



Careers Newsletter

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➤ HSC RESULTS RELEASED

15th December 2016

HSC results will be available from 6am on the 15th of December.

The ATAR is released by UAC at 9am on the 16th of December

http://www.boardofstudies.nsw.edu.au/key_dates/

➤ DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION CAREER ADVISORY SERVICE – YEAR 12 - 2016

19th to 21st December 2016

The advisory service is run by the Department of Education to provide up to date information for those students who have finished their HSC as well as their parents or caregivers. There is also access to post-school options, which includes information about work, study or balancing both. The website also has a list of useful links for those finishing school.

<http://www.cas.det.nsw.edu.au/index.php>

➤ SCU VIRTUAL INFO SESSIONS

These online sessions are for prospective students who are unable to attend an on-campus Info Day. Join a session to find out more about university study and our support services.

- Tuesday, 13 December 2016 - 6pm NSW time (5pm Qld time)
- Wednesday, 14 December 2016 - 11am NSW time (10am Qld time)
- Wednesday, 11 January 2017 - 6pm NSW time (5pm Qld time)
- Tuesday, 24 January 2017 - 11am NSW time (10am Qld time)

'Know your options' session for school leavers

- Monday, 19 December 2016 - 3pm NSW time (2pm Qld time)

<http://scu.edu.au/futurestudents/index.php/125>

➤ AMERICA: PROPHECY, POWER, POLITICS

Taught by the United States Studies Centre at the University of Sydney; America: Prophecy, Power, Politics offers Year 11 and Year 12 students the opportunity to develop university-standard writing and critical thinking skills while earning credit towards a tertiary degree. The course provides a conceptual overview of major issues in contemporary and historical American society, politics, and culture. It is designed to give students the conceptual tools, research skills, and critical methodologies they can apply to understanding contemporary social issues and policy debates. It will complement other HSC subjects in the humanities and will provide excellent preparation for humanities and political science at the university level. Apply by 31 January 2017 for Semester 1, 2017

<http://ussc.edu.au/study/high-school/america-prophecy-power-politics>



➤ **MACQUARIE UNIVERSITY NEW PATHWAYS FOR TEACHERS**

Macquarie University is offering a pathway into teaching for students who are unsure whether they will meet the new Band 5 requirements. Those wishing to be a primary or early childhood educator are recommended to enrol in a Bachelor of Teaching (Early Childhood Education). For those wanting to be a secondary or primary or early childhood Macquarie recommends

- [Bachelor of Teaching \(Early Childhood Education\)](#)
- [Bachelor of Arts with Bachelor of Education \(Primary\)](#)
- [Bachelor of Arts – Psychology with Bachelor of Education \(Primary\)](#)
- [Bachelor of Arts with Bachelor of Education \(Secondary\)](#)
- [Bachelor of Science with Bachelor of Education \(Secondary\)](#)

For further information, contact Tristan Tulloch on (02) 9850 1890 or at tristan.tulloch@mq.edu.au

[http://courses.mq.edu.au/undergraduate/degree/bachelor-of-teaching-\(early-childhood-education\)](http://courses.mq.edu.au/undergraduate/degree/bachelor-of-teaching-(early-childhood-education))

➤ **UNIVERSITY OF CANBERRA: PERSONALISED COURSE GUIDE**

UC can provide prospective students with a personalised course guide, after the completion of a form.

<https://www.canberra.edu.au/courseguide>

➤ **MACQUARIE UNIVERSITY: ACADEMIC ENTRY**

Macquarie University's Academic Entry Program offers students early entry by matching their performance in individual HSC subjects against their preferred degree. All Year 12 students who are completing their HSC and have applied for a Macquarie University degree through UAC are eligible.

<http://www.mq.edu.au/study/high-school-students/getting-into-university/entry-schemes-and-pathways>

➤ **UNIVERSITY OF NEWCASTLE: ATAR RESULT LIVE CHAT**

16th December, 9am to 5pm

UON's ATAR Online Chat will give students who have just received their ATAR results advice and answer any question that arise. Questions can be answered about alternative pathways, flexible study options, university applications, offers and the enrolment process.

