

# Careers News

## Careers Newsletter 14 May, 2020

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# UNIVERSITY

## Schools Recommendation Schemes, Educational Access Schemes and Equity Scholarships

All open

This year **SRS**, **EAS** and **ES** have separate application guides. These are now available to **download**. Eligible students for these schemes should begin their equity application as soon as they've applied through UAC.

UAC has also produced **EAS fact sheets** with key information and the Community Engagement team has produced **PowerPoint presentations** for EAS and SRS with information and instructions on both applications to help direct student questions.

### UAC SRS Update

Closes 20 September

In response to the current disruption to Year 12 studies, many institutions will be taking Year 11 results into account when allocating places to Year 12 applicants. This includes the insight that schools can provide about their students' future performance in different subject areas. The subject area ratings in SRS will remain until 2021.

### UAC EAS Update

New disadvantages added. Consider if your HSC studies been impacted due to:

Natural Disasters

COVID-19

## ANU The Kim Jackson Scholarship Female Undergraduate Engineering

25 May

The Kim Jackson Scholarship is a new scholarship at ANU. It will support a promising female engineering student to pursue her passion for technology/engineering through an undergraduate degree at the ANU College of Engineering & Computer Science.

This exciting opportunity is valued at \$20,000 per annum for each year of an ANU undergraduate engineering degree. The recipient must come from a non-metropolitan area to apply for this scholarship.

[https://cecs.anu.edu.au/study/scholarships/kim-jackson-](https://cecs.anu.edu.au/study/scholarships/kim-jackson-scholarship?utm_source=Refraction+Media&utm_campaign=bc88607149-)

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[bc88607149-148898187&mc\\_cid=bc88607149&mc\\_eid=5a58dfdde9](https://cecs.anu.edu.au/study/scholarships/kim-jackson-scholarship?utm_source=Refraction+Media&utm_campaign=bc88607149-EMAIL_CAMPAIGN_2018_04_04_COPY_01&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_20dc88b9ea-bc88607149-148898187&mc_cid=bc88607149&mc_eid=5a58dfdde9)

## ACU Blacktown Campus Information Day

1 August

22 Main St, Blacktown

ACU Blacktown is opening in 2021. Come along to hear from our staff and students about courses, entry programs and pathways, and check out our new campus. Register your interest in attending below.

<https://www.acu.edu.au/about-acu/events/2020/august/blacktown-campus-information-day>

## ACU New - Blacktown Campus Study 2021

ACU is delighted to announce that students will be able to study at their new Blacktown Campus from Semester 1, 2021. ACU Blacktown will offer a range of undergraduate, postgraduate and pathways courses. For more information regarding ACU Blacktown Campus and the courses on offer, visit the **website**.

## Faculty of Education and Arts

[Bachelor of Arts](#)

[Bachelor of Education \(Early Childhood and Primary\)](#)

[Bachelor of Education \(Primary\)](#)

[Bachelor of Educational Studies](#)

## **Faculty of Health Sciences**

[Bachelor of Exercise and Sports Science](#)

[Bachelor of High Performance Sport](#)

[Bachelor of Nursing](#)

[Bachelor of Midwifery](#)

## **Faculty of Law and Business**

[Bachelor of Commerce](#)

[Bachelor of Commerce/Bachelor of Laws](#)

[Bachelor of Laws](#)

## **Pathways Programs**

[ACU College \(RTO 3578\) pathway programs](#)

[Diploma in Educational Studies \(Tertiary Preparation\)](#)

[Diploma in Liberal Arts](#)

[Foundation Studies](#)

## **Griffith University Degrees Not Offered via UAC in 2021**

- Bachelor of Dental Health Science
- Bachelor of Medical Science
- Bachelor of Paramedicine
- Bachelor of Physiotherapy

For full details on how to apply for these programs, visit [GU's website](#).

## **The Griffith University Early Start to Tertiary Studies**

The GUESTS program is an excellent opportunity for motivated Year 11 and 12 students to study a single course at Griffith University while completing your high school studies. Applications are now open for online courses available in Trimester 2, 2020.

On successful completion of the GUESTS program you will receive two adjustments towards your ATAR when applying for a Griffith University degree and you may be eligible for credit transfer once you commence your related degree.

<https://www.griffith.edu.au/apply/undergraduate-study/high-school-students/guests-on-campus-or-online>

## **Griffith University Chat and Advice**

Our team of student advisers are available from 10 am - 12 pm each weekday to chat with you about:

- subject pre-requisites and alternative pathways to University.
- degree information.
- how to apply.
- studying overseas as part of your degree.
- studying online

<https://www.griffith.edu.au/engage/schools-recruitment-and-engagement/chat-with-us-online>

## **Macquarie University Early Entry Schemes Update**

Macquarie University has announced that any applicant who meets the criteria for their Early Entry Schemes, which offer students a place at Macquarie based on their Year 11 results, will be made an offer to study at Macquarie in 2021.

