

International Student Guide

2026 - 2027



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A transformative education

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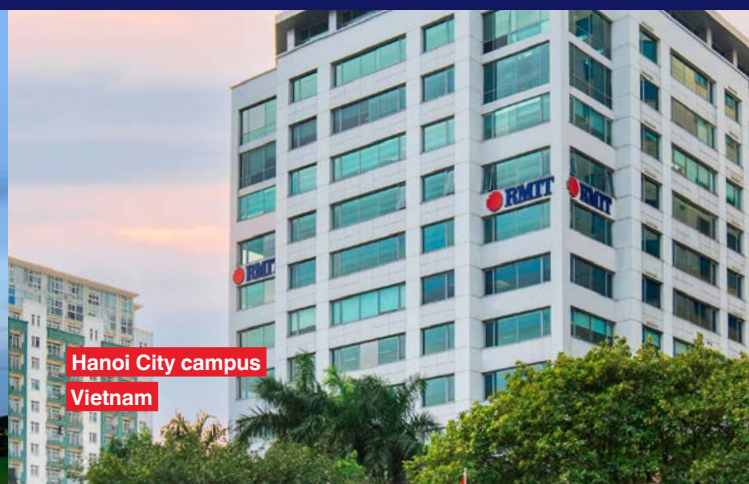


Go **beyond**
the brochure!

Our brochures include QR codes to link you to online multimedia and further information. Simply use a QR code scanner on your smartphone to learn more about our programs and get a taste for what it's like to study at RMIT.

Information correct at time of printing. This publication is intended as a general guide. RMIT University Vietnam reserves the right to alter any program or admission requirements, and availability of courses. For the most up-to-date program information, please visit www.rmit.edu.vn.

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Our international presence

RMIT is a global university of technology, design and enterprise.

One of Australia's original tertiary institutions, RMIT University enjoys an international reputation for excellence in professional and vocational education, applied research, and engagement with the needs of industry and the community.



Established in 1887

in Melbourne, Australia



5 campuses

in Australia and Vietnam and a research centre in Spain



540,000

alumni working in 151 countries



Australian Government

Tertiary Education Quality and Standards Agency

All organisations that offer higher education qualifications in or from Australia must be registered by the Tertiary Education Quality and Standards Agency (TEQSA).

RMIT being audited by TEQSA ensures that student interests are protected and the University's reputation is upheld. This is done through a proportionate, risk-reflective approach to quality assurance that supports diversity, innovation and excellence.

Top 125

university globally⁽¹⁾

#1

in Australia and **#45** globally for international faculty⁽¹⁾

#11

in Australia and **#80** globally in QS Sustainability Rankings⁽²⁾

#1

in Australia and **#26** globally for Art and Design⁽³⁾

#6

in Australia and **top 100** globally for Communication and Media Studies⁽³⁾

#10

in Australia and **#167** globally for Computer Science and Information Systems⁽³⁾

Top 10

in Australia and **top 100** globally for

- Marketing⁽³⁾
- Engineering (Civil and Structural)⁽³⁾

Top 10

in Australia and **top 150** globally for

- Business and Management⁽³⁾
- Accounting and Finance⁽³⁾
- Engineering (Mechanical, Aero and Manufacturing and Electrical and Electronic)⁽³⁾

⁽¹⁾ 2026 QS World University Rankings

⁽²⁾ 2025 QS Sustainability Ranking

⁽³⁾ 2025 QS World University Rankings by Subject



**Bundoora campus,
Melbourne, Australia**



**Research Centre,
Barcelona, Spain**

RMIT Vietnam

What makes RMIT Vietnam the right choice for you?

- Australian qualifications, internationally recognised and offered with affordable tuition fees and living costs.
- Extensive industry network offering workshops, projects, mentoring, and job opportunities.
- World-class facilities and access to the latest technology in learning and teaching.
- English-taught programs delivered by globally experienced faculty, featuring authentic assessments without exams.
- Dynamic student life supported by full student services in an international, collaborative, and creative study environment.
- A safe study destination with easy access to travel and explore the rest of Asia.

