

Career Newsletter No7

Reminders

- **UMAT** applications close 2 June; test 26 July. Information Booklet: <http://umat.acer.edu.au>
- **'INSIDE MONASH'** – June: 5th **Medicine & Biomedical Science**; 14th **Business**; August 15th **Music**, 31st **Education**; 31st **Science and Careers**; www.monash.edu/inside-monash
- **EARLY ACHIEVERS PROGRAM (ACU)** – Apply until 17 July. See: www.acu.edu.au/eap.
- **VICTORIAN INDIGENOUS ENGINEERING WINTER SCHOOL:** 1–7 July; <http://www.eng.unimelb.edu.au/engage/indigenou/s/views>; Info: matthew.currell@rmit.edu.au.
- **HEALTH INFORMATION SESSIONS AT DEAKIN** www.deakin.edu.au/health/events; Course Information: Ph 1800 693 888.
- **NATIONAL YOUTH SCIENCE FORUM** - Year 11's in 2017; Info: www.nysf.edu.au; OR nysf@nysf.edu.au; Apply by 30 May.
- **DESIGN AT SWINBURNE** – 11-14 July; See: www.swinburne.edu.au/events/departments/health-arts-design/2017/07/discover-design-at-swinburne.php
- **FOODS, TOURISM, HOSPITALITY & EVENTS at William Angliss Institute;** See www.angliss.edu.au/schoolholidays, or ph 9606 2480 or andrewpl@angliss.edu.au.
- **MONASH ART, DESIGN AND ARCHITECTURE (MADA) ENTRY REQUIREMENTS FOR 2018** – There are some changes to 2018 entry requirements relevant to the **B. Visual Arts, B. Art History and Curating, B. Communication Design, B. Industrial design, B. Architecture, and B. Interior Architecture**. Students no longer have to prepare a folio, complete a pre-selection activity, or participate in an interview. Admission will be based on **ATAR only**. There is no change for the process for the single degree of the **B. Fine Art** – applicants will still need to prepare a folio and participate in an interview. Questions: Ph 9903 1517, email mada@monash.edu.
- **SCHOOL HOLIDAY SCIENCE PRECINCT TOURS** – See the new Monash science facilities and learning spaces, get a feel for campus life, and chat with current students. When: 11am - 12 noon on several days in the July school holidays; Register: www.monash.edu/science/about/events.
- **INDIGENOUS STUDENT EXPERIENCE MONASH DAY** – This is an opportunity for

students to get an experience of what Monash has to offer. There will be interactive sessions where participants will be able to select areas of study in which they are interested. Activities will be offered by the faculties of **Arts, Business and Economics, Education, Engineering, IT, Law, Medicine, Nursing and Health Sciences, and Science**. Meet staff and students, and find out about support available to Indigenous students. The event will be hosted by Yulendj – Indigenous Engagement Unit. **When:** 10am-2pm, Thurs 27 July (includes lunch); **Where:** Robert Blackwood Hall, Clayton campus; **Register** by 7 July to kristel.keleher@monash.edu, 9905 8699.

- **WORLD RANKING FOR PHARMACY AND PHARMACOLOGY** - The 2017 QS World University Rankings by Subject place **Monash second in the world for pharmacy and pharmacology**, meaning Monash is **number one in Australia and the Asia Pacific**. To find out why, Monash has **online information sessions**. Also, Monash runs **VCE revision lectures in biology and chemistry**. Register: www.monash.edu/pharm/about/events.



