



Careers News

Lyndale Secondary College



Dates to Diarise in Term 3

- **Herald Sun Careers Expo** – 15 to 17 August
- **Year 12 SEAS Workshop** – 20 August, period 4
- **Year 12 VTAC/SEAS/Scholarship registration & application** – 21 August
- **University / TAFE Open Days 2014** – throughout August
- **Year 12 VTAC applications** – throughout August and September



VTAC Guide 2015

A reminder that applications through VTAC open Monday 4 August 2014 at 9.00am!

The **VTAC Guide 2015**, with its complete course listings, is NOW available at www.vtac.edu.au. The Guide contains all the necessary information for applying for courses in all Victorian universities and TAFE institutes as well as large number of private tertiary providers.

Monash University – Pharmacy Open Day

Open House
Sunday 17 August 2014

10am - 3pm
Parkville Campus

Find out more at <http://www.monash.edu/pharm/>



Photographic Studies College (PSC)

Thinking about studying photography full time next year? **Photography Studies College (Melbourne)**, is a leading contemporary tertiary photography college, located in Melbourne's vibrant arts and cultural scene, only 5 minutes' walk from Flinders Street Station, close to a multitude of contemporary galleries and cafes.

PSC is hosting an **Open Day** and invites students to attend and find out about more about the courses, take a tour of the facilities and see a student exhibition.

- Learn more about our unique Bachelor of Photography & Advanced Diploma of Photography courses.
- Take a tour of our facilities and check out our studios in action.
- Chat with current students and staff.
- Listen to presentations from current students and graduates.
- Find out more about the application process including interview and folio requirements
- View our student exhibitions

Date: Sunday 17 August 2014

Time: 10.00am – 4.00pm

Venue: Photographic Studies College, 65 City Road in Southbank

Find out more at www.psc.edu.au



University of Tasmania



Applications to the University of Tasmania for students commencing in Semester 1, 2015 are opening soon!

Visit <http://www.utas.edu.au/admissions> to find out more!



Essendon Vet Clinic

Career as a Veterinarian

Students keen on a career as a Veterinarian might like to browse the following very useful links - <http://essendonvet.com.au/career-veterinarian> and a **virtual tour** of the **Veterinary Hospital at the University of Melbourne** - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hLsSOyQfDmY>



News from RMIT University

➤ **What is Environmental Engineering?**

Environmental Engineers are concerned with assessing and managing the effects of human and other activity, such as mining, agriculture and urbanisation, on the natural and built environment. Environmental Engineers design systems to:

- improve water quality
- develop cleaner production technologies in agriculture
- undertake rehabilitation of mining sites and contaminated land
- work on land salinity problems
- prepare environmental impact studies

Find out more about the Bachelor of Engineering (Environmental Engineering) (Honours) at RMIT by visiting <http://www.rmit.edu.au/browse;ID=BH080>

➤ **Drug Detection in Sport Free Public Lecture**

Drugs in sport have long been an issue but how can we detect if an athlete has cheated?

The lecture, by Dr Oliver Jones, a lecturer at RMIT University, looks at drugs in sport and the technology that enables compounds to be identified – making analytical scientists crucial to modern sporting events.

Date: Thursday 21 August 2014

Time: 6.00pm – 7.00pm

Venue: Storey Hall, Building 16, RMIT University, City campus, 342 Swanston Street in Melbourne

This is a free event, but please register by visiting

<http://www.rmit.edu.au/events/drugdetectioninsport>

➤ **Open Day at Point Cook**

Budding pilots are invited to attend RMIT's Flight Training Open Day! Students will have the opportunity to –

- Get advice from Flight Instructors and staff on how they can start their new career as a professional pilot.
- Take a guided tour of the RMIT Flight Training Point Cook facilities.
- Get a feel for the captain's seat in one of the fleet planes.
- See the flying display featuring vintage aircraft and commentary hosted by the RAAF Museum (1.15pm - weather permitting).
- Get information about booking a trial introductory flight.

Date: Sunday 31 August 2014

Time: 10.00am – 4.00pm

Location: RMIT Flight Training, Point Cook site, Building 202, Williams Road, RAAF Williams Base in Point Cook

Find out more at

<http://www.rmit.edu.au/browse/RMIT%20Events%2FNews%2Fby%20title%2FR%2F;ID=php6qho3ica;STATUS=A>



Schools Recommendation Scheme (SRS)

Students considering applying for a course at an interstate university or campuses might like to consider also applying for the ***Schools Recommendation Scheme (SRS)***. The ***Schools Recommendation Schemes (SRS)*** enables schools to recommend current Year 12 students – who are also UAC applicants – for early offers of undergraduate admission. The aim of SRS is to help more Year 12 students gain access to higher education, especially those students who might otherwise not be offered a place.

The following nine institutions will be participating in SRS in 2014–15:

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| ■ Australian National University | ■ University of Canberra |
| ■ Charles Sturt University | ■ University of New England |
| ■ La Trobe University | ■ University of Technology, Sydney |
| ■ Macquarie University | ■ University of Western Sydney |
| ■ Southern Cross University | |

Students keen on finding out more should visit <http://www.uac.edu.au/srs/>.



TSFX – Free ‘Mastering the Exams’ Lecture

“Mastering the Exams” is a lecture designed to provide students with the best opportunities to maximise examination scores. During the course of this program, students will learn vital skills that will help optimise examination performance, as well as strategies that will maximise learning and cut down on study time! In addition, the following key topics will be addressed:

- The fastest way of preparing for the exams.
- Key strategies used by average students to obtain high ATAR scores.
- Planning and executing effective exam study timetables.
- The most effective (and time saving) learning techniques.
- Techniques to enhance concentration and memory.
- Setting out answers so as to optimise examination scores.
- Errors made by past students and how to avoid these.
- Combating “panic attacks” and “mind blanks”.
- On day exam strategies that have been proven to improve examination scores.
- Maximising how much of each examination paper is answered correctly.

Dates: Sunday 24 August **OR** Saturday 30 August **OR** Saturday 6 September 2014

Times: 10.00am – 2.00pm

Venues: Monash University **OR** University of Melbourne

Valued at over \$200, the lecture is ***free of charge*** but students are required to make a minimum \$10 donation to **The Fred Hollows Foundation** - <http://www.hollows.org.au/>

Bookings are essential! For more details and to register, visit

<http://www.tsfx.com.au/?vce-program=mastering-the-exams-unit-4-2>

 Upcoming 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
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 Geelong Campus (Wairn Ponds & Waterfront) Melbourne (Burwood) Campus	Sun 10 August Sun 24 August	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	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 Mildura Campus Bendigo Campus Melbourne (Bundoora) Campus Albury-Wodonga Campus	Wed 13 August Sun 17 August Sun 24 August Fri 29 August	3.30pm – 7.30pm 10am – 3pm 10am – 4pm 4pm – 7pm	1300 135 045 www.latrobe.edu.au/openday
Monash University Parkville Campus (Pharmacy Focus)	Sun 17 August	10am – 3pm	1800 666 274 www.monash.edu.au/openday www.monash.edu.au/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
University of Melbourne Parkville & Southbank Campuses Institute of Land and Environment – University of Melbourne - Burnley Open Day	Sun 17 August Thur 11 September	10am – 4pm	1800 801 662 http://openday.unimelb.edu.au/ 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