50+

nationalities are represented among our students at RMIT Vietnam

40+

nationalities are represented among our academic and professional staff



Founded in 2000, RMIT Vietnam brings a world-class education and a globalised study environment to one of the fastest-growing regions in Asia.

We offer programs in business and management, science and technology, communication and design, and in English.

Joining the RMIT alumni community means that when you graduate, you will join a large network of international alumni that provides ongoing peer support and networking opportunities. You will also gain access to RMIT's regular professional development events, aimed to continue both your personal and career growth.



25,500+
RMIT Vietnam alumni



7,000+
of the alumni community hold managerial positions



6,500+
companies in
18 industries employ
RMIT Vietnam alumni



2,000+
alumni are engaged and actively support RMIT



Our schools and programs

The Business School

• Bachelor of Business

With 9 majors:

- Digital Economy
- Business and Technology
- Economics
- Finance
- Global Business
- Logistics and Supply Chain
- Management and Change
- Human Resource Management
- Entrepreneurship

• Bachelor of Digital Marketing (*)

• Bachelor of Tourism and Hospitality Management (*)

• Bachelor of Accounting

Why study at The Business School?

- The first business school in Vietnam to earn the prestigious **AACSB accreditation**, joining the group of less than 6 per cent of the world's schools that hold AACSB business accreditation.
- An emphasis on business integration with technological skills and knowledge.
- High industry involvement with curriculum specifically designed for industry needs.
- Develop cross-disciplinary knowledge with a wide range of majors and minors.

School of Communication & Design

- Bachelor of Professional Communication
- Bachelor of Digital Film and Video (*)
- Bachelor of Design Studies (*)
- Bachelor of Design (Digital Media)
- Bachelor of Design (Games)
- Bachelor of Fashion (Enterprise)

Why study at School of Communication & Design?

- Learn how to become a creative leader with a well-rounded skill set.
- Gain access to industry-standard state-of-the-art equipment and software.
- Work in specialised studios to build your professional portfolio from day one.

(*) Available at RMIT Vietnam only

School of Science, Engineering & Technology

- Bachelor of Applied Science (Aviation)
- Bachelor of Psychology
- Bachelor of Food Technology and Nutrition
- Bachelor of Information Technology
- Bachelor of Engineering (Software Engineering)
- Bachelor of Engineering (Electronic and Computer Systems Engineering)
- Bachelor of Engineering (Robotics and Mechatronics Engineering) (*)

Why study at School of Science, Engineering & Technology?

- Get equipped with dynamic work-ready skills: adaptability, self-learning and a proactive mindset.
- Use and upgrade your skills with cutting-edge technology and industry-standard specialist labs.
- Launch your career both locally and overseas with an international mindset.

Pathway programs

- Foundation Studies
- English for University
- UniSTART

Postgraduate Programs

- Master of Business Administration
- Master of International Business
- Master of Artificial Intelligence
- Doctoral Research (PhD)



Kyaw Aung
MBA student

I studied at RMIT's Hanoi Campus. For me, Hanoi is a beautiful, ancient, and cultured city, with low living costs. The campus is central and close to many restaurants and shopping centres. The university has modern facilities, a high-quality education and self-development and student support services.

Vietnam

Your home away from home



Nestled in the heart of Southeast Asia, Vietnam attracts international students because of its boundless opportunities and captivating experiences.

This fascinating country, with its diverse landscapes and rich history, offers an educational and cultural journey like no other.

Vietnam's appeal comes from a balanced blend of timeless traditions and its rapid societal development. From the buzzing streets of Hanoi to the vibrant energy of Ho Chi Minh City, you'll discover a country that embraces its heritage while still creating a promise of the future.

Whether you're drawn to the busy urban centres or the peaceful countryside, Vietnam stands as a gateway to Southeast Asia's diverse wonders. Embark on a journey that promises to inspire and empower your dreams as an international student. Welcome to Vietnam, a country that invites you to embrace a mosaic of beauty, culture and endless possibilities.



