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## **Apprenticeships, Traineeships, Casual and Junior Position Supplement** **Current as of 26 November.**

You customise to your own postcode and area radius to see your local options.  
Here are Sydney-based positions as advertised below.  
Follow this advice to help prepare yourself for applying for any position listed.

- 1. Login to JobJump.**
- 2. To know what to say, what to write, build my resume, get ready for an interview and find the job vacancies go to:**

<https://www.jobjump.com.au/jobs>

- 3. Use this handy guide:**

<https://www.jobjump.com.au/static/media/Job%20Readiness%20-%20key%20tips%20to%20land%20your%20first%20and%20future%20jobs.00cad9ec.pdf>

### **Vacancies:**

#### **Over 900 Apprenticeships Now**

<https://au.indeed.com/jobs?q=apprentice&l=2000&radius=100>

#### **Over 721 Trainee Positions Now**

<https://au.indeed.com/jobs?q=trainee&l=2000&radius=100>

#### **Over 1,318 Junior Positions Now**

<https://au.indeed.com/jobs?q=junior&l=2000&radius=100>

#### **Over 5,078 Casual Positions Now**

<https://au.indeed.com/jobs?q=casual&l=2000&radius=100>

#### **Carpentry Apprenticeships - 58 spots**

<https://au.indeed.com/jobs?q=apprentice+carpenter&l=2000&radius=50>

#### **Plumbing Apprenticeships - 13 spots**

<https://au.indeed.com/jobs?q=apprentice+plumber&l=2000&radius=50>

#### **Electrical Apprenticeships - 41 spots**

<https://au.indeed.com/jobs?q=apprentice+electrician&l=2000&radius=50>

#### **Office Administration Junior - 79 spots**

<https://au.indeed.com/jobs?q=junior+office+administration&l=2000&radius=50>

#### **Mechanic Apprenticeships - 105 spots**

<https://au.indeed.com/jobs?q=apprentice+mechanic&l=2000&radius=50>

#### **Hairdressing Apprenticeships - 45 spots**

<https://au.indeed.com/jobs?q=apprentice+hairdresser&l=2000&radius=50>

#### **Diesel Mechanic Apprenticeships - 20 spots**

<https://au.indeed.com/jobs?q=apprentice+heavy+vehicle+mechanic&l=2000&radius=50>

#### **Chef Apprenticeships - 92 spots**

<https://au.indeed.com/jobs?q=apprentice+chef&l=2000&radius=50>

#### **Child Care Traineeships - 84 spots**

<https://au.indeed.com/jobs?q=trainee+child+care&l=2000&radius=50>

#### **Metal Apprenticeships - 45 spots**

<https://au.indeed.com/jobs?q=apprentice+metal&l=2000&radius=50>

#### **Bricklaying Apprenticeships - 1 spot**

<https://au.indeed.com/jobs?q=apprentice+bricklayer&l=2000&radius=50>

#### **Refrigeration/Airconditioning Apprenticeships - 18 spots**

<https://au.indeed.com/jobs?q=apprentice+refrigeration&l=2000&radius=50>

#### **Cabinetmaking Apprenticeships - 14 spots**

<https://au.indeed.com/jobs?q=apprentice+cabinet+maker&l=2000&radius=50>

#### **Panel Beating Apprenticeships - 8 spots**

<https://au.indeed.com/jobs?q=apprentice+panel+beater&l=2000&radius=50>

#### **Landscaping Apprenticeships - 11 spots**

<https://au.indeed.com/jobs?q=apprentice+landscaper&l=2000&radius=50>

## **UNI**

### **UAC – Let's Chat - What's More Important? The course or the University?**

If you've started your uni application but found your dream university doesn't offer the course (degree) you want to study keep watching for more advice. Don't forget about UAC's Course Search tool, search over 2000 uni courses here: <https://www.uac.edu.au/course-search/undergraduate/find-a-course.html?search=>  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CIUO3fu02WI>

### **UAC – Let's Chat - Adjustment Factors & Selection Ranks**

Did you know that universities don't just look at year 12 students' ATARs when making offers to university courses? Universities may consider your ATAR in addition to any applicable adjustment factors; combining to become your selection rank. This video explains what adjustment factors are and how they affect your selection rank.  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YNfmKIDi6aQ>

### **Degree Costs Fee Structure and Loans**

There are countless things to think about when you start sorting through your study options: the course you want to do and where you want to do it, just to name a couple. But what about the cost of your course? In the same way as it is helpful to understand the structure of your program and its graduate opportunities, it also helps to know exactly where you stand on the costs front. The cost of your education and how you pay for it vary depending on a few factors, which will be explained below.  
<https://www.gooduniversitiesguide.com.au/study-information/funding-your-education/degree-costs-and-loans>

### **Macquarie University Explore Your Options Week**

Wednesday 16 December to Wednesday 23 December 2020

Explore our campus. Explore our courses. Explore our student life.

