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## **University of Newcastle Parent Information Webinar**

8 June. 6pm to 7pm

Sam Doherty, the senior manager of Admissions, will be running a live University of Newcastle Parent Webinar, covering key topics such as how to apply to university and the various entry schemes that are available for your child.

This session will go for roughly 45 minutes, with plenty of time for questions.

Future Students Team - futurestudents@newcastle.edu.au

https://www.newcastle.edu.au/events/future-students/2021-parent-webinar

## Online Guides from the University of Sydney

The University of Sydney has Undergraduate, Year 10, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander and International Guides available online now. Check them out at:

https://www.sydney.edu.au/engage/schools/career-advisers/publications-and-resources.html

# **University of Sydney Year 10 Guide**

It's time to start thinking about your future and how studying your dream course at the University of Sydney can turn your interests into a career. To get into some of our courses, you will need to choose certain subjects in Years 11 and 12, which are prerequisites for admission. In addition to prerequisites, many of our courses also have assumed knowledge subject requirements to consider in your subject selection. That's why it is important to start preparing now.

https://www.sydney.edu.au/content/dam/corporate/documents/study/guides/usyd-year-10-guide.pdf

# **University of Sydney Undergraduate Guide 2022**

Discover what makes us different and become a leader in a rapidly changing world. Our flexible degree structures mean you can find the right study path for you.

https://www.sydney.edu.au/content/dam/corporate/documents/study/guides/usyd-undergraduate-guide.pdf

#### **International Science School**

In 2021, due to the global COVID-19 pandemic, the University of Sydney is unable to welcome the usual amazing cohort of talented, enthusiastic science students to the Professor Harry Messel International Science School.

But if the students can't come to us ... then we're taking the ISS to them — **ISS is going online!** For one week, **from Monday 5 July to Friday 9 July this year**, we will gather 120 of Australia's top secondary science students in years 11-12 for inspiring talks by leading researchers, interactive activities run by the University of Sydney's amazing science outreach team, and a bunch of other events to get your brain firing and help you meet like-minded people from across the nation.

It's going to be a great week.

So get your application in by **FRIDAY 7 MAY** for your chance to take part in this year's **ISS Online**. Apply here:

https://iss.formstack.com/forms/iss\_online\_21

Details here:

 $\underline{\text{https://www.sydney.edu.au/science/industry-and-community/community-engagement/international-science-school.html}\\$ 

# **UTS - Bachelor of Information Technology Co-operative Scholarship**

Closes 5 September 2021.

Interviews will be held in late September 2021.

Apply for one of Sydney's best IT scholarships in just a few steps.

There has never been a better time to study IT at UTS thanks to the <u>Bachelor of Information Technology</u> (BIT) Co-operative Scholarship program.

The <u>Bachelor of IT Co-operative Scholarship</u> is a three-year IT course. It's a fast-track course that's been designed to mentor the next generation of IT and business leaders. It's about building your tech and business skills in equal measure. Capitalising on your leadership potential. Growing your innovation mindset. Above all, it's about shaping you to become a business-savvy, work-ready, IT management professional who's ready to make your mark.

Paid to study – BIT students receive around \$49,500 in scholarship funding.

How to apply:

https://www.uts.edu.au/about/faculty-engineering-and-information-technology/bachelor-information-technology-co-operative-scholarship/how-apply/get-ready-apply

#### All about it:

https://www.uts.edu.au/about/faculty-engineering-and-information-technology/bachelor-information-technology-co-operative-scholarship/explore-bit-program/bachelor-information-technology-scholarship

# **Law Undergraduate Information Webinars**

Presented by Professor Lesley Hitchens, Dean, UTS Faculty of Law and includes a current student, alumni and academic Q&A.

Want to experience UTS Law on campus? Please also register for our <u>Undergraduate Information Evening</u> on 19 May - a networking session with our key staff and students, offering the opportunity to see our new state-of-the-art facilities at UTS Central.