Food

One of the most enticing aspects of Vietnam is its culinary heritage. Prepare your taste buds for a flavourful adventure as you savour iconic dishes like pho (noodle soup), banh mi (stuffed baguettes), and numerous other freshly made specialties you haven't even heard of yet.



History and Culture

Vietnam's rich history is embedded in its ancient temples, pagodas, and museums, providing insights into the country's endurance and transformation over the years. The warm and welcoming local communities will envelop you with their hospitality, ensuring that you feel right at home in this charming land.



Nature

Beyond the foodie culture, Vietnam's natural beauty will leave you awe-inspired. From the emerald waters of Ha Long Bay, the lush, terraced mountains in Sapa, to the endless lush green that stretches as far as the eye can see in the Mekong Delta, the country's landscapes offer breathtaking views and a great number of opportunities for exploration and adventure.



Ho Chi Minh City

The financial heart of Vietnam



Ho Chi Minh City (HCMC), formerly known as Saigon, is a lively and vibrant destination.

It beckons international students from across Asia with its numerous attractions, exciting experiences and strong economic outlook.

As a prospective international student, you'll discover HCMC to be a city of endless possibilities. With a dynamic economy, rich cultural diversity, and world-class entertainment, this city promises a journey filled with fun and adventure. HCMC boasts a modern skyline, buzzing markets, and a thriving street food scene that will tantalise your senses. Immerse yourself in the local way of life, and you'll find a warm and welcoming community that will make you feel right at home.

HCMC's history is told right on its lively streets and small alleyways. Explore historical landmarks, the city's many museums and the incredible sights that lay just outside the city's limits. If you desire to explore the region further, you're perfectly positioned to check out the treasures of Southeast Asia, thanks to HCMC's strategic location.

HCMC blends tradition and progress seamlessly, creating a place where you can embark on an unforgettable journey.





Welcome to RMIT's Saigon South Campus



RMIT's Saigon South Campus is a dynamic centre of education and innovation in Ho Chi Minh City. As an integral part of RMIT's global network, this Australian-standard university campus offers a world-class learning experience, with modern facilities, a diverse community of students, and a commitment to excellence.

Hanoi

The cultural capital with
over 1000 years of history



Hanoi, the captivating capital of Vietnam, extends a warm welcome to international students, offering rich experiences and cultural immersion.

As an international student in Hanoi, you'll find yourself in a city that seamlessly blends tradition with modernity. Explore the city's historical treasures, such as the Old Quarter's winding streets and the iconic Hoan Kiem Lake, which serves as living testaments to Hanoi's storied past. Meanwhile, Hanoi's contemporary allure is evident in its burgeoning arts scene, bright nightlife, and diverse dining options.

The city's authentic street food culture is a highlight in itself, with aromatic dishes like pho, bun cha and banh cuon waiting to charm your taste buds.

Hanoi's location within Vietnam opens the door to countless adventures within the country and across Southeast Asia. Whether you're interested in exploring nearby natural wonders, historical sites, or embarking on a cross-country journey, Hanoi serves as a perfect starting point.

In Hanoi, tradition and progress harmonise to create a city that will inspire and empower your dreams of culture, discovery and excitement.



Welcome to RMIT's Hanoi City Campus



Discover RMIT University's Hanoi Campus, where academic excellence and cultural fusion come together. This campus uniquely integrates global education with Vietnam's rich heritage. Immerse yourself in cutting-edge programs, collaborative research initiatives, and a commitment to nurturing future leaders right in the heart of the nation's capital.



