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Universities

The University of Newcastle and UNE Joint Medical Program

Want a world-class medical education, delivered locally in Newcastle or Armidale? Our Joint Medical Program can help you launch a rewarding and successful medical career – right here in Australia or across the globe. Delivered jointly by the University of Newcastle and University of New England, and supported by the Central Coast Local Health District and the Hunter New England Local Health District. The program uses state-of-the-art education technology and gives you hands-on experience throughout your medical degree.

Applications for 2017 are now closed – get in quick for 2018, over 3000 people apply for 170 places each year.

[The 2018 Prospectus](#)

[Read more](#)

UNSW Business School Accounting Workshop

Thursday 3 August - 9am to 12.30pm @ CPA Australia, 111 Harrington St, Sydney

UNSW Business School and CPA Australia invites Year 11/12 High school students to discover why the world needs accountants. Find out what it means to be a professional accountant, what are the career opportunities, and meet the CPA Student Ambassadors and CPA Staff

[Find out more](#)

[Register here](#)

NeW Space Community Day – University of Newcastle

Saturday 22 July – 10am to 2pm

The University is throwing open the doors of NeW Space and inviting the community in to explore. Catch a talk from the animator who has grabbed Justin Timberlake's attention, be part of the action in a mock court room trial, and hear from the creators and builders who have delivered NeW Space.

For the family, Newcastle Art Gallery is hosting their Art Cart activities from 10am to 12noon, plus there will be face painting, music and more. You can grab a bite to eat, enjoy the fun and explore this Newcastle icon.

[Find out more](#)

UOW Open Nights

Bega – Wed 23 August 5.30pm

Shoalhaven – Wed 23 August 5.30pm

South Western Sydney – Wed 23 August 5.30pm

Southern Highlands – Thur 24 August 5.30pm

Batemans Bay – Wed 30 August 5.30pm

It's time to get serious about choosing a university and a degree. Come and meet current UOW students and staff, and hear all about our degrees from the people who teach them.

[Find out more and register](#)

ANU Midyear Advisory Session - Sydney

Wednesday 26 July – 4pm to 7pm

Come along to our Advisory session where you will have the opportunity to learn about our programs, student accommodation, exchange programs and support services available to help you settle in to ANU.

[Find out more](#)

CSU Parent Info Evenings

Cowra - Tuesday 5 September - 5.30pm – 7.30pm @ Cowra Services Club, Falcon Room, 101 Brisbane Street

Wangaratta - Tuesday 12 September - 5.30pm – 7.30pm @ Wangaratta Regional Study Centre, 218 Tone Road

Lithgow - Tuesday 12 September - 5:30pm – 7:30pm @ Lithgow Workies, Showroom, 3-7 Tank Street

Mudgee - Wednesday 13 September - 5:30pm – 7:30pm @ Club Mudgee, Room 1, 99 Mortimer Street

Orange - Monday 18 September - 5:30pm – 7:30pm @ Orange Ex-Services Club, Moresby Room, 231-242 Anson St

Bathurst - Tuesday 19 September - 5:30pm – 7:30pm @ Bathurst Panthers, Skyline Room, 132 Piper Street
Wagga Wagga - Wednesday 20 September - 5:30pm – 7:30pm @ Wagga Wagga Commercial Club, 77 Gurwood St
Albury - Thursday 21 September - 5:30pm – 7:30pm @ Commercial Club Albury, 618 Dean Street Albury
Dubbo - Thursday 21 September - 5:30pm – 7:30pm @ Dubbo RSL, Starlite Room, 178 Brisbane Street
We hold parent information evenings that give you the opportunity to find out more about your child getting in to uni, getting help with costs, and all the benefits that come from study and life at CSU. The Universities Admissions Centre (UAC) will also be presenting at a number of these events and explaining things such as the ATAR and how it is calculated, as well as the university preference system.
[Read more and register](#)

WSU HSC Enrichment Days

Thursday 24 August 9am to 3.30pm @ Kingswood Campus

On the day, students will be given the opportunity to sit an exam and receive a **direct unconditional offer** into a range of Social Science Programs.

