

For Bachelor of Communication (Journalism) students only:
ACICIS' Short-Term Programs: Application, Registration and Approval

Before applying, please consider the following:

- ✓ You must apply separately to both ACICIS and RMIT University through the respective application forms – outlined in detail below.
- ✓ You must be accepted by RMIT University on Mobi to confirm academic credit and any funding eligibility (including New Colombo Plan funding).

Your points of contact:

- For enquiries about ACICIS short term programs at RMIT, please visit the [RMIT Connect Portal](#).
- For enquiries about anything ACICIS, contact [ACICIS](#)

Fees & Enrolment

- ACICIS will invoice **you** directly for the [administration and tuition fee](#) - these **cannot** be deferred to HECS.
- You can receive up to 24 credit points towards RMIT electives for the successful completion of the Journalism Professional Practicum.
- RMIT will instruct you to enroll into fee-free course codes before you depart to Indonesia.

New Colombo Plan Mobility Grant

There is no separate application for a **\$3,000 New Colombo Plan Mobility Grant** – instead, ACICIS will automatically consider you for a grant when you submit your program application to ACICIS. ACICIS will assess your eligibility in collaboration with RMIT upon your acceptance into the program.

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You must meet the following eligibility criteria:

- ✓ Current undergraduate (Bachelor or Honours Degree) student
- ✓ Studying at an **ACICIS Member University** (YES! RMIT is a Member University)
- ✓ Australian citizen
- ✓ Receiving credit towards your degree for participation in this program
- ✓ Have not previously received **two virtual short-term** New Colombo Plan Mobility Grant*
- ✓ Not *currently* a citizen or permanent resident of the Republic of Indonesia
- ✓ Not *previously* a citizen or permanent resident of the Republic of Indonesia

*Students are only allowed to receive **two virtual short-term** NCP grants in addition to one short term mobility grant and one semester-long in-country mobility grant from the New Colombo Plan.

N.B. 70% of grant recipients (Australia-wide) must be between the ages of 18-28.

Application deadlines

ACICIS Program	ACICIS Deadlines	RMIT Mobi Registration Deadlines
Journalism Professional Practicum	<p>Summer: 15 September</p> <p>Winter: 1 April</p>	<p>Summer: 15 September</p> <p>Winter: 1 April</p>

Application process

Step 1: RMIT School Approval.

- ✓ Check with your Year Level Advisor whether you can receive credit for the Journalism Professional Practicum.
- ✓ Confirm approval by getting a **study plan signed**.

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Step 2: Submit your application to ACICIS Study Indonesia.

- ✓ Whilst your study plan is being approved, complete and submit the ACICIS [online application](#) for the Journalism Professional Practicum by the deadline.
- ✓ ACICIS will notify students on the outcome of their application approximately one month after the application deadline.

Step 3: Submit your registration through RMIT's Mobi

- ✓ Once you have applied to ACICIS, begin your RMIT Mobi registration for the [Journalism Professional Practicum](#).
- ✓ A comprehensive guide on Mobi is available [here](#).

Step 5: Enrol in RMIT units

- ✓ Once **both** RMIT and ACICIS have approved your study on the program, you will need to enrol in the appropriate units according to your approved study plan.
- ✓ RMIT will provide information about how to do this.