

International Scholar Laureate Program
Delegation on Nursing & Health Care
Commonwealth of Australia

Sample Schedule

Day 1 G'day and Welcome to Australia!

Arrive in Sydney
Independent Exploration of Sydney
Check-in and Registration
Program Orientation: Academic Expectations and Cultural Overview
Welcome Session and Dinner

Day 2 Understanding Australia's Comprehensive Medical Environment

Team Breakout Session: Identifying Goals and Networking with ISLP
Scholars and Advisors
Keynote Speaker: Comprehensive Look at Australia's Health Care
Principles of Universal Health Care
Role of Australia's Nurses
Challenges of a Nursing Shortage
Sydney Sightseeing Highlights
Inside the Sydney Opera House: Cultural Center of the City
The Rocks: Site of the Original Sydney Town Settlement
Evening at Leisure

Day 3 Beyond the Hospital Walls: Caring for the Community

Team Breakout Session: Introduction to the ISLP Project
Site Visits: Exploring Unique Aspects of Nursing in Australia
Midwifery in Australia at Royal Prince Alfred Hospital
An Intimate Look at Practice and Training
An Inside Look into the Hospital's Various Units
Museum of Human Disease, University New South Wales
Examining Catalogued Specimens of Disease Tissue

Day 4 Sydney: A City of International Stature

Team Breakout Session: Revisiting Your Goals and Navigating Your Personal
Career Path
Sights and Sounds of Sydney: A Day of Independent Exploration
Manly Beach: Thriving Harbour Community
Taronga Zoo: Examining Australia's Unique Wildlife
Darling Harbour: Spectacular Waterfront District

Day 5 Brisbane, Queensland's Capital City

Air Transfer: Flight Provided from Sydney to Brisbane
Orientation and City Guided Tour
Lone Pine Koala Sanctuary: The World's Oldest Koala Sanctuary
Hotel Check-in

- Day 6 The Art and Science of Non-Traditional Healing**
 Team Breakout Session: ISLP Project Guided Working Session
 Speaking Event: Aboriginal Health and Medicine
 Current Affairs of Indigenous Health
 Providing Medical Care in Non-Traditional Settings
 Overcoming Cultural Barriers to Deliver Care
 Site Visit: Local Hospital Visit
 Comparing Facilities and Care
 Professional Q & A with Health Care Providers
 Guided Facility Tour
- Day 7 The Collaboration of Care**
 Team Breakout Session: ISLP Project Presentations
 University of Queensland Lecture: Tropical Medicine in Australia
 Role of Nurses in the Study of Tropical Medicine
 New Research in Emerging Diseases
 Independent Brisbane Exploration
 Kangaroo Cliff
 City Botanical Gardens
 River Walks
 Farewell Dinner with Fellow Scholar Laureates, Faculty, and Colleagues
- Day 8 Depart Australia or Fly to Cairns for the Optional Cultural Extension**

*Optional Cultural Extension:
 Cairns and the Great Barrier Reef*

- Day 8 Cairns: Marvel of the Pacific**
 Air Transfer to Cairns
 Hotel Check-In
 Afternoon at Leisure
- Day 9 The Great Barrier Reef: Spectacular Gem of the Coral Sea**
 Sail to the Great Barrier Reef
 Swimming, Snorkeling, and Sun: Recess on the Reef
 Introductory Snorkel Trip Provided
 Tropical Lunch Provided
- Day 10 Independent Exploration: Create Your Own Adventure!**
 Relax in Cairns: Ideas to Explore on Own
 Beach Fun: Enjoy the Sun
 Walk the Esplanade Boardwalk: Scenic Views
 Skyrail: Breathtaking Views Above the Tree Tops
 Tjapukai Aboriginal Culture Park: Further Look into the Local
 Indigenous Population
- Day 11 Homeward Bound: Depart Australia**