Do you want unique case studies to impress your HSC examiners? Want exam tips from highly experienced HSC teachers? Want to see what your future lecturers and campus is like?

If you answered yes to any of these questions, then this day is a must for you! Sign up for our HSC 'Geography' or 'Society and Culture' program and get ahead with this informative and fun day.

Teachers and school groups are also invited.

[Find out more](#)

[Watch the video](#)

6 things to consider when picking a degree

<http://thefootnotes.com.au/5-things-you-need-to-consider-when-picking-a-degree/>

TAFE & Apprenticeships

Western Sydney Apprenticeship & Traineeship Expo

Tuesday 29 August – 3pm to 8pm @ Penrith Panthers

This is a fantastic opportunity to meet industry experts from a range of interesting fields, and learn about the opportunities that exist through apprenticeships and traineeships.

[Find out more](#)

Reminder – Government ICT Apprenticeship Applications Close 4 August

[Read more and apply now](#)

Defence Trade Careers Information Session – Canberra, Parramatta

Parramatta - Monday July 17th 6:30pm @ Defence Force Recruiting Parramatta, Level 4, 9 George Street

Canberra - Tuesday July 25th 6:00pm @ Defence Force Recruiting Canberra level 2, 64 Northbourne Avenue, Canberra

Whether you're an experienced tradesperson or just starting out, there is a career in the Australian Defence Force for you.

[Register here - Parramatta](#)

[Register here - Canberra](#)

Women in Defence Info Session – Canberra, Parramatta

Canberra - Tuesday July 18th 6:00pm @ Defence Force Recruiting level 2, 64 Northbourne Avenue,

Parramatta - Tuesday July 25th 6:30pm @ Defence Force Recruiting Parramatta, Level 4, 9 George Street

Is it time to make a change? Your dreams might not be as far away as you think.

Come to an information session and find out about the hundreds of roles available to women through the ADF.

[Register here – Canberra](#)

[Register here - Parramatta](#)

Army Officer Info Session – Parramatta

Wednesday July 19th 6:30pm @ Defence Force Recruiting Parramatta, Level 4, 9 George Street

Gain the confidence you need to think on your feet, lead fellow soldiers and make quick decisions as an Army Officer with training at the Royal Military College.

[Register here](#)

Defence Careers Info Session – Wollongong

Thursday July 20th 6:00pm @ Defence Force Recruiting, Level 2, 96 Crown Street, Wollongong

Whether Navy, Army or Air Force - there is bound to be a role that suits you. Come to an info session and find out more about the opportunities in the ADF.

[Register here](#)

Women in Defence Q&A Panel – Wollongong

Monday 31st July 6.00pm @ Defence Force Recruiting Wollongong

With a diverse range of roles available to women, you can find a flexible role that suits your lifestyle and that's as rewarding and flexible as it is challenging.

There will be a Q&A with current serving members as well as the opportunity for one-on-one conversations and the chance to network with like-minded people.

Places are limited and bookings are essential.

[Register here](#)

Defence Engineering Careers Info Session – Parramatta

Monday July 31st 6:30pm @ Defence Force Recruiting Parramatta, Level 4, 9 George Street

No matter which service you join, as an Engineer in the Australian Defence Force you'll work with some of the world's most advanced technology.

[Register here](#)

Central Coast TAFE Open Day

Whether you're in your final years of high school, changing career or looking to further your education there's something for you at Central Coast Open Day.

[Register here and find out more](#)

Hunter TAFE Barker Maritime Scholarship

Do you work on our busy Newcastle harbour? Did you know you could be eligible to apply for the Barker Maritime Scholarship and advance your career in the Maritime sector. It's worth up to \$10k.

Applications close Tuesday 15 August

[Read more](#) about this and other Hunter TAFE scholarships

[Apply Now](#)

Schindler Apprenticeship Program

Applications are open now for the 2018 Apprenticeships Intake.

