sydney, the Opal card, or your regular credit card, are your best friends for travelling on trains, buses, ferries and light rail. Just tap on and off to make commuting simple. Apps like TripView and Transport for NSW provide real-time updates on schedules, routes, and any service changes, ensuring you never miss your ride.

With extensive bike lanes and pedestrian-friendly paths, you can also enjoy the scenic routes. Rideshare services like Uber and Lyft are always at your fingertips for a quick and easy ride. Whether you're commuting to class or exploring the city, Australia's efficient transport system makes it simple and fun.



OSHC: Overseas Health Care

Staying healthy in Australia is a top priority, and with the excellent healthcare system here, you're in good hands. International students are required to have Overseas Student Health Cover (OSHC), which means you're covered for visits to the doctor, selected hospital stays, prescription medicines, and even emergency ambulance services.

Providers like Bupa, Medibank Private, Allianz Global Assistance, and NIB ensure that you have access to top-notch healthcare whenever you need it. Plus, with state-of-the-art medical facilities and friendly healthcare professionals, you can focus on your studies knowing your health is well taken care of.



Murat Das

Turkiye

*Studied Master of
Data Science
(Artificial Intelligence)*

In my previous role, I applied data science to solve real-world issues and enhance processes. Now, at SPI, I'm exploring the theoretical aspects of data science, deepening my understanding of its principles and real-world applications, thanks to my lecturers.

I chose SPI for its hands-on, industry-focused curriculum and supportive learning environment, which made it the ideal place to launch my tech career. The support I received from my lecturers, academic advisors, and peers played a significant role in my success. I also appreciated the career development workshops and access to real-world projects that helped me build a solid portfolio.

Darolin Vinisha

Fiji

*Studied Master of
Data Science*



Student Support

SPI offers a variety of student support services that can help you during orientation and with academic, personal, financial or technology matters.

Orientation Programs

- Our comprehensive orientation programs help you settle in smoothly, covering campus tours, academic expectations, and an introduction to student services.
- You will also have the chance to meet fellow students and forge new friendships during various social events and activities. Our dedicated support staff are always available to assist you with any questions or concerns you might have. Additionally, we offer workshops on study skills, time management, and mental wellbeing to ensure you are well-prepared for your academic journey.
- We believe in creating an inclusive and welcoming environment for all students. With these resources at your disposal, you will find it easier to navigate your new academic landscape and make the most of your study experience. Welcome to our vibrant community, where your growth and success are our top priorities.

The SPI Difference

4.9 ★★★★★
Google Review Rating

komal handa

★★★★★

All the faculty member are so kind and humble also they all are very helpful. They all are treated all the students with love and i felt like we are a family. Further the environment is very safe. Also as it was my first day there they organised a game for us which helped us a lot in getting connect to each other and because of this i made so many friends in one.

Sankalpa KC

★★★★★

Just completed orientation, everything gone well. The way service desk staffs and lecturers handled the process made everything so smooth. Everyone here is helpful here. I'm so keen my for classes to start and start the journey for MDS. Thanks all!

Academic Support

- **Tutoring:** Extra academic support through SPI's integrated tutoring program.
- **Workshops:** Sessions on writing, research skills, and exam prep. Study Groups & Peer-assisted sessions for collaborative learning.

Social & Cultural Support

At Sydney Polytechnic Institute (SPI) we are dedicated to helping you achieve your career goals. Our comprehensive career support services are designed to guide you from your first day on campus to your successful transition into the workforce. We offer:

- **Career Counselling:** Personalised career advice to help you explore your interests, identify your strengths, and plan your career path.
- **Workshops and Seminars:** Regular sessions on resume writing, interview skills, job search strategies, and networking.
- **Internship and Job Placement:** Assistance in finding internships and job opportunities through our extensive network of industry partners.
- **Career Fairs:** Opportunities to meet potential employers, learn about different industries, and explore job openings.
- **Alumni Network:** Connect with SPI graduates who can offer mentorship and career advice.



Personal Support

- Access on-campus first aid services for medical assistance, provided by qualified responders at conveniently located first aid stations. Your safety and well-being are our top priorities.
- Counseling Services: Professional counseling for personal, academic, or emotional issues.

English Support

Enhance your English skills with our free workshops tailored for international students. These sessions focus on improving your reading, writing, speaking, and listening abilities to help you succeed academically and socially.