<https://www.facebook.com/events/1091874214201228/>

➤ **UNIVERSITY OF WOLLONGONG CAMPUS TOURS**

Campus tours will provide students with the opportunity to see where they can study at the University of Wollongong and who the teachers are. Tours will be guided by current students and also include viewing accommodation facilities.

<https://www.uow.edu.au/future/visit/index.html>

➤ **UNIVERSITY OF CANBERRA SCHOLARSHIPS**

The University of Canberra offers scholarships for a range of circumstances. This includes for undergraduate students in 2017. Scholarship applications can be accessed through the applicant portal.

<http://www.canberra.edu.au/future-students/scholarships-and-financial-support>



➤ **UNIVERSITY OF NOTRE DAME: PATHWAYS TO UNI**

15th December, 5pm to 7pm, 104 Broadway, Sydney

The event will provide information about Notre Dame's other pathways to uni, including the foundation year program and tertiary pathway program. Registrations for the event can be made online.

<http://www.nd.edu.au/events/2016/twilight-topics-15Dec>

➤ **TAFE ESPRESSO COFFEE COURSE**

7th December

The Espresso Coffee Service course will provide instruction on the use of an espresso machine and how to make a range of coffee. Hygienic practices and proper cleaning of the machine is also taught. This course will suit anyone wishing to work full or part time in a café or as a barrister post school.

<https://www.tafensw.edu.au/course/TTPTH0130/Statement-of-Attainment-in-Espresso-Coffee-Skills/>

➤ **YOUTH CENTRAL: FINDING AN APPRENTICESHIP OR TRAINEESHIP**

This page at Youth Central has useful information on finding an apprenticeship or traineeship, including the best places to look.

<http://www.youthcentral.vic.gov.au/jobs-careers/apprenticeships-traineeships/finding-an-apprenticeship-or-traineeship>

➤ **AUSTRALIAN INSTITUTE OF PERSONAL TRAINERS (AIPT) TRAINEESHIPS**

Traineeships offer the opportunity to gain employment and a recognised fitness qualification. In some circumstances there can be government funding depending on the trainee's situation.

<http://www.aipt.edu.au/traineeships-courses/>

➤ **FLYING FISH TRAINEESHIPS**

Flying Fish offers a range of traineeships to help develop the skills required to become a yacht master.

<https://www.flyingfishonline.com.au/courses/yachtmaster-traineeship/?>

➤ **SYDNEY INSTITUTE OF BUSINESS AND TECHNOLOGY: INFORMATION SESSION**

Thurs 12:30 – 1:30 and 5:30 – 6:30, Level 2, 11 York Street, Sydney

SIBT have representatives available every Thursday for prospective students to learn about SIBT's diploma program and university pathway options.

<https://www.sibt.nsw.edu.au/information-sessions>

➤ **AIT INFORMATION NIGHT**

Tue 6th December, 6pm – 8pm

An interactive seminar providing an opportunity to learn more about the curriculum, course requirements and study pathways at AIT.

<http://www.ait.nsw.edu.au/information-night/>



➤ **ACTORS COLLEGE OF THEATRE & TELEVISION: AUDITIONS**

Bookings for Auditions now open.

Auditions are conducted in individual and group-based scenarios and also provide an opportunity to receive constructive feedback.

<http://www.actt.edu.au/admissions/auditions/>

➤ **ICMS: ADVISORY DAY**

16th December, 10am to 4pm, 151 Darley Rd, Manly

Speak with ICMS staff, academics and current students before close of UAC preferences in early January.

<https://www.icms.edu.au/event/information-day-dec>

➤ **CG SPECTRUM ONLINE WORKSHOP**

Thu 8th December, 5:30pm

CG Spectrum College are running an online workshop in pixel art. No previous experience is required, so if you're an artist or coder, or you're interested in studying at CG Spectrum in future, sign up online.

<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/pixel-art-the-art-of-indie-tickets-28854091364>

➤ **AVIATION AUSTRALIA: COURSE FAQs**

For those interested in working in the air, Aviation Australia has FAQs related to the courses they offer.