Info Night – Monday 24 July – 6pm @ Building D, 36-38 Lord St Botany

[Find out more](#)

2018 World Skills Australia National Competition

It's about getting Australia's young people excited about skills and trades, and growing Australia's skills culture. It's also about building the strength of industry and community, by providing a forum for engagement and cooperation. Apprentices, trainees and students will be showcasing their skills in over 50 categories, competing for the 'National Champion' title.

<https://www.worldskills.org.au/what-we-do/worldskills-australia-competitions/national/>

National Skills Weeks

Held August 28th- September 3rd

National Skills Week is the focal point for the promotion of Australia's Vocational Education and Training sector (VET). Each year the week continues to celebrate and inform students and the wider public of the diversity and career pathways available through VET.

<http://www.nationalskillsweek.com.au>

Private Colleges

Ella Baché College Open Day - Artarmon

Saturday 5 August – 11am to 2pm

Experience the life of a student at Ella Baché College. At Open Day, you will tour the campus, meet our trainers and learn where a career in the beauty or IPL and laser industry can take you.

[Find out more](#)

Pearsons School of Floristry Info Session

Tuesday 18 July – 5.30pm to 7pm

Attend a FREE information session to learn more about our courses and floristry as a career.

To enrol, simply select the session that best suits you. Sessions last for one and a half hours and are held in one of our purpose built classrooms at 50 Oxford Street, Darlinghurst.

[Find out more and enrol](#)

Other News

Western Sydney University Music Festival and Competition

10-11 August @ WSU Kingswood

Compete against HSC musicians for the title and chance to record an EP in the Uni's new state of the art studios.

[Register to compete](#) – entries close 7 August

[Find out more](#)

Taronga Zoo Work Experience

Taronga Zoo's Work Experience program is for school students who are interested in pursuing a career in zoo keeping, animal care, tourism/education or zoo horticulture. The program is suitable for school students in years 10, 11 and 12.

In the interests of fairness, only one successful applicant per school will be considered and possibly assigned to a Zoo animal division for one week (Monday to Friday), excluding school and public holidays. Careers advisers and students are required to read and sign the work experience information package.

Applications open 9 October 2017 for places in 2018.

[Find out more](#)

Work Experience – Art Gallery of NSW Applications close Friday 4 August

The Year 10 work experience program is a great way to discover the Art Gallery of NSW behind the scenes. With great interest in this program each year the Gallery chooses students from a specific area of NSW as placements are very limited.

[Find out more and apply](#)

Work Experience – National Gallery of Australia

We offer placements in a wide range of functions in a number of areas to provide as broad an experience as possible.

Students studying the visual arts, arts/museum administration, conservation or an area in which the Gallery has an identified expertise will be given priority over other applicants.

[Find out more](#)

Fire & Rescue NSW Work Experience

The FRNSW Work Experience Program provides participating students with an overview of the roles of Fire & Rescue NSW and its firefighters. It is delivered through both practical and theory sessions in a disciplined and safe working environment. Through this program, school students gain insight into the FRNSW and develop employment related skills to enhance their vocational education.

[Find out more](#)

ABC Structured Work Experience

As the national public broadcaster, the ABC has historically provided high quality training for the television, radio, new media and digital services industries. Industry and work experience has been an important component of this training.

There are opportunities across a huge range of departments, nationwide.

[Find out more](#)

UOW STEM Camp for Girls

14-17 January 2018

Applications close 30 September 2017-07-13

Our four-day summer STEM Camp provides high school students entering Years 10 and 11 in 2018 a fun and hands on STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics) experience and an exciting introduction to careers in STEM.

[Find out more and apply now](#)

24/7 Youth Film Festival

29-30 July 2017

A short film competition for young people aged 12-24. Participants have 24 hours to make a 7 minute short film that includes specific items, dialogue, locations and a secret rule that are only revealed at the beginning of the 24 hours. Each year, young people from Mosman and Northern Beaches Councils form teams to enter the competition and go in the running to win up to \$5000 worth of prizes.

