Dates for your diary

SEPTEMBER


OCTOBER


16, 22: Course Information Sessions, Deakin University, Architecture & Construction Management (16), STEM courses (22), https://bit.ly/2maZaW0


FlickerUp Film Competition

Passionate about filmmaking? Flickerfest, Australia’s largest and only Academy® Award accredited and BAFTA-recognised international short film festival, is now accepting entries from around Australia for the FlickerUp competition.

FlickerUp is Flickerfest’s national youth short film competition. Short film entries are invited from primary and secondary school students or filmmakers under 18 years of age across Australia. For information about the initiative and to apply by Saturday 9 November, go to http://flickerfest.com.au/

Discover your career in health at Monash University

Explore your course and career options in the Faculty of Medicine, Nursing and Health Sciences through the ‘Future Careers in Health’ website, https://bit.ly/2MCr7xj

Interested in Engineering, Science and Maths?

You can download the following Careers with STEM magazines from this website - https://bit.ly/2Os7gCR

- Careers with STEM: Engineering
- Careers with STEM: Maths
- Careers with STEM: Science
- Careers with STEM: Economics
- Careers with STEM: Health
- Careers with Code

Interested in engineering?

Spark Night at Monash University is the Electrical and Computer Systems Engineering (ECSE) department's annual industry event and exhibition, celebrating the achievements of final year students and showcasing over 130 projects.

Interested secondary school students and parents are invited to come along and see the fantastic work the students have produced. The event will be held Wednesday 23 October 2019 at the Clayton campus, www.ecsespark.com

UNSW Coop Program

Applications for the UNSW Coop Scholarship for high achievers close on Monday 30 September. Students will need the endorsement of their school to be eligible to apply. The Scholarship is worth almost $20,000 per year up to 4 years. For information and to apply, go to www.coop.unsw.edu.au
University applications – key closing dates (Yr 12)

COURSES – EARLY CLOSING DATES

The following courses have VTAC applications and in some cases supplementary forms or audition applications due by Monday 30 September.

Students will be unable to add the courses into their VTAC preference list after this date.

The University of Melbourne

- Fine Arts (Acting), Fine Arts (Design and Production), Fine Arts (Music Theatre), Fine Arts (Theatre), Fine Arts (Visual Arts).
- Music (Music Performance, Composition, Musicology or Ethnomusicology), Music (Jazz and Improvisation), Music (Interactive Composition), Music (Chancellor’s Scholars).

Monash University

- Medicine (School Leaver Entry), Medicine (CSP Extended Rural Cohort School Leaver Entry), Medicine (CSP Bonded School Leaver Entry).

EARLY / GUARANTEED ENTRY SCHEMES

The following Early Entry programs close soon:

- Monday 30 September
- Friday 27 September
- Monday 30 September
- Friday 11 October, 2019


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News from Victoria University

New Speech Pathology degree: from 2020, VU will offer the dual Bachelor of Speech and Language Pathology/Master of Speech Pathology. This course will be taught in block mode, meaning subjects are studied sequentially not concurrently. This is the only degree of its kind to be taught this way in Australia, https://bit.ly/2fQ5F3k

Introducing ‘Early Start’: for selected courses, you may be able to start your studies in January. This will give you flexibility with your subjects and study plan throughout the year, https://bit.ly/2T4QvM

New pathway to Paramedicine: if you’re concerned you won’t receive the ATAR for the Bachelor of Paramedicine at VU, you can undertake the following pathway:

1. Successfully complete the Certificate III in Non-Emergency Patient Transport at the St Albans campus. Start in February 2020. This will take one semester to complete, https://bit.ly/2miFmBR
3. Pathway from the Diploma into second year of the Bachelor of Paramedicine at the start of 2021, https://bit.ly/2s7VBB2

Changes to health courses at La Trobe University

For the 2020 and/or 2021 intake, the format of allied health courses at La Trobe will shift to a Bachelor with Honours (as opposed to Bachelor of Applied Science with Masters). Students will study their expertise sooner and be given relevant knowledge for safe clinical and professional practice. The following course areas will have changes from next year or 2021:

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For information, go to https://bit.ly/2kE5F3k

News from Charles Sturt University

New Bachelor of Geospatial Science: Available for on-campus study at Albury-Wodonga and online from Session 1 2020, this degree equips students to pilot advanced technologies and study the relationships between physical locations, people and earth processes. Geospatial science is a rapidly growing field with increasing demand for graduates, https://bit.ly/2IfYo2k

Creative Industries specialisations: learn about the following specialisations at CSU at this link - https://bit.ly/2khrzg

Microsoft IT Traineeships: Each year, an estimated 20,000 IT jobs are being created in Australia – with approximately 5,500 graduates coming from university.

That’s why MEGT has partnered with Microsoft Australia to launch the Microsoft Traineeship Program, designed to help close the skill-gap and provide a new pathway to those looking to kickstart their IT career.

The program is an opportunity for school leavers to gain valuable experience (and paid!) on-the-job experience while working towards a nationally accredited qualification — a Certificate IV in Information Technology. Trainees will also gain some of the latest Microsoft certifications that are in high industry demand!

Over 24 months, trainees will be placed with a Host Employer in the Microsoft Australia network in the Melbourne area and learn while they earn. Trainees will complete the program with an innovative skillset of IT fundamentals AND industry experience, setting them up for a rewarding career in IT.

Applications are now open! For information, go to https://bit.ly/2mFGYdh