

International Program Guide

Sri Lanka



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ACBT: The Right Choice

ACBT is the pioneer in Australian Higher Education in Sri Lanka and has been since 1998. ACBT is part of the global Navitas Group, an internationally recognised education provider with the knowledge and resources of staff in more than 100+ different colleges and campuses worldwide.

ACBT offers an integrated pathway into ECU's undergraduate degrees, through a wide range of Foundation and Diploma and Advanced Diploma programs. ACBT, in association with ECU, offers professionally focused degree programs, which provide an opportunity for Sri Lankan and international students to either earn an Australian degree in Sri Lanka at an affordable price, or to transfer to ECU or a number of many other Australian/British universities during any stage of their program.

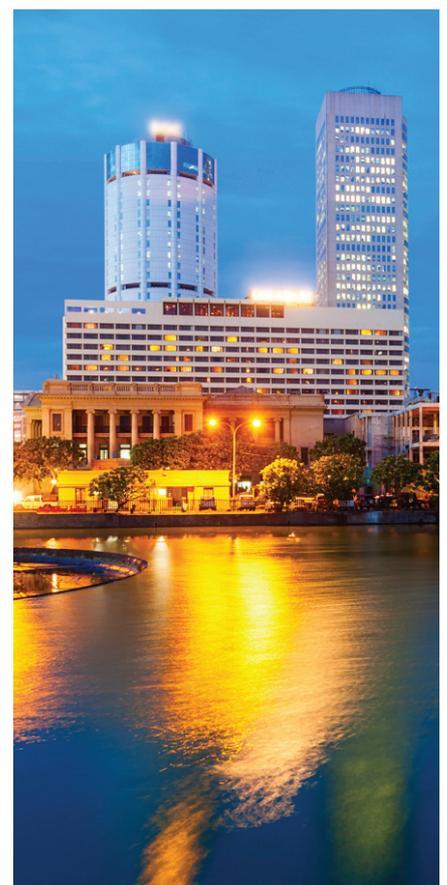
The ACBT advantage

1. Preferred degree pathway into one of Australia's best universities.
2. Complete your bachelor's degree in 2 years (instead of 3 years) for most courses.
3. Small class sizes mean you get more personal attention from lecturers.
4. Excellent study location: state-of-the-art university campuses in Colombo, Kandy and Galle.
5. A wide range of career options and a high graduate employment rate.

At ACBT, you will benefit from:

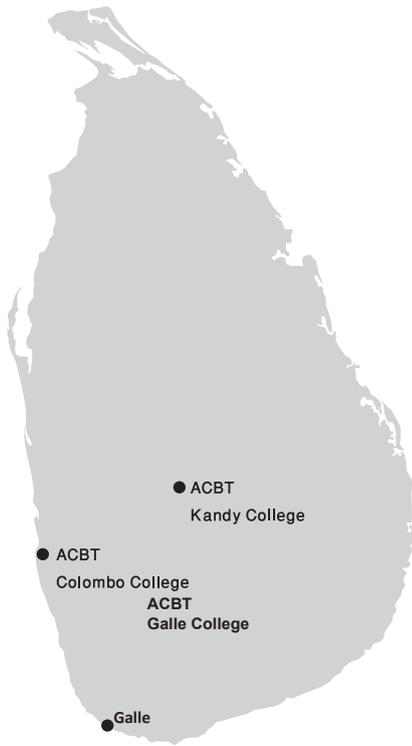
- An excellent track record: ACBT has been a part of Sri Lanka's higher education sector for 18 years and has become a renowned leader in this sector.
- International affiliations: Being part of Navitas Australia — one of Australia's largest education groups and a world leader in education — connects Sri Lankan students with a world of education. Our 18-year association with ECU has enabled Sri Lankan students to achieve quality international education at affordable prices.
- Cutting-edge study programs: ACBT programs have a balance of theoretical and practical input, and cover content and context adequately. We also make sure you study material relevant to today's employment market. Our programs also help you acquire the skills and acumen you need to build a professional work ethic.
- Flexible study options: ACBT study programs offer you more flexibility. Our fast-track trimester system enables you to study three academic semesters in one calendar year. This allows you to complete your degree much faster than you would if you were completing a more conventional university degree program.
- Multiple entry dates: You can begin your course in March, July or November each year. This allows you to plan your study programs around other educational or personal commitments.