Cost of living in Vietnam



The cost of living in Vietnam can vary depending on your lifestyle and location within the country. Our student services can help you find accommodation that suits your needs. While you're studying, it is important to have a home base where you feel comfortable and secure. Here's a rough estimate of monthly expenses for international students in Hanoi and HCMC:

| Item | Description | Approximate cost/month (USD) |
|-------------------|---|--|
| Rent | Although rental prices can certainly differ, finding shared or private accommodation is relatively easy and has a range of options available. | \$250 - \$600 |
| Food | Both Hanoi and HCMC offer a wide range of dining options. Eating at local street food stalls can be very affordable, with meals costing as little as \$2 to \$3. Dining in restaurants or more upscale eateries may cost around \$5 to \$10 per meal. | \$250 is recommended |
| Utilities | Make sure to cost utilities (electricity, water, gas, phone and internet) into your monthly budget. | \$50 - \$100 |
| Transportation | Public transportation is relatively affordable in Vietnam. Taxi fares are around \$0.5 per kilometre. There are also ride-sharing apps like Grab (similar to Uber) available. | Transportation costs may amount from \$50 - \$70 |
| Approximate total | These estimates can vary significantly based on your individual choices and preferences. Factors like type of accommodation, dietary preferences, and personal spending habits all go into a budget. For international students to create a detailed budget plan to manage their expenses effectively during their stay in Vietnam. | A total monthly budget ranging between \$600 - \$1000 |



More about housing options
apps.rmit.edu.vn/r/accomodation

Admissions

Annual intakes

At RMIT Vietnam, there are three intakes each year



March



July



October

Specific intakes vary based on program and location.



Check out detailed information

bit.ly/Study-at-RMIT

Scholarships

If you're interested in pursuing a degree at RMIT Vietnam as an international student, these scholarships are available for you. Eligibility and scholarship requirements differ based on the region where you live and can change year to year. Please visit this page for up-to-date information.



Check out up-to-date information

bit.ly/Inton-student-scholarships

- **International Excellence Scholarship**
This scholarship is open to nationals of all countries who have applied to RMIT Vietnam's undergraduate program. Scholarships are worth **25%** and **50%** of the program tuition fees.
- **Foundation Studies Scholarship**
This scholarship is open to non-Vietnamese citizens who have achieved outstanding academic performance in high school and will be enrolling in the Foundation Studies at RMIT Vietnam. Scholarships are worth **50%** of the program tuition fees.

Registered RMIT Vietnam Representatives

Our registered representatives can easily help you forge your path into an overseas study experience with RMIT Vietnam. Find out if there is a representative in your home country!



RMIT Vietnam Representatives

bit.ly/RMIT-Vietnam-representatives

Visa Process

International students need student visas to study at RMIT Vietnam and there are dedicated professionals to help guide you through this process! Best of all is that you need no financial proof to apply!



Accept offer, pay deposit and nominate the Vietnam Consulate/Embassy for the visa application.



Receive Visa Invitation Letter from RMIT Vietnam (after 3-5 weeks)



Apply visa at the nominated Vietnam Consulate/Embassy



Pick up visa (after 3-5 days)

Choose your journey with RMIT

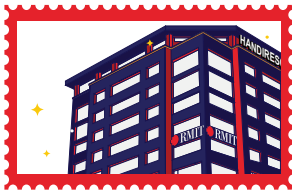
| | Year 1 | Year 2 | Year 3 | Tuition fee |
|----------|----------------|--------------------|----------------|-------------------|
| Option 1 | RMIT Vietnam | RMIT Vietnam | RMIT Vietnam | RMIT Vietnam |
| Option 2 | RMIT Vietnam | Exchange overseas* | RMIT Vietnam | RMIT Vietnam |
| Option 3 | RMIT Vietnam | RMIT Melbourne | RMIT Melbourne | Vietnam/Melbourne |
| Option 4 | RMIT Melbourne | RMIT Melbourne | RMIT Melbourne | RMIT Melbourne |

(*) at RMIT Melbourne or 200+ partner universities

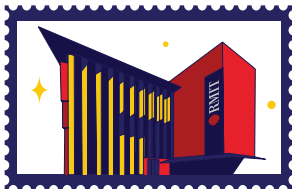
Option 1

Study your entire degree at RMIT Vietnam

Arrive, stay and thrive in one of RMIT Vietnam's two campuses in Hanoi or Saigon South.



Hanoi City Campus



Saigon South Campus

Option 2

Go on exchange

From your second year onward, you can go on an exchange program to RMIT in Melbourne (Australia) or choose from a list of our partner universities. You can study for one or two semesters while continuing to pay your RMIT Vietnam tuition rate.