Whether you are a high school student, parent, careers adviser or considering university study after some time in the workplace, join us at this information evening to experience UTS Law. This event will offer the opportunity to meet our Law dean and senior academics, receive personalised course advice, chat with our current students and recent graduates, and have all your study questions answered. Held in our new state-of-the-art Law spaces at UTS Central, you'll be able to experience our facilities for yourself.

12 May 2021. 5.30pm

https://www.uts.edu.au/about/faculty-law/events/law-undergraduate-information-webinar 19 May 5.50pm

https://www.uts.edu.au/about/faculty-law/events/law-undergraduate-information-evening

# UTS - Behind the Scenes @ Animal Logic Academy

5 May. 6pm

On Wednesday 5 May 2021 the UTS Animal Logic Academy will be offering an on-campus exclusive to visit the Animal Logic Studio.

Book your session today to hear from our expert academics and current students about what it's like to study at the UTS Animal Logic Academy and see current projects that are underway! Get a sneak-peek of the professional-style 3D animation projects students at the Academy develop together, including our most recent short film 'Spirit'.

https://www.uts.edu.au/about/faculty-engineering-and-information-technology/events/behind-scenes-animal-logic-academy

# **Undergraduate Engineering and IT - on campus tours**

3 June, 2021

4:30 pm - 6:30 pm - Half hour tours in this time span.

Throughout the month of June, the UTS Faculty of Engineering and Information Technology will be offering on-campus tours of our Engineering and Information Technology facilities.

https://www.uts.edu.au/about/faculty-engineering-and-information-technology/events/undergraduate-engineering-and-it-campus-tours

## Intro to Electronic and Electrical Engineering at UTS

12 May. 5.30pm

Learn how Electrical Engineers deal with the generation and application of electricity, including high voltage. Electronic Engineers work with components trying to make them smaller and more efficient. At UTS you can specialise in either or combine them together!

Register today for our live webinar to gain an insight into what electrical and electronic engineering is all about and find out if it's right for you. Hear from key academics about what it's like to study electrical and electronic engineering at UTS and how best to prepare. There will also be a Q&A session where you can have your questions answered live.

https://www.uts.edu.au/about/faculty-engineering-and-information-technology/webinars-demand/engineering-undergraduate-students/intro-electronic-and-electrical-engineering-uts

## Discover what Flexible Engineering at UTS is all about

17 May. 5.30pm

Not sure which engineering major to choose? The Flexible Engineering course is just that - flexible! Once you've completed core engineering subjects, choose a major or choose your own blend of compatible subjects.

Register today for our live webinar to gain an insight into what Flexible Engineering is all about and find out if it's right for you. Hear from key academics about what it's like to study Flexible Engineering at UTS and how best to prepare. There will also be a Q&A session where you can have your questions answered live. <a href="https://www.uts.edu.au/about/faculty-engineering-and-information-technology/webinars-demand/engineering-undergraduate-students/intro-flexible-engineering-uts">https://www.uts.edu.au/about/faculty-engineering-and-information-technology/webinars-demand/engineering-undergraduate-students/intro-flexible-engineering-uts</a>

#### What is ADFA?

Receive service training while studying for your degree, earn a salary while learning, and graduate with a rewarding job and no HELP debt. Forged from a unique partnership between the ADF and the University of New South Wales, the Australian Defence Force Academy offers world-class education plus cutting edge military and leadership training. On our Canberra campus, in addition to being expertly trained in the art of leadership and management, you'll undertake a degree in Arts, Business, Engineering, Information Technology, Science or Technology.

https://www.defencejobs.gov.au/students-and-education/australian-defence-force-academy/what-is-adfa

#### **ADFA Virtual Tour**

Want to learn more about the Australian Defence Force Academy? Discover ADFA through our virtual tour. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IWI74RY9IIA

# **ACU Impact**

ACU Impact is packed with articles published by ACU such as 'How to Decide on a Uni (When you can't visit a campus)?'.

