Dates to Diarise in Term 3

- University / TAFE Open Days 2019 – throughout August
- Year 12 VTAC timely applications – throughout August and September

Careers, Courses, and Connections Event

Box Hill Institute’s Nelson campus is renowned for its edgy design facilities, million dollar music suites, an active cyber security operations centre, a fully fitted-out gym, and dynamic business and accounting classes. Students are invited to attend a tour of the campus and learn more about the courses on offer and the experiences students can have while studying in this specialised environment.

Date: Tuesday 18 June 2019
Time: 4.00pm – 7.00pm
Location: Box Hill Institute, Nelson Campus, 853 Whitehorse Road, Box Hill

It is important to register at Careers, Courses, and Connections Event

School Holiday Activities

University Experience Days 2019

University Experience is a free program that gives students the opportunity to sample two degrees of their choice. Students get a taste of life at ACU by meeting academic staff and current students – and trying out the course they are interested in. Students can choose workshops from a range of ACU study areas, including nursing, midwifery, business, paramedicine, education, physiotherapy, psychology, public health, exercise science, theology and lots more.

- Melbourne - Tuesday 2 July 2019
- Ballarat - Friday 5 July 2019

Register for either of these events at University Experience Days

- Talk with Nurses, Midwives and Paramedics
Students keen on studying *nursing, midwifery, or paramedicine*, might like to register to attend this event taking place in July. The *Talk with Nurses, Midwives and Paramedics* event will give attendees the opportunity to hear from a panel of practitioners on what it is really like to work in health care, and also take a tour of the campus.

**Date:** Tuesday 9 July 2019  
**Time:** 4.00pm – 6.00pm  
**Location:** Melbourne Campus, Mercy Lecture Theatre, 19 Young St. in Fitzroy

Register at [Talk with Nurses, Midwives and Paramedics](#)

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**Experience Clever at La Trobe University**

*Experience Clever* gives Year 10, 11 and 12 students the chance to experience Uni for a day. Not only will students get to see the campus, but also get to take part in fun and dynamic workshops led by real lecturers. Students will choose from over 50 workshops in a broad range of study areas. From there, they will experience real classroom environments and interact with university staff and students. There will be campus and accommodation tours, free catering, prizes and entertainment. Students are encouraged to register early before sessions fill up.

**Date:** Friday 5 July 2019  
**Time:** 9.00am – 4.30pm  
**Venue:** La Trobe University, Melbourne Campus, [Union Building](#)

Register at [Experience Clever at La Trobe](#)

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**Science Precinct Tours**

Year 12 students considering studying *science at Monash* next year, are encouraged to register for a *free Monash Science Precinct tour* during the upcoming school holidays. Students will get the chance to visit the science facilities and student spaces, as well as get a feel for campus life and have a chat with some of the science students and staff too.

The tours will run on at 10.00am on all of the following dates: 2 July, 4 July, 9 July, and 11 July, so students can opt for a day that suits them.

Register a place at [Monash Science Precinct Tour](#)
Meet Sydney Information Evening - Melbourne

The University of Sydney will be hosting an Information Evening in Melbourne this June. Senior students and their parents are invited to attend the event, speak with staff and current students about courses on offer, the application processes, scholarships, global mobility programs, accommodation options, and what life on campus is really like in Sydney and learn about the distinctive Sydney Undergraduate Experience and why they are ranked 1st in Australia and 5th in the world for graduate employability*

Two events will be held throughout the evening:

- **Undergraduate Scholarships Workshop (4.30-5.30pm)**
  Designed for current Year 11 and 12 students, this workshop will cover the breadth of scholarships available at the University of Sydney and provide students with insider tips to a successful scholarship application, including for the prestigious Sydney Scholars Award.

- **Meet Sydney Information Evening (6-7.30pm)**
  Following the Scholarships Workshop, focus will be on the choice and flexibility of degrees on offer at the University of Sydney.

**Date:** Tuesday 18 June 2019

**Time:** 4.30-7.30pm

**Venue:** Mercure Melbourne, Treasury Gardens, 13 Spring Street in Melbourne

To secure a place, please register online at Meet Sydney Information Evening.

Light food and refreshments will be served.