We know that 2020 has been a challenging year and that deciding where to study is a big decision. We don't expect you to make up your mind about your future in a single day.

We understand every student is different and we're on hand to help you to work out what's best for you. And more good news! You can choose a day and time that suits you.

Join us at Explore Your Options Week from Wednesday 16 December to Wednesday 23 December 2020. We'll be available from 10am to 4pm for one-on-one consultations, enrolment support and campus tours.

Please book in advance to confirm your preferred date and time. Due to COVID-19 and government health restrictions, we are unable to accept casual walk-in appointments. You may book ahead or call our friendly team on [\(02\) 9850 6767](tel:0298506767).

<https://page.mq.edu.au/Explore-your-options-week-2020.html>

### **Macquarie University Pathways to a Degree Webinar**

17th December 2020 at 2:00pm

19th December 2020 at 11:00am

Looking for an alternative pathway to your dream uni degree? If it's been a few years since you left school and you don't meet the entry criteria for a degree, or if you didn't get the ATAR you were hoping for, the Pathways to a degree webinar will take you through your options for getting into your dream degree. You can choose to attend on any of the dates and times below.

<https://page.mq.edu.au/pathways-webinar-dec-2020.html>

### **UOW Starts Here**

18 December. 2pm to 8pm

Got an offer for, or interested in studying at UOW, and want to check out the campus and meet the staff and students? Not sure what course to apply for and need some advice or tips on how to apply? Received your ATAR and have questions? 'UOW Starts Here' is your chance to visit our Wollongong campus, take a tour, get course info and ATAR advice, and speak with UOW study area experts. Our staff will be available to make sure you get the info you need to start at UOW in 2021. We can also help you with the enrolment process. If you would like help enrolling, please bring your own device (we suggest a laptop).

**Campus tours: 2.30 pm, 4.30 pm and 6.30 pm**

<http://mkto.uow.edu.au/UOWStartsHere-Wollongong2020.html>

### **University of Wollongong Drop In Day**

18 December. 2pm to 8pm

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'UOW Starts Here' is your chance to visit our Wollongong campus, take a tour, get course info and ATAR advice, and speak with UOW study area experts. Our staff will be available to make sure you get the info you need to start at UOW in 2021.

<http://mkto.uow.edu.au/UOWStartsHere-Wollongong2020.html>

### **UOW Bega Campus Drop in Days - December 2020**

Monday, 21 December 2020 at 9:00 AM - Tuesday, 22 December 2020 at 6:00 PM

UOW Bega campus is opening their doors on 21 and 22 December so you can drop in at a time that suits you to learn about our degrees, speak to our staff and academics, take a tour and have all your questions answered about:

- Courses
- UOW Early admission
- Fees and scholarships
- Entry requirements
- Pathways
- Career opportunities and more.

<https://studentservice.uow.edu.au/Portal/Events/EventDetails?eventId=4e79ea0b-dd2a-eb11-817b-005056812c00>

### **UOW Batemans Bay Campus Drop in Days - December 2020**

Monday, 21 December 2020 at 9:00 AM - Tuesday, 22 December 2020 at 6:00 PM AUS Eastern Standard Time

UOW Batemans campus is opening their doors on 21 and 22 December so you can drop in at a time that suits you to learn about our degrees, speak to our staff and academics, take a tour and have all your questions answered about:

<https://studentservice.uow.edu.au/Portal/Events/EventDetails?eventId=8244506a-de2a-eb11-817b-005056812c00>

### **Discover Western: Your HSC True Reward Early Offer**

Friday 18 December at 9am-11am & 1pm-3pm

Year 12 students, teachers, parents

Have you received an early offer from Western's HSC True Reward Program? Do you want to know about what Western Sydney University can offer you? Our live information session will take you through the unlimited possibilities available at Western, including university life, the admissions and acceptance process and what you should do next to ensure future success!

[https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/future/student-life/events/western-webinars.html?cid=afl:uac-newsletter-western-webinar\\_sep20](https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/future/student-life/events/western-webinars.html?cid=afl:uac-newsletter-western-webinar_sep20)

### **Discover Western: What Can I Do With My ATAR Results?**

Saturday 19 December at 9am-11am

Year 12 students, teachers, parents

Now that you have your ATAR results, how do you understand them and decide on the best course for you? We explain your options going forward.

