



## Dates to Diarise in Term 2

- **ACN Nursing & Health Expo** – Saturday 16 April, MCEC
- **VCE & Careers Expo** – 5 May to 8 May, Caulfield Racecourse



## News from the University of Melbourne

### ➤ **'Focus On Melbourne' Series**

A reminder to students that during the months of May and June, the University of Melbourne will be hosting a series of *free* **'Focus on...'** **Information Sessions** in the early evening aimed at informing prospective students about the courses on offer; hear from current students, academic staff and recent graduates about what it is like to study that degree or course at Melbourne, and the career and personal development opportunities available to graduates.

**Registrations opened last term, so act quickly! To register click on the links listed below!**

Date	Event	Campus
Tuesday 17 May	Focus on Engineering - <a href="#">Engineering</a>	Parkville
Wednesday 18 May	Focus on Veterinary Science - <a href="#">Veterinary Science</a>	Parkville
Thursday 19 May	Focus on Biomedicine - <a href="#">Biomedicine</a>	Parkville
Tuesday 24 May	Focus on Agriculture - <a href="#">Agriculture</a>	Parkville
Wednesday 25 May	Focus on IT - <a href="#">Information Technology</a>	Parkville
Tuesday 31 May	Focus on Science - <a href="#">Science</a>	Parkville
Wednesday 1 June	Focus on Commerce - <a href="#">Commerce</a>	Parkville
Tuesday 7 June	Focus on Arts - <a href="#">Arts</a>	Parkville
Wednesday 8 June	Focus on Environments - <a href="#">Environments</a>	Parkville
Thursday 9 June	Focus on Law - <a href="#">Law</a>	Parkville
Tuesday 14 June	Focus on Music - <a href="#">Music</a>	Parkville
Wednesday 15 June	Focus on Fine Arts - <a href="#">Fine Arts</a>	Parkville



### ➤ **New Bachelor of Design**

With the first intake in Semester 1, 2017, the **Bachelor of Design** will create new pathways for students who are passionate about the use of design and creative approaches across a wide range of disciplines and professions, and give students contemporary opportunities for their graduate study and career prospects.

**There will be eleven majors will available:**

- Architecture
- Construction
- Computing
- Civil Systems
- Digital Media
- Landscape Architecture
- Mechanical Systems
- Property
- Spatial Systems
- Urban Planning
- Visual and Performance Design

The new degree will provide students with great flexibility, in the form of new majors, double majors, minors and unique specialisations. Students will study the application of design to a wide range of contexts, from the macro-level of the metropolis to the construction of buildings, bridges, and landscapes, even right down to the small-scale of systems and micro-structures.

**In light of these developments, the University will not take new students into the Bachelor of Environments in 2017.**

The *new* Design degree will encompass a number of the pathways to masters programs currently available within the Bachelor of Environments and students interested in environmental science and sustainability will continue to be able to access an exciting range of majors through the Bachelor of Arts and the Bachelor of Science.

Current Environments students will be unaffected by these changes.

Find out more at [Bachelor of Design](#)

### ➤ **Bachelor of Science - Videos**

Melbourne's Bachelor of Science (BSc) provides an excellent foundation across a broad range of science and technology study areas and equips students with career-ready knowledge and skills. The course provides flexible pathways to employment, research higher degrees and many professional postgraduate programs.

To graduate with a BSc, students must complete a major and to help students decide about their major the university has developed a set of **first year videos** to assist students in their course planning.

The videos are less than two minutes each, are easy to watch and very informative.

Visit [Bachelor of Science - Course Planning](#)

## **'Inside Monash' Seminar Series 2016**

Get the inside story of what it's really like to study at Monash. You'll hear from a current student, a past student and an academic. It's the best 90 minutes you could spend researching your course. Bring along your parents too! Students are reminded that the **Inside Monash Seminar Series** commenced in March, and below is the list of seminars to still take place. A reminder that these seminars provide VCE students and parents with an insight into the courses and career options within discipline areas. The seminars are held in various locations across the Caulfield, Clayton and Peninsula campuses, and seminars with the same title have the same program. All seminars commence at 6.30pm. Register at [Inside Monash Seminars](#)

