A126 — APPLICATION FOR SPECIAL CONSIDERATION FOR UNDERGRADUATE COURSES (DIRECT ENTRY)



This form is NOT an application for admission. Go to <u>vu.edu.au/courses/how-to-apply</u> for application information.

This form is for:

- Australian citizens
- · New Zealand citizens who will be a resident within Australia during your studies
- · Holders of a Permanent Visa, residing within Australia during your studies
- Holders of Temporary or Bridging Visas, residing within Australia during your studies Student Visa holders should contact Victoria University (VU) International on +613 9919 1164 or email <u>international@vu.edu.au</u> for assistance. Please visit <u>vu.edu.au/international</u> for more information.

To apply for special consideration (detailed information can be found at <u>vu.edu.au/special-consideration</u>), you must provide appropriate supporting evidence. The special consideration categories are consistent with those recognised by VU under the VTAC Special Entry Access Scheme (SEAS). If you are applying for your course through VTAC, then do not complete this form. To be considered you need to complete a VTAC SEAS application online when you submit your VTAC course application (<u>vtac.edu.au</u>).

If you are an Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander, please contact Moondani Balluk for assistance:

- Website: vu.edu.au/about-vu/university-profile/moondani-balluk
- Email: moondani.balluk@vu.edu.au

If you are completing a hard copy of this form, please write in **BLOCK LETTERS** using a black or blue pen.

1. PERSONAL DETAILS		
Family name		
Given name(s)		Date of birth
Phone	Email	

2. CATEGORIES FOR SPECIAL CONSIDERATION

Select all that apply from the categories below. Please provide a 200 word statement to support each claim with supporting evidence.

A – Personal information and location: This includes those who are 21 years of age or older, or those who have a permanent address in a regional, remote or under-represented area.

B – **Disadvantaged financial background:** This includes those who are on Centrelink benefits or if your parent/guardian receives a Family Tax Benefit. Please provide a statement from Centrelink to support your claim.

C – Disability or medical condition: Please provide a statement of support from a health professional familiar with your situation or condition.

D - Difficult circumstances: This is for any situations which have adversely affected your studies not covered by the previous categories. Please submit a statement of support from a relevant or responsible person who has knowledge of your situation and is able to discuss your circumstances and confirm your opinion of the impact on your education.

4. STUDENT DECLARATION

By submitting this form

- · I declare that all the information provided is accurate
- · I understand that submitting false or misleading information may result in any offer of a place withdrawn at any stage, including after a course has commenced
- · I understand that the University reserves the right to vary or reverse any decision made on the basis of incorrect or incomplete information
- · I understand that Victoria University reserves the right to request documentation to verify my declaration
- I have read the Privacy Policy and I agree to abide by the regulations and policies of Victoria University.

Signature

Date

How to lodge your application

Please upload this form along with your course application. You will be prompted where to upload this form, along with any supporting documentation.

Scholarships information

The VU Undergraduate and TAFE Scholarships program (vu.edu.au/scholarships) provides financial assistance to students who can demonstrate financial need. There are a range of scholarships on offer, for different amounts and with different eligibility criteria.

PRIVACY STATEMENT

Victoria University (VU) values your privacy and is committed to handling your personal information in accordance with the Privacy and Data Protection Act 2014 (Vic) and other applicable privacy legislation. The personal information collected on this form will be used primarily for the purposes of assessing and processing this application. VU may also use and disclose your personal information to verify the information provided by you, to comply with government and other reporting requirements and/or to carry out associated activities connected with this application. Your personal information may also be disclosed to Commonwealth and State agencies such as the departments of education and the Department of Home Affairs in accordance with VU's obligations under the Education Services for Overseas Students Act 2000 (Cth) (ESOS Act), the National Code of Practice for Providers of Education and Training to Overseas Students 2018 (National Code) and other applicable legislation. Your personal information will not otherwise be used or disclosed without your consent, unless permitted by law. By completing and submitting this application, you agree to VU collecting, using and disclosing your personal information as described above and in accordance with VU's Privacy Policy and Student Information Privacy Collection Statement (which provides further detail about the types of personal information VU may collect from you and how it is managed) available on the Privacy page on our website vu.edu.au/privacy

You have a right to access your personal information held by VU. If you have any questions regarding privacy, please refer to the Privacy page on our website, our frequently asked questions at ASKVU or phone us on 9919 6100 or 1300 VIC UNI (or 1300 842 864).

PRIVACY INFORMATION: We collect and protect your personal information in accordance with our Privacy Policy vu.edu.au/privacy.

CONTACT US

If you have any questions, you can access ASKVU (askvu.vu.edu.au), speak to us via live chat or call us on +61 3 9919 6100.

Our VUHQs are located at the following campuses:

- City Campus
- Footscray Nicholson

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