



BOND UNIVERSITY

Graduation

OCTOBER AND DECEMBER 2023



Vision and Mission

Mission

As Australia's first private non-profit University, Bond University seeks to be recognised internationally as a leading independent university, imbued with a spirit to innovate, a commitment to influence and a dedication to inspire tomorrow's professionals who share a personalised and transformational student experience.

Values

- Respect and concern for students and colleagues.
- Truth, inquiry and the pursuit of advanced knowledge.
- Excellence in everything we do and pride in achievements.
- Effective collaboration and teamwork.
- Accountability for performance, actions and learning.
- Productive engagement between students and staff.

A message to our Graduates

My most sincere and personal congratulations go to each and every graduate. This is a very significant achievement and one of which you should feel, justifiably, very proud.

We realise that you had a choice about where to embark on your tertiary journey and are sincerely appreciative that you entrusted Bond with your further education. Thank you for your commitment to the University and for fully embracing the Bond experience. You and your fellow graduates have helped shape our vibrant and energetic learning culture.

As you move to the next stage of your lives, I encourage you, no matter which academic program you completed, to align yourself with your Alumni.

Bondies, just like you, live and work in every imaginable field in all corners of the world. They demonstrate the best of Bond initiative, enterprise and contribution, taking their Bond experience with them every step of the way.

Our global Alumni network is a dynamic and influential family, forging business, social and philanthropic connections through more than 20 active and energetic Alumni Committees in Australia, Europe, Asia, North America and Africa. The local and international connections lead to exclusive career opportunities and produce meaningful relationships.

Your lifelong membership of this elite circle is one of the most valuable gifts that the University can give to you.



As well as acknowledging your peer graduates, I also encourage you to be appreciative of the people who have helped you on your path. I know that your families, friends and other support networks have been instrumental in your success and share your pride.

But, most of all, I hope that you enjoy the moment, celebrating your achievements and reflect on your journey at Bond.

Congratulations again. I am delighted that, through you, the Bond legacy will continue.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Tim Brailsford". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Professor Tim Brailsford
Vice Chancellor and President

Bond Business School

Doctor of Philosophy

Dipanwita Bhattacharjee

The Roles of Mindsets, Need for Cognition and Need for Uniqueness in Processing Valence, Volume and Variance of Online Reviews.

Nikki Louise Cornwell **Valedictorian**

Data-driven Operational Risk Management: An improved understanding of the effect of causal factors

Catharina Claudia Jecklin

Trust-Control Dynamics to Optimise Innovative Behaviour

Diploma of Business

Alexander Brian Daly
Tia Joy Emmerton
Thanaletchumi Do Jahairam
Kai Sutton
Archie Vernon

Bachelor of International Hotel and Tourism Management

ChenHui Tang

Bachelor of Sport Management

Jed Alexander Heslop

Bachelor of Actuarial Science

Yuxin Deng

Graduate Certificate in Business

Ashley William Harding
Surani Anuradha Jayasuriya

Bachelor of Business

Sabina Ma Mercedes Gallardo Bitong
Indy Lana Booth
Gabriella Alves Brewer
Carlie Grace Brownrigg
Alannah Anna Guiney
Liam Stewart Harker
Hunter Johnston
Evan Guy Karananas
Eleni Eliana Mylordi Katsanevas
Aaron James Lewis
Jayden Luke Ogle
Yijia Pan
Samuel Peter Proudlove
Alysha Marie Rowley
Thomas Christopher Stojanovski
Bailey Matthew Tobin
Jin Ying Tsai
Qikang Wei
Louis Robert Young
Teng Zhang

Graduate Certificate in Business Administration

Anashimi Ranjith

Graduate Certificate in Sport Management

Tanya Jenko

Graduate Diploma in Sport Management

Yifeng Wang

Master of Accounting (Professional)

Kei Wing Chan
Arpit Mahendrabhai Gajjar
Andrea Mac Gregor Valdes

Bachelor of Commerce

Indy Lana Booth
Phoebe Emilia Browne-Cooper
Carlie Grace Brownrigg
Tayla Bree Coulson
Zirui Gao
Beau George Levy
Pui Yee Lui
Lucy May Murphy
Hengyi Sun
Lachlan Kai Thurecht
Joshua John Waite
Kayla Amanda Webb

