

Master of Audiology (MAud) College of Science



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Key facts about the programme

- 1 A combination of coursework, clinical and research experiences
- 2 Endorsed by New Zealand Audiological Society
- 3 An internationally accredited qualification
- 4 Focuses on training professional audiologists



What does this programme cover?

The Master of Audiology (MAud) degree is a 2-year postgraduate programme that includes coursework, clinical and research experiences. Academic coursework focuses on training professional audiologists with emphasis on the development of clinical skills relating to the practice of audiology.

The programme is fully endorsed by the New Zealand Audiological Society (NZAS).

Programme content includes:

- Coursework that develops knowledge and skills across the scope of practice for audiologists
- A strong foundation in acoustics, psychoacoustics, and neuroscience
- Supervised clinical practice with adult and paediatric clients in a variety of clinical settings
- A thesis project mentored by staff active in audiological research

What are the entry requirements?

- A relevant degree with a UC equivalent B+ average
- Dean of Science approval
- No prior training in speech or language therapy, or prerequisite courses required

English	Overall	Lowest Band
IELTS	6.5	6.0
TOEFL	90	19 writing
Pearson	58	50

Special entry conditions

Entry to the MAud is competitive, with the selection based on academic merit. Student numbers are limited to around 14 per year.

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Start Dates

February

Months to Complete

Full-time24 months

Features

Clinical experience.....Yes

Supervised research projectYes

Small class sizeYes

Tuition Fees*

MAud (2 years) NZ\$76,800

Scholarship

For more information on scholarships go to www.canterbury.ac.nz/get-started/scholarships/

*The price (tuition fee) is indicative for 2020.



Graduate Profile

Melanie’s own experience of hearing loss inspired her to help others with the same struggle. “While everyone’s experiences are different, I think I can help people realise they can still achieve their goals in some way. It’s all about perseverance, developing communication skills, and having the confidence not to be embarrassed about your hearing loss.”

Melanie Mackenzie
Master of Audiology
Audiologist at Bay Audiology



Employer Profile

“We help people to hear through educating the public about hearing related issues, diagnosing hearing loss and finding hearing solutions that enable our clients to experience the joy of hearing. I get immense gratification knowing that each day we are making a significant difference in the lives of many clients, and also of their friends and family members.”

Karen Allen
Sales & Operations Director, Amplifon UK and Eire

What careers can this lead to?

There are excellent career opportunities for audiologists both within New Zealand and around the world. MAud graduates are well-prepared for careers in public and private health care settings, or in fundamental or applied research in hearing science.

Graduates go on to work in:

- Hospitals
- Private clinics
- Private practice
- Schools
- Research and development
- Hearing aid industry
- Industrial audiology – hearing protection and awareness
- Government agencies

Enrolment information

How to apply

Apply online through myUC:
<https://myuc.canterbury.ac.nz>

When to enrol

The application due date is October 1st.

Who to contact

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Important information

Refer to our website for more information on:

- The University of Canterbury
 - Christchurch as a study destination
 - Student visa and insurance
- www.canterbury.ac.nz/international/

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Why New Zealand?

- Within Top 7 in the world for Overall Prosperity, Natural Environment, and Social Capital
- Within Top 13 in the world for Education, Personal Freedom, and Safety & Security

Why Christchurch?

- Largest city in the South Island
- Lowest unemployment rate in Australasia
- Strong economy
- An outdoor recreation paradise

Why the University of Canterbury?

- QS Ranked 227
- 34 subjects ranked in the top 250
- Residential campus
- 3000+ Employer connections
- 35 Research Centres

This information was correct at May 2020.