[https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/future/student-life/events/western-webinars.html?cid=afl:uac-newsletter-western-webinar\\_sep20](https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/future/student-life/events/western-webinars.html?cid=afl:uac-newsletter-western-webinar_sep20)

### **Discover Western: Course Decision Session**

Wednesday 23 December at 10am

Year 12 students, teachers, parents

So you've received offers into more than one course? Are you unsure which offer to accept? Join our live information session to hear about what Western Sydney University can offer you and ask all of your course-related questions

[https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/future/student-life/events/western-webinars.html?cid=afl:uac-newsletter-western-webinar\\_sep20](https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/future/student-life/events/western-webinars.html?cid=afl:uac-newsletter-western-webinar_sep20)

## **Southern Cross University –Options**

- Chat with our expert student advisers
- Book a time to speak one-on-one about your study options.
- Reset your future
- Book a chat with our expert student advisers

Considering your study options? Our 5-star rating in learning resources and student support (Good Universities Guide 2021) means we are with you every step of the way.

[https://www.scu.edu.au/study/?utm\\_source=google&utm\\_medium=cpc&utm\\_campaign=session1&utm\\_content=b&utm\\_term=%2Bsouthern%20%2Bcross%20%2Buniversity&gclid=CjwKCAiA-L9BRBQEiwA-bm5furMxi9eC\\_74SRHkOcvhF3mqztPKtvs6e-AZDiVLMws3kh1DuwJcqxoc-nEQAvD\\_BwE](https://www.scu.edu.au/study/?utm_source=google&utm_medium=cpc&utm_campaign=session1&utm_content=b&utm_term=%2Bsouthern%20%2Bcross%20%2Buniversity&gclid=CjwKCAiA-L9BRBQEiwA-bm5furMxi9eC_74SRHkOcvhF3mqztPKtvs6e-AZDiVLMws3kh1DuwJcqxoc-nEQAvD_BwE)

## **University of Canberra – starter pack worth \$3,500**

Competition closes on Sunday 24 January 2021

We're giving away a University starter pack worth \$3,500 to help you settle in, once you've accepted an offer to study with us. This is just one way of saying "Welcome to UC".

Make sure you submit your entry for a chance to win this great prize.

<http://www.canberra.edu.au/about-uc/competitions-and-awards/uc-starter-pack>

## **Hansen Scholarship Program at The University of Melbourne**

Opens 6 February 2021

Closes 11 March 2021

Value to \$108,000. 20 Scholarships awarded across all faculty areas of study.

The Hansen Scholarship is a flagship scholarship program at The University of Melbourne. From 2020, The Hansen Scholarship will be awarded to talented undergraduate students whose financial circumstances present a challenge to accessing a first-class education. Recipients will be awarded accommodation, an allowance, and financial and personal support.

Website:

<https://scholarships.unimelb.edu.au/awards/hansen-scholarship>

## **New Degree at CQ University - Bachelor of Laws/Bachelor of Criminology (UAC code 160083)**

This is a new double degree that puts the law into context and is particularly valuable for those graduates who intend to practise in criminal law.

### **Book a one-on-one conversation**

If you, your students, or their families have questions about studying, book a one-on-one conversation with CQUniversity. We'll help you find the answers to your questions and support you as you explore the study options available. **Book a conversation.**

## **CQU – Online - Skills for Tertiary Education Preparatory Studies (STEPS)**

Friday, 29 January 2021. 12 - 1 pm

By registering to attend a free information session, you enable us to keep you informed about not only about the STEPS session, but also your course of interest and any upcoming application deadlines.

Skills for Tertiary Education Preparatory Studies (STEPS) is an enabling course that provides a pathway for people wishing to gain entry to and excel in higher education.

Upon successful completion of STEPS, you can apply for direct entry to almost any one of CQUniversity's undergraduate courses.

<https://www.cqu.edu.au/courses/study-areas/work-and-study-preparation/steps>

Register here:

<https://www.cqu.edu.au/courses/study-information/work-and-study-preparation/steps/information-session-registration>

### **Study Medicine – Medicine Offer Quiz**

A Medicine Offer Quiz has been added to Study Medicine. Students can take the Quiz to determine their chance of receiving an offer for an Australian direct entry medicine place. Detailed information and references are also provided on applications, offers and acceptances. Access directly by scrolling to the bottom of the Quiz page. <https://www.studymedicine.com.au/chance-of-acceptance-into-medicine>

### **UTS Info Days**

18-19 December

Join UTS on campus and online over two days to learn more about your undergraduate study options, alternate admission pathways and get your last-minute questions answered before close of UAC preferences. Register: <https://uts.ac/utsinfodays>

### **Free Senior Science Courses from ANU**

meriSTEM is now free for all students and teachers. Create an account at:

<https://courses.meristem.anu.edu.au>

Immediately access flipped classroom courses covering year 11 and 12 physics, year 11 chemistry, and year 11 biology. Developed by volunteer experts at The Australian National University.

