

CAREER NEWS.....JUNE

Reminders: Lots going on in the holidays!!

- 'INSIDE MONASH' seminars – June: 14th Business; Aug 15th Music, 31st Education; 31st Science and Careers, Sept 5th Education; Register: www.monash.edu/inside-monash
- EARLY ACHIEVERS PROGRAM (ACU) – Apply by 17 July. See: www.acu.edu.au/eap.
- HEALTH INFORMATION SESSIONS AT DEAKIN UNI - www.deakin.edu.au/health/events;
- SWINBURNE DESIGN – 11-14 July; Hawthorn; www.swinburne.edu.au/events/departments/health-arts-design/2017/07/discover-design-at-swinburne.php
- WILLIAM ANGLISS INSTITUTE EVENTS - See www.angliss.edu.au/schoolholidays, 9606 2480
- ENGINEERING AND IT – Year 10 girls; Thurs 6 July; See: www.monash.edu/discover-eng-it
- MONASH SCIENCE TOURS – in July holidays; Register: www.monash.edu/science/about/events.
- ACU 'UNIVERSITY EXPERIENCE' DAYS - Melbourne: 4 July; Ballarat: 11 July; Info and bookings: www.acu.edu.au/uni-experience.
- 'KEEPER FOR A DAY' – Healesville: <https://www.zoo.org.au/healesville/whats-on/keeper-for-a-day>, Werribee: <https://www.zoo.org.au/werribee/whats-on/keeper-for-a-day>.

1. DEAKIN UNIVERSITY NEWS –

Deakin University has campuses in **Burwood (Melbourne), Geelong (Waterfront and Waurm Ponds) and in Warrnambool**. It is ranked in the **World's top 50 universities under 50 years old** according to Times Higher Education. It has **excellent facilities, flexible study options and a range of support services for it's over 50,000 students**. Deakin offers choice about how and when you learn. Many courses offer part-time and full-time options, as well as the chance to **fast-track your degree by studying additional units in Trimester 3**, so that you may graduate sooner.

- ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING AVAILABLE IN 2018 – From Trimester 1 2018, a new four-year course will be offered at the Geelong Waurm Ponds Campus. Deakin's Bachelor of Environmental Engineering (Honours) emphasises the **practical application of engineering and scientific principles to produce industry-ready environmental engineers** who are immediately **employable** and **capable** of adapting to an ever-changing future. Environmental engineers **develop practical engineering applications that protect our environment**. Students will gain a breadth of knowledge across the environmental engineering discipline and the technical skills to develop sustainable engineering solutions. See: www.deakin.edu.au/env-eng.

- OPEN DAY DATES REMINDER – Sun 6 Aug - Warrnambool; Sun 20 Aug - Geelong Waterfront and Waurm Ponds; Sun 27 August Melbourne (Burwood). All are 9am – 3pm.

2. LA TROBE UNIVERSITY NEWS –

- 'ASPIRE' is a program at La Trobe which **rewards Year 12 students' community contribution with a conditional early offer to their chosen degree**. The Aspire Program is designed to give you the **tools you need to succeed** to La Trobe and beyond. Successful

applicants need a **minimum ATAR for 50** for entry to courses (excluding some professional degree programs). You will also need to meet all **course prerequisites** and any **special requirements** for your preferred course. **Applications are now open at: www.latrobe.edu.au/aspire**. Offers will be made for the Aspire program in September, well before your ATAR is known.

'EXPERIENCE LA TROBE' is on offer again in the coming holiday break. Future students and parents can attend workshops at the Melbourne (6 July), Bendigo (5 July), Mildura (7 July) and Shepparton (4 July) campuses. Students can find out about what La Trobe offers, and parents can attend parent-specific workshops. **For information and to book, see: <http://www.latrobe.edu.au/study/life/events/experience-la-trobe-events>**.

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NEW MAJORS IN B. HEALTH SCIENCES – This is a reminder that La Trobe is offering two new major studies in the **B. Health Sciences: Sports Counselling and Athlete Welfare** as well as **Health Promotion**. The **Sports Counselling and Athlete Welfare** major focuses on wellbeing roles in high-performance environments, sports development and management along with developing performance psychology skills. The **Health Promotion** major will equip graduates with skills to develop environments which support healthy communities, including planning, developing and implementing policies and health awareness programs.

3. UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE NEWS –

- **Reminder – the University of Melbourne 'Model'** allows students to take more time to decide which professional career area to focus on. Students first complete a degree such as the **B. Arts, B. Biomedicine, B. Commerce, B. Design, B. Music or B. Science** and following that, **apply to study in specific areas such as education, engineering, law, medicine, nursing or physiotherapy** if they wish.



- **Bachelor of Science –** There are **two new major studies** offered in the B. Science. **Data-Science** is a growing field, which emphasises **statistics and computer science**. Students learn to solve real-world data science problems. The other new

major is **Environmental Engineering Systems** which covers **planning, design and management of the natural environment**.

