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Why study at The University of Waikato

The “Three Es” form the pillars of our “Why study at The University of Waikato?” story and define the Waikato Experience

Pillar 1 Excellence



Our credentials as a
quality teaching & learning
organisation

Leading research projects
tackling some of our
biggest challenges
nationally & globally

Pillar 2 Experience



Student lifestyle &
wellbeing
Friendly and supportive
community

Collaborative learning
environment
Build 1:1 relationships
with lecturers

Pillar 3 Employment



Relevant degree and job
prospects
Work integrated learning
Graduate opportunities &
partnerships
Work ready graduates
Alumni and graduates
championing the
university

The Waikato Experience

- Reputation; rankings
 - 2023 QS Ranking #331
 - WMS No.1 in NZ for business and economics (THE)
 - 83rd in THE Impact Rankings – UN SDGs
- Relevant subjects/courses offered
 - World's first Bachelor of Climate Change
- Academics
 - QS ranked 3rd in NZ for research (based on citations)
- Students
 - Over 90% of students are satisfied with their experience at Waikato (2021 ISB survey)

Excellence



The Waikato Experience

- Friendly and supportive community
 - Great student lifestyle and wellbeing
 - Central (not separated) campus layout
 - On campus accommodation, living with NZers and other international students; guaranteed
 - Airport pickup by current Waikato students
 - Hamilton and Tauranga – growing cities
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- Build 1:1 relationships with lecturers
 - Teaching environment
 - Living, learning, studying in welcoming environment

Experience

**Positive student
experience**

**Teaching/learning
experience**



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The Waikato Experience

- Waikato is committed to preparing its graduates for employment
 - All UG degrees have compulsory work integrated learning papers
 - Students complete work placements, internships, practicums, work-related projects
- Impact Lab – work with students from across the university on sustainability issues
- Employability Plus Programme – volunteering programme
- On-campus careers open days and expos

Employment





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KO TE TANGATA
FOR THE PEOPLE