

ENROLMENT INFORMATION FOR FEBRUARY 2024 INTAKE

Kia Ora and a very warm welcome to the **Master of Computer and Information Services (MCIS)** programme. This letter provides some important information about your programme and the next steps you need to take to make sure you are ready to commence on 26 February 2024.

There are a few important details you need to be aware of:

- You need to complete **180 points altogether to gain this qualification.**
- If you are an international student, you must study full-time (60 points per semester). If you are enrolled part-time, you must complete within 3 years from programme commencement.
- You are required to obtain a **B- grade average** in your coursework courses to be eligible to progress into the **Master of Computer and Information Sciences**. ***If you do not achieve this, you may be required to exit with a Postgraduate Diploma in Computer and Information Sciences or Postgraduate Certificate in Computer and Information Sciences.***
- You can choose up to 30 points with any other postgraduate courses with the approval of the programme advisor.

OTHER MATTERS

Enrolment. Attached to this email you will find a course selection form for semester 1 and 2. Please complete the course selection form and return to me via cmspg@aut.ac.nz. Once you are enrolled in your courses, you will receive an email from us.

Access to AUT systems. Once your enrolments are approved, the Student Hub will send your student ID card to you via post. This will include your login details and information on how to access AUT's systems (Canvas, MYAUT). Please ensure the postal address that you provided as part of your application is correct. Further information on the requirements and process for obtaining your ID card can be viewed [here](#).

Dropping/Changing of Course. Please contact me if you wish to change or drop any of your courses, withdrawal and/or cancellation policies may apply.

[Study Support and Resources](#). AUT offers one of the most comprehensive student support services of any university. Visit the link above to get more information on the services offered.

Swipe Card Access / School Postgraduate Study Rooms WZ716 is the designated space for Postgraduate Students. You will need an access card to enter this room. If you do not have an access card, please go to the Security Office at WO Building to request one. A Student ID card is not an access card.

[Postgraduate Research Support](#). Find information about online resources for graduate research students, postgraduate student community and events, postgraduate study rooms and more.

Withdrawal. If you no longer wish to continue your study, please inform me **in writing** as soon as possible so I can arrange your withdrawal. Please refer to the [AUT Calendar](#) for cancellation and withdrawal policies.

Read our career sheets to get the inside on the many career opportunities offered through AUT degree programmes, including industry trends, employer needs and skills required in each field. You can view information from this link: [Computer and Mathematical Sciences Career Sheets](#).

Orientation: Please check the link below. This will be updated close to the start of the semester. <https://www.aut.ac.nz/student-life/orientation-for-new-students> It is highly recommended that students attend the Orientation.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any other queries.

Yours sincerely,

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Master of Computer and Information Sciences (AK1329) Course Selection Form 2024

Name:
Student ID:

Important Notes:

- Completion of ENGE817 STEM Research Methods prior to enrolment into the thesis/research project is compulsory.
- You have up to end of week 2 of semester to change your enrolments, any changes made after the first 2 weeks may result in no refund of fees.
- Check the online [Course Descriptor](#) for more information on courses or click on the course name below.
- You can check course timetables on the AUT app or at MYAUT.
- Courses with insufficient enrolments may be cancelled.

Please tick the course/s you wish to enrol then return this form to: cmspg@aut.ac.nz

SEMESTER 1	Select	Level	Points	Comments
ENGE817 STEM Research Methods		8	15	CORE
COMP809 Data Mining and Machine Learning		8	15	
COMP814 Text Mining		8	15	
COMP815 Nature Inspired Computing		8	15	
COMP820 Video and Image Processing		8	15	
COMP821 Information Security		8	15	
COMP822 Human Computer Interaction		8	15	
COMP828 Statistical Programming for Data Science		8	15	
COMP831 Cybercrime and Cybersecurity		8	15	
COMP838 Deep Learning		8	15	
COMP842 Applied Blockchains and Cryptocurrencies		8	15	
ENSE803 Formal Specification and Design				
INFS803 Cloud Computing		8	15	
COMP971 Dissertation		9	60	After completing 120 points of coursework including ENGE817, and subject to minimum grade and School approval of research proposal.

COMP989 Thesis		9	120	After completing 60 points of coursework including ENGE817, and subject to minimum grade and School approval of research proposal.
<i>Electives from other programmes (Enrollment limit: 1 course/semester, subject to approval)</i>				
COMP833 Network Security and Forensics		8	15	
ENSE880 Agile Information Technology Project Management		8	15	
ENSE882 Team Facilitation of IT Projects		8	15	
ENSE883 IT Project Portfolios in Organisations		8	15	
SEMESTER 2		Level	Points	Comments
ENGE817 STEM Research Methods		8	15	CORE – if you completed in S1, you do not need to take again.
COMP800 Neuroinformatics		8	15	
COMP806 Software Architecture		8	15	
COMP810 Data Warehousing and Big Data		8	15	
COMP813 Artificial Intelligence		8	15	
COMP816 Advanced Internet of Things and Applications		8	15	
COMP818 Intelligent Surveillance		8	15	
COMP826 Mobile Systems Development		8	15	
INFS813 Information Technology Strategy and Policy		8	15	
COMP971 Dissertation		9	60	After completing 120 points of coursework including ENGE817, and subject to minimum grade and School approval of research proposal.
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COMP830 Cryptography and Cryptanalysis		8	15	
COMP832 Digital Forensics Tools and Techniques		8	15	
ENSE881 Digital Transformation and Change Management		8	15	