For the first time, Macquarie is also announcing the removal of exemptions to courses available through its two early entry schemes – the Schools Recommendation Scheme (Open now) and Leaders and Achievers Early Entry Scheme (Open June 1).

## **University of Canberra Entry Questionnaire for Undergraduate Education**

Students who wish to apply to an undergraduate [Education](#) degree will now be required to submit additional criteria as part of their application. All applicants will be required to complete a written statement in response to questions designed to assess their suitability for the teaching profession. Applicants' responses to these questions must be deemed satisfactory for them to be admitted to this course. See Undergraduate Teacher Education Questionnaire [here](#).

<https://www.canberra.edu.au/about-uc/faculties/education/docs/UG-Teacher-Education-questionnaire.pdf>

### **Discover Western Sydney University Online Information Session**

A Western Sydney University webinar for prospective students, parents and teachers. Join Western staff and current students to find out more about the Western Sydney University experience. They'll take you through courses, pathways and student life to get you started on your journey to Western. More information: <https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/future/student-life/events/western-webinars.html>

### **University of Sydney Upcoming Main Events Summary**

Year 10 Information Sessions

- Wednesday 20 May
- Tuesday 2 June
- Thursday 4 June

Year 12 Information Evening

- Tuesday 9 June

For more information and to register your attendance, visit:

<https://www.sydney.edu.au/study/events-for-prospective-students/undergraduate.html>

### **The University of Sydney - Propel Program Engineering and IT**

The Faculty of Engineering and Information Technology has more than 20 high school events to help students explore the many options within engineering, computer science and project management and discover where their passion lies. Participants of any four of these events are eligible for a \$2000 travel scholarship. E: [engineering.outreach@sydney.edu.au](mailto:engineering.outreach@sydney.edu.au). Visit: <https://tinyurl.com/y98fegao>

### **UTas Schools Recommendation Program**

The University of Tasmania has introduced a Schools Recommendation Program to ensure that your Year 12 students are not disadvantaged by the disruptions and challenges they have faced this year. Students can apply now and receive an offer as early as July based on year 11 results and their schools recommendation. For more information: <https://www.utas.edu.au/undergraduate-study/your-path-to-2021>

### **University of Melbourne Deep Dive into Courses**

- Monday 25 May Veterinary medicine
- Tuesday 26 May Arts, humanities and social sciences
- Wednesday 27 May Commerce
- Thursday 28 May Information technology and computer science

Deep dive into the course and careers areas that interest them most with Meet Melbourne 2020. Held over 4 weeks this May, Meet Melbourne has gone digital. We'll be streaming our panel of Melbourne insiders to show students what life at Melbourne is really like.

Students will have the chance to:

- Explore our undergraduate degrees and pathways to graduate study
- Meet some of the inspiring people who will be teaching and supporting them at Melbourne
- Get to know some of our current students and find out their tips for making the most of university life.

Register here:

[https://study.unimelb.edu.au/connect-with-us/meet-melbourne/update-details?utm\\_source=clickdimensions&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_campaign=OA\\_NM\\_2020\\_SR\\_F2F\\_UoM\\_MeetMelbOnline&utm\\_content=careersupdate\\_register](https://study.unimelb.edu.au/connect-with-us/meet-melbourne/update-details?utm_source=clickdimensions&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=OA_NM_2020_SR_F2F_UoM_MeetMelbOnline&utm_content=careersupdate_register)

### **CQUniversity's Principal's Recommendation Scheme Alternate Entry Pathway**

CQUni's Principal's Recommendation Scheme allows Year 12 students to apply for the majority of CQUni's undergraduate courses and receive an unconditional offer. This offer is based on their Principals recommendation and not their ATAR. This pathway is ideal for students who may be experiencing situations which have impacted their senior school results. Applications now open. Visit: [cqu.edu.au/prs](http://cqu.edu.au/prs)

## TAFE

### Hospitality SBATs - Bert Evans Apprenticeship Scholarship

Closes 3 July

The Scholarships are worth \$5,000 each year for up to three years.

