UC Hui Tairanga Manawatu Information Evening – Palmerston North



Welcome, Nau mai, haere mai.

It is my pleasure to welcome you to the UC Information Evening.

Tertiary education is a conscious investment of considerable time and finances, the decision needs to be the right one for you.

I am here to help you on your decision-making journey!

Tonight, you will hear from some of our academics about our world-class programmes. We will also provide you with the information you need to know about accommodation, scholarships, and student support, and ensure you have access to the best resources to help you make your decision.

I am your key contact at UC, so please let me know if you have any questions or need some help either tonight or at any time throughout the year.

Noho ora mai rā me aku mihi nui atu.



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Programme for tonight

Time	Conference Room	Seminar Room
6:00pm	Welcome & Introduction	
6:25pm	Transition	
6:35pm	Engineering, Forestry Science & Product Design	Arts, Humanities, Social Sciences, Sustainability & Creative Arts
7:15pm	Transition	
7:20pm	Commerce	Health Science, Sport & Social Work
7:55pm	Transition	
8:00pm	Law & Criminal Justice	Science
8:30pm	Event concludes	

What do the concurrent sessions cover?

Most of these sessions are led by an expert in the topic, who can provide insights about career possibilities and opportunities in the field. All sessions will identify why UC is a great choice for study in the related subjects and what the study options are.

We encourage you to talk with our experts before and after their presentations.

ATSIYL = Attend this session if you like

Arts, Humanities, Social Sciences, Sustainability & Creative Arts

In the **Bachelor of Arts** you can follow your passion and gain the critical thinking, creative problem solving and communication skills that employers need – skills that open up opportunities for careers in a wide range of sectors.

Also in this session, you'll hear about:

- Bachelor of Communication
- Bachelor of Digital Screen (Hons)
- Bachelor of Fine Arts
- Bachelor of Music
- Bachelor of Social and Environmental Sustainability

ATSIYL: Classical Studies, English, History, Geography, Media Studies, Languages, Art History, Practical Art, Music, writing, being creative, storytelling, film, making videos, current affairs or research

Commerce

The world of business is vast, diverse, and constantly evolving. Whether you're keen to delve into financial markets, explore innovative management techniques, or understand the dynamics of e-commerce, studying a **Bachelor of Commerce** at UC offers you the perfect platform.

ATSIYL: Accounting, Economics, Business Studies, Statistics, financial markets, management, marketing, leadership, tourism, business sustainability, innovation and entrepreneurship



Engineering, Forestry Science & Product Design

The **Bachelor of Engineering (Hons)** degree offers a flexible first year of study, giving you the opportunity to learn about the various engineering fields before selecting your chosen discipline. The degree is accredited by Engineering New Zealand, allowing graduates to work as professionally qualified engineers all over the world.

Disciplines offered at UC include:

- Chemical and Process Engineering
- Civil Engineering
- Computer Engineering
- Electrical and Electronic Engineering
- Forest Engineering
- Mechanical Engineering
- Mechatronics Engineering
- Software Engineering

Minors are also available in some disciplines, including Aerospace, Biomedical, Power Engineering, and more.

The **Bachelor of Forestry Science** is the only degree of its kind offered in Aotearoa. Hear how this interdisciplinary degree prepares you for managing forest resources by combining core science courses with management, commerce, and technology.

The Bachelor of Product Design combines creative design, science, engineering, and business studies. As a product designer, you'll plan and develop items for use in homes, businesses, and industry. Our graduates are highly sought after, with the creative skills and business knowledge to work in a range of occupations. ATSIYL: Biology, Calculus, Chemistry, Design and Visual Communication, Digital Technologies, Geography, Mathematics, Physics, Science, Statistics, being creative, computer programming, solving problems, innovation, creating or designing things, environmental issues or working outdoors

Health Science, Sport & Social Work

Hear how UC can help you prepare for roles in the health and wellbeing sector to make positive changes in the lives of others. This session will explore specialist study options the:

- Bachelor of Health Sciences
- Bachelor of Sport
- Bachelor of Social Work (Hons)

ATSIYL: Biology, Health, Physical Education, Psychology, Statistics, sports, helping people or solving problems



Law & Criminal Justice

Hear how UC's **Bachelor of Laws** students deal with real people with real problems as part of our innovative clinical studies programme.

Then learn how our **Bachelor of Criminal Justice** draws together UC's expertise in criminology, sociology, developmental and abnormal psychology, policing, criminal law and procedure, and human services.

ATSIYL: English, Drama, Debating, Te Reo Māori, Languages, History, Classical Studies or seeking fairness and justice

Science

The **Bachelor of Science** is about understanding one another and how we interact with the natural world through observation, experimentation, modelling and calculation. Learn how to investigate the big issues confronting our planet, such as climate change, human health and diseases, the global water crisis, food security, environmental protection and much more.

ATSIYL: Biology, Chemistry, Earth and Space Science, Geography, Maths, Physics, making discoveries



Thinking of flatting in first year?

- UC Accommodation Services publish a UC Guide to Flatting online.
- They've also launched a new platform to assist students finding student accommodation called **Studentpad**. www.canterbury.ac.nz/life/accommodation/ private/
- UniLife is a free, year-long social mentoring programme for first year students not living in halls.
- UniLife is run by students for students.
- UniLife can help you find your feet at UC, meet other students, make friends, and have fun exploring what UC has to offer.

UC Information Evening Tip Sheet

Accommodation

- Watch 360 hall videos online
- Visit the halls on Rā Tomene
 Open Day or attend a
 Campus Tour
- Request CCRF from your school
- Talk to Accommodation Advisors tonight

Scholarships

- Pick up a fund brochure
- Check out the regulations online
- Get your application in well before 15 August 2024
- Talk to your school about who to use as a referee

Whānau

- Encourage your teenager to use our support services and ask for help
- Learn the terminology related to university
- Attend the Parents
 Session at Rā Tōmene
 Open Day



Additional Resources:



Open Day Registration



Scholarship Info



Accommodation Info



Book a Campus Tour



Subject Guides



Support Services