200+

partner universities in **35+ countries**



700+

students on international exchange every year



Check out the Global Mobility options

bit.ly/RMIT-global-experiences

Option 3

Dual-campus options

Experience RMIT student life both in Vietnam and in Australia through our transfer or dual-campus options.



Transfer: Start your program in Vietnam and then apply to permanently transfer to Melbourne.



Dual Campus: Secure your international education journey right at the start of your studies. Enjoy one year at RMIT Vietnam then head to RMIT Melbourne for 2-3 years to finish your degree.

Option 4

Study your whole degree in Melbourne

If we don't have the program that you're looking for at RMIT in Vietnam, you're bound to find it in Melbourne!



430
programs



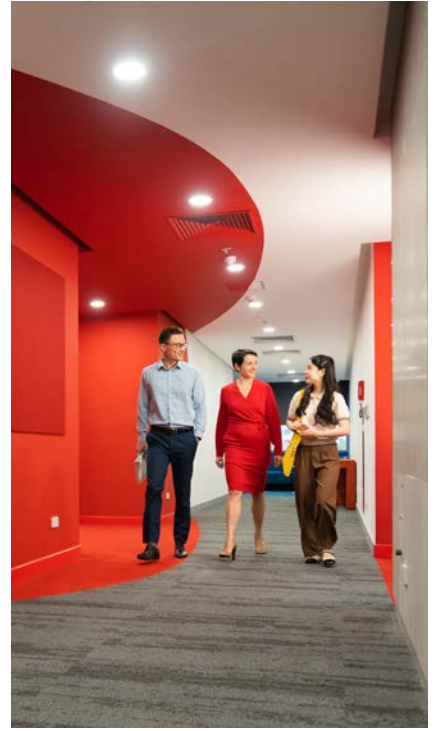
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study areas



Study in Melbourne

[tinyurl/study-at-rmit-melbourne](https://tinyurl.com/study-at-rmit-melbourne)

Note: If you transfer your program to RMIT in Melbourne or join a full program there, you will pay the Australian tuition rate.



Student support services



Student support services at RMIT are available to ensure that all students not only adapt, but thrive, in their new settings.

Dedicated and professional staff are on hand to guide students, whether it be for career path or skill development, both personal and professional, and in academic matters.



International Student Support

RMIT offers a wide range of proactive support services and activities prior to departure, upon arrival to Vietnam, during your study, and on completion. The University was awarded the 2018 Duty of Care Award by the International SOS Foundation for providing high standards in health, safety and security for international students.



Find out more here

apps.rmit.edu.vn/r/international-students-support

Health, wellbeing and accessibility

For students with disabilities and learning difficulties, RMIT offers dedicated support services aimed at providing equal access and opportunity.

Professional **health and wellbeing** support services are also available on our campuses.

Student Connect

We provide simple ways to access student services and support, such as enrolment information, courses or programs, fees and finances and timetables.

Student Academic Success

Student Academic Success offers a range of learning support services to current RMIT students:

- **Coaching:** meet 1-on-1 with our Academic Support Team to get special academic coaching support
- **PAL Schedule:** providing students with academic support
- **Learning Advising:** advisors help you plan to reach a wide range of study goals
- **Learning Lab:** a collection of high-quality learning resources



Find out more here

sas.rmit.edu.vn

Career head-start



We ensure that our students are fully ready to grab the opportunities available in the job market, and have a competitive edge to do so, through these exclusive services:

- Access **career counselling and mentoring services**.
- Get help in **developing your skills** in CV writing and interview preparation.
- Utilise the **Job Shop** drop-in service for information about career services, workshops and events.
- Join **career fairs and networking events** to connect with some of the biggest employers in your field.
- Join a **series of training workshops** on subjects such as creative thinking, communicating with confidence, and working across cultures.
- Take part in **visits to industry-leading companies** for unique insights into modern workplaces.
- Find exclusive employment opportunities and internships through the **RMIT Careers Online Portal** website.



