



Dates to Diarise in Term 3

- **Herald Sun Careers Expo** – 15 to 17 August
- **University / TAFE Open Days 2014** – throughout August
- **Year 12 VTAC applications** – throughout August and September



Melbourne Careers Expo 2014

Students are encouraged to attend the *Melbourne Career Expo* where there will be an opportunity to speak to a number of representatives from tertiary institutions all over Australia, as well as participate in the 'hands on' Skills Industry Hub if keen.

Date: Friday 15 – 17 August 2014

Time: 10.00am - 3.00pm (Friday) and 10.00am – 4.00pm (Saturday and Sunday)

Location: Melbourne Convention and Exhibition Centre, Clarendon Street in Southbank

Visit <http://www.careerexpo.com.au/free-ticket-to-expo/> to download and print off a **FREE** ticket to the expo!



Early Achievers' Program at ACU

As a Year 12 student, do you demonstrate leadership in your school or workplace, coordinate a community initiative, volunteer in a local cultural, sporting or religious group or provide care to someone in need?

Australian Catholic University's Early Achievers' Program (EAP) recognises a students' potential to achieve great things. Gaining a place in the desired course is dependent on meeting the University's minimum entry requirements and subject prerequisites, regardless of success in the program.

The program operates at each of the University's six campuses nationally. **Applications open on Monday 11 August 2014 and close on Monday 20 October 2014.** Offers will be made by the end of November 2014.

Students are encouraged to start gathering their required documentation now to submit with along their application. Failure to meet all the requirements for the EAP will result in not being considered for the program.

To find out more and/or to apply, visit www.acu.edu.au/eap



Nuclear Medicine Lab Visits

What is nuclear medicine? What do nuclear medicine technologists do?

This program is designed for students interested in finding out more about the *role Nuclear Medicine Technologists play in the investigation, diagnosis, treatment and monitoring of disease*. In the full day tour, students will visit nuclear medicine departments that support the Bachelor of Applied Science (Medical Radiations) program offered at RMIT.

Date: Thursday 25 September 2014 OR Friday 26 September 2014

For further information contact the RMIT Medical Sciences faculty on (03) 9925 7075 or by email at medicallsciences@rmit.edu.au. Alternatively visit [http://www.rmit.edu.au/browse;ID=305moju8qi2g1!](http://www.rmit.edu.au/browse;ID=305moju8qi2g1)

Students keen on finding out more about Nuclear Medicine may also like to visit the Victorian Society of Nuclear Medicine Technologists at <http://www.vsnmt.com/career-centre/nuclear-medicine-as-a-career>

Students are also reminded about the **medical radiations careers open day** at Peter Mac coming up at the end of August!

Date: Sunday 31 August 2014

Time: 10.00am – 2.00pm

Venue: Peter MacCallum Cancer Centre, St Andrews Place, East Melbourne

For more information visit <http://www.petermac.org/events/medical-radiations-career-open-day-0>



Bachelor of Medical Science (Vision Science)/Master of Optometry

Flinders University in South Australia offers the 5-year ***Bachelor of Medical Science (Vision Science)/Master of Optometry***. This double degree provides students with the skills they will need to provide vital optometry services to the community. It will also give them the necessary training to perform valuable research into eye diseases and conditions that cause blindness, and to identify, diagnose and treat a variety of eye problems. A minimum ATAR of 95 is expected to be competitive for a place. **Find out more by visiting** http://www.flinders.edu.au/courses/undergrad/bmsmopt/bmsmopt_home.cfm

Flinders University recently launched its ***Flinders Vision Clinic*** which will enable optometry students to see real patients and provide optometry services to the South Australian community. Visit <http://www.flindersvision.com.au/>



Australian Government



NEW COLOMBO PLAN

Connect to Australia's future - study in the region

The New Colombo Plan is a signature initiative of the Australian Government which aims to lift knowledge of the Indo Pacific in Australia by supporting Australian undergraduates to study and undertake internships in the region.

The New Colombo Plan offers Australian undergraduates new opportunities for prestigious scholarships and grants for study and internships/mentorships in the Indo Pacific region.

Students considering doing part of their university study overseas might like to begin to consider the *new* Colombo Plan launched by the Australian Government late last year.