Email Tim Friel ([contact.meristem@anu.edu.au](mailto:contact.meristem@anu.edu.au)) or phone (02 6125 7011) for more information.

### **Charles Sturt University - Future Careers and Work Forum**

Wednesday 2 December 2020, 6.30–8.30pm

What does the future of work look like and what does this mean for your career? Join Charles Sturt alumna Melissa Doyle, futurist Simon Kuestenmacher and a panel of experts at our first interactive online careers and work forum for postgraduate study.

<https://engage.csu.edu.au/future-work-forum>

### **Reminder - Charles Sturt University ATAR Advice Days**

Friday 18 and Saturday 19 December

Our team will be on hand to help with any preference, course or enrolment questions you may have. You'll also be able to access virtual booths and info sessions on admission pathways, accommodation, scholarships, and more.

<https://charlessturt.online-event.co/invitation/atar-advice-day-friday-18-december>

### **National Art School BFA Exhibition Opening Night**

Friday 11 December. 6–10pm to 20 December

Entrance from Forbes Street

You can experience the exhibition in the NAS Gallery, Rayner Hoff Project Space, Building 25 Project Space and Open Studios throughout the iconic National Art school campus. This is a wonderful night to celebrate the contemporary, the new and the emerging as our BFA cohort is released into the world. The next new art by the best new BFA artists is on offer throughout the evening and every day until 20 December. Meet our artists and enjoy a night of music, food and pop up bars, and you can purchase works from Australia's #nextgennas.

<https://nas.edu.au/the-grad-show-2020/>

### **Avondale Parent Information Session**

Wednesday 20 January 2021. 7pm

If you're the parent or caregiver of a high school student coming to Avondale or unsure about where to study in 2021, this information session is for you!

Talk directly to our Student Administration Team, Student Finance and Student Life Services about entry requirements (including alternative pathway options), fees, living in the dorms or off campus, and student support services such as tutoring and counselling.

<https://www.avondale.edu.au/study/events/informationssessions/>

### **Avondale Undergraduate Information Session**

Tuesday 19 January 2021. 7pm

High school students or those studying at university for the first time

Hear from current students about their experience at Avondale. Ask them questions about what it is like to study on campus or online, live in dorms, or off-campus as a day student, balance study and work and more.

Places are limited. Reserve your place:

<https://www.avondale.edu.au/study/events/informationssessions/>

### **RMIT Landscape Architecture End of Semester Virtual Exhibition**

To 30 December

Online exhibition of student work produced in the Bachelor of Landscape Architectural Design and the Master of Landscape Architecture. RMIT Landscape Architecture warmly invites you to the opening event of the Semester 2 2020 End of Semester Exhibition Online!

Please join us at 5:30pm on Thursday 12 November for an Exhibition Launch, Awards Announcements and Online Launch Party. Students and staff from the Bachelor of Landscape Architectural Design and the Master of Landscape Architecture welcome family, friends and colleagues from across the planet to join on the evening and visit the exhibition. This semester has seen all of the Bachelor of Landscape Architectural Design and Master of Landscape Architecture continue with online delivery. This exhibition will take you on a world-wide tour of design studio work from both programs. A highlight of the exhibition is the wonderfully varied collection of individual design projects from graduating MLA students, demonstrating and celebrating the contribution that landscape architecture can make to our world.

<https://www.rmit.edu.au/events/2020/november/landscape-architecture-exhibition>

### **RMIT - DSC end-of-year student showcases**

To 30 December

Each year RMIT comes to life in a unique way as graduating students across our creative schools showcase their amazing work. And this year it's all virtual! RMIT University and the Colleges of Design and Social Context, and Vocational Education, host a collection of End of Year Student Showcases that feature the work of our graduating students from across creative disciplines, including art, architecture, design and fashion.

This year showcases make the jump to a virtual setting to celebrate the achievements of our graduating students, who display their work and all they've achieved across their studies to family, friends, the public and industry. It's a chance for students to rejoice, reflect and make new connections.

