

## Media Release: 2025 UNIVERSITY OFFERS THROUGH TISC (Embargoed until 08:00am AWST Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> January 2025)

TISC's January (second) round university offer information is now available to applicants on the Tertiary Institutions Service Centre's website, www.tisc.edu.au.

TISC received a total of 14,883 applications for 2025 university entry, including 12,478 from WACE students. Last year, 13,988 applications were received, including 11,526 from WACE students.

This year, 13,256 offers were made, with 78% going to first preferences. Overall, 89% of university applicants through TISC have received an offer. At the same time last year, 12,188 offers were made, with 79% going to first preferences. In 2023, 11,939 offers were made, with 77% going to first preferences.

As of 20 January 2025, 8,882 people have accepted their offers (7,684 last year).

This year there were 722 more offers in the January round than the December round. These were made up of a mixture of new applicants and existing applicants who missed an offer in the December round or who have now been offered a course higher in their preference list.

Also included in the January round of offers are people who were offered places in the December round but had chosen to wait in the hope of being offered one of their higher preferences in the later round. The universities have re-offered 1,184 places (1,046 last year) to applicants who chose to use this 'safety net' for their December round offer.

There are always a number of people who do not take up their offers or who choose to defer studies until the following year. This cycle, 772 offers lapsed between the December round and the January round. Also, 810 applicants have chosen to defer their study until 2026 (920 at the same time last year).

Full application and offer statistics by course for all five universities are available at <a href="https://www.tisc.edu.au/static/statistics-index.tisc">https://www.tisc.edu.au/static/statistics-index.tisc</a>.

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