Master of Actuarial Science

James Mark Lawrence Lacy

Master of Actuarial Science (Specialisation) (Data Analytics)

Anil Raj Nagarajan

Master of Business

Mamoon S. I. Khazendar

Bond Business School

Master of Business (Professional)

Ines Dias Torres

Master of Business Administration

Sue Robyn Hutley
Ryan Mitchell James
Alexander Christian Lang
Calvin Masson
Caylee Rosemary Pharoah
Prudence Michelle Crozier Turnell
Lin Yang

Master of Business Administration (Professional)

Wai Kong Cheung
Ogechi Patience Chuma-Otteh
Cherlyn Tsui Ting Loke

Master of Business Data Analytics

Ekhraj Singh Dhaliwal

Master of Business Data Analytics (Professional)

Phuong Hao Lin
Vuong Vy Lin
Kolappa Ganesa Rukmani Pillai
Rahul Rajiv

Master of Finance

Ross Chapman
Anna Alexia Harris
Alessandro Randazzo Spadaccini

Master of Finance (Professional)

Joël Raphael Eberle
Robin Ewers

Master of Financial Management (Finance)

Francis Walter Filler

Master of Financial Management (Professional)

Megan Kaye Van Der Velde

Master of Sport Management

Jing Wang

Master of Sport Management (Professional)

Arturo De Baudringhien
Sara Mizuguchi

Bond University - BBT Global Leadership MBA

Masumi Akahori
George Asaba
Andrew Caddy
Koichi Endo
Tomoka Fukuda
Chisako Hanada
Junpei Hashimoto
Yasuyuki Ikeda
Kiyoko James
Toshimune Kitakoji
Yoshinori Koreeda
Qi Li
Shingo Manzawa
Koki Muroi
Tomoto Nakai
Miki Nakajima
Hiroki Take
Yusaku Takeda
Kenji Tamaya
Keisuke Tokumasu
Koji Yamaguchi
Kazuho Yamamoto

Faculty of Health Sciences & Medicine

Doctor of Philosophy

Leila Cusack

Promoting informed decisions about health interventions through the development and evaluation of an educational intervention for Australian high school students.

Alexandra Rebecca Davidson

The patient experience of and role in interprofessional collaborative practice for chronic conditions in primary care.

Diploma of Health Sciences

Priya Anjali Rajah Clarke
Luke Ethan De Beer
Ramon Jose Salgado Gregorio
Keira Sharon Pope
Bailey James Winterton

Bachelor of Biomedical Science

Tegan Bao-Ngan Nguyen
Simren Nijjar

Bachelor of Health Sciences

Brooke Catherine Hancock

Graduate Certificate in Evidence Based Practice

Joseph Eric Baloy

Graduate Diploma of Nutrition

Man Ting Angel Hung

Master of Healthcare Innovations

Shouvik Shafquat Hasan

Master of Occupational Therapy

Smitha Bollur
Rachael Elizabeth Byrne
Ann Mary Clendenning
Lauren Elizabeth Firkins
Carissa Rachel Gaffney
Prabhnoor Singh Grewal
Kate Annabel Hall
Marnie Dawn Daphne Jones
Jaskaren Kooner
Chung Yue Leo Lin
Hiu Yan Rowena Low
Nasia H Y Mak
Houda Noufl
Marica Preda
Sophie Kathleen Schoenroth
Wing Nam Suen
Jiayi Yao

Master of Science by Research (HL)

Neil Josen Vinluan Delos Reyes

Doctor of Physiotherapy

Maricel Irene Gonzalez
Kiefer Josephs
Herick Pimentel Schuenemann
Dina Simon Robert Rienecker
Shu Xie