Scholarships are open to NSW registered apprentices in both metropolitan and country areas, including school-based apprentices. The Bert Evans Apprentice Scholarships assist apprentices in NSW who have demonstrated:

- hardship in their personal circumstances
- aptitude for vocational education and training to lead to successful completion of their trade training
- a positive attitude and application in the workplace and in off-the-job training

[https://www.training.nsw.gov.au/apprenticeships\\_traineeships/students/bert\\_evans\\_scholarships.html](https://www.training.nsw.gov.au/apprenticeships_traineeships/students/bert_evans_scholarships.html)

### TAFE NSW Degrees

We offer a number of degree level courses and higher education options:

- 3D Art & Animation
- Fashion Design
- Interior Design
- Information Technology
- Business and Commerce
- Early Childhood Studies
- Property
- Community Services

With strong industry links to over 25,000 employers, your students will get both the practical skills and theoretical knowledge to land a job faster and succeed in their chosen career. For more info visit:

<https://www.tafensw.edu.au/degrees/our-degrees>

### Guide to Apprenticeships and Traineeships

Apprenticeships and traineeships combine practical work with a course of structured training. This allows apprentices and trainees to acquire theoretical knowledge and gain a nationally recognised VET qualification, while working part-time in the industry.

<https://www.gooduniversitiesguide.com.au/education-blogs/tertiary-study/pathways-your-guide-to-apprenticeships-and-traineeships>

## COLLEGES

### ACPE Elite Athlete Program

The Australian College of Physical Education has supported student athletes strive for academic and sporting excellence since 1917 and is among national leaders in providing the highest standard of services for elite athletes, coaches and officials. ACPE is recognised by the Australian Institute of Sport and the New South Wales Institute of Sport as an [Elite Athlete Friendly University](#).

Our [Bachelor degrees in Sport, Health, Education and Dance](#) offer the highest quality learning in a flexible and supportive environment in Sydney's home of sport, Olympic Park.

<https://acpe.edu.au/future-students/admissions/elite-athlete-program/>

### Career Focus Day – BMIHMS – Hospitality and Hotel Management

14 to 16 July

16 to 18 November

Choosing where to study and the right course to enrol in for tertiary education are two very important decisions you are faced with. Whether you are a high school student looking to study beyond year 12, or someone who has been in the workforce looking to further your education, you need to have as much information as possible before making such a big decision. To help make the decision easier, BMIHMS at Torrens University offers a Career Focus Days.



CFD is a 3-day residential program for students considering a career in the hospitality industry, designed for those aged 16 and over. This program gives prospective students insight into what it's really like to study at BMIHMS and is held at both our Practical Learning Centre (**Leura Campus**) and Executive Business Centre (**Sydney Campus**).

<https://www.bluemountains.edu.au/events/careerfocusdays/>

### **3 Day Workshop Enter the World of Le Cordon Bleu**

For 3 days in July and October, Le Cordon Bleu Sydney is opening our doors to high school students in Years 11 & 12, to experience a 'Enter the World of Le Cordon Bleu' to provide a taste of what a career in hospitality will be like. <https://www.cordonbleu.edu/sydney/enter-the-world-of-le-cordon-bleu/en>

### **Bedford College 2020 Open Days - Business, Management, Community Services, Children Services**

Glebe Campus – Saturday 12 September

Norwest Campus – Saturday 19 September

At Bedford, we are extremely proud of our College and the standard of service that we provide; visitors commonly tell us that they can feel that 'special something' as soon as they come through the front door. The friendly, caring, atmosphere that abounds makes everyone feel special. *To ensure that someone is available to help you on the day, simply telephone the College on 1300 174 174 and make a booking.*

<https://www.bedford.edu.au/about/opensdays>

### **International College of Hotel Management – Entry Scholarships**

Closes 14 October

ICHM is pleased to be able to offer the following scholarships for undergraduate entry into the Bachelor of Business (Hospitality Management).

You must also meet the standard admission requirements, that being Year 12 with one of the following - ATAR score of 65 / OP score of 14/ IB Diploma score of 26 or equivalent international schooling.

<https://www.ichm.edu.au/future-students/ichm-scholarships>

Apply here: [https://www.ichm.edu.au/files/d/17419/ICHM\\_2021\\_Australian\\_Scholarship\\_Brochure.pdf](https://www.ichm.edu.au/files/d/17419/ICHM_2021_Australian_Scholarship_Brochure.pdf)

### **Patrick Careers Academy Information Session**

#### **Diploma courses in Business, Hospitality Management and Social Media Marketing**

It's not too late to join our current students in our Diploma of Business Administration and be in line for the job interviews with PCA's Career Partners wanting to recruit our Graduates.

If you think University might not be working out for you and you want to fast track into a job and career, we are accepting applications for our current and future intakes.