<b>DATE</b>	<b>EVENT</b>	<b>CAMPUS</b>
Wednesday 13 April	<b>Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences</b>	Parkville
Thursday 14 April	<b>Design and Fine Art</b>	Caulfield
Tuesday 19 April	<b>Physiotherapy and Occupational Therapy</b>	Peninsula
Wednesday 20 April	<b>Global Studies</b>	Clayton
Thursday 21 April	<b>Nursing and Midwifery</b>	Peninsula
Tuesday 26 April	<b>Architecture</b>	Caulfield
Wednesday 27 April	<b>Interior Architecture</b>	Caulfield
Thursday 28 April	<b>Psychology</b>	Clayton
Tuesday 3 May	<b>Teaching</b>	Clayton
Wednesday 4 May	<b>Music</b>	Clayton
Thursday 5 May	<b>Information Technology</b>	Clayton
Tuesday 10 May	<b>Teaching</b>	Peninsula
Wednesday 11 May	<b>Medicine and Biomedical Science</b>	Clayton
Thursday 12 May	<b>Engineering</b>	Clayton
Tuesday 17 May	<b>Science Advanced – Research and Global Challenges</b>	Clayton
Wednesday 18 May	<b>Law</b>	Clayton
Thursday 19 May	<b>Health Sciences</b>	Caulfield
Wednesday 25 May	<b>Biomedical Science, Radiography, and Nutrition and Dietetics</b>	Clayton
Wednesday 15 June	<b>Business and Economics</b>	CBD Campus
Wednesday 24 August	<b>Science</b>	Clayton

Tuesday 13 September	Teaching	Clayton



## **Scholarships at Bond University**

Bond University offers an extensive *scholarship program* to both domestic and international students, with values ranging from 25% scholarships to 100%. It is important to note that applications for the 2017 Scholarship Program for Australian Year 12 students are **now open** and close on **31 July 2016**.

**Some of the scholarships on offer include:**

1. **Vice-Chancellor's Elite Scholarship** – awarded to a Year 12 student with exceptional academic achievements, an expected ATAR of over 95, proven leadership ability, personal character and extensive involvement in extra-curricular activities. The value of this scholarship is 100% of tuition fees for any single or combined degree (excluding MBBS).
2. **The Padma and Hari Harilela Scholarships** - awarded to outstanding students from around the globe, looking to study at either undergraduate or postgraduate level. These scholarships open the door to applicants with strong achievements in both community involvement and contribution, and academia. Applicants must meet the prerequisites and the admissions entry standard for their chosen degree. Submission of a 500-word personal statement outlining the applicant's community involvement and contribution, as well as personal attributes and academic achievements. Awardees received a total of \$10,000 (domestic students) and \$15,000 (international students).
3. **Excellence Scholarships** – awarded to Year 12 students with an anticipated ATAR of over 92.00, demonstrating exceptional potential, strong leadership skills and extensive involvement in extra-curricular activities. The value of the scholarships is 50% of tuition fees for any single or combined degree (excluding MBBS).
4. **John Burton Cadetship** – awarded to a high-achieving Year 12 student who has strong academic credentials (As/Bs in Year 11 and 12 school reports), and a demonstrated commitment to a career in journalism. Applicants should also demonstrate strong leadership skills and an extensive involvement in extra-curricular activities. This scholarship contributes 50% towards the tuition fees for the Bachelor of Journalism, and students embark upon a four-year program of work and study, working full-time at the Gold Coast Bulletin as a cadet journalist and full-time study towards a Bachelor of Journalism degree at the University. On successful completion of the four-year program, scholars graduate to a guaranteed position as a journalist at the Gold Coast Bulletin.

5. ***Collegiate Scholarship*** – offered to a Year 12 student from **The Knox School** and designed to reward students who demonstrate strong leadership skills, extensive involvement in extra-curricular activities, and who anticipate an ATAR of above 87.00 (Year 11 and 12 school reports should reflect As and Bs) and applicants should also meet the standard entry requirements for their chosen program of study. The value of the scholarships is 50% tuition for any undergraduate degree combination (excluding MBBS).

**Year 12 students are able to apply for any of these scholarships until the closing date. Scholarship applications should be submitted online and applications are already open! Students should note that only one applications needs to be made, and students can apply for as many scholarships they wish.**

Visit [Bond University Scholarships](#) for a comprehensive list of scholarships and/or to apply!

Also visit [Bond Scholarship Application Tips](#) to read through very useful tips on applying effectively.

Another useful resource is [Your Journey to Success](#)

For further queries, email [scholarships@bond.edu.au](mailto:scholarships@bond.edu.au) or phone 1800 074 074 toll-free (within Australia).



## **Worldly Connect with Deakin at Melbourne Knowledge Week**

*Melbourne Knowledge Week (MKW) supports and celebrates the innovation, creativity, idea-sharing and thought-leadership that contributes to Melbourne being one of the leading knowledge cities in the world. Deakin University will be participating in a number of events during **Melbourne Knowledge Week (MKW)**:*

### **1. Building Startups the Silicon Valley Way**

Silicon Valley-based entrepreneur Henrik Scheel will talk about behind-the-scenes insights from the world's leading startup ecosystem.