<https://www.rmit.edu.au/events/2020/november/dsc-end-of-year-student-showcases>

### **Wingara Mura - Bunga Barrabugu Summer Program**

Monday 18 to Thursday 21 January 2021

The WMBB Summer Program is for senior high school students and is designed to equip Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students with useful skills for their final years at school and allows students to explore options for university and careers. Find out more here:

<https://bit.ly/3InuACf>

Apply here:

<http://wpo.sydney.edu.au/app/2021WMBB>

### **The University of Sydney Science Student Panel**

Wednesday 9 December, 4-4.30pm

Thinking about pursuing a future in Science and want to know more? Hear from current Science students about what they are studying, their favourite subjects and what it is like to be a student at the University of Sydney. Register here:

[https://uni-sydney.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_q0-GoIdS5Wqh1a7aFY9Q](https://uni-sydney.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_q0-GoIdS5Wqh1a7aFY9Q)

### **University of Sydney - Speak with a current student before preferences close!**

Consults will be available from 14 – 18 December

Year 12 students can book private Zoom consultations with current students within their areas of interest. Get your final questions answered before the close of preferences! Book at:

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

### **Free UCAT Webinars for Year 11 & 10 Students**

29 November, 6 December, 13 December

This free webinar will cover an 8-week plan to help students start and finish UCAT prep during summer break so they can focus on ATAR once school resumes. Register now:

<https://www.icanmed.com.au/webinars>

### **Bond University - Student for a Semester applications are open!**

Applications close Thurs 3 December

Bond's Student for a Semester program gives high achieving year 11 and 12 students the opportunity to complete a university subject while still at high school. Attending lectures and tutorials on campus, students will enjoy access to unparalleled facilities and support services and can potentially gain credit towards their Bond degree:

<https://bit.ly/35Wofsi>

### **Discover Bond!**

Do you want to STAND OUT? Bond University offers smaller classes, accelerated degrees and academics who know you by name, not just by number. Book a 1-1 meeting or campus tour, in person or virtually! Visit :

<https://bond.edu.au/contact>

## **TAFE**

### **Find Your Passion - No ATAR – No Worries – TAFE Has Hundreds of Options**

Hundreds of choices delivered straight to your inbox. With over 1,200 courses to choose from, TAFE NSW can help you find your passion – and turn that passion into a career. We are the #1 choice for education in real-world, useable skills and courses – so take a look at what we have to offer.

<https://www.tafensw.edu.au/ambition>

### **Start at TAFE and finish at University with a Degree - TAFE NSW Credit Transfer**

Check [credittransfer.tafensw.edu.au](http://credittransfer.tafensw.edu.au) when helping your students to see how many Credit Points a TAFE NSW qualification can give them for a degree with an Australian University. With around 3,000 pathways available.

<https://credittransfer.tafensw.edu.au/>

### **TAFE NSW –Apprenticeships & Traineeships**

Here is a great quick summary all about apprenticeships, traineeships, school-based apprenticeships and pre-apprenticeship courses. It covers how long they take and who can apply for these opportunities.

From Barangaroo to the Light Rail project, from WestConnex to new residential builds, New South Wales is a state in construction. We need apprentices. We need to build a strong pipeline of skilled tradespeople.

The NSW Government recognises this and has now made it even easier for you to become (or employ) an apprentice. They're investing over \$285 million to fund the qualification fees for 100,000 new apprentices. So what are you waiting for? Become an apprentice today.

<https://www.tafensw.edu.au/study/types-courses/apprenticeships-traineeships>

### **Get Set for InfoFest – Discover the Job You Want**

7-11 December & 18-22 January

Discover the skills you need, for the job you want at TAFE NSW InfoFest.

Are you looking for a 2021 career change or perhaps a new skill-set to stand out from the crowd? Find out how at TAFE NSW InfoFest!

Whether you're joining us online or on campus, you'll have the opportunity to connect with industry-expert teachers, join interactive workshops, explore state-of-the-art facilities and get the help you need to finalise your enrolment.

**Registrations are mandatory** so get in quick to secure your seat at your nearest participating campus.

If you need further information, drop into your local TAFE NSW campus or call us on [131 601](tel:131601) to speak to one of our friendly staff.

**Ensure you keep checking back as new sessions will be regularly added.**

<https://www.tafensw.edu.au/infocfest>

### **Get Set for InfoFest – Discover the Job You Want Youtube**

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5wV9olqBmUU&feature=emb\\_logo](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5wV9olqBmUU&feature=emb_logo)

### **70,000 Reasons Why Students Can Opt for Fee-Free Traineeships**

With the NSW Government committing to paying the course cost for 70,000 new traineeships, there's never been a better time to enrol at TAFE NSW in a government funded traineeship course.