Financial Support

✈ Diversity scholarships - To future students

We offer a variety of promotions and scholarships to support your academic journey with us, so be sure to check with us before making your decision to explore these opportunities. Navigating life in a new country can be daunting; SPI encourages its students to seek independent guidance on budgeting, managing expenses, and understanding their financial responsibilities.

For more information, visit www.spi.nsw.edu.au/promotion-and-scholarship/.



2026 Academic merit scholarships

Annual Merit Award **AUD \$1000** (one-time award, presented at the end of the year)

The **Annual Merit Award** is SPI's most prestigious scholarship, designed to recognise students who not only achieve outstanding academic results but also demonstrate contribution and positive engagement in the SPI community. This award celebrates students who combine academic excellence with active participation, setting an example for their peers.

Eligibility

The Award is available each term to continuing SPI students who:

- Completed ≥ 1 academic year (48 credits).
- GPA ≥ 5 .
- At least 4 High Distinctions (HDs).
- Positive lecturer/tutor feedback on engagement, leadership, and class participation.

Excellent Award **Award Value: AUD \$400** (per term)

The **Excellence Award** recognises students who consistently achieve outstanding academic results. Each term, this prestigious scholarship is awarded to the highest-ranking students, celebrating their dedication, talent, and pursuit of excellence. At SPI, we believe that exceptional achievement deserves to be honoured and supported.

Eligibility

The Award is available each term to continuing SPI students who:

- Excellence Award (Per Term)
- GPA ≥ 5 OR term average $\geq 85\%$.
- No failed subjects.
- Attendance $\geq 85\%$.
- UG: Top 2 students per term.
- PG: Top 8 students per term.

Progress Award **Award Value: AUD \$200** (per term)

The Progress Award celebrates students who may not begin at the very top but who show remarkable dedication and improvement in their studies. Each term, the scholarship is awarded to the top-ranked students based on progress, recognising their hard work, resilience, and continuous growth. At SPI, we believe that consistent effort deserves to be recognised and rewarded.

Eligibility

The Award is available each term to continuing SPI students who:

- Maintain a full-time study load with no failed subjects
- Demonstrate the greatest academic improvement between two consecutive trimesters
- Undergraduate: Top 2 students per term
- Postgraduate: Top 10 students per term

For more information, please refer to: www.spi.nsw.edu.au/current-student-scholarship/

Skills for the Future

Our students gain access to a range of industry-recognised learning platforms designed to support their career development beyond the classroom.

Through resources such as the Australian Computer Society (ACS), UXcell, and LinkedIn Learning, students can build practical, in-demand skills aligned with current industry needs.



uxcel

LinkedIn Learning

By earning recognised certificates and developing real-world competencies, students are better prepared to pursue clear career pathways and remain competitive in today's evolving job market.



**Hands-on
Learning**



**Professional
Certifications**



**Curated
Courses**

Industry-Recognised Certificates

Through supported learning platforms, students may earn certificates in areas such as:



Data analysis, Python,
and AI fundamentals



Cloud, cybersecurity, and
digital technologies



User interface and
user experience design



Professional development
and workplace skills

These certificates count towards academic study credits and demonstrate job-ready competencies valued by employers.





Kaue Moraes Berto *Studying Bachelor of Computing*

SPI's supportive and engaging learning environment helped me achieve a GPA of 7.0 with High Distinction in all subjects.

Beyond technical skills, I developed teamwork, communication, and professionalism. Qualities that make me truly job-ready.

Big thanks to Sydney Polytechnic Institute (SPI) for providing such supportive and engaging content. This trimester has helped me see that professional success is as much about how you work with others as it is about what you know.



SPI Career Development Workshop with Alannah Grech, Partner Success Manager, Australian Computer Society



Tianlan Li *Studied Master of Data Science* China

SPI helped me to refresh and enhance the essential research skills and familiarize myself with the system we will be using during our studies. Midterm career development sessions covering CV writing, interview techniques and job seeking strategies are really valuable in helping me for my industry project placement.

Overall, this course delivers strong combinations of academic rigor, practical relevance, and professional support. Thank you SPI!



After completing her Master of Data Science, Tianlan secured a Data Analyst role at Robinson Ryan in 2025, Australia's leading data consultancy—where she completed her industry placement.