As universities shift to online classes to curtail the spread of the coronavirus, the usual campus visits and Open Days may be suspended. Things are changing fast, so it's important to check in with your university of interest regularly, but most of the usual opportunities to visit a campus in person are temporarily off the table.

The good news is: none of this means you can't keep taking positive steps towards choosing a university next year. Here are some tips for gathering information in the time of social distancing. <a href="https://www.impact.acu.edu.au/future-student/how-to-decide-on-a-uni-when-you-cant-visit-the-campus?home=true">https://www.impact.acu.edu.au/future-student/how-to-decide-on-a-uni-when-you-cant-visit-the-campus?home=true</a>

#### Bond graduates' top employer satisfaction survey

For the third year running, employers are more satisfied with Bond University graduates than those from any other university in Australia. Overall, 92.9% of employers were satisfied with their Bond graduates, compared to the national average of 84.6% in the government's 2020 Employer Satisfaction Survey - Learn more: <a href="https://bit.ly/3rzgfVI">https://bit.ly/3rzgfVI</a>

Book a personalised appointment: <a href="https://bit.ly/39qB9A4">https://bit.ly/39qB9A4</a>

#### Pre- Uni Confidence Booster Advice – 5 Tips

As I was sitting down to write this blog, I very quickly started to doubt my abilities and worry whether or not I could do it well. Knowing I was writing for an audience of university students took me back to my own time at uni, a time when I was flooded with conflicting feelings and emotions about my level of self-confidence. Sometimes I felt confident and sure of myself when studying for an exam or submitting an assignment, while at other times I felt like I was never going to get through it (which I eventually did). https://social.usg.edu.au/wellbeing/blogs/boost-self-confidence-cathy

# **Engineering Pathways at US Universities**

The US university system lends itself to academic exploration before locking in an area to study, however, engineering is one degree that students usually need to declare at point of application. Engineering programs are both competitive in gaining admission and rigorous in academic nature. As with most things in the US higher education system, students are spoiled for choice with options at liberal arts and science colleges (LAC) and research and technical universities offering Engineering degrees. Both models are outlined briefly below. The degree earned, regardless if pursued through a LAC or a research or technical university, will hold the same name: Bachelor of Science in Engineering. That said, the experience and opportunities in earning the degree can be quite different depending on how a student navigates the two opportunities below. <a href="https://www.internationallyeducated.com.au/post/engineering-pathways-at-us-universities">https://www.internationallyeducated.com.au/post/engineering-pathways-at-us-universities</a>

**TAFE** 

## **TAFE - Scholarships for Australian students**

Everyone deserves the opportunity to explore their talents and to fulfil their potential. Regardless of your circumstances, you deserve the chance to create a better future through education and training. Every year we award hundreds of scholarships to our students, so make this year your year to be rewarded. BROWSE ALL SCHOLARSHIPS

https://www.tafensw.edu.au/scholarships/DestinationAustralia

#### **NECA Electrical Practice Tests**

NECA have put together resources to help Students prepare for Aptitude tests in the electrical Industry. To be an electrician requires you have to be able to make calculations relating to electrical design. It is important to have a good understanding of sums, algebra, geometry and trigonometry. Working with Electrical can be hazardous when miscalculations occur.

Geometry comes into play when calculating cross sectional areas of cables and algebra is used when calculating current (Amps) and electrical loads.

Trigonometry comes into play when you start to look at capacitance and magnetism.

Below we have listed a number of link to Aptitude tests, we strongly recommend you practice these tests prior to sitting your aptitude Exam.