Traineeships combine on-the-job training with formal study to give you the skills and experience employers are looking for. Generally taking around 1-2 years to complete, traineeships offer you the opportunity to earn a salary while you learn.

TAFE NSW offers a range of traineeship courses covering many industries including early childhood, health and allied services, business, IT, hospitality and warehouse operations.

Traineeships are a proven pathway to well-paid jobs in a diverse range of careers. In NSW, traineeships are also fee-free\*

<https://www.tafensw.edu.au/fee-free-traineeships>

### **TAFE Search for Traineeships**

<https://www.tafensw.edu.au/search?q=traineeship&course-type=traineeship>

### **Interior Design TAFE Enmore**

3 December. 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm

73 East Street, Lidcombe

Come and see the amazing work done by the students at Lidcombe TAFE. Hear from the experts.

<https://www.facebook.com/Design-Centre-Enmore-Interior-Design-182307208521554/>

### **8 dream careers that are real**

Yes, targeting skills shortages and skilling for the digital revolution are good. But maybe thinking outside the box can also work. Maybe you can do it all!

Targeting skills shortages and future-proofing your students is one thing but there's merit in also guiding their career ambitions that are outside of the box too. Here's eight careers that are real and how your students can achieve them at TAFE NSW:

<https://www.tafensw.edu.au/career-advice/start-my-career/blog/-/blogs/8-dream-careers-that-are-real>

### **VET pathways to jobs in the aged care industry**

Go behind the scenes to learn about the roles in community and residential aged care. Produced in Wagga and supported by Training Services NSW, see it at:

<https://www.behindthecareer.com/agedcare>

### **Affordable Tuition Fee for Business Students at MIT Sydney**

While the Federal Government is increasing tuition fee for Commerce courses to \$14,500 per year, MIT Sydney is offering scholarships that will reduce Bachelor of Business tuition fee to just \$5577.50 per trimester (or \$11,155 per year). Students simply need to apply via UAC and meet the entry requirement of the course to be eligible. For more info, visit:

[www.mit.edu.au/study-with-us/tuition-fees](http://www.mit.edu.au/study-with-us/tuition-fees)

## **COLLEGES**

### **Whitehouse - Design Graduate Exhibition 2020**

Live on Tuesday 1 December, 2020 at 18:00

Whitehouse Institute of Design, Australia invites you to join us in celebrating the design work of the graduating class of 2020.

[https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_qQWRsLmmRqSMYulrTpYung](https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_qQWRsLmmRqSMYulrTpYung)

## **Sydney Design School Info Sessions**

On Campus Thursday 10 Dec 2020 6pm

Find out everything you need to know about our flexible courses and career support. Our Director, Amanda Grace will introduce you to our unique philosophy, passionate Educators and industry focused approach to learning. Choose between our on campus or online sessions and ask all the questions you need to make an informed decision.

<https://sydneydesignschool.com.au/information-sessions/>

## **Torrens Course and Career Webinar Series**

16 December

- Online: Register now. Participate from home. Grab your laptop, tablet or mobile phone and join us virtually.
- Academic experts: Want an industry-led study experience? Hear first-hand from academics who are leaders in their field.
- Interactive: Ready to get involved? Ask your questions about our courses and get a glimpse into your future career options.

<https://www.torrens.edu.au/about/events-and-workshops/course-and-career-webinar-series>

## **Torrens Uni Speaker Series: Thrive with the skills of the future**

Wednesday 2 December. 6pm

Hear experts unpack how technological advancements are redefining the needs of people in the workplace and how the challenges of today are creating opportunities for the workforce of tomorrow.

In partnership with Business Women Australia, we will be joined by Future Crunch, a team of scientists, artists, researchers and designers who believe science and technology are the most powerful drivers of human progress. They will present their compelling Robot Rule of Thumb keynote, exploring how technological disruption is reshaping jobs and dictating skill requirements.

<https://www.torrens.edu.au/experience-speaker-series-2020-thrive-with-the-skills-of-the-future>

## **European Bartender School**

This globally-recognised bartender course is famous for training high-quality bartenders through unique teaching techniques and unforgettable experiences.

Our school is right in the heart of the trendy Chippendale district, a neighbourhood crammed with galleries, cool cafés and throwback bars. There are heaps of shops and restaurants near us, as well as a hefty supermarket and a shopping centre. You've even got Chippendale Green just around the corner, the perfect spot for a bit of flair practice.

<https://www.barschool.net/au/barschools/sydney>

## **GENERAL**

### **Physics Careers Week**

30 November to 4 December

During this week we will be showcasing the wonderful careers that are possible with a degree in Physics. Each day will feature conversations with two physicists about how they got to where they are.

