

What is computer-based testing via remote invigilation

Computer-Based Testing via Remote Invigilation (RI) will enable you to take your exam in an invigilated environment from your home where you will be monitored via webcam, screen sharing technology and a secondary recording device during your exam. A video explaining this in more detail can be found here¹.

I don't want to take a Remote Invigilation exam. Can I wait and take a paper-based exam later?

Yes! RI exams have been made available to support students who have been studying during the COVID-19 crisis, so that they don't have to wait too long for an exam. However, there is no problem if you would prefer to wait until it is possible to attend the Sydney Wine Academy for a paper-based exam. Please contact us as soon as possible if you prefer to do this.

How will I know if my computer is suitable for an RI exam?

More details will be sent to you after enrolment about the entire process but below is the technology you will need to do an RI exam. You will be sent an email one week before your exam with information on how to perform a system check before your exam. This email will contain information relating to what devices are required for you to sit your RI exam but in brief, you will need:

- One device with a webcam and microphone to take your exam on such as a laptop or MacBook
- Plus, one device to record you taking the exam: a smart phone or tablet.

This secondary device will need to be set up 3m away from where you take the exam and must show you sitting your exam clearly.

Device One (to take the exam on):

Device Requirement

Bandwidth 1Mbit/s. Tethering is not supported

Browser Latest version of Google Chrome

Webcam Required

Screen Resolution Recommended resolution 1440x900

Microphone Required

Audio Required

PC Windows 7 or higher

Mac Mac OS X

Linux 64-bit Ubuntu 14.04+, Debian 8+, openSUSE 13.3+, or Fedora Linux 24+

Device Two (for recording the exam room):

Mobile Device You will need a mobile device or tablet on which you will download the ProctorExam app. Instructions for downloading the app will be provided during the system check process

Android device specification 4.1 or higher

iOS (Apple) device 8.0 or higher

Please Note

The following devices are not supported: Google Chromebooks, Android tablets (Nexus 7, etc.), iOS tablets (iPad, iPad mini, etc.), and Microsoft Surface RT.