**Practice Tests:** 

https://bit.ly/3dG3uTu

https://bit.ly/2Us6r2p

https://www.necatraining.com.au/maths-in-the-electrical-trade/

#### **Traineeships and Cadetships from Transport for NSW**

Transport for NSW is running various traineeship and cadet-ship programs throughout the year where they target school leavers and mature candidates who love to join their road design, survey and civil construction space. Traineeships are run in conjunction with TAFE and Western Sydney University, where successful trainees will complete their Certificate III, IV and Associate Degree as required <a href="https://www.transport.nsw.gov.au/about-us/careers/how-to-apply/entry-level-talent-programs">https://www.transport.nsw.gov.au/about-us/careers/how-to-apply/entry-level-talent-programs</a>

#### **Tocal College Farming and Agriculture Fee Free Traineeships**

Training blocks blend group-based, classroom learning with practical skills and hands-on exercises. Trainees also visit commercial farms in NSW and learn from industry professionals. Trainee wage subsidies:

Any business or Group Training Organisation that engages an Australian Apprentice between 5 October 2020 and 30 September 2021 may be eligible for a subsidy of 50 per cent of wages paid to an apprentice for a 12-month period from the date of commencement, to a maximum of \$7,000 per quarter. Click here for more information.

- **Trainees** get nationally accredited training and qualifications while being paid to work in the industry they love.
- **Employers** receive government incentives\* while encouraging their workers to gain new skills and knowledge. \**Eligibility rules apply*.

Our trainers are qualified and experienced in training and assessment for the farming community, and sympathetic to the needs of trainees, employers and their industries.

Training consists of up to 6 week-long study blocks on campus either at Paterson or <u>Yanco</u>. The Paterson campus includes commercial farming operations in the Hunter Valley and offers a residential, block release program for trainees. The program offered by Yanco campus is flexible and include a mix of residential, onfarm and online delivery options.

More information about traineeships offered by Tocal College can be found here <a href="https://www.tocal.nsw.edu.au/courses/traineeships">https://www.tocal.nsw.edu.au/courses/traineeships</a>

BBM Global Industry Scholarships - Take Leading Aussie Agriculture to the World Scholarships Applications for 2022 open in April 2021.

The BBM Global Agriculture Scholarship is your opportunity to go overseas, to follow your passion, explore the possibilities and create the career you love. To apply for an Agricultural scholarship, you need to have (or be completing) your Certificate IV.

Tocal has a long history of Cert IVs applying and being successful with this scholarship. If you are interested, we can connect you with past applicants to talk about where they went, what they did and how that has helped them.

To be eligible for a BBM Global Industry Scholarship and travel in 2021 you must meet the requirements below

- You must be aged between 17 and 23 on 30 June 2020 and 18 years or older by the time you travel
- You must be an Australian citizen or permanent resident.
- You must be able to leave Australia for your scholarship before the 31st of December the year following your application, make satisfactory arrangements to pursue your objectives, including obtaining any visas you may require, confirm that you will not use your scholarship to fund overseas school fees and associated travel (however, short term workshops are eligible), complete a minimum of 20 days of industry-related activities overseas.

https://www.bbm.asn.au/

Apply here:

https://www.bbm.asn.au/global-industry-scholarships/apply-now/

#### COLLEGES

# **Sydney Film School Virtual Tour**

https://sydneyfilmschool.edu.au/virtual-studio-tour/

# **Diploma of Screen and Media**

**Applications Open** 

- Directing for Screen
- Screenwriting
- Production Management
- Cinematography and Lighting
- Sound Recording and Sound Editing
- Editing and Post-Production
- Screen Studies
- Screen Industry and Career Planning

Diploma of Screen and Media. Sydney Film School courses are intensive, hands-on programs where students learn through production. You learn the theory of filmmaking and then apply it by making films. Lots of them. You create your own vision for your films, while also crewing your fellow filmmakers' projects. Apply now!

https://sydneyfilmschool.edu.au/diploma-of-screen-and-media/

## **RSA Online NSW**

This course offered by BarMax, and fully accredited by both ASQA and Liqour & Gaming NSW provides guidance in responsible behaviour to maturing adolescents and includes the cost of their Photo Competency Card allowing your students to work on completion.