- Transfer to Australian program with direct entry to 2nd year
- Teaching excellence: ACBT's faculty staff includes some of the country's top academics who are highly qualified, knowledgeable and have many years of teaching experience. Our lecturers come from varied backgrounds and have both theoretical and practical experience in the subjects they teach.
- Rigorous quality assurance: All ACBT study courses are planned, conducted and managed rigorously, using standards and processes to ensure strict quality control.



Sri Lanka

An amazing place to live and to learn



Home to slightly over 20 million people and often referred to as the pearl of the Indian Ocean, Sri Lanka is a friendly, multicultural nation. The country has an excellent education system and offers students the opportunity to complete their ECU degree in Sri Lanka or complete a part of their studies in Sri Lanka with the opportunity to transfer to ECU in Perth or another international university to complete the balance of their degree.

Sri Lanka boasts a wide range of tourist attractions including sandy beaches, rain forests, cultural and historic attractions and unique wildlife. The country has excellent infrastructure with state-of-the-art communication and information technology, reliable public transport and an efficient public and private sector.

English is widely spoken in Sri Lanka and is one of the country's official languages.

Colombo: Sri Lanka's Commercial Hub

Colombo has many places of historical and cultural significance. These include the Colombo National Museum, which has 4,000 ancient palm-leaf manuscripts on display; the magnificent Kelaniya Raja Maha Vihara, a place of worship that is sacred to Buddhists; the beautiful Wolvendaal Church, built by Dutch colonialists; and the Fort District with its eclectic mix of modern and colonial style architecture.

Colombo Campus

ACBT Colombo Campus is located in the heart of Colombo, the bustling capital city of Sri Lanka. Colombo is vibrant, fast paced and has a sociable culture and people. It offers many activities, excellent shopping, venues for socialising, libraries, cinemas, sports arena's and more.

Kandy: Sri Lanka's Cultural Centre

ACBT also has a campus located in Kandy, the beautiful hill capital and cultural centre of Sri Lanka. Capital of the Central Province of Sri Lanka, Kandy is a popular destination for tourists, and famous for its ancient temples and cultural performances. It is also a good starting point for visitors who wish to see the cultural riches of northern Sri Lanka or explore the hill country to the south. Kandy has a rich history — it was the capital city during the ancient Kings era, and is also home to the Temple of the Tooth Relic, one of the most respected Buddhist temples. Kandy is home to one of the United Nations World Heritage sites, the famed and renowned Temple of the Tooth Relic and the Asgiriya International Cricket Stadium.

Kandy Campus

The ACBT Kandy Campus is nestled amongst the hills providing a cool, peaceful climate surrounded by hills and jungles for the discerning student.

Galle: Sri Lanka's Ultimate Tourist Destination.

ACBT is now located in Galle, the Administrative capital and the commercial hub of Southern Province of Sri Lanka. Being the fifth largest city in the Island and attracting thousands of tourists to this historical city annually. The natural harbor of Galle was the main port of the island in the 16th Century. The city was extensively fortified by Portuguese, Dutch, and the English from the 16th to the 18th Centuries respectively.

Galle Campus

The ACBT Galle Campus is positioned in a very convenient place in the city of Galle. Galle has all the facilities and the city offers many activities such as travelling, shopping and sports. Stunning beaches will please everyone and will provide calming experience too.

Climate

Sri Lanka has a tropical climate with a wet and dry season. It also has two monsoons — May to August, and October to January. The climate is reasonably temperate throughout the rest of the year. Kandy has a cooler climate than Colombo.



ACBT

Your pathway to an Australian Degree

ACBT offers a range of programs to help you secure a qualification that is recognised worldwide. You can begin one of our university pathway courses in Sri Lanka, and then complete your bachelor's degree in business or computer science here at ACBT.

