



## Dates to Diarise in Term 4

- Year 12 VTAC late applications – throughout October until 4 November

### Reminder: VTAC 2016 Key Dates

VTAC Personal Statement ***	Friday 2 December 2016
ATARs Released	Monday 12 December 2016
COP for Early International Offers closes	Thursday 15 December 2016
Early Round International Offers	Monday 19 December 2016
Change of Preference (COP) closes	Tuesday 20 December 2016
Main Round International Offers	Monday 9 January 2017
Main Round Domestic Offers	Wednesday 18 January 2017
Further Offer Rounds	Tuesday 7 February 2017 onwards

\*\*\* Students who missed the SEAS deadline can add information to your course application about how your studies have been affected or disadvantaged by circumstances out of your control. This can be done through the VTAC Personal Statement. *The Personal Statement is not a replacement for SEAS. The Personal Statement is not equivalent to submitting a SEAS application, however it is an opportunity for you to outline impacting circumstances.*

For a full list of cancelled, amended and new courses, visit [VTAC Course Updates](#)

[www.vtac.edu.au](http://www.vtac.edu.au)



### Medical Reception Course

**Medical Administration Training (MAT)** provides contemporary courses in *medical reception and medical terminology*, as well as incorporating a Pracsoft medical computer tutorial.

The *medical reception course* is nationally accredited, and has been developed to assist the health industry by training people in the skills, knowledge and attitudes necessary to perform the role of a medical secretary/receptionist in the medical setting. **For more information about MAT, and the range of courses it offers, visit [Medical Administration Training](#)**



### **Advanced Diploma of Justice**

The **Advanced Diploma of Justice** is a 2-year course providing training for students interested in a career in the justice sector – *Victoria Police, community corrections, customs, local government, courts, youth justice* and related agencies.

Over the course, students get to cover a variety of subjects including *Criminal Law, Criminology, Family Violence, Human Rights, Justice Administration, Justice and law enforcement, Legal studies, Police studies, Psychology, Sociology*. The course will also take students into the real world of prisons, role playing opportunities at the Victorian Police Academy and practical placement in the justice industry of their choice.

To find out more, visit [Advanced Diploma of Justice at Holmesglen Institute](#)



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### **Bachelor of Oral Health (Therapy/Hygiene)**

*Oral health therapists diagnose dental decay and gum diseases, and work in collaboration with dentists to provide oral health care for children and adults, and also help to promote oral health and preventive dental practices among school children and the broader community.*

The **Bachelor of Oral Health** is a 3-year Charles Sturt University (CSU) degree offered at Holmesglen Institute's Chadstone campus. Students undertake lectures and pre-clinical training in Years 1 and 2 at Holmesglen, with some clinical training at Wagga Wagga. The majority of clinical training and placement will occur at various CSU clinical sites (largely based around Albury-Wodonga and Wagga Wagga) in Year 3. On completion of this program, students will be eligible to register with AHPRA as a registered Oral Health Therapist.

For more information visit [Bachelor of Oral Health](#) or call (03) 9564 1920.



### **Diploma of Product Design at Swinburne University**

Swinburne University offers the **Diploma of Product Design** as a 2-year vocationally oriented, hands-on course that is a pathway into a number of bachelor degrees – Industrial Design, Interior Architecture or Innovation and Design, with credit given. Students learn how to design and develop products and product ranges from client brief to end product.

Find out more at [Diploma of Product Design](#)



## **Gap Medics**

Year 11 and 12 students considering a career in *medicine, nursing, dentistry or midwifery* might like to take up an opportunity to participate in a ***short-term healthcare work experience placement*** overseas. **Gap Medics** is based in the UK, but its programs are open to students from all around the world.

**So, what does a placement involve?** During weekdays, students shadow highly skilled doctors in their day-to-day work on a fully-supervised hospital placement. Students also benefit from clinical teaching on their placement. **Gap Medics** has an agreement with each of the hospitals which the students then sign to ensure punctuality, appropriate dress, respectful behaviour at all times and confidentiality. The hospitals and the doctors/mentors are paid with approximately 10% of the student cost going directly to the hospital to be used for overall improvement and benefit of their facilities and programs.

**Gap Medics** owns houses in all the destinations; the houses have 24-hour security with walled gardens and a full time staff team in every destination too. There is a night time manager on duty every evening. Students stay in the **Gap Medics** homes and food, pick up and transfers are all inclusive.

Approximately 90 % of current participating students are Year 11 and 12 students, with the remaining 10% being university students.

Visit [Gap Medics](#) to find out more!



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## **ANU Advisory Day – Melbourne**

Year 12 students who have applied to study at ANU in 2017 might like to take up an opportunity to attend an Advisory Day in Melbourne and speak one-on-one with the ANU staff.

**Date:** Monday 12 December 2016

**Time:** 10.00am–2.00pm

**Venue:** Melbourne City Town Hall, 90 - 120 Swanston Street in Melbourne

To register to attend, visit [ANU Advisory Day – Melbourne](#)



## **Interested in studying Law at the University of Melbourne?**

Senior students interested in a **career in law** can subscribe to the “Future Law” newsletter of the University of Melbourne. This will allow students to be kept up to date about special events, key application dates, news and more within the Melbourne Law School.

Subscribe at [Future Law](#)



### **Tertiary Enabling Program (TEP)**

La Trobe University offers the *Tertiary Enabling Program (TEP)* – a 14-week pathway program which provides strong foundational skills and strategies for learning across a variety of interrelated subject areas, to ensure students reach tertiary level by the completion of the program.

- provides students with academic skills
- builds the confidence to study
- equips students to make decisions about future learning
- establishes a pathway to continuing education

This program will enable students to enter into La Trobe University, partnership TAFE's of La Trobe University, or even the workforce.

Find out more at [Tertiary Enabling Program \(TEP\)](#)




### **Automotive Modern Apprenticeship Program**

Applications are now open to those students considering a career in the **motor industry** and seeking an apprenticeship. Successful candidates will be offered full time employment at a dealer close to their home, and will also receive block training. Dealers involved in this program include **Audi, Volkswagen, Jaguar, Land Rover, Mazda, Volvo, Subaru** and **Renault**. **For more information on the dealers participating in this program and to access the application form, visit [Vantage Automotive Apprenticeship Program](#)**



### **Careers in Water**

The Australian water sector is looking for the next generation of water scientists to take on the important role of managing and securing Australia's water supply in the future! By clicking on the following link - [Careers in Water](#) - students will note that there are a wide variety of roles in the Australian Water Industry from *science, engineering, policy making, trades*, etc. **To find out more, visit [H2Oz](#).**



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HOW  
DO YOU  
THINK  
YOUNG?**

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