**Date:** Monday 2 May 2016

**Time:** 6.30pm – 8.00pm

**Venue:** Deakin Edge, Federation Square

Register for this **free** event at [Building Startups the Silicon Valley Way](#)

### **2. Virtual Reality Lounge**

*Visitors to the VR Lounge, run by Deakin University's CADET VR lab, will discover how a cardboard box can be used transform their smart phone into a fully functional Virtual Reality (VR) headset.*

**Date:** Monday 2 May – Sunday 8 May 2016

**Time:** 10.00am – 10.00pm

**Venue:** MKW Festival Hub, 1000 Pound Bend, 361 Little Lonsdale Street, Melbourne

Students can simply drop-in, or register for this **free** event at [Virtual Reality Lounge](#)

### **3. Life in the Cyber-Physical World**

*As our phones, cars, appliances and clothes are augmented with technology, they constantly collect data about our behaviours. What are the possibilities and challenges we face in integrating this technology into our everyday lives? Get hands-on with robots and other devices to discover the new cyber-physical world.*

**Date:** Thursday 5 May 2016  
**Time:** 6.00pm – 7.00pm  
**Venue:** MKW Festival Hub, 1000 Pound Bend, 361 Little Lonsdale Street,  
Melbourne

Register for this *free* event at [Life in the Cyber-Physical World](#)



## **Billy Blue College of Design Open Day**

Billy Blue College of Design offers a range of courses including –

- [Communication Design](#)
- [Digital Media Design](#)
- [Branded Fashion](#)
- [Commercial Interior Design](#)
- [Residential Interior Design](#)

Students keen on finding out more about Billy Blue College are invited to attend an Open Day and discover more about the college.

**Date:** Saturday 30 April 2016

**Time:** 10.00am – 2.00pm

**Venue:** 595 Little Collins Street in Melbourne, CBD

Register to attend at [Billy Blue Open Day](#).



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## **Southern School of Natural Therapies Open Day**

The **Southern School of Natural Therapies (SSNT)** offers a wide variety of natural therapy courses across the disciplines of Health Science, Naturopathy, Western Herbal Medicine, Nutritional Medicine, Clinical Myotherapy and Massage. Students keen on finding out more about the courses on offer, and the SSNT campus, are invited to attend an Open Day and learn more.

**Date:** Saturday 30 April 2016

**Time:** 9.30am – 2.00pm

**Venue:** 25 Victoria Street in Fitzroy

Register to attend at [Southern School of Natural Therapies Open Day](#)



## **University of Queensland (UQ) Information Day in Melbourne**

Explore your study options at a leading university member of the Group of Eight during the **UQ Information Day in Melbourne**. Students are invited to attend and talk to a UQ representative face-to-face about:

- UQ programs and entry requirements
- how to apply
- how to accept an offer
- accommodation options
- living in Brisbane

**Date:** Wednesday 4 May 2016

**Time:** 3.30pm – 6.00pm



**Venue:** Mantra on Russell, 222 Russell Street in Melbourne CBD  
**Register at** [UQ Information Day](#)



## Difference between a Physiotherapist and Occupational Therapist?

According to the **Difference Between\*** website, the main differences can be summarised below:

- *Physiotherapy deals with the muscles and limbs of a person. It helps in recovery and enables a person to move around. Occupational therapy deals with this and much more. It is all about a person making the best of his home as well as his occupation.*
- *Physiotherapy does not involve anything about the mind. However, occupational therapy has a lot to do with the mental faculties of a person.*
- *Occupational therapy helps a person in improving his functional abilities. Physical therapy focuses only on his physical abilities.*
- *A physiotherapist may prescribe a few medicines. However, an occupational therapist generally doesn't.*

\* [OT vs. Physiotherapy](#)

Another link to browse would be [OT vs. Physiotherapy](#)

A useful YouTube clip also addresses this question - [YouTube - OT vs. Physio](#)

**Physiotherapy is currently offered at the following Victorian Universities –**

UNIVERSITY	VCE REQUIREMENTS	ATAR 2016
<b>Charles Sturt</b>	No VCE prerequisites but maths and science subjects an advantage	<b>Indicative 90</b>
<b>La Trobe</b>	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL; and a study score of at least 25 in two of Biology, Chemistry, any Mathematics, Physical Education or Physics.	<b>n/a</b>
<b>Monash</b>	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 35 in English (EAL) or at least 30 in English other than EAL; and a study score of at least 25 in two of Biology, Chemistry, Maths: Mathematical Methods (CAS), Maths: Specialist Mathematics or Physics.	<b>n/a</b>

**Occupational Therapy is currently offered at the following Victorian Universities –**

UNIVERSITY	VCE REQUIREMENTS	ATAR 2016
<b>ACU</b>	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL; and a study score of at least 25 in one of Biology, Chemistry, Health And Human Development, Physical Education or Physics.	<b>80.05</b>
<b>Charles Sturt</b>	No VCE prerequisites but a science subject (preferably biology) is an advantage	<b>75.00</b>
<b>Deakin</b>	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL.	<b>71.25</b>
<b>La Trobe</b>	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL; and a study score of at least 25 in one of Biology, Chemistry, any Mathematics, Physical Education or Physics.	<b>75.30</b>

<b>Monash</b>	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL.	<b>84.60</b>

Log onto [VTAC](#) to find out more about these courses!



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