Download the online flyer.

https://barmax.com.au/wp-content/uploads/BarMax 2020-RSA Online.pdf or contact Kane Ph: 02 9211 4110.

# **Endeavour – Studying Remedial Massage**

5 May. 12.30pm

As a student of Endeavour, you'll receive support every step of the way – from enrolment to your first few weeks to exams to the moment you graduate. Our Student Services team have a wide range of support services and engagement opportunities to help you throughout your time with us. Join us at this webinar to see just what's available to you. <a href="https://www.endeavour.edu.au/events/studying-remedial-massage/">https://www.endeavour.edu.au/events/studying-remedial-massage/</a>

# **Endeavour – Transition to Tertiary**

5 May. 6pm

If you're a high school student who is interested in a future in natural health, this webinar is for you. We'll cover everything you need to know about our courses, enrolling, fees as well as student life to equip you with the knowledge to smoothly transition into higher education.

https://www.endeavour.edu.au/events/transitioning-from-high-school-to-higher-education1/

#### **Endeavour. How to Enrol**

6 May. 11am

Our interactive webinars are a perfect way to find out more about our courses, the enrolment process as well as what it's actually like to study at Endeavour College of Natural Health.

https://www.endeavour.edu.au/events/how-to-enrol-with-qa-1/

# Digital design, 3D printing, concept art, photography - AIT Showcase

AIT's Showcase is an opportunity for our students to showcasing their works ranging from traditional art, digital illustrations, digital design, 3D printing, concept art, photography and promotional products. See some of the amazing works on display.

Ph: 02 92118399. E: info@ait.edu.au https://www.ait.edu.au/showcase

# Sport or Dance - Australian College of Physical Education ACPE Early Entry

Start your studies sooner with online intakes at ACPE.

If you are looking to turn your passion for Sport, Health, Education or Dance into a career, an industry-recognised qualification from ACPE will give you the foundation you need. Get started before the next on campus semester intake with <u>online study</u> available for selected courses. https://acpe.edu.au/future-students/admissions/early-entry/

#### **GENERAL**

How to become a Chartered Accountant

Becoming a Chartered Accountant (CA) could set you up to thrive in business in different parts of the world. It's a highly regarded professional qualification with international recognition. CAs can work in a wide range of exciting and challenging careers. If you'd like to join their ranks, here are the steps: <a href="https://www.youunlimitedanz.com/about-ca/how-to-become-a-ca">https://www.youunlimitedanz.com/about-ca/how-to-become-a-ca</a>

□ Want to work anywhere in the world? The CA designation could be your passport to an international
career
□ Want to be in demand by top companies? Improve your chances of being head hunted by top employers
throughout your career
□ Want to be globally recognised? Join one of the globe's top ten leading accounting bodies and connect
to a 1,000,000 strong global knowledge network.
https://www.chartereda.com/intantsanz.com/become-a-member/why-ca/where-a-ca-com/id-lead-you

# Sci-Fi Series: Climate Extremes

20 May. 12.30pm to 1.30pm

What exactly is a one-in-a-100-year weather event? And why do they keep happening so often? We invite you to join us for the next digital webinar in the **Sci-Fi Series: Climate Extremes**, which will explore why extreme weather and climate events are increasing in frequency across the globe, how they compare to past events, and how they might evolve in the future.

Our expert panel will discuss current research into the processes that trigger or enhance these extremes, how scientists are building this understanding into our modelling systems, and how predictions of climate extremes will help us cope with them - both now and into the future

https://www.events.unsw.edu.au/event/sci-fi-series-climate-extremes

#### Youtube - Connect with teach.NSW

Do you have questions about teaching careers with the NSW Department of Education? Go to the teach.NSW YouTube page at the link below.

There you can hear current teachers share their experiences of: receiving a scholarship, commencing their career and working in NSW public schools.