* QS Graduate Employability Rankings 2019.
Studying Medical Courses at the University of Tasmania

➢ **Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery**

The **Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery (MBBS)** is an on-campus full time course which takes a minimum of five (5) years to complete. Years 1-3 of the course are based in Hobart at the Medical Science Precinct, with short placements in rural communities around the State. In Years 4 and 5, students have the opportunity to complete their degree at the Hobart Clinical School, the Launceston Clinical School or the Rural Clinical School in Burnie. Years 4 and 5 will involve a series of clinical rotations, including some electives.

On completion of the MBBS, graduates will be eligible for provisional registration to work in approved hospitals whilst undertaking training as an intern for one year, and after completing the one-year internship will gain full registration to work in Australia and New Zealand.

To be considered for this course students will need an ATAR score of 95 or higher, have completed English and Chemistry, and a competitive score in the **UCAT**.

**NOTE**: Applications for the MBBS must be received by 5:00pm on Friday 27th September 2019, and no late applications will be considered.

➢ **Bachelor of Laboratory Medicine**

The **Bachelor of Laboratory Medicine** is the perfect degree for students looking to work in specialised medical or pathology laboratories. This degree is professionally accredited by the Australian Institute of Medical Scientists (AIMS), so employers will recognise that graduates from the course have been specifically trained for the industry – and are ready to be employed as medical scientists. Students will gain knowledge and a variety of skills in professional areas such as: clinical chemistry, endocrinology, haematology, blood transfusion science, histopathology, microbiology, human molecular biology, and immunology.

The three and half year course consists of six semesters of on-campus study, plus a seventh semester of clinical placement in an accredited lab in Australia.

This course provides an excellent foundation for students hoping to enter undergraduate and postgraduate medicine and other allied health courses across Australia.

To be considered for this course students will need an ATAR score of 75 or higher and have completed Chemistry and Maths Methods or Maths Specialist.
 Bachelor of Medical Research

The Bachelor of Medical Research is a research-led course, providing a strong foundation in medical research. It is designed to help you develop the skills to push the boundaries of what science knows about human health. If you’ve got a passion for saving lives, helping people and conducting scientific experiments, then this is the degree program for you.

This 3-year degree will equip its students to have a strong aptitude for science, the ability to make clear and precise observations, to work accurately under pressure, and be able to identify and analyse problems and develop practical solutions. Graduates of the program will work towards practical solutions, developing new medicines, finessing existing drugs, testing new products and figuring out measures to prevent and combat diseases.

Note: Students who do not enter the MBBS at UTAS but seek an alternative entry, should note that the Bachelor of Medical Research is the sole tertiary entry point for the MBBS.

To be considered for this course, an ATAR score of 85 or higher is required, as well as Chemistry. Further Maths or Maths Methods are not prerequisites but are highly recommended.

For a list of all courses offered in the medical field, browse Studying Medicine at UTAS.

PwC’s Higher Apprenticeship Program

Did you know you can join PwC without a degree? Traditionally there has only been one route to a career in professional services. Uni. Degree. Career. But the world of business is changing and so are we. There are now opportunities for students to join us straight out of high school.

As an apprentice, students get to learn on-the-job, developing broad skills in business and technology in a hands-on environment, and receive the study support required to earn a professional qualification in Information Technology (IT), at the same time!

Applications are open now for apprentices joining PwC in January 2020.

Find out more about the various programs at PwC’s Higher Apprenticeship Program.
Study In The USA
US College Intensive with Former Stanford Admissions Officer - July 3
Learn exactly what US College Admissions Officers are looking for from Martin Walsh, a former Stanford Admissions Officer who has reviewed more than 5,000 applications! This is a must-attend event for students in Years 10-12 who intend on applying to US Colleges.
Careers in Psychology & Courses in Victoria

Psychology is a popular field of study in Australia and is taught at universities in every state and territory. With diverse workplace settings and areas of expertise, psychology can be a highly rewarding and satisfying career choice. Psychologists who complete postgraduate studies in specific areas of psychology may be eligible to receive area of practice endorsement from the Psychology Board of Australia. Find out more at Australian Psychological Society (APS) - Careers in Psychology.

Students are reminded that, for the most part, the only VCE prerequisite subject for university entry is an English. Students should verify this at VTAC.

