

# **KNOW YOUR STUDENTS**

# Our student body is diverse and multifaceted

#### Students don't all arrive at UL in the same way:

- Some have come straight from secondary school
- Some have been away from education for some time
- Some want or need to upskill or change career
- Some are drawn by access to industry expertise
- Some work full-time so need to study part-time
- Some live in other locations and want to study online
- Some are international

## Students have different kinds of commitments:

- Community or voluntary work
- Family
- Work
- Care
- Commute
- Sport



#### **Picture your students as graduates**

**Consider:** 

- UL's Graduate Attributes
- Workplace requirements
- Tasks graduates need to be able to complete in your industry or discipline



#### Students have to balance their time

Study tasks can be time-consuming:

- Reading, watching videos, listening to podcasts
- Communicating on discussion forums
- Group work
- Assessment
- Exam prep

## Some students need supports

**Consider:** 

- Library services
- IT support
- Accessibility services
- Learner services