Faculty of Health Sciences & Medicine

Bachelor of Medical Studies and Doctor of Medicine

Abdallah Walid Abdallah	Tanishk Malhotra	Jay Sagar Tyagi
Sabriya Abdeen	Italia Malik	Petrus Jacobus van den Berg
Sarita Alam	Matthew Mansoor	Ujvala Vemuru
Ananya Anoop	Seraman Mayooraan	Lithira Ransika Walisinghe
Charlotte Elizabeth Armati	Wyatt Jonathan Wu Melkonian	Fraser Lindsay Wallace
Emeil Christian Aroney	Gowri Praveen Menon	Hui Yin Wan
Rahul Arora	Sanjana Vijayan Menon	Emily Louise Weissenberger
Nikhil Balaji	Parsha Nawar Mia	Naduni Harindi Wijesekera
Hollie Kate Belt	Joanne Michael	Isabella Yuxin Wu
Lillian Bills	Mirabel Mikhail	Katrina Xiao
Praneethganeshe Bodepudi	Milica Milosavljevic	Alexandra Esther Li Ern Yeoh
Lachlan William Rodney Boyce	Gunj Dipeshkumar Modhia	Nida Zaka
Tehlia Jane Burton	Anastasia Morahan	
Andrew Joseph Butterfield	Jason Movshovich	
Lauren Marina Canning	Fazel Azim Musaddiq	
Lucy Rose Carter	Grace Kimberly Nagy	
Renee Lucy Casagrande	Elena Sofia Natsioulas	
Navya Chadha	Vikram Nedunchezian	
Harpreet Kaur Chahal	Chi Justin Hong Nguyen	
Beiling Chen	Mai Phuong Nguyen	
Jayann Aaron Chen	Michael Jin Ni	
Sara Nicole Comb	Avik Nigam	
Amelia Bronte Cronin Chris Del Mar Medal	Dimitrios George Nikos	
Madison Josephine Darnell	Rohan Nitchingham	
Lashan Malintha De Silva	Dana Odish	
Isabella Claire De'Ambrosio	Solange Paris Gabrielle Page-Stephens	
Sukhmahil Singh Dhaliwal	Sushank Paliwal	
Victor Do	Dean Nicholas Panos	
Shibi Anthony Doss	Aayush Ritesh Patel	
Alain Guy Dutton	Kush Alpeshkumar Patel	
Vinuri Edirisinghe	Marissa Tara Patel	
Mina Kamel Ekdawi	Riya Nilesh Patel	
Ferrell Alesi Erlich	Nuvin Vinsilu Pathirana	
Shania Feroz	Joshua Michael Patrick Pearcy	
Aditya Gadgil	Helen Wenjoan Pei	
Ritika Garg	Braiden Vana Penwarn	
Natalia Gazibegovic	Karthikeyan Ponraj	
Damian Michael Giuffrida	Chelsea Grace Powell	
James Phillip Gorcilov	Emily Grace Quinn	
Radhika Gunda	Ahmed Rahim	
Fondas Haris	Ritwik Rattan	
Jasmine Louise Henderson	John Nagy Labib Razkala Vice-Chancellor's Dux Award: 173	
Isabella Alexandria Hensen	Margaret Saranna Reeves	
Wilson Huang	Arham Hamd Rehman	
River Chi Huntington	Dominic Christopher Roworth	
Swathi Meenakshi Ilanko	Hridya Sachidanandan	
Daniel Isaac	Antony Saeed	
Ashwini Jaishankar	Stephanie Lavinia Marie Sardinha	
Tiffany Rachel Karpin	Mary Saweris	
Navya Kataria	Kate Sedara	
Aditya Kaushal	Raghav Sharma	
Brandon Kay	Sherhan Sidhu	
Nivan Dilara Kaya	Dimitrij Simjanovski	
Yathurshika Ketheesan Valedictorian	Gobind Deep Singh	
Sheetal Khagram	Shweta Singh	
Hope Elizabeth Kinloch	Raga Shrinanda Sodum	
Danielle Enli Koong	Haritha Srinivasan	
Andrew John Sharp Kroger	Lilly Steinberg Vice-Chancellor's Dux Award: 183, 173	
Tai Thanh La	Juliette Elise Stephens	
William Oliver Wentworth Layt	Kanishaa Karthiga Subhaharan	
Jordan Adele Lee	Luke Sullivan	
Kirk Jarrad Lehman	Andrea Zyn E Tan	
Gregory Mark Leong	Zoe Tan	
Tynan Dean Lewis	Charles Tennyson	
Vamshi Madas	Prajwal Timalsena	
Nikhil Maharaj	Sai Rashmi Tipirneni	
Kushagar Maini	Albertine Thien-Kim Tran	

Faculty of Law

Doctor of Philosophy

Michael Bjorn Krakat

Citizenship by Investment in International and Supranational Law Perspectives

Tarisa Yasin

Effective Human Control over Lethal Autonomous Weapon Systems and Compliance with International Humanitarian Law