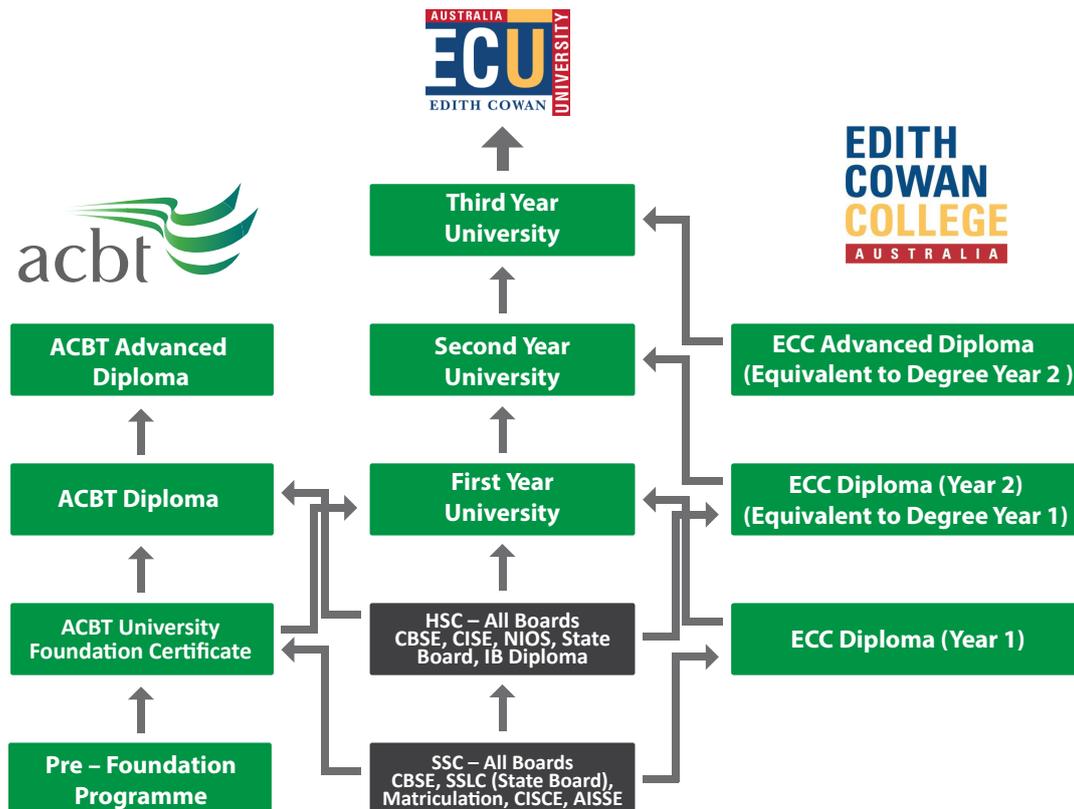
Available programs

ACBT Colombo offers the following programs:

- University Foundation certificate - Business, Hotel Management, Communications and Creative Industries and Computing / IT
- University Foundation certificate -

- Science (Engineering Studies)
- University Foundation certificate - Science (Health Studies)
- Diploma of Business
- Diploma of Computing
- Diploma of Science (Engineering Studies)
- Advanced Diploma of Business
- Advanced Diploma of Computing
- Bachelor of Business from ECU
- Bachelor of Computer Science from ECU
- MBA (International) from ECU
- IELTS courses
- General English Courses

Alternatively, you can choose to start your university education in Sri Lanka and then transfer to complete your studies at ECU in Australia or at one of the other Australian universities - Curtin, Deakin, Swinburne, La-Trobe, RMIT, Wollongong, Canberra, QUT or Monash University Griffith & ACU. You also have the option of transferring to one of many British universities such as Swansea, Hertfordshire, Portsmouth, Anglia Ruskin or Brunel University. (Current transfer list is on the web site) Conditions apply. Credit transfer is subject to approval of the particular university to which you are applying.