Quick Facts about the New Colombo Plan (NCP)

- *The New Colombo Plan offers prestigious scholarships to Australian students for semester-based study and internships, as well as a mobility grants to support hundreds of Australian students to undertake short and long-term study, internships, mentorships, practicums and research.*
- *Internships and mentorships will foster links between Australian participants and businesses and other institutions in the region.*
- *Internships are a monitored work or volunteer experience, offering students the chance to test their skills in real-life situations, explore career options and gain insight into an organisation. They can range from a few weeks to a year of work, be unpaid or paid, undertaken full-time (e.g. during a semester break) or part-time (during a course of formal study).*
- *A mentorship is a personal development relationship where a business professional or academic helps to guide a student in his or her work or career.*
- *The New Colombo Plan is open to Australian undergraduates aged 18 to 28 at Australian universities.*

Visit <https://www.dfat.gov.au/new-colombo-plan/> to find out more, and/or subscribe for regular updates about the NCP at <https://www.dfat.gov.au/new-colombo-plan/newsletter/>



MONASH University

News from Monash University

➤ **New Diploma of Higher Education (DHES)**

The ***Diploma of Higher Education Studies (DHES)*** is a one-year pathway program to a degree in one of following areas: *Arts and Social Sciences, Business and Economics, Information Technology or Science*. This course provides intensive learning opportunities in problem-solving, analytical, and research skills that will prepare students for the rigours of tertiary level academic study. **In addition, students gain credit towards their undergraduate degrees by successfully completing (subject to individual Faculty specifications) six first year subjects in their chosen streams and two additional core units.** Local students with a minimum ATAR of 65 are eligible to apply. **Find out more at**

<http://www.monash.edu.au/study/coursefinder/course/4099/?courseview=domestic>

➤ **New Bachelor of Global Studies – Information Session**

From 2015 Monash University will be offering a *new* course – **Bachelor of Global Studies**. This is unique undergraduate course has a strong focus on leadership for social change towards the global challenges facing cultures and communities throughout the world. This degree will include: core units focusing on *leadership development*; a broad range of multidisciplinary electives; an overseas study component; a choice of three specialisations, International studies, International relations, and Global cultural literacies, and the option of a double degree with Commerce or Science. Students should note that the Bachelor of Global Studies replaces the following courses in 2015: Bachelor of Arts (Global); Bachelor of Arts (International); Bachelor of Arts (Languages).

Students keen on finding out more about this degree are invited to attend an **Information Session** in August.

Date: Wednesday 13 August 2014

Time: 6.30pm – 7.30pm

Venue: Building H Room 116, Monash University Caulfield Campus

Find out more by visiting <http://artsonline.monash.edu.au/events/events/marketing-recruitment-international-development-bachelor-of-global-studies-information-session-dr-sarah-mcdonald-director-of-global-studies/>

➤ **Multiple Mini Interviews**

Monash University uses a **Multiple Mini Interview (MMI)** as part of its selection into the following courses:

1. Bachelor of Medicine – 8 stations
2. Bachelor of Radiography & Medical Imaging – 4 stations
3. Bachelor of Physiotherapy – 4 stations

The MMI is a series of interview stations consisting of timed interview scenarios. Applicants rotate through the stations, each with its own interviewer and scenario. MMI Stations comprise a series of scenarios and associated questions focusing on an applicant's ***motivation, communication skills, critical thinking and ethical/empathic reasoning.*** Find out more at <http://www.med.monash.edu.au/>

➤ **Destination Monash**

Destination Monash features lots of information to help students succeed in their final years of high school. Students, teachers and parents can sign up to stay in touch with the monthly Destination Monash newsletter. Visit www.destination.monash and stay updated!

➤ **New course in 2015 - two-year Bachelor of International Business**

The Faculty of Business and Economics is about to launch an exciting *new* business degree, the **Bachelor of International Business**, designed to help students' fast-track their global career. Commencing in February 2015, this specialist degree is suited to highly-motivated Year 12 students who are interested in experiencing the fast-paced environment of global business. The course will be delivered in a trimester model – over three semesters per year,

and will develop students' knowledge and skills and prepare them for *the international economic, financial, political, legal, managerial and strategic environment of business*. The *new degree* will be taught in a specially-designed city campus at the heart of Melbourne's business hub. The anticipated ATAR will be 80+ and the VCE requirements are Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or 25 in English other than EAL; and a study score of at least 25 in any Mathematics. **For more information, visit www.monash.edu/bib. Also visit www.monash.edu/business-economics/undergraduate/courses for regular updates.**

