

Career Newsletter No3;

Reminders:

- **UMAT** applications close 2 June; test 26 July. Information Booklet: <http://umat.acer.edu.au>
- **'INSIDE MONASH'** – Coming soon: **March 28th** Pharmacy; **April 6th** Design and Fine Art, 11th Architecture, 12th Interior Architecture; Register: www.monash.edu/inside-monash
- **MONASH INTERNATIONAL STUDENT DAY** – 31 March; Exhibition Space H1.16, Building H, Caulfield; <http://www.monash.edu/monash-international-student-experience-day>
- **'EXPERIENCE LA TROBE'** – Melbourne (Bundoora): 9.30am – 4.30pm, Fri 7 April; Registrations: [Experience La Trobe registrations are now open](http://www.latrobe.edu.au/experience/registrations-are-now-open) OR information: <http://www.latrobe.edu.au/experience/events/experience-la-trobe-events>
- **WILLIAM ANGLISS INSTITUTE** - School Holiday Program - Thurs 13 April. Book on-line.

1. THINKING OF AGRICULTURE OR VETERINARY SCIENCE?

The **University of Melbourne** offers the **only Veterinary Science** degree in Victoria, and is one of two universities offering an **agriculture degree** (in addition to La Trobe University). If you are thinking of studying either of these degrees at the University of Melbourne you might like to attend the **Werribee Open Day** and explore your future. Learn



more about these **degrees**, meet some **furry and reptilian** friends, and **feast** at the food stalls on the day. **Registrations for course lecture times and veterinary hospital tours are essential** – RSVP today



at [RSVP today](#). Note: due to limited spaces, the veterinary hospital tours are prioritised to current university science students.

When: 10am-3pm, Sunday 29 April; **Where:** Werribee campus, 250 Princes Hwy, Werribee; **Info:** info-fvas@unimelb.edu.au.

Agriculture offers many job opportunities, in fact, staff at Melbourne point out that there are **three jobs in agriculture for every graduate**, and many of these are in the city.

2. NEW BACHELOR OF ENGINEERING PRACTICE (HONOURS) AT

SWINBURNE – In a world that is rapidly changing, **innovation, agility and creativity**

are more important than ever. That's why Swinburne has created this **revolutionary new degree**. Responding to the **needs of industry**, this degree is designed **to equip engineers of the future** with the **skills required to meet tomorrow's challenges**.

The course is **co-created and co-delivered by industry partners**, it is designed to mirror a **professional workplace**, it is **project-based** and **team-oriented**. It has a **studio environment** rather than a traditional classroom, and students are assessed by **project outcomes and performance reviews**.



Traditional **majors** will not be offered, rather, student will have the opportunity to refine

their interests towards **industry sectors** through the selection of different projects. Team projects will focus on **four industry sectors**: smart cities, Industry 4.0, Internet of Things and People, and products designed for people.

Interested?

See:

www.swinburne.edu.au/engineering-practice-honours or **book an appointment** with a student advisor – www.swinburne.edu.au/appointment.

3. EARLY ACHIEVERS PROGRAM AT AUSTRALIAN CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY

(ACU) – Like all other Australian **public** universities, ACU is a university open to all of any faith or no faith at all. NOTE: Australia also has a small number of **private** universities – eg Bond University and the University of Notre Dame.

ACU has campuses throughout Australia, including in Melbourne (Fitzroy) and in Ballarat.

ACU offers a program known as the **Early Achievers Program (EAP)**. This program allows applicants for ACU to indicate **how they have contributed to the community** during their lives, and successful applications can lead to an **early offer of a place** at the university. **Applications open** online for EAP on **Wednesday 26 April** and **close on Monday 17 July**. Offers of places will be made by ACU at the end of August, rather than having to wait until January to obtain an offer through the Victorian Tertiary Admissions Centre. **See:** www.acu.edu.au/eap to find out more about how to prepare your application, how to submit it, and how to monitor it.

NOTE: La Trobe university has a similar program called **Aspire**. **See:**

www.latrobe.edu.au/aspire for more information.

4. **CHECK OUT DEAKIN** – Deakin University has four campuses: at Burwood (Melbourne), Waurin Ponds (Geelong), Waterfront (Geelong) and Warrnambool. Deakin is ranked in the World's top 50 universities under 50 years old according to Times Higher Education.
 - There will be a **Medical Imaging, Optometry and Medicine Information Evening** for prospective students on 12 April at the Geelong Waurin Ponds Campus. More details next issue.
 - **'STEP ON CAMPUS'** is a program running during the school holidays. You'll be taken on a 45 minute tour of your chosen campus, where you'll find out more about university life, study areas and be able to gain a feel for the campus from your tour guide, a current Deakin student. **Registration:** find more information on dates and locations at: deakin.edu.au/steponcampus.
5. **YEAR 10's INVITED TO ATTEND MONASH UNIVERSITY IN THE HOLIDAYS** – Monash is once again holding *Year 10 Discovery Day*, providing a chance for you to find out about Monash and its degrees, see the campus, and get questions answered. It will be an **interactive day** where you can find out **what university holds for you**. **When:** 10am - 2pm, Wednesday 5 April; **Where:** Robert Blackwood Hall, 49 Scenic Drive, Clayton Campus; **Register Now** (places are limited): www.monash.edu/year10-day.
6. **VCE AND CAREERS EXPO 2017: DATES FOR YOUR DIARY** – This Expo will again be a huge event, with 170 exhibitors offering VCE resources, tertiary course and career information, gap year information and study skills resources. Exhibitors include Australia's major universities. **When:** Thurs 4 – Sun 7 May; **Where:** Caulfield Racecourse, Station St, Caulfield (an indoor venue). Free parking available. **Admission:** \$10 or \$25 for families. **Info:** www.vceandcareers.com.au.
7. GSMN together with Monash Rural Health would like to extend an invitation to Gippsland Year 10-12 Secondary School Students and parents to have the opportunity to learn more about the pathways into Medicine and most importantly hear from local medical professionals and current medical students

about why they selected a medical career, how they got into Medicine, moving away from home and their experience so far. Information will also be provided on alternative pathways and having a 'plan b' option.

DATE

Thursday 4 May 2017

TIME

6.30pm – 8.30pm

LOCATION

Monash Rural Health - Leongatha

(same grounds of Leongatha hospital)

Parents are most welcome to attend and a light supper will be provided. As places are limited, it will be necessary to register your interest in attending.

Please RSVP and advise of any dietary requirements via e-mail by no later than Friday 24 March 2017 to:

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