[Find out more](#)

RuralBiz Online Learning

RuralBiz Online offers accredited courses in agriculture and agribusiness. The courses are offered online and are well suited to students who wish to study while working.

<http://www.ruralbiztraining.com.au>

Labour Market Information Portal

This resource provides up to date labour market information to help better understand which industries are employing in your local area.

<http://lmip.gov.au>

The Footnotes

This website has career information for female students, with advice that goes beyond 'follow your dreams' and interviews with interesting and influential members of society.

<http://thefootnotes.com.au>

The Simpson Prize

The Simpson Prize is for year 9 and 10 students to submit an essay or audiovisual presentation focusing on the significance of Anzac Day. Students must respond to this year's question using a variety of sources and their own research. Entries close 10th November 2017.

<http://www.simpsonprize.org>

Employability skills

This page on Youth Central gives you some tips on the skills all employers are looking for. It also provides examples of ways you might demonstrate these skills without even knowing it, and how to include them in an application.

<http://www.youthcentral.vic.gov.au/jobs-careers/planning-your-career/employability-skills>

Tips on getting an animation job

Read these tips from CG Spectrum experts and past students on what you should be doing to get your first job in the animation industry.

<https://www.cgspectrum.edu.au/blog/how-to-get-hired-by-a-studio>

Skillarooos

You can read the stories of young tradespeople who will be representing Australia in the WorldSkills competition.

<https://www.worldskills.org.au/team-australia-heading-abu-dhabi-international-skills-competition/>

Adelaide Law School Photographic Competition

This year entrants will need to capture an interpretation of justice through a Law and Politics - alternative facts.

There is a student category for secondary and tertiary students. First prize is \$1200. Entries close 15th September.

<http://law.adelaide.edu.au/connect/images-of-justice/>

Southern Cross Cultural Exchange Info Sessions

<http://www.scce.com.au/programs/information-sessions/>

WEP Student Exchange Information Sessions

<https://wep.org.au/lets-talk/sessions/>

Young Carer Bursary Program

Young carers who will be at secondary school in 2018 can apply for this bursary program. It is intended to ease the strain of part-time work for people who are carers and also attending school. Applications close 7th September.

<http://youngcarers.net.au/young-carer-bursary-program/program-information/>

A career as a vet

This website gives an overview of the career of the veterinarian and the salary range that a new graduate might expect. The site also provides a list of Australian universities that facilitate the Bachelor of Veterinary Science.

<http://essendonvet.com.au/careers/a-career-as-a-veterinarian>

Coming Soon (See <http://www.calendarwiz.com/mhscareers> for all events)

Monday 17th July

ACU Early Achievers Program Applications close

Sydney TAFE Information Sessions

Tuesday 18th July

Future of Youth Employment Forum Begins

Sydney TAFE Information Sessions, Loftus

Sydney TAFE Information Sessions, Ultimo

UOW: Year 10 - 12 Information Evenings

Wednesday 19th July

Careers in Teaching Video Conferences

Sydney TAFE Information Sessions, Ultimo

ANU Girls in Engineering and Technology Program

Thursday 20th July

Student Exchange Australia & New Zealand Information Sessions

UOW: Year 10 - 12 Information Evenings

The Role of Engineering in Society Webinar

Sydney TAFE Information Session

Friday 21st July

ANU Asia Pacific Day

Navy Careers Day, Waverton Applications close

University of Notre Dame Young Achievers Early Offer Program - Applications close

Saturday 22nd July

MedEntry UMAT Courses

HSC Economics and Business Studies workshop

Monday 24th July

College of Natural Health: School Leaver Scholarship Applications open

Martin College Next intake for degrees in Sydney, Brisbane and online

UOW: Year 10 - 12 Information Evenings

Careers Advisers: Employability Skills: Industry & Workplace Trends

Tuesday 25th July

Future Options Day Lismore
Southern Cross Cultural Exchange information sessions
UOW: Year 10 - 12 Information Evenings
WEP Australia Student Exchange
Illawarra and South East Region Science and Engineering Challenge

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