➤ **The New Bachelor of Laws (Honours) degree – available from 1 January 2015**

The Monash Law Faculty has undertaken a major curriculum review of the Bachelor of Laws degree. Along with all other Australian law schools, Monash has adjusted its course in response to the needs of the legal profession and to ensure it is aligned with contemporary developments in legal education. From 1 January 2015, all new students will be enrolling in the *new Bachelor of Laws (Honours) degree*, which is an AQF level 8. This means that students will be required to undertake a research unit and a commercial law unit, as part of their degree. **Find out more at <http://www.law.monash.edu.au/future-students/undergraduate/new-bachelor-of-laws-honours-degree.html>.**





Open Days 2014

INSTITUTION	DATE	TIME	CONTACT DETAILS
Australian Catholic University Melbourne Campus Ballarat Campus	Sun 10 August Sun 31 August	10am – 4pm 10am – 3pm	1300 ASK ACU www.acu.edu.au/openday
Australian College of Applied Psychology	Sun 10 August	10am – 2pm	1800 061 199 http://www.acap.edu.au/
Australian National University	Sat 30 August	9am – 4pm	www.anu.edu.au/OpenDay
Bond University ***	Sun 13 July	10am – 3pm	1800 074 074 http://www.bond.edu.au/about-bond/news-and-events/events/BD3_015891
Box Hill Institute of TAFE	Sun 24 August	10am – 3pm	1300 269 445 www.boxhillinstitute.edu.au
Central Queensland University (Melbourne)	Sun 10 August	9am – 1pm	http://www.cqu.edu.au/opendays
Deakin University & MIBT Warrnambool Campus Geelong Campus (Wairn Ponds & Waterfront) Melbourne (Burwood) Campus	Sun 3 August Sun 10 August Sun 24 August	9am – 2pm 9am – 3pm 9am – 4pm	1800 334 733 http://www.deakin.edu.au/openday/
Federation University of Australia Mount Helen Campus; SMB	Sun 31 August	10am – 3pm	1800 333 864 http://federation.edu.au/future-students/study-at-feduni/open-day
Health Skills Australia	Sun 10 August	10am – 2pm	1300 306 886 www.healthskills.com.au/
Holmesglen Institute Open Wednesdays – all campuses	16 July 20 August* 17 September 15 October 19 November	10am – 2pm	1300 MY FUTURE http://www.holmesglen.edu.au/open
La Trobe University & La Trobe Melbourne Shepparton Campus Mildura Campus Bendigo Campus Melbourne (Bundoora) Campus Albury-Wodonga Campus	Fri 8 August Wed 13 August Sun 17 August Sun 24 August Fri 29 August	4pm – 7pm 3.30pm – 7.30pm 10am – 3pm 10am – 4pm 4pm – 7pm	1300 135 045 www.latrobe.edu.au/openday
Monash University Berwick, Peninsula Campuses Clayton & Caulfield Campuses Parkville Campus (Pharmacy Focus)	Sat 2 August Sun 3 August Sun 17 August	10am – 4pm 10am – 4pm 10am – 3pm	1800 666 274 www.monash.edu.au/openday www.monash.edu/pharm
Navitas College of Public Safety 123 Lonsdale Street, Melbourne CBD	Sun 10 August	10am – 2pm	1800 783 661 www.ncps.edu.au
RMIT City, Bundoora & Brunswick Campuses	Sun 10 August	10am – 4pm	9925 2260 www.rmit.edu.au/openday
Swinburne University Hawthorn	Sun 3 August	10am – 4pm	1300 275 794 www.swinburne.edu.au/openday
University of Melbourne Parkville & Southbank Campuses	Sun 17 August	10am – 4pm	1800 801 662 http://openday.unimelb.edu.au/
Institute of Land and Environment – University of Melbourne Burnley Open Day VET Open Day, University of Melbourne Veterinary Hospital 250 Princes Hwy, Werribee	Thur 11 September Sun 16 March	10am – 3pm	As above
Victoria University Footscray Park only	Sun 24 August	10am – 4pm	1300 VIC UNI www.vu.edu.au/open-day
William Angliss Institute of TAFE	Sun 24 August	10am – 4pm	9606 2111 http://www.angliss.edu.au