Events online here:

<https://webcast.csiro.au/#/event-registration/ec59ab2c-bf9c-43f5-8a3e-64fa39209269>

Register here:

<https://events.csiro.au/Events/2020/November/17/Physics-Careers-Week-2020>

### **Financial Assistance and Scholarship Support**

There are plenty of costs associated with tertiary study: course fees, books and computer equipment are just a few. If you have additional expenses (such as rent if you need to live away from home), you may be wondering how you will manage on a limited student income.

If you need financial assistance, you generally have two options as a student:

- [Scholarships](#)
- [Government allowances](#)
- [Financial assistance for research students](#)
- [Student loans](#)

- Other loan schemes

There are also schemes in place to assist you with the cost of student services and amenities fees and studying overseas. Your institution may also offer additional financial assistance options. Our advice is to investigate your options the minute you begin searching for courses. With the amount of information to get through, it doesn't hurt to start early!

<https://www.gooduniversitiesguide.com.au/study-information/funding-your-education/scholarships-and-financial-assistance>

### **A Start in Life**

*A Start in Life* provides support to disadvantaged students to promote educational progression and to help students overcome the educational barriers they face, so they can access the same learning opportunities as their peers. *A Start in Life* provides support to students from the first year of primary school through to tertiary education. Our Student and Family Management team works in conjunction with parent/ carers, students and educators to set learning goals for each student, and develop a tailored plan of support that addresses the barriers they are facing to their education.

<http://www.astartinlife.org.au/index.php/are-we-right-for-you/>

### **Camp Creative 2020 - Postponement to 2022**

10-14 January 2022

Every year we look forward to bringing together an amazing community of creative people and families – Camp Creative is a time for joy and connection.

However, in light of the ongoing pandemic situation, and after careful consideration, we have made the difficult decision to postpone Camp Creative until 10-14 January 2022. Learn more about our decision [here](#).

<https://campcreative.com.au/>

### **Seek – How to Find a Job**

So you think you've got your job search technique down pat? Think again. What's seemingly a simple process can actually be approached from hundreds of angles. We've got some tips to help you land your next great job.

<https://www.seek.com.au/career-advice/article/how-to-find-a-job>

### **Job Interview - Are You Making These 5 Unforgivable Interview Mistakes?**

Interview blunders are hard to come back from. You've got one chance to nail a great first impression and WOW your potential employer. But what if your interview is more fail than nail, then perhaps you're making these 5 unforgivable interview mistakes

<https://www.careerfaqs.com.au/careers/interview-questions-and-tips/are-you-making-these-5-unforgivable-interview-mistakes>

### **'I Was Told I Could Never Sustain Myself with A Creative Career'**

'In high school, I was warned about picking "too many creative subjects". I was told it wouldn't prepare me for work or that my career expectations were unrealistic. Yet 5 years out of school with a string of professional positions under my belt, I've learnt firsthand that almost every single job requires a creative mindset'.

<https://www.fya.org.au/2018/04/04/make-a-living-creative-career/>

### **University of Sydney - HSC preparation (years 10-12). The smart way to prepare for your HSC. Summer Study Days**

Maths, English, Biology, Chemistry, Business Studies, Legal Studies, Economics and more.

The HSC syllabus has changed. We've responded, with an all-new program of over 60 HSC preparatory courses led by brilliant educators who will get you focused on the content that matters.

Each intensive HSC holiday workshop is a valuable complement to your school studies. Students receive a solid induction into HSC exam technique, and critical subject-matter knowledge.

- Response to new syllabus – our teachers are HSC veterans, with real knowledge of what examiners will be looking for in the all-new HSC syllabus.
- Shorter, more accessible format – responding to public demand for shorter courses, we now offer all essential subject information in workshops of just one and two days each.

[https://cce.sydney.edu.au/courses/hsc-preparation?gclid=EAlaIqobChMI9Yer8oaJ5gIV0SMrCh1opACTEAYASAAEgJmSvD\\_BwE](https://cce.sydney.edu.au/courses/hsc-preparation?gclid=EAlaIqobChMI9Yer8oaJ5gIV0SMrCh1opACTEAYASAAEgJmSvD_BwE)

### **CSIRO Registration of Interest - Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Traineeships**

CSIRO, the Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation, is Australia's national science agency and one of the largest and most diverse research agencies in the world. We seek to have a profound and positive impact on the most significant challenges and opportunities facing Australia and humanity.

