

UARC Strategy

Vision To enable socially, economically and environmentally sustainable aged care and support for older people in Australia

Mission To engage in collaborative and translational research that addresses complex problems in ageing policy and practice

UTS 2027 initiatives

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| Connected Research with partners and the community to enhance pathways to impact communities. | Sustainable Partnerships building on good relationships and collaborations that better society. | Working Together to support UTS staff to thrive in an increasingly complex and changing environment. |
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Strategic pillars

1. Focus on issues that improve the lives of older people
2. Undertake research that is collaborative and trans-disciplinary
3. Actively engage with stakeholders to increase impact

Goal To produce and disseminate knowledge that informs:

1. practice
2. policy
3. broader social, economic and environmental reform
4. future research

Research themes

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| 1. Business & Strategy | 2. Law, Regulation & Ethics | 3. Health & Wellbeing | 4. Innovation & Design | 5. Emerging Technologies |
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Research scope

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Organisational strategy and performance • Consumer access and equity • Workforce • Management and leadership practices • Financial viability • Corporate governance and regulation • Economics of aged care | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Legal planning and decision-making • Legal design • Regulatory frameworks • Governance, accountability and compliance • Consumer protection | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Consumer and carer experience • Inclusivity • Safety and quality • Work and leadership practices • Social isolation and loneliness • Clinical governance • Health information management | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assisted living technologies • Built environment – home and residential care • Design for dementia • Design for health and care • Designing for services and systems • Inclusive design • Visualisation and modelling | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assistive technology and epidemiology • Artificial intelligence • In-home care technology • Residential aged-care technologies • Biomedical devices and advanced biotechnology applications for early detection |
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