Diploma of Legal Studies

Akashdeep Angli Bains
Cooper Ka-Seng Borthwick Chan
Tyler Docking
Emma Moy Hamilton
Katie Maree Homes
Hareem Hussain
Ayesha Lakhani
Kiraina Mattea Palma
Kiara Clare Petterson
Alana Brooke Symonds
James Anthony Ten Caten

Bachelor of Jurisprudence

Yongxuan Guan

Bachelor of Laws

Mehul Bawa
Tayla Bree Coulson **Valedictorian**
Taylor Reese Hay
Daniel George Hoffmann
James Jarosil
Saager Singh Kaler
Evan Guy Karananos
Emma Jean May
Jayden Luke Ogle
Samuel Peter Proudlove
Anis Fawaz Anis Rassam
Amelia Rose Ridley
Trent Joseph Francia San Diego
Abinash Kaur Sran
Bailey Matthew Tobin
Zachariah Alex Vickers
Kayla Amanda Webb
Phoebe Emilia Browne-Cooper **Honours Class 2**
Josiah William Neal **Honours Class 2**
Bronte Rose Anderson **Honours Class 1;**
Grenby Family Beyond Bond Medal
Olivia Rose Hodge **Honours Class 1**
Lucy May Murphy **Honours Class 1**
Sophie Louise Parker **Honours Class 1**
Ava Margaret Grace Pearson **Honours Class 1**
Olivia Abbey Madeleine Rankine **Honours Class 1**
Paul Joseph Stark **Honours Class 1**
Joshua John Waite **Honours Class 1**

Graduate Diploma in Legal Practice

Tayla Ann Boughton
Eireann Caffrey
Han Lynn Chang
Claire Louise Follent
Anthony Michael Horn
Christopher Gordon Horn
Kerstin Lee Hurlle
Ibraheim Jahshan
Plesi Mark Koria
Isabella Kourkounakis
Mushi Li
Xiaochen Li
Ashlee Lorraine Maria
Iva Gerginchova Markova
Raymond McGurnaghan
Scott Andrew McLean
Miranda Jayne Mooney
Katia Precious Myers
Milan Antonino Nitopi
Tairan Niu
Mark Palmer
Sian Phelps
Preston Timo Puhakka
Mu Qiao
Portia Rope
Victoria Mary Roth
Hannah Saffuri
Warwick Peter Schram
Hugo Geoffrey Sherlock
Wade Wong Siew Way
Gowrika Sithamparanathan
Ryan Connor Smith
Maxcellian Kui Huei Tang
Amy Catherine Thompson
Atousa Toudiei
Foluke Stella Toye-Salami
Nicole Hannah Woods
Peixuan Wu
Jingyi Xiao
Tongxin Xu
Buket Yilmaz
Yuan Zhang
Coco Zu

Faculty of Law

Juris Doctor

Joldenjeet Kaur Boparai
Mackenzie Weston Branham
Alexandra Karin Dallow
Tajvir Singh Dhillon
Madison Louise Lane Fleischer
Inderpreet Kaur Ghotra
Indpreet Kaur Gill
Merub Oshen Gill
Vaneet Gill
Eric Lynn Huang
Gabriel Laza
Chukwuebuka Kingsley Okoli
Monique Kimberly Pilon
Danjot Singh Pooni
Milan Meet Sahni
Zakia Shaikh
Anu Suresh
Drew Iris Syrja
Kristofer George Townsend
Mahsa Sadat Yasini
Hassan Anwar **Distinction Class 2**
Ceylan Malysa Can **Distinction Class 2**
Merlyn Elizabeth Dryburgh **Distinction Class 2**
Gurneet Kaur Gill **Distinction Class 2**
Navneet Kaur Gill **Distinction Class 2**
Courtney Morgan Heidary **Distinction Class 2**
Brittany Rianne Hnatiuk **Distinction Class 2**
Nazar Liaqat **Distinction Class 2**
Soumya Mehrotra **Distinction Class 2**
Sarwan Singh Pahal **Distinction Class 2**
Tatyana Irger Saccardo **Distinction Class 2**
Gemma Louise Sammut **Distinction Class 2**
Christian Newell Sherk **Distinction Class 2**
Alice Hanah Weir **Distinction Class 2**
Amrit K Bhurji **Distinction Class 1**
Zachary Rudy Davison **Distinction Class 1**
JaneFrances Amarachukwu Ezemmuokwe **Distinction Class 1**
Maddalena Michelle Simone Juliano **Distinction Class 1**
Brett Kostiw **Distinction Class 1**