1. **TRANSFORM, CONNECT AND EXPLORE YOUR FUTURE** – 'Deakinspire' is a day where you can **transform, connect and explore your future**. It's all about empowering you to **reach your potential and inspire you with exciting ideas** of how your future could look. You will hear **innovative, entrepreneurial and creative stories** from students, alumni and staff, attend two **workshops**, and learn **how to stand out from the crowd** and get ready for the **jobs of tomorrow**. **When:** **Burwood** campus: Tues 4 July; **Geelong** campus: Thurs 6 July; **Register:** www.deakin.edu.au/deakinspire.
2. **ACHIEVING VCE EXCELLENCE** – The Faculty of Arts at the **University of Melbourne** is offering its **VCE Winter School** for Years 10-12 VCE students. There will be lectures, seminars and tutorials in five VCE subjects. **When:** 11 & 12 July – **History Revolutions**, 12 July – **Australian History**, 13 July – **Italian & French**, 15 & 16 July – **Literature**. Register: <http://arts.unimelb.edu.au/engage/extended-and-community-learning-programs/vce-programs-and-kits/vce-winter-school-2017>.
3. **LA TROBE UNIVERSITY NEWS** –

- **INTERESTED IN CYBERSECURITY?**

Considering recent events, this degree may well be of interest to some of those thinking



of a career in IT. As we know, **cybercrime is now a widespread threat** and a mainstream concern

that can only be **combated by highly-skilled specialists**. La Trobe's Bachelor of Cybersecurity is a brand new degree that **addresses the global shortage of cybersecurity professionals and prepares you with skills across IT, business, law, policy and strategic communication**. It covers the **history of hacking, the methods used to defend and protect against malicious cyber threats** and the **techniques used to manipulate individuals to access confidential information online**. **More info:** www.latrobe.edu.au/courses/cybersecurity.

- **INTERESTED IN POLITICS, PHILOSOPHY AND ECONOMICS (PPE)?**

La Trobe university offers a degree in **Politics, Philosophy and Economics**, covering all of these interrelated disciplines. It is suitable for those **wanting to improve the world**, those interested in **words and numbers**, and who perhaps wish to, or have already, **travelled the world**. A **Diploma of Languages** can be studied along with the degree, and a **workplace internship** is included in third year. The degree is ideal for those interested in **public policy** and **how social and economic change occurs**, or who **want a better understanding of how we can respond to the challenges facing society**.

4. NEWS FROM AUSTRALIAN CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY (ACU) -

- **UNIVERSITY EXPERIENCE** - ACU is again hosting 'University Experience' days. These are an opportunity for **Year 10-12 students to try some courses and hear from current students**. You will be able to attend **two workshops** of your choice and **visit the campus**. Parents can join in their own session in the morning if they wish. Students can choose from nursing, midwifery, business, paramedicine, education, physiotherapy, psychology, public health, exercise science, theology and lots more! **When:** Melbourne campus: Tues 4 July; Ballarat campus: Tues 11 July; **Information and bookings:** www.acu.edu.au/uni-experience.

- **BACHELOR OF TEACHING/BACHELOR OF SCIENCE** - Science and mathematics are **key teaching areas in high**

demand, with strong employment opportunities and career prospects for graduates. This year ACU introduced this four-year double degree that equips graduates with the skills and knowledge required to teach in **government, independent and Catholic secondary schools** across the sub-discipline areas of **biology, chemistry and environmental science**. For more information see: [Bachelor of Teaching/Bachelor of Science](#).

- **DO YOU WANT TO LEARN MORE ABOUT ADOLESCENT ISSUES?** Presented by ACU's Counselling and Psychology staff (practitioners and researchers), this **Webinar series for parents** covers several issues. **When:** 19 June **Cyberbullying**; 24 July – **Body image and weight**; 15 September **Career planning panel**, all 6.30-7.30pm; **Register online at** www.acu.edu.au/psychologywebinars.

5. INTERESTED IN A CAREER WITH ANIMALS?

If yes, then 'Keeper for a Day' is for you. Zoos Victoria is a place full of passionate conservationists committed to providing a safe place for species in the future. You can discover **what it's like to work at Healesville Sanctuary** and become a Keeper for the Day. Heading



behind the scenes, you will get a **hands-on experience** of what it's like to work as a zoo keeper. **When:** 9.30am-3.30pm, July 4, 11 & 12; **Cost:** \$115.00; **Book:** 9340 2788 or see <https://www.zoo.org.au/healesville/whats-on/keeper-for-a-day>. There is a similar program at Werribee Open Range Zoo – see: <https://www.zoo.org.au/werribee/whats-on/keeper-for-a-day>.