How to Apply



Online Application

Applications can be submitted online through our website at www.spi.nsw.edu.au/online-application. Should you need any guidance or support, the SPI Admissions Team is here to help—simply email us at admissions@spi.nsw.edu.au.

Direct Application

If applicants prefer to apply directly to SPI, they can do so online by contacting the SPI Admissions the SPI Admissions Team via email admissions@spi.nsw.edu.au.

Apply through an authorised agent

Another option for prospective students is to apply to study at SPI through an authorised education agent. Check the agents list: www.spi.nsw.edu.au/contact-agent/.

Before applying, carefully review the admission criteria for your chosen course at www.spi.nsw.edu.au. Our website offers detailed information on entry requirements, prerequisites, and the application procedures.

For any questions or further assistance, please contact our admissions office at admissions@spi.nsw.edu.au. We are here to support you throughout the application process.

Additionally, for more information on the SPI Admissions Process, you can visit our Forms and Policy Portal on our website or contact SPI Student Services directly.

Academic Credit/RPL

Academic Credit/Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL): applicants seeking to gain credit for previously attained studies are advised to read through and understand SPI's Academic Credit and Recognition of Prior Learning Policy, and then complete SPI's Transfer of Academic Credit and Recognition of Prior Learning Application Form.

Please check our website for more information: www.spi.nsw.edu.au.

Course Fees



The official tuition and fees for SPI students are detailed below. **Promotions and scholarships** are available to assist with your academic journey, so inquire about these before making decisions. SPI encourages students to seek guidance on budgeting and managing expenses while adjusting to life in a new country. For more information, visit www.spi.nsw.edu.au/promotion-and-scholarship.

Course Name	CRICOS CODE	Duration (week)	Total Credits	Tuition fee per credit point / unit	Total Tuition fee
Bachelor of Computing	116959C	156	144	 \$2,750/unit	\$66,000
				 \$3,300/unit	\$79,200
Postgraduate Qualifying Program	114577M	26	--	 \$2,750/unit	\$11,000
				 \$3,300/unit	\$13,200
Graduate Certificate in Data Science	112063J	34	24	 \$2,750/unit	\$11,000
				 \$3,300/unit	\$13,200
Graduate Diploma in Data Science	112064H	52	48	 \$2,750/unit	\$22,000
				 \$3,300/unit	\$26,400
Master of Data Science	112062K	104	96	 \$2,750/unit	\$44,000
Master of Data Science (Artificial Intelligence)				 \$3,300/unit	\$52,800
Master Of Business Administration	119363G	104	96	 \$2,750/unit	\$44,000
- Digital Marketing - Digital Transformation - Technology Leadership				 \$3,300/unit	\$52,800
Study Aboard Program					
1 trimester	117377F	17		 --	\$10,354
2 trimesters	117378E	34		 --	\$20,358
1 year	117379D	52		 --	\$27,062



Domestic students



International students

Other compulsory fees & Ancillary fees *non-refundable*

Enrolment Fee	\$250	Student Services and Amenities Fee (SSAF)*	\$104.30 / per trimester
Materials fee	\$100		
CoE Variation Fee	\$200 for international students	Replacement of certification/documentation	
Re-enrolment / Reinstatement fee	\$150	Production of Replacement Documentation	\$70
Late Payment Fee	\$100	Postage Within Australia	\$15
Replacement of certification documentation (Testamur / Academic Record)	\$50	International Postage	\$40
Student ID Replacement	\$10		
Airport Transfer Service	\$150.00 (one way)		
Re-Assessment Fee	\$250.00 / per re-assessment only applies when a student needs to be re-assessed		

Notes:

*Students Services and Amenities Fee (SSAF) is a fee that higher education providers can charge their students for student services and amenities of a non-academic nature, such as sporting and recreational activities, employment and career advice, childcare, financial advice and food services. OSHC (Overseas Health Care Cover) is a government mandated health insurance scheme designed for international students studying in Australia. It remains in effect throughout the duration of your student visa. This program ensures that students can avail themselves of affordable healthcare services. SPI can assist in arranging the OSHC with the student's consent. For further details, please refer to the student handbook on our website www.spi.nsw.edu.au/student-handbook/ or contact SPI Student Services. To seek a refund, please review the Tuition Fees Payment and Refund Policy on our website and then complete and submit the Refund Request Form with any necessary supporting documents.

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