- **Science Career Conversations** are now offered by the Faculty. They are conducted in the evening, and alumni often speak. **Internships** are also on offer to assist graduates into employment. An eight-week **Job Ready** program is also on offer by the Faculty.
- Of the **2013-2015 Science graduates**, 72% went on to **further study**; 74% of these went on to complete **post-graduate study at Melbourne**, most going into the **Masters in Engineering**.
- The **Bachelor of Biomedicine** offered more places this year, and as a result, the **Clearly-In ATAR** went down somewhat to **96.80!** It is expected that the places will increase again in 2018.

- Students in the **B. Biomedicine** usually aspire to move on to study **dentistry, medicine, optometry, physiotherapy and biomedical research** upon graduation.
 - **Bachelor of Design** – students must take at least one of the **12 majors** available (architecture, landscape architecture, civil systems, urban planning construction, computing, property, and spatial systems, etc). Although the only prerequisite VCE subject for the B. Design is **English (any)**, some majors require **Year 12 Maths Methods** to be completed (check on the Melbourne website if in doubt). The **B. Design** suits those who can **think laterally and creatively, can find solutions**, and are interested in **new ways of doing things**.
4. **WHERE CAN I STUDY DENTISTRY?** So you want to become a dentist? Dentistry is taught at only two universities in Victoria: **La Trobe University (Bendigo campus)**, the **University of Melbourne**. Entry to both of these degree courses is extremely competitive. The Clearly-In **ATAR** at **La Trobe** this year was 97.40. The **prerequisites** are Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 35 in any English; and a study score of at least 25 in Biology; and a study score of at least 25 in Chemistry. At **Melbourne**, students must first study another undergraduate degree (such as Biomedicine or Science) and then apply for the **Doctor of Dental Surgery** (see: www.mdhs-study.unimelb.edu.au/degrees/doctor-of-dental-surgery). La Trobe and the University of Melbourne also offer the **B. Oral Health**.

1. **FOCUS ON WILLIAM ANGLISS INSTITUTE** – William Angliss institute is a **specialist centre for food, tourism, hospitality and events careers**. Located in the centre of Melbourne (555 La Trobe St), it has been training, inspiring and mentoring the leaders in industry **for 75 years**. It offers **modern training facilities, restaurants and demonstration kitchens**, with courses ranging from **apprenticeships and certificates in cookery, baking, patisserie and butchery** to **certificate, diploma and advanced diploma** courses in **hospitality, tourism and events**. The Institute also offers **specialist degrees** in **Tourism and Hospitality Management, Culinary Management** and **Event Management**. **Commencing in 2018**, William Angliss Institute will be offering **new tourism qualifications** designed to meet the changing needs of the growing tourism and hospitality sector:
- **Bachelor of Tourism** - gives understanding of the tourism industry underpinning a career in this industry. Skills central to working in this field will be developed including analytical skills, critical thinking, problem solving, research and written/verbal communications.
 - **Bachelor of Tourism (Ecotourism)** - caters for those interested in environmentally sustainable and culturally responsible tourism. Develop a knowledge of some of Australia's most popular natural landscapes and acquire skills necessary to design, plan and deliver inspiring, engaging and memorable experiences for visitors of these natural areas.

- **Bachelor of Tourism (Marketing)** - caters for those interested in marketing environmentally sustainable, culturally responsible forms of tourism. Develop knowledge of some of Australia's most popular natural landscapes. Tourist Behaviour, Digital and Social Media in Tourism, Tourism Market Research analytics provide a focus.

NOTE: DON'T FORGET THE SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM AT WILLIAM ANGLISS – tourism and travel, baking and patisserie, events and food science. See: www.angliss.edu.au/schoolholidays.

2. **BACHELOR OF EDUCATION AT VICTORIA UNIVERSITY (P-12)** – Do you want to make a difference in the lives of young people by launching your career with a Bachelor of Education? VU is one of a few universities to offer a **Bachelor of Education (P-12), which allows graduates to teach at any school level**. Throughout the course, students will work in **primary and secondary settings** to complete at least 80 days of teaching practice. In Year 4 they participate in an **extended placement in either a primary or secondary school**. Majors are offered in 16 specialist areas from Art, English and Mathematics to Digital Media, Humanities and Psychology. See: www.vu.edu.au/courses/ebed.

3. **MONASH UNIVERSITY NEWS -**

- **HOW SCHOLARSHIPS BENEFIT STUDENTS AND THE COMMUNITY** – Monash University wishes to increase opportunities for talented students to benefit from a quality education, **regardless of their circumstances**. Monash scholarships offer students financial support to meet their basic living and education costs. Scholarships allow students to engage in all aspects of university life as well as developing their leadership and employability skills. **For information about Monash scholarships see:** www.monash.edu/scholarships.



4. **WHAT IS MYOTHERAPY?** Myotherapists are specialists in the assessment, treatment and management of nerve, muscle and joint health and can help patients with a variety of **sporting and occupational injuries and conditions, and the pain that comes with them**. Myotherapy is becoming increasingly recognised for its ability to tackle the growing amount of **musculoskeletal pain**. It is taught at a number of institutions including RMIT and Chisholm, and at a number of private colleges such as the Southern School of Natural Medicine.