Georgia McIntosh

Bachelor of Communication
(Professional Communication)

Ho Chi Minh City is a very interesting city, with always something to see and do. From art exhibitions, to live music and markets, you won't be bored! As for Vietnam - from its beaches, mountains, waterfalls and cities - it truly has so much to offer. From Vietnam, seeing the rest of Southeast Asia is easy!



Flagship Internship Program



2,000+

internship positions were available and **1,300+** were fulfilled



63%

of students got full time offers after completing an internship in 2023

(Data from January 2023 to March 2024)

Industry connections

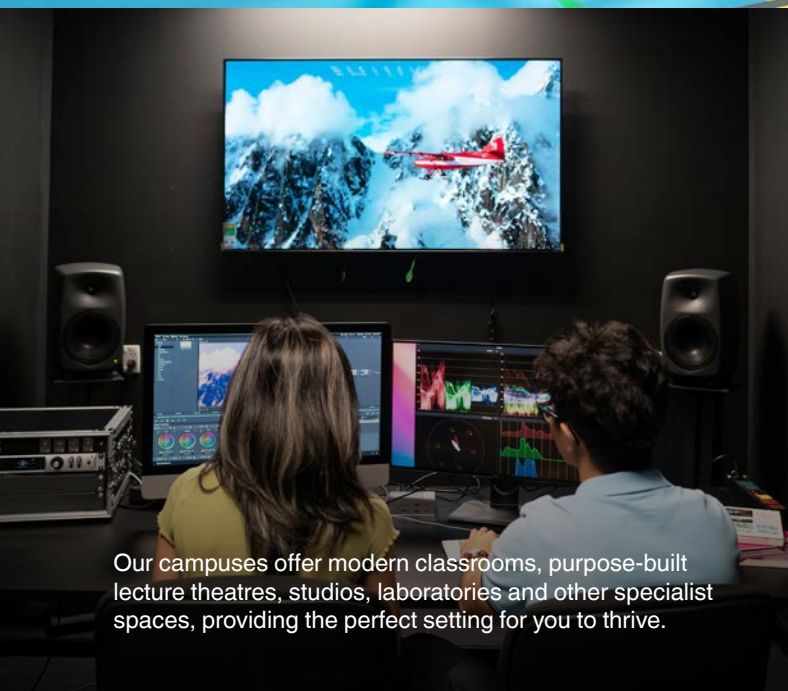
You will benefit from the strong relationships we have with local and international industry partners. Do a work placement through the RMIT Flagship Internship program to get hands-on experience in a real work environment. Interact with industry partners throughout your studies, such as in classroom activities, career fairs and networking events.



Elite facilities



Explore our campuses with a virtual tour
apps.rmit.edu.vn/r/explore-rmit-campus



Our campuses offer modern classrooms, purpose-built lecture theatres, studios, laboratories and other specialist spaces, providing the perfect setting for you to thrive.



- Cyber Security and Logistics Lab
- Financial Trading Lab
- Activator
- Digital and Behavioural Business Lab
- Media Studio
- Mixed Reality Lab
- Fashion Lab
- Media suites
- English Language Labs
- Computer and Mac Labs
- Robotics Lab
- Advanced Manufacturing Workshop
- Campus Medical Centre
- Student self-study and meeting spaces
- Canteen area with a wide variety of food and drink vendors
- Sports and fitness centre

700,000+

books, periodicals, e-books, journals and videos are available in the library.



Take a virtual tour of
the Saigon South campus library
bit.ly/RMIT-SGS-library

Student clubs and communities

From cheerleading to chess, fashion to frisbee or whatever you happen to be into, RMIT has a club or society for you. Whether you're sporty, creative or just curious, RMIT's clubs, collectives and events will help you meet people, make connections and discover more of what you are capable of!

Being part of a club is more than just having fun:



Club programs train students in leadership development.



Clubs empower students to take on managerial roles through many projects, such as being a president, HR officer, operations and marketing or project manager.



Student Life supervises each club, and helps them plan and organise club activities as well as manage budgets.



Club executives receive training on team leadership, communication and time management amongst other operational skills.