To find out more about our Diploma courses in Business, Hospitality Management and Social Media Marketing and the many career pathways we offer, come to our free information session. Alternatively, contact us for an individual appointment with one of our Course and Career Consultants.

Call us on 02 8252 9951 to book. Register here: <https://www.pca.edu.au/info-sessions/>

### **Brent Street Winter Dance Camp – Act, Sing, Dance for 7-18 year old students.**

6 to 10 July

Each day starts at 9.30am with either a dance, singing or acting class with an industry leading teacher.

Each class is one hour in length and there are five classes per day for each group of students (*students are divided into age groups*). The day concludes at 3.30pm.

On the final day, the students (and any interested parents) enjoy an industry talk by a current performing arts professional. Participation certificates are awarded on the final day of the workshop.

Please note, this program is suitable for 7 – 18-year old students of intermediate to advanced level.

<https://brentstreet.com.au/workshop/winter-camp-2020/>

### **Orana Fashion Business College Scholarships**

Value \$2,000.

Level 1, 625 Harris Street, Ultimo.

Call Victoria Bonnet. M: 0411402654 P:02 9199 8555

<file:///C:/Users/garyg/Downloads/orana-scholarships-2020-20211.pdf>

Course Guide

[file:///C:/Users/garyg/Downloads/Orana\\_Course\\_Guide\\_2020.pdf](file:///C:/Users/garyg/Downloads/Orana_Course_Guide_2020.pdf)

## **JMC Canvas Art Award Competition**

JMC Academy is excited to launch the 2020 Canvas Award Art Competition, showcasing the incredible work of young artists and designers who are taking creativity to the next level. JMC invites students with a knack for either drawing, painting or using creative digital mediums to creatively interpret this year's theme. Go to: <https://www.jmccademy.edu.au/news/canvas-art-award-submissions-are-open>

## **GENERAL**

### **Taronga Zoo Podcast Talks**

The deep connections our staff develop with wildlife and the natural world affects the lives of others, near and far. From Sydney to Dubbo, Taronga's people all have amazing untold Zoo stories that will touch your heart and open your eyes.

Hayden Turner invites you to listen in each week and join our family with 'Taronga Talks'.  
<https://taronga.org.au/get-involved/taronga-talks/season-1>

### **Careers with Horses - Early Applications**

Thoroughbred Industry Careers will be taking early applications for the 2021 Explorer Cadetship - a 12-month stable & stud horsemanship program in the thoroughbred industry. It kicks off with a 12-week residential component of practical and theoretical training, followed by two paid work- experience placements at a leading racing stable and stud farm. [Lindy@tbindustrycareers.com.au](mailto:Lindy@tbindustrycareers.com.au) for details.

### **2020 NSW Australian Institute of Physics in the Cloud - Nomination Form**

Nominations are now open for physics enthusiasts to express interest in presenting a Five-minute Zoom entertaining presentation of various forms, (e.g. comedy, quiz, demonstrations) on some aspect of physics at the 2020 NSW Australian Institute of Physics in the Cloud – an online version of Physics in the Pub with added quiz component. If interested please contact [fosman@bu.edu](mailto:fosman@bu.edu) for further details.

### **National Youth Science Forum**

Apply by 14 June

Do you love science, or technology, or have a drive to find solutions to problems and fix things? Are you constantly asking Why? How? Why not? Do you see yourself working in a science-related field and would like to know more about science related study and career paths?

The NYSF Year 12 Program is a 10-day residential program designed to give students a broader understanding of the diverse study and career options available in science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) and to encourage continued studies in these fields. At the NYSF Year 12 Program run in January each year, participants will:

- visit science and technology related laboratories and facilities,
- go on site tours,
- take part in workshops,
- go to social events, and
- participate in group activities that improve communication and presentation skills.

<https://www.nysf.edu.au/programs/year-12-program/>

Apply here: <https://www.nysf.edu.au/what-we-do/how-to-apply/>

### **The Upskilled Education Scholarship**

We are a leading online Australian RTO and online tutoring provider based in Sydney and Adelaide, with students located across Australia.

Upskilled acknowledges the financial pressures that may arise during the study period, so in line with our broader mission to give all students the chance they can enhance their skills base with a course, we are providing the second annual Upskilled Learning Scholarship.

The recipient will receive **AUD \$2,000** of funding to be put towards their education, training and educational materials. Rather than just going towards your tuition, you have the option of how you want to spend your money.

The Upskilled Education Scholarship could be the start you need to develop your skills to be a successful student. Call on 1300 469 853.