English @ ACBT



Australia

The Land of Opportunity



Australia is a multi-cultural and unique country, which has a relaxed lifestyle, beautiful scenery, and world-class education. A diverse country with nearly 22 million people, Australia is regarded as a beautiful and prosperous country, and places a high priority on human development, quality of life, health care, life expectancy, public education, economic freedom, civil liberties and political rights.

Australia also has one of the most progressive free market economies and ranks highly on key economic indicators when compared with many

developed countries around the world. Being a country with a large land mass, comfortable weather patterns and abundant resources, it is one of the most sought after destinations with its cities, including Perth, Melbourne, Brisbane, Adelaide and Sydney, emerging as some of the world's 'most liveable cities'.

With an unemployment rate of approximately 4.6% and inflation just hovering around 6% - 7% for more than a decade, it is no wonder more and more aspiring individuals are choosing to move to this lovely country.

ACBT

The Gateway to World Class Education

Studying in Australia is the perfect way to broaden your horizons while investing in your future by laying a solid foundation for a lifetime of personal and professional growth. Australian qualifications are recognised throughout the world and will equip you with life-long skills and knowledge.

Australia has emerged as the destination of choice for many students from around the world looking for quality education at affordable prices. World-class universities offering a wide range of courses at the undergraduate and postgraduate level, as well as research degrees, are located around Australia.



Your Accommodation

There are plenty of decent accommodation options in Colombo, Sri Lanka and its suburbs, to suit individual student requirements.

Our staff can facilitate your accommodation needs from a range of homestay options and can also assist you by offering advice on other options such as renting out apartments or houses.

On – Campus accommodation

48 Beds, With Male & Female accommodation separates Double Rooms and dorm room available. Estimate Cost Per month US \$150/= (Sharing)

Home-Stay

This is a popular accommodation option available to overseas students studying in Sri Lanka which provides you with an opportunity to live with a Sri Lankan family, and adapt to the host country's culture and practices faster.

Renting Apartments/Houses

This is also a convenient option with many apartments located within the city of Colombo. These are usually offered on long term basis of one year or more. Most apartments offer decent living with facilities such as 2-3 bedrooms, attached toilets, kitchen, living and study areas and

secure living conditions. Expect to spend \$300 upwards for an apartment excluding meals.



Student Services

Student Counsellors/Student Services Manager/Manager, Student Welfare

ACBT students can access a range of support services and campus facilities to ensure a smooth academic and emotional transition to university level study. Students are encouraged to use the support services and facilities provided and to contact the ACBT Student Services staff for advice and assistance as soon as the need arises.

ACBT student counsellors and other staff are committed to providing support and advice to help you reach your full potential while studying at ACBT. Be it to discuss study or personal issues, academic assistance, accommodation difficulties, family matters, attendance issues and homesickness.



Academic Requirements

Programme	Entry Requirements
University Foundation Program	5 passes at SSC All Boards (CBSE, SSLC (state board), Matriculation, CISCE, AISSE, IGCSE (Cambridge) 55% or above in Mathematics & English, eg: CBSE-C1
Diploma in Business & Diploma in Computing	Minimum 2 passes at HSC (+2) All Boards (CBSE, CISE, NIOS, State Board, IB Diploma)
Diploma in Science	Minimum 2 passes at HSC (+2) All Boards (CBSE, CISE, NIOS, State Board, IB Diploma) Mathematics & Physics are compulsory

Academic Calendar 2018/ 2019

Semester	Start dates	Finishing dates	Examination dates
1	March 05 2018	June 03 2018	June 07 - 11 2018
2	July 02 2018	Sep 30 2018	Oct 04 - 08 2018
3	Nov 05 2018	Feb 03 2019	Feb 07 - 11 2019

Your Investment

Fee Structure

Program	Minimum Duration	Fees per Semester (4 units)
University Foundation	2 Semesters	USD\$ 2500
Diploma Program	2 Semesters	USD\$ 3200
Advance Diploma Program	2 Semesters	USD\$ 3200
ECU Bachelor Program	2 Semesters	USD\$ 4000

Program fees include:

- Tuition (a minimum of one year fee is payable on enrolment) for one year student visa
- Accommodation (sharing basis)
- Access to library, computing, sporting and social activities
- Student counselling and academic assistance as required
- Unlimited internet downloads for coursework

Payment

You can pay your tuition fees by telegraphic fund transfer, direct deposit, bank draft or bank cheque.