We believe that Indigenous Australians have extraordinary contributions to make across cultural, economic and scientific domains. The Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Traineeship Program is an initiative of the CSIRO Indigenous Engagement Strategy which seeks to increase the employment of Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples within our organisation. Through this strategy, CSIRO aims to enhance the educational, employment, training and career development opportunities for people of Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander descent.

CSIRO is actively seeking Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people who are interested in working in a dynamic and supportive organisation. Our traineeships last approximately one to two years (depending on the course of study) and include paid, structured on the job training while you complete a Nationally Accredited Qualification relevant to your position. The course fees are paid for by CSIRO, and you will be given time to attend courses to complete this qualification while working.

**Locations:** Various - CSIRO has sites located all around Australia

**Salary:** \$23,459 to \$26,001 plus up to 15.4% superannuation

**Duration:** 1 to 2 years (depending on the course of study)

<https://jobs.csiro.au/job/Various-Registration-of-Interest-Aboriginal-and-Torres-Strait-Islander-Traineeships/520725900/>

### **CSIRO - Plan ahead for your Work Experience in your Degree**

Calling all tertiary students! Complete your compulsory work placement with us and work alongside leading scientists in an area of interest, and learn from the best while build long-lasting professional networks.

#### **About our industrial traineeships**

Bring to life what you're learning in your degree in a real world environment and rub shoulders with some of the greatest scientific minds that our country has to offer!

#### **Here's what you need to know**

Industrial traineeships provide an opportunity for undergraduate students required to complete a placement as a compulsory component of their tertiary study to immerse themselves in an innovative environment to gain valuable skills and experience that you won't find anywhere else.

Traineeship placements are usually for 3-6 months and available across a range of research and non-research functions. The number of placement opportunities varies each year and is based on projects on offer at the time of application.

<https://www.csiro.au/en/Careers/Studentships/Industrial-traineeships>

### **Work at Summer Camp in the USA in 2021 with Camp America**

17 December. 7.30pm

Summer Camps are looking for you! Teach your skills all summer, make a difference and meet great mates on your next adventure. Stop dreaming and start your next adventure from home.

We're dreaming of our next adventure! Join us for an ONLINE information session from the comfort of your home!

We've got heaps of tips and tricks to make your dreams reality and make application stand out. Get a full rundown of what your Camp America Experience could look like. Bring mum, dad and your best friend, all are welcome.

Summer 2021 is waiting for you!

<https://www.campamerica.com.au/events/camp-america-online-2>

### **Meet the Scientists ANSTO**

#### **From fusion to climate change. A topic for every budding scientist is available!**

Choose from our list of research topics and let your students lead a 30-minute Q&A session with our ANSTO experts. Dial-in from school via Zoom for this free videoconference with our scientists.

This **learning program** is designed to address:

- Science as a Human Endeavour and Science Inquiry Skills content descriptors for Years 5-10.
- Skill outcomes for Year 11 and 12 science subjects.

Our staff are experienced science communicators and can discuss ANSTO's research with primary or secondary classes at an appropriate level of detail.

Please ensure your students do some pre-reading about the research topic and come prepared with questions to ask during the session. We also ask that teachers send us a copy of the student questions the day before, so we can let the scientists know what to expect.

Teachers must be present during the session with their students.

<https://www.ansto.gov.au/education/secondary/videoconferences/meet-an-expert>

### **Post School Disability Employment and the NDIS - Are you a Year 12 student or leaving school?**

School leaver employment supports are NDIS supports available to students leaving secondary school.

These supports give you the skills and confidence to help you move from school to employment. They offer individualised supports for up to 2 years after finishing school to help you get ready for work and plan your pathway to employment. They are also tailored to meet your individual employment goals and may include:

- work experience in open employment
- job skills training
- travel training.

<https://www.ndis.gov.au/participants/finding-keeping-and-changing-jobs/leaving-school>

### **Find out about unique careers as a Genetic Pathologist, Genetic Counsellor, Clinical Geneticist**

View these videos from NSW Health:

- Edwin Kirk Genetic Pathologist: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DonwRoz1nm0> ;
- Ashley Crook, Genetic Counsellor: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PqMeWHvSiKQ> ;
- Kathy Wu, Clinical Geneticist: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=g5fEHRZTj1A>

### **Defence Work Experience Program 2021**

The Defence Work Experience Program (DWEPP) is returning in 2021! DWEPP provides opportunities for young Australians, aged 15-24, who have an interest in a Defence career to gain exposure to job roles that are available in the Australian Defence Force and Australian Public Service. Programs are run Australia-wide. For more info email:

[nsw.workexperienceprogram@defence.gov.au](mailto:nsw.workexperienceprogram@defence.gov.au)