<https://www.upskilled.edu.au/faq/ways-to-pay/does-upskilled-offer-scholarships>

### **AIQS Yr12 Scholarships - Up to \$5000**

Closes 31 October

Value \$4,000. Australian Institute of Quantity Surveyors (AIQS) offers a number of scholarships each year for Year 12 students who qualify for entry into a Quantity Surveying, Construction Economics, Construction Management (Economics) or other appropriate course at an AIQS accredited university in Australia.

Applications are now open for 2020. More Information: <https://bit.ly/2Lz1YIb>

### **Interior Design Industry Insights – Great Advice**

Nina Starkey our commercial and residential interior design lecturer at our Brisbane campus gives us some insight into what's really exciting about the interior design industry at the moment and some other great tips.

<http://www.billyblue.edu.au/news-events/blog/entry/nina-starkey-our-commercial-and-residential-interior-design-lecturer-at-our-brisbane-campus-gives-us-some-insight-into-what-s-really-exciting-about-the-interior-design-industry-at-the-moment-and-some-other-great-tips>

### **Advice for Choosing HSC Courses from NSW Education Standards Authority**

Your aim is to attain the best HSC result you can. So, you should choose courses that you are good at, interested in and may use in the future. When considering which courses to study, explore the content of a course. For example, what are the course outcomes? Will you be required to submit a major work, or perform, as part of your exams? Talk with your teachers about your strengths and weaknesses, as well as individual course requirements, before making your selections.

<http://educationstandards.nsw.edu.au/wps/portal/nesa/11-12/hsc/subject-selection>

### **National Youth Concerto Competition**

Closes 30 June

\$3,000 prize. The 2020 John Curro National Youth Concerto Competition (NYCC) Finals Week is Saturday 3 to Sunday 11 October. The application form will be available by the end of January 2020.

The NYCC is recognised as the most prestigious competition in Australia for string soloists aged up to 17 years. It was established by Queensland Youth Orchestras in 1976 to encourage the development of young Australian string players. <https://www.qyo.org.au/2020/jcnycc>

### **National Computer Science Challenge 2020**

Begins 27 July

The NCSS Challenge is unlike any other programming competition. We'll teach you how to program as we go along, rather than expecting you to be an expert already. If you're a seasoned coder, we have something for you too – the problems range from relatively simple to mind-bendingly hard.

Running for about 5 weeks, we will release notes and problems containing the information you will need to complete the week's programming challenges. <https://groklearning.com/challenge/>

### **National History Challenge**

Closes 28 August

The theme for 2020 'CONTESTED hiSTORIES'.

The National History Challenge is a research-based competition for students. It gives students a chance to be an historian, researching world history, examining Australia's past, investigating their community or exploring their own roots. It emphasises and rewards quality research, the use of community resources and effective presentation. <http://www.historychallenge.org.au/>

### **International Poetry Writing Competition School Entries**

Closes 31 July 2020

An annual poetry writing competition widely promoted to schools, libraries and the general community, this competition attracts local, inter-state and global entries.

<https://www.ipswichpoetryfeast.com.au/2019-school-age-form/>



## The Queen's Commonwealth Essay Competition

Closes 30 June

The Competition is an opportunity for all young Commonwealth citizens and residents, regardless of region, education or background, to share ideas, celebrate their story and have their voice heard - all whilst developing key skills. For 2020, we want to hear from more young people across the Commonwealth, all stories and voices are important. <https://competitions.thercs.org/home>

## Defence Careers Videos - Recorded Information Sessions

### Army General Entry

Discover a diverse and rewarding workplace that's like no other.

### Navy Officer

Learn how to become an inspirational leader and manager as a Navy Officer.

### Navy Technical Trades

Receive world-class trade training and work with the latest tools and equipment in the Navy.

<https://www.defencejobs.gov.au/events?page=1&perPage=21&query=&eventsDate=upcoming>

## Studying at Home – How to avoid procrastination

In any other circumstances, switching to the non-traditional study route of online study might be exhilarating. It's a fantastic experience – one that helps you develop many crucial soft skills – but it also comes with its unique challenges. And at a time when we're bombarded with so many other hardships, the prospect of being in charge of your own learning becomes more intimidating than exciting.

<https://this.deakin.edu.au/study/studying-at-home-how-you-can-avoid-procrastination>

## What you can do with a Physics Degree

If you're thinking about enrolling in a Bachelor of Science, there are loads of reasons why majoring in physics is a good idea. And despite the maths-meets-science elective often overlooked for those with clearer post-grad pathways, there are loads of industries crying out for a physics major's advanced maths, analytics, problem-solving and computational skills.

[Click here.](#)

*This information is intended as a guide only. Confirm all details on relevant websites.*

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