When making a payment, please include your student ID number as listed in your letter of offer.

1. Telegraphic transfer/direct deposit

Bank: Sampath Bank PLC

Branch: Colombo 03 Kollupitiya (0134)

Branch address: 01, Ground Floor, Platinum Residencies Building Bagatalle Road, Colombo 03

Account name: Australian College of Business and Technology (Pvt) Ltd.

Account number: 0134 – 1000 – 4199 BSAMLKX - SWIFT code

Payment reference details: Student name and ID number. A copy of the telegraphic transfer/direct deposit details must be faxed or emailed to ACBT on +94 11 2565594 or info@acbt.lk

2. Bank draft/bank cheque

Payable to: The Australian College of Business and Technology

Free:

- Airport meet & greet/ orientation program
- Visa processing fee
- Application Fee

Programme fees do not include:

- Meals and transport
- Entertainment
- Textbooks, stationery and printing
- Health cover

All course fees are reviewed annually

Conditions of Enrolment

General

- Students must meet all the conditions and special notes contained in the letter of offer.
- Students must meet the minimum English language and academic course requirements to be offered a place at ACBT.
- Attendance at the orientation/ induction program is compulsory. You must obtain special permission not to attend if you are unable to do so and it will be your responsibility to ensure you collect all of the information made available to students during the orientation.

Fees

- ACBT reviews its course fees annually.
- You must pay all tuition fees by the dates specified in the 'fee payment schedule'. If you do not pay all your tuition fees by the due dates, you will be charged a late payment fee.
- You only need to pay for the number of units you are studying. In other words, if you are only studying two units, that is all you need to pay for in that semester.

- Final results will be withheld for any student who has outstanding library fines or overdue library books. ACBT may vary such conditions of enrolment by written notice as deemed necessary to comply with any law, regulation or amendment of the Republic of Sri Lanka.

Refund Policy

- Once an applicant accepts an offer of a place at ACBT and pays the relevant tuition fees, a binding contract has been created between the two parties.
- For refund purposes a course is defined as one semester of study in any program at ACBT.
- Upon request for refunds or change of Student status ACBT is compelled to inform the changes to Department of Immigration.

Changes to Semester Timetable/Unit Selection

- All student enrolment and unit selection is done online through the ACBT student portal.
- You will be advised of the opening and closing dates for enrolment via the portal.

- You can make changes to unit selection within the first two weeks after the semester starts, as long as there are places available in the relevant unit.

You must make any changes to your unit selection via the ACBT student portal.

General Conditions

- You are expected to attend a minimum of 90 percent of all classes and undertake all tests and examinations for each course you are enrolled in.
- ACBT reserves the right to suspend or cancel your enrolment for any breach of college policies published in the ACBT Student Handbook. If you are suspended, your fees will not be refunded.

How to apply

To apply for the Foundation or one of the Diploma courses leading to a Bachelor's degree at ACBT, follow the application process below.

Application process

Complete the application form on pages 15 (you can also download a form by visiting www.acbt.net and clicking on 'Apply Now').

Attach certified copies of:

- All academic qualifications (including school reports and official examination certificates).

- English test results or other evidence of English competency.

- Any relevant employment documents (if applicable).

Attach two copies of passport size photographs of the applicant to the completed application form.

Submit the completed application form to ACBT to the address at the end of the application form.

What happens next?

If your application is successful you will receive a letter of offer

explaining the course you have been offered, the fees payable, orientation details and course start dates.

To confirm your place in the course, you must pay a non-refundable application fee of \$100/=.

For further information about the application process, speak to an ACBT marketing counsellor.

Creating opportunities for success

Navitas provides you with the education you need, to get where you want to be in life. From English language skills and courses to help you enter university, to training for the workplace, Navitas colleges and campuses in 28 countries will support you every step of the way.