Irene Koulougliotis **Distinction Class 1**
Qian Liu **Distinction Class 1**
Christopher Anthony Marchese **Distinction Class 1**
Ricky Jordan Martorano **Distinction Class 1**
Erica Marie McCarney **Distinction Class 1**
Aaliyah Mohammed **Distinction Class 1**
Mahtab Moshashaei **Distinction Class 1**
Kelly-Ann Pattenden **Distinction Class 1**
Jeevan Kaur Srah **Distinction Class 1**
Savanna Nicole Stallaert **Distinction Class 1**
Jordan Elizabeth Streb **Distinction Class 1**
Riana Catherine Ullattikulam **Distinction Class 1**
Cheng Wu **Distinction Class 1**

Master of Laws (Corporate and Commercial Law and Practice)

Pascal Paulus Erler
Chiti Kumar
Blane Mehari

Master of Laws (Dispute Resolution)

Caroline Vaagan Klaevold

Master of Laws in Australian Law and Practice

Toral Banerjee

Master of Laws in Enterprise Governance

Tracey Catherine Taylor

Master of Legal Administration

Xinyue Lu



Faculty of Society & Design

Doctor of Philosophy

Rudy Carpio-Alfson

Gala, a study of Accessible Workflow in Producing Embodied Virtual Reality Films

Anchal Garg

The Relationships of Multidimensional Schizotypy with Mind Wandering and Metacognition

Diploma of Arts

Laila Elleni Hackett
Jesse Anzac Jones-Rosie
Kyle Piper
Alaina Ellen Seery

Diploma of Built Environment

Ethan John Brady
Jari James Hill

Bachelor of Arts

Lara Fairfield-Smith
Vanya Ralhan

Bachelor of Communication

Honi Gillian Elvish
Qiana Ruby Whittle

Bachelor of Communication (Business)

Renee Pollock **Valedictorian**

Bachelor of Construction Management and Quantity Surveying

Ethan Froud
Xiaodi Lin
Thomas George McMahon
Yi-Hsiang Wu
Zihan Xu
Ziqiao Xu

Bachelor of Creative Arts

Ella Browning Wood

Bachelor of Design in Architecture

Marc Haack
Emilie Tarafdarfard Kamp
Madelyne Elizabeth Lee Orrock
Willem Jacobus Johannes Scheepers
Cole Marc Tucker-Evans

Bachelor of Film and Television

Bradley Carter
Lisa Melanie Cartmer
Uma Devi Chaghaghi
Kaitoa Nathan Johnson
Mia Charlotte Johnson
Mahli Phoenix Leighton
Chloe Meuli
Andrew Robert Roper
Patrick James Alexander Traynor

Bachelor of International Relations

Aaron James Lewis
Emma Jean May
Josiah William Neal
Sophie Louise Parker
Olivia Abbey Madeleine Rankine
Alysha Marie Rowley
Paul Joseph Stark

Bachelor of Journalism

Macey Elizabeth Williams
Lilli Rose Wyatt

Bachelor of Project Management

Duro Dragicevic

Bachelor of Property

Ayden Barry Hampson-Lee
Zeyao Jiang
Zanna Jane Vos

Bachelor of Psychological Science

Matthew Allen Gatchalian Calubaquib
Mya Mackenzie Cassar
Angela Gilmour
Samuel Joseph Kelly-Knowles
Aimee Ayomide Ogunseye
Mikayla Jocelyn Pauga
Mary Catherine Santacaterina
Samuel Gettano Panso Savage

Bachelor of Social Science (Criminology)

Andrew James Murphy

Bachelor of Social Science (Criminology and Counselling Interventions)

Sophia Bailey
Kobe Louise Cruse

Bachelor of Social Science (Psychology and Counselling Interventions)

Sabina Ma Mercedes Gallardo Bitong
Adele Brodskaja
Isabella Trotta

Bachelor of Psychological Science (Honours)