You can also follow teach.NSW on Facebook or Instagram @teachnsw to be notified when scholarships for future teachers open later this year.

teach.NSW - Department of Education - YouTube

## What is forensic science really like?

What's it really like to have that dream job you've been eyeing off? We've found out for you and are busting myths about some hard-to-pin-down careers in STEM. Professor Shari Forbes dishes the decomposing dirt on forensic science, and it's nothing like CSI.

https://careerswithstem.com/mythbusting-jobs-forensic-scientist/

#### Take the Forensics Quiz and See Which Forensics Scientist Are You

There are more career possibilities in forensics than you might think. Take our quiz to see which branch suits you. https://careerswithstem.com.au/which-forensic-scientist-are-you-2/

#### Careers with STEM: Maths & Data webinar

19 May. 12.00 to 1pm

In today's digital society, maths and data are a driving force for the growing digital economy globally The National Skills Commission has put jobs in data science at the top of its "emerging occupations" list. That means graduates with data analytics know-how will find their skills listed in Australian job ads over any other skills.

Maths, specifically, is critical to not only fast-growing STEM jobs but also careers in insurance, health, trades, security, agriculture and more. Of all the STEM elements (Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths), students seem to have the most trouble imagining what a career in maths might look like so we're here to help.

In this webinar, you'll meet three featured role models from the latest Maths & Data issue. You can ask them your burning career questions and hear their tips for study and work plus what their day-to-day job involves.

https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/careers-with-stem-maths-data-webinar-tickets-150432580899?aff=ebdsoporgprofile

# Cyber security careers: Live webinar recording

Cyber security is one of the fastest growing industries, with the Australian sector alone expected to grow by 300% by 2026 – and 17,000 new cyber security workers needed in that time. Cyber security is also crucial for keeping our infrastructure and societies safe.

In this webinar, we highlight the diverse and sometimes surprising pathways into cyber security careers, bust myths around what it means and looks like to work in this crucial sector, emphasise the importance of non-technical skills and meet real-life cyber professionals with inspiring career stories.

Meet three peeps with cyber security careers! In our live webinar recording, we chat to James Curran, associate professor of the School of Computer Science at <a href="The University of Sydney">The University of Sydney</a> and director of the <a href="Australian Computing Academy">Australian Computing Academy</a>, <a href="Shanis Lovin">Shanis Lovin</a> who works in digital forensics at the <a href="Commonwealth Bank of Australia">Commonwealth</a> <a href="Bank of Australia">Bank of Australia</a>, and <a href="Jason Spindlow">Jason Spindlow</a>, a channel systems engineer at <a href="Palo Alto Networks">Palo Alto Networks</a>. <a href="https://careerswithstem.com.au/cyber-security-webinar/">https://careerswithstem.com.au/cyber-security-webinar/</a>

# **Beyond Blue Youth**

Going through tough times?

Stress, anxiety and feeling down can affect anyone,

and in fact happens to a lot of us at some point in our lives.

We all have good days and bad days. However, if you're feeling sad, down or anxious and these feelings have started to affect what you would normally enjoy, then it's important to know **what's going** 

on and what you can do about it.

https://www.youthbeyondblue.com/home

and https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCPnANYk3E1R4Lza8 Xnng9Q

## Psychology Scholarships - Plan ahead

Australian Psychological Society

Health Workforce Scholarship Program

Indigenous Psychology Student Congress Attendance Scholarship

https://www.myhealthcareer.com.au/university-scholarships/

# Your plan to become a Psychologist

The best parts about a career in psychology

Things to consider before studying psychology

What do psychologists do?

How to become a psychologist

Where are the courses? Accredited courses

How much money do psychologists earn?

Are graduates getting jobs?