With over 110 Navitas and SAE Institution locations across the globe, and over 80,000 students currently studying with us, we understand the world's learning needs.

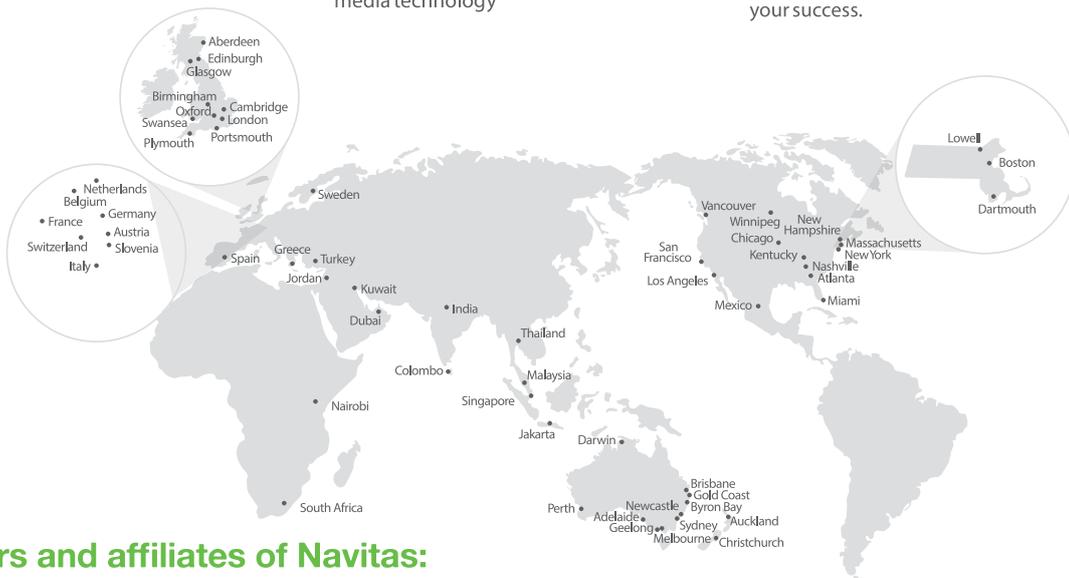
We've become one of the most trusted providers of education and training in the world.

Navitas offers to students, professionals and migrants from around the world, the following opportunities:

- English language training
- High school studies
- University preparation and programs
- Post-secondary education for creative media technology

- Career advancement programs
- Student recruitment
- Internship programs
- Migrant settlement services

We also offer customised workplace training for companies, and a range of training and settlement services for the Australian government. Wherever you are, and wherever you want to be, the knowledge and resources of our staff around the world will ensure your success.



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- ACAP (Australian College of Applied Psychology)
- ATTC (Australian TESOL Training Centre)
- CELUSA (Centre for English Language in the University of South Australia)
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- Curtin University Sydney
- Eynesbury — The University of Adelaide and University of South Australia
- Hawthorn-Melbourne
- La Trobe Melbourne — La Trobe University
- La Trobe University Sydney Campus
- MIBT — Deakin University, Melbourne
- MQC — Macquarie University, Sydney
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- NCPS (Navitas College of Public Safety)
- Navitas Professional
- NIC — The University of Newcastle
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- SAE Institutions

Africa

- AUSI — Edith Cowan University, Kenya
- SAE Institute, South Africa

Asia

- **ACBT — Edith Cowan University, Sri Lanka**
- Curtin Singapore (The Singapore Campus of Curtin University)
- MIBT Jakarta, Indonesia
- SAE Institutions — India, Indonesia, Malaysia, Singapore, Thailand

Central America

- SAE Institute, Mexico

Europe

- SAE Institutions/Qantm Colleges — Austria, Belgium, France, Germany, Greece, Italy, Netherlands, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey

Middle East

- SAE Institutions — Jordan and Kuwait

New Zealand

- SAE Institute, Auckland
- UCIC — University of Canterbury, Christchurch

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