Chelsea Christine Brown **Second Class Honours Division B**
Rachael May Haynes **Second Class Honours Division B**
Matthew John Blakemore **Second Class Honours Division A**
Wei-Hsin Cheng **Second Class Honours Division A**
Andrew David Churcher **Second Class Honours Division A**
Saraid Tallulah Dark **Second Class Honours Division A**
Georgia Ellen Hansen **Second Class Honours Division A**
Irene Jaguru **Second Class Honours Division A**
Jade Marlick **Second Class Honours Division A**
Emma Parry **Second Class Honours Division A**
Grace Olivia Priestly **Second Class Honours Division A**
Caitlin Amy Schmidt **Second Class Honours Division A**
Valeria Kiana Urrutia Chavez **Second Class Honours Division A**
Lara Ebony Norrlin **First Class Honours**

Graduate Certificate in Construction Practice

Hao Xiao

Graduate Certificate in Criminology

Jade Ruwhiu

Graduate Certificate in TESOL

Jennifer Christine Comrie
Judith Colleen Joy
Selena Long

Graduate Diploma in Architecture

Yuhan He

Graduate Diploma in Building Surveying

Maria Nadja Sachmacinski
Shuo Xu

Graduate Diploma of Psychological Science

Lillian Dianne Garrett
Don Lahiru Chethana Wickramasinghe Jayasekera
Leona Ursula Orvokki Kontkanen
Aliah Maxine Adviento Luarca
Dhruv Phutela

Graduate Diploma of Valuation and Property Development

Narelle Lee Armstrong-O'Brien

Master of Architecture (Professional)

Praveena Bharathi Sarvesan

Master of Arts (by Coursework)

Stine Ervik Alstad

Master of Arts (TESOL)

Mufalme Hamissi Habanabakize
Yohei Isono

Master of Building Information Modelling and Integrated Project Delivery

Chi Wai Tse

Master of City Planning

Carmen Jayne Davies

Master of Communication

Maxim Richard Julien Banck
Oscar Friedmann Caceres

Master of Construction Practice

Bo-Yu Chen

Master of Construction Practice (Professional)

Chi Chong Ao
Tongyang Bi
Jihang Cai
Tong Cai
Ho Chun Chan
Pak Hin Fung
Li-Ling Hsu
Sheldon Janse Van Rensburg
Ya-ling Lee
Yongpei Li
Po-Lin Lu
Uday Vishnu Mukesh Babu Naidu
Sukai Shi
Siu Hang Stephanie Tai
Zhengjie Tan
Xinyuan Wang
Pinzhi Wei
Sin Yu Ho **High Distinction**

Master of Criminology (Professional)

Christopher Abua Uyanah
Ashlee Lin Minehart **High Distinction**

Master of International Relations

Emma Louise Prilvang Elsborg

Master of Project Management

Bo-Yu Chen
Joanna Koisen Tupou

Master of Project Management (Professional)

Nirmal Roy
Mohil Jagdishkumar Patel
Diego Alonso Navarro Alvarado **High Distinction**

Master of Valuation and Property Development

Khushi Gaikwad

Master of Valuation and Property Development (Professional)

Patrick Kibet
Jennifer Chen Ping Yeap

Master of Philosophy (SD)

Meiqiong Zhong

Bachelor of Entrepreneurial Transformation

Tobias James Street



Medals and Awards

Grenby Family Beyond Bond Medal

Bronte Rose Anderson
Bachelor of Laws

Bond University recognises the student who has performed at an exceptional level within the Beyond Bond Program in each graduating class. Beyond Bond provides all undergraduate students with a recognition and learning framework embedded within Core Curriculum to enhance employability, whilst providing personalised support to students as they participate in a broad range of academic and extracurricular activities for the duration of their degree.

The late Emeritus Professor Mike Grenby devoted himself to Bond students since he joined the University in 1998 until his passing in 2019. The Grenby Family proudly support the Grenby Family Beyond Bond Medal, to nurture and reward the creative spirit of our students. The award includes a medal, certificate and cash prize. Emeritus Professor Grenby introduced the public speaking subject to Bond University in 1999, now offered as a Beyond Bond intensive workshop, The Unfair Advantage - which features the iconic Toga Speech, undertaken by thousands of students.

Chris Del Mar Medal

Amelia Bronte Cronin
Bachelor of Medical Studies
and Doctor of Medicine

Professor Chris del Mar AM was passionate about medicine; he was a medical practitioner, academic and prolific researcher. In 2004, he joined the staff of the University as the Foundation Dean of the Faculty of Health Sciences and Medicine. During his career he won many accolades and had a significant positive impact on the life and careers of the many students, researchers and colleagues that he came in contact with. Sadly, he passed away early in 2022. The University has named the medal awarded to the best student in each graduating cohort of the Medicine program in his honour.

