

## University of Tasmania, Australia

About Australia	The sixth largest country in the world with one of the most diverse flora and faunas, Australia is a place of incredible diversity. From the dry red earth and dense green canopies of its tropical north, to its stylish European-influenced cities in the south, Australia offers a fantastic range of opportunities for exploring some of the most unique and beautiful places on Earth. With 50,000 kilometres of coastline made up of over 10,000 beaches, the world-famous Great Barrier Reef and even skiing opportunities in the Alpine National Park, you can't get bored Down Under. Australia is a highly developed country with a high standard of living, and Aussie culture tends to be very friendly, laid-back and approachable. For such a vast country, Australia has a relatively small population and is one of the most urbanised countries in the world, with the majority of the population concentrated along the coastline, particularly the South-East. As a result, most of the Australian landscape is undeveloped and very sparsely populated, leaving plenty to be explored. Indeed, Australia has more kangaroos than people and it's very easy to spot some classic Antipodean wildlife as soon as you head out of the cities
About Tasmania	Tasmania is an isolated state located 150 miles off Australia's mainland. It is famous for its spectacular landscapes, isolated beaches such as Wineglass bay, highlands and rainforests which are all home to some species of plants and animals found nowhere else on earth meaning that much of its wilderness is now worthy of World Heritage Listing. It offers a rich history, world class art and culture as well as amazing food and produce. The capital city Hobart offers a blend of heritage and lifestyle with attractions such as the Saturday Salamanca Markets which offer a wide range of food, wine, art and jewellery. Hobart is also home to the Museum of Old and New Art (MONA) which includes over 300 displayed works ranging from ancient Egyptian mummies to thought provoking and controversial contemporary art.
About University of Tasmania	Ranked in the top 2% of Universities worldwide the University of Tasmania is a leader in industry led research which has received numerous awards for excellence in teaching. Founded in 1890, the university now has campuses in Hobart, Launceston, Cradle Coast and even in Sydney. Many of the university's facilities are located in the Sandy Bay campus, only a 5 minute drive from Hobart's city centre with a busy urban community and extensive choice of on campus food and dining choices, societies and sports clubs, a gym and quality on- campus accommodation.
Which Semester would I go in?	Semester 2
Term Dates	February - July
Campus Type	Urban – Suburban campuses
Financial matters	Students continue to pay tuition fees to the University of Liverpool. No tuition
Check <u>www.xe.com</u> for current	fees are payable to the host university. Total estimated cost is 6,500 AUD per semester including:
exchange rates	Insurance - 380 AUD Visa - 560 AUD
Website	http://www.utas.edu.au/