Videos about a career in psychology

https://www.myhealthcareer.com.au/psychology-career/

# Main 5 Questions to Expect in Your Next Job Interview

Job interviews are one of the more nerve-wracking experiences going around, particularly for university graduates. Polishing your resume, drafting cover letters and building a portfolio can be taxing, and that's before you even get to the interview stage. To give you a heads up, we've compiled a list of questions that tend to be asked in almost every interview and provided some tips on how best to respond. https://australiancareersservice.com.au/industry-news/five-questions-expect-next-job-interview

# **Study Abroad**

StudyAbroad.com has a fantastic way for you to search for Study Abroad Programs by level, type and country. It's easy and visual so you won't get lost. We will walk you through it.

# Search by program level; choose:

- Gap Year
- High School
- Undergraduate
- Graduate

## Search by program type; choose:

- Intern Abroad Gain vital job or business skills is important to you.
- Volunteer Abroad A week, a month or a year, in the type of volunteer work that would be meaningful.
- Teach Abroad Get specific: search by country, duration and even audience.
- Intensive Language If immersing yourself in a foreign language.
- Full Degree Abroad If studying overseas appeals to you, but for an extended period, find associates degrees, courses, diplomas, undergraduate and graduate certificates, bachelors, masters and doctorate degrees by country and specialty.

https://www.studyabroad.com/

## **National Science Week Events**

14 to 22 August

As restrictions lift, keep an eye on this site for the listing of Science events.

Amazing events and competitions, exhibitions, tours talks from the best in Science. Be enthralled with the world of Science and the opportunities it presents.

https://www.scienceweek.net.au/events/

Ideas for Schools here:

https://www.scienceweek.net.au/schools/

#### On-Line Study – Do's and Don'ts

If you think online study means attending classes in your pyjamas and harbouring snacks at your side while you study... then yes – you can absolutely do that.

In fact, if you've recently moved from traditional study to online study, do whatever will keep you motivated. Dr Adam Brown has taught digital media and communication through Deakin's Cloud Campus for a number of years, and says motivation is a recurring theme among his students.

https://this.deakin.edu.au/study/online-study-dos-and-donts

## **Athletics Australia Support**

Athletics Australia is committed to providing support to athletes as they progress towards senior representation. There are a number of programs, supported by Athletics Australia and our partners, that aim to assist athletes on their progression through this pathway:

Target Talent Program

NSW TTP Nomination Portal OPEN

\*\*Nominations CLOSE Sunday May 9\*\*

Program Overview

The Athletics New South Wales Target Talent Program (TTP) a state level high performance pathway, funded and regulated in partnership with Athletics Australia. **The 2021 program is open to only athletes born between 2002 - 2006 ie. U/16 - U/20 athletes**. The TTP is closely aligned with the activities of Athletics Australia's High Performance Department, and is set up to provide the following:

- To be the early talent identification element of Athletics Australia's High Performance Department
- To encourage NSW best young athletes by inviting them to be part of a state level squad
- To create meaningful contact in the off-season between the state's best young athletes, their personal coaches, and the best state coaches in each event group
- Create a national pool of identified coaches in each event group (state coach for sprints, hurdles, walks, jumps and throws) who can be used to model and disseminate best practice at the local level.
- Motivate and improve junior athletes through coach led training and education squad sessions.

https://www.athletics.com.au/high-performance/pathway-able-bodied/

https://www.nswathletics.org.au/athletes/ttp/

# **6 Pandemic-fighting STEM Careers in Public Health**

In the last year the <u>coronavirus</u> (COVID-19) pandemic has turned the world as we know it upside down. The virus, originating in China, has spread to almost 200 countries and six continents – and has already claimed <u>30,000+</u> lives.

Helping to minimise the spread and <u>flatten the curve</u> is *everyone's* job, but there are a number of specialised STEM professionals working harder than ever to find cures, treat patients and mine valuable data.

Here, we look at six STEM + health careers dedicated to fighting COVID-19 from the front line.

https://careerswithstem.com.au/stem-careers-in-public-

health/?utm source=Refraction+Media&utm campaign=4412ea6283-

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