Valedictorians

Bond Business School

Nikki Louise Cornwell
Doctor of Philosophy (BN)

Faculty of Health Sciences and Medicine

Yathurshika Ketheesan
Bachelor of Medical Studies
and Doctor of Medicine

Faculty of Law

Tayla Bree Coulson
Bachelor of Commerce/Bachelor of Laws

Faculty of Society and Design

Renee Pollock
Bachelor of Communication (Business)

Universities and Academic Dress

From the fourteenth and fifteenth centuries western universities began to develop distinctive academic dress and while popular dress moved to less cumbersome and shorter attire, academic dress remained conservative and evolved into the tunica which was a gown worn open at the front. It is from this attire the typical English bachelors' and masters' gowns have evolved. The colour of the robes has an equally long history.

Black has long been the standard colour for bachelors' and masters' robes, although the twentieth century has seen the introduction of various hues. The use of scarlet robes for doctoral degrees dates from the sixteenth century.

The hood was originally no more than a functional medieval head covering, rather like the hood of a modern parka. In monasteries built of stone with little, if any, glazing this article of dress was no doubt welcome, particularly during the northern European winter. In colder climates these hoods were often trimmed with fur. The connection between these early practical solutions to living conditions and modern academic dress may still be seen in the fur-trimmed academic hoods of the University of Sydney.

From the outset the basic organisational unit or form of association in universities was the faculty, a group of scholars who taught the same or related subjects. From the late seventeenth century academic colours were codified in the universities on the basis of faculties.

The trencher or mortarboard hat is from Oxford and Cambridge Universities. In the fourteenth century clergy were ordered to wear a pileus, a simple hat. This was modified by the University of Paris in the sixteenth century into a square cap which, at Oxford and Cambridge, became very large, flat and floppy, underneath which a skull cap was worn. In the seventeenth century the skull cap and the flat square cap became a single item and a board was introduced to the upper portion to prevent the side pieces falling over the face. The tassel was added in the eighteenth century.

At Bond University the academic dress which has been adopted is traditional and typifies that found in most Australian universities. The academic dress comprises of a traditional black gown, a hood and trencher. For its masters' degrees Bond University has chosen a hood made in the blue of the University and lined in the colour of the discipline in which the degree was taken.

For bachelors' degrees the hood is made in black cloth. Colours adopted by Bond University are:

Bond Business School	
Business	Gold
Faculty of Health Sciences & Medicine	Green
Faculty of Law	Lilac
Faculty of Society & Design	
Humanities and Social Sciences	White
Sustainable Development and Architecture	Aqua
Transformation CoLab	Orange

While Bond University is establishing for itself a reputation for innovation in tertiary education, it also sees itself as an institution continuing the traditions of the great universities of the western world. It is for this reason that traditional academic dress has been chosen.



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The Bond University Crest

designed by the late Michael Bryce, displays the Southern Cross on a field of stripes. These stripes (representing computer pixels) symbolise "technology" while the wavy bands represent water, a prominent feature of the University and Gold Coast. To complete this picture, a gold sunburst frames the open Book of Knowledge. This complements the University Motto "Forever Learning".

The Bond University Mace - generously donated by long time friends and benefactors of the University, the late Dr John Kearney, AO, QC and Mrs Alison Kearney.

The Mace, a club-like weapon, has throughout western history also represented a ceremonial symbol of office. In universities the Mace signifies the high office of the Chancellor and is borne before the Chancellor on ceremonial occasions such as graduations.

Bond University's Mace was designed by Dr Ian Ferguson, a metal artist, formerly a Post-Doctoral Fellow at RMIT University and now a Research Fellow at Manchester University. The Mace was fabricated in collaboration with Melbourne based metal artist, Karl Millard, who teaches jewellery and metal work at RMIT.

The ball of the Mace is highly polished silver using a metalworking technique developed in Japan 300 years ago, known as Mokume Gane (literally 'eye of the wood grain metal' which refers to the pattern forged into katana or sword blades). Bond's armorial bearing is bezel set to the head of the mace in enamel.

The staff of the Mace has been shaped from gidgee (Acacia Cambagei), a slow growing Australian hardwood found in arid areas and used by Aboriginal people to make their spears.