RMIT has over 50 student-run clubs that engage more than 8000 students and alumni:



Academic and study skills clubs
(Accounting, Business, FinTech, Neo Culture Tech, Tourism and Hospitality, etc.)



Creative collective clubs
(Music, Dance, Visual Arts, Mass Media, Fashion and Psychology.)



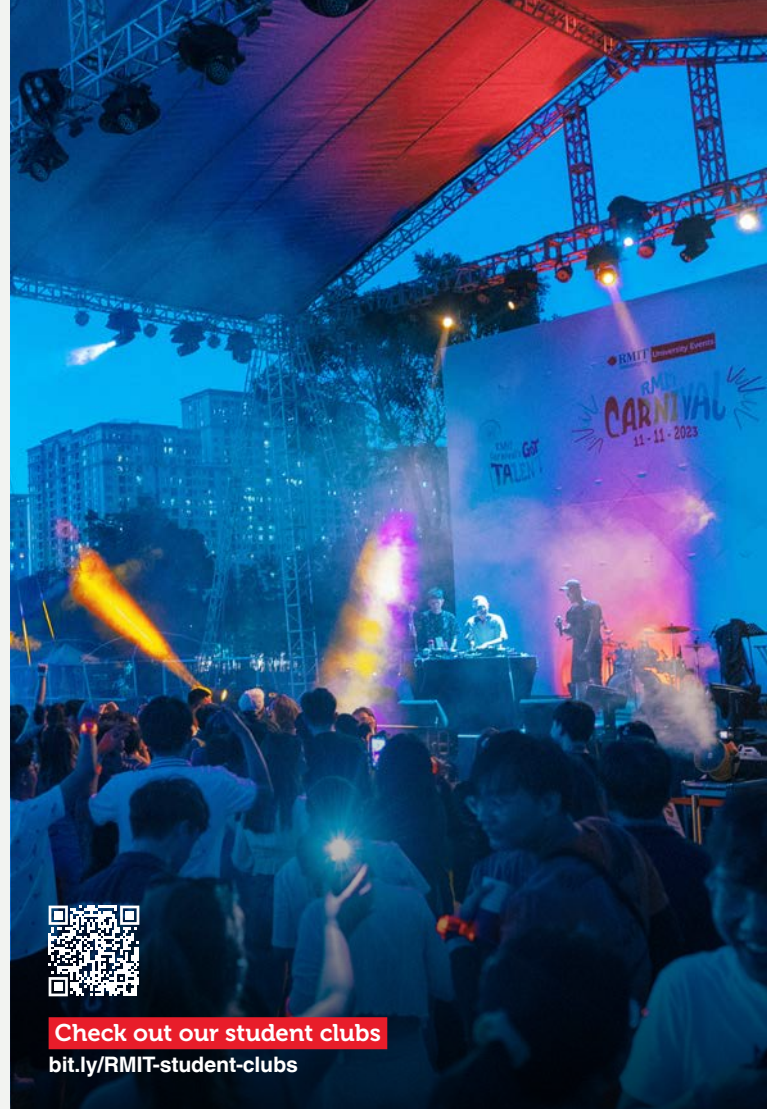
Social and special interest clubs
(Board games, Green Generation, Japanese Culture, etc.)



Sports clubs
(Badminton, Basketball, Football, MMA, Volleyball, Frisbee, etc.)

Get involved in fun activities and events

- Club days
- International Festivals
- Creative challenges
- RMIT X-Run and Sports Day



Check out our student clubs
bit.ly/RMIT-student-clubs

Buddy Program

The Buddy team is a group of student volunteers who dedicate their time and commitment to support new international students transition into RMIT and Vietnam.

Student Volunteer Program

Make a difference by joining RMIT's Student Volunteer Program and become a part of a vibrant community. Student volunteers assist with all university-wide events, including orientation and graduation.



Lee Jaewon
English for University

RMIT to me has meant freedom. At first it was a bit of a struggle to go out just because of the cultural differences, but after befriending some Vietnamese students, they helped me adapt and showed me a lot of new things.





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