Victorian universities that offer dedicated APAC - Accredited psychology degrees include –

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Fashion, Textiles, & Visual Merchandising Courses in Victoria
Numerous Victorian universities and TAFE institutions offer courses in fashion, fashion & textiles, and visual merchandising. Entry into many of these courses does require a folio presentation. Some of these courses are listed below, but for a comprehensive list of courses at all institutions including Private Providers, and their specific entry requirements, please visit VTAC.

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<td>Bachelor of Fashion Merchandising</td>
<td>Business planning, Consumer behaviour, Fashion Merchandising Project, Fashion merchandising, Product development, Retail buying, Social media marketing, Supply chain management, Textiles and garment construction, Visual merchandising, Web design and application, Workplace internship.</td>
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<td>Diploma of Visual Merchandising</td>
<td>CAD, Concept development, achieve targets, colour, design displays, design history, develop style guides, drawing, photo shoots, signage, space and product planning, styling of visual components, workplace health &amp; safety.</td>
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<td>Holmesglen Institute</td>
<td>Bachelor of Fashion Design</td>
<td>Design innovation, Manufacturing and pre-production, Pattern engineering, Professional Practice.</td>
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<td>Kangan Institute</td>
<td>Applied Fashion Design and Merchandising</td>
<td>Cost estimation, Design influences and concepts (textiles), Fabric and fibre technology, Fashion trend analysis, International trade, Management, Marketing research, Marketing strategy, Merchandising, Networking, Online brand management, Production Planning, Purchasing, Quality control, Risk analysis and management, Sales and marketing, Strategic marketing, Supply chain management, Textile product knowledge.</td>
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<td>RMIT University</td>
<td>Bachelor of Fashion Design</td>
<td>Fashion design, Fashion design professional practice, Fashion digital technologies, Fashion theory.</td>
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<td>Computer-aided design (CAD), Computer-aided pattern making, Fashion design, Garment construction, Pattern making, Specifications, Supply chain management.</td>
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<td>Diploma of Fashion Styling</td>
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<td>Associate Degree in Fashion and Textiles Merchandising</td>
<td>Computer-aided design (CAD), Distribution and logistics, Fashion branding, Fashion marketing, Fashion materials, Global impacts, Global marketing, Industry research, Merchandise planning and management, Merchandising mathematics, Product development (TCF).</td>
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<td>Swinburne University Diploma of Visual Merchandising</td>
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**Snapshot of Monash University in 2019**

- Named after engineer, military leader and public administrator Sir John Monash, Monash University was established in 1958
- Monash University became a founding member of the Group of Eight universities in 1999
- Monash ranks in the top 1% of world university rankings - [Ranking](#)
- Monash has over 77,000 students, with campuses in [Malaysia](#), [South Africa](#), [China](#), [India](#), [Italy](#), besides its five campuses in Australia - [locations](#)
- Monash University is the only Victorian university to offer a Direct Entry medical program for students completing year 12 as well as a Graduate Entry program leading to the same degree – [Bachelor of Medical Science and Doctor of Medicine (MD)](#)
- There are ten [Monash Faculties](#) offering hundreds of [Monash Courses](#), be they single or double undergraduate degrees, or graduate qualifications up to a PhD
• Monash has a number of student-run clubs and associations - a great way to get involved and meet people - Monash Clubs and Associations  
• Career Connect is the Career Centre available to all Monash students. Students can access the many services offered – be it for volunteering, part-time jobs, assistance with applying for work on graduation, etc.  
• The Monash Study Abroad program assists students in studying overseas as part of their course. Monash has exchange agreements with more than 160 universities across 35 countries.  
• Monash offers more than 200 different scholarships for new and current students, from course fee subsidies to travel allowances, and payments for accommodation costs - Scholarships  
• The Monash Guarantee is an alternative entry scheme for students to get into a Monash course even they do not reach the course’s clearly-in ATAR. Students may be eligible for the Monash Guarantee if they:  
  ✓ have experienced financial disadvantage  
  ✓ live in a low socio-economic area  
  ✓ are an Indigenous Australian  
  ✓ attend a Monash under-represented school  
• Monash Residential Services assists students in finding accommodation on campus, and off campus  
• New in 2020 is the introduction of bachelor degrees in Applied Data Science, Politics, Philosophy and Economics (PPE), and the Pharmaceutical Science Advanced Scholars Program