<http://www.aviationaustralia.aero/cabin-crew-faqs/>

➤ **METRO SCREEN: FIVE PART INTERVIEW SERIES**

A five-part series that covers the key areas needed to develop a career in the film industry.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qjLLT5gvaxw&feature=youtu.be>

➤ **MY BIG TOMORROW**

My Big Tomorrow is a resource designed to help young Australians realise bigger life choices. Here you can discover your dream career, experience a day in the life of someone doing that job and find out how they got there.

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

➤ **HOW TO GET EXPERIENCE IF YOU HAVE NO EXPERIENCE**

It can be hard to find your first job — often employers look favourably upon people with experience. This page has some tips on how to get some experience before you even do your first work experience.

<http://www.youthcentral.vic.gov.au/jobs-careers/how-to-find-a-job/how-to-get-experience-if-you-have-no-experience>

➤ **6 THINGS TO CONSIDER WHEN CHOOSING A UNIVERSITY**

The Swinburne University media team have a few things you should consider when you're choosing your university. As change of preference approaches, some of these tips might be useful.

<http://knowing.swinburne.edu.au/post/151778686199/6-things-to-consider-when-choosing-a-university>



➤ **STUDY OPTIONS FOR STUDENTS INTERESTED IN AGRICULTURE CAREERS**

<http://news.bostes.nsw.edu.au/blog/2016/11/24/study-options-for-students-interested-in-agriculture-careers>

➤ **CAMP AMERICA INFORMATION SESSION**

7th December, 6:30pm, 10-14 Oxford Square, Darlinghurst

1st February 2017, 6:30pm, 10-14 Oxford Square, Darlinghurst

1st March 2017, 6:30pm, 10-14 Oxford Square, Darlinghurst

To find out more about working at a camp in America or the application process, register to attend one of Camp America's information sessions.

<https://campamerica.com.au/events/>

➤ **FUTURE TEACHER SCHOLARSHIPS, CADETSHIPS AND INTERNSHIPS**

There are numerous scholarships open to for those interested in studying teaching. Some scholarships include a part-time job as either a cadetship or internship. For further information on how to apply follow the link below.

<https://teach.nsw.edu.au/getpaidtostudy>

➤ **H2OZ**

This website from the Australian Water Association has information and job postings about careers relating to water.

<http://www.h2oz.org.au/>

➤ **USA STUDY OPPORTUNITIES**

This website has information about studying in the USA and can help when deciding which college suits you.

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

➤ **13 PLACES TO SEARCH FOR JOBS**

<https://myfuture.edu.au/career-insight/13-places-to-search-for-jobs>

➤ **ACYP REAL NSW COMPETITION WINNERS**

The winners of the Real NSW Photo Competition have been announced and the winning entries are on display on ACYP's website.

<http://www.acyp.nsw.gov.au/real-nsw-results>

➤ **AUSTRALIAN SCIENCE INNOVATIONS: 2017 KEY DATES**

Australian Science Innovations has released a set of key dates for their 2017 programs.

To view, visit:

<https://www.asi.edu.au/programs/key-dates/>



➤ THE GOOD UNIVERSITIES GUIDE

University Pathways – The Facts:

<http://www.gooduniversitiesguide.com.au/Latest-news/Getting-into-university/University-pathways-the-facts>

Five Advantages of Apprenticeships and Traineeships:

<http://www.gooduniversitiesguide.com.au/Latest-news/Getting-into-university/Five-advantages-of-apprenticeships-and-traineeships>

➤ DISABILITY STANDARDS IN SCHOOLS

Young people with a disability who learn in mainstream classroom environments are invited to participate in this survey to assess how well Australian schools are meeting Disability Standards in education. Teachers, principals and teacher aides are also able to participate in the survey.

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/EducationStandards>

➤ FYA: THE NEW WORK MINDSET

This brochure has information about new job clusters the Foundation for Young Australians have investigated. The information will help young people navigate their future career choices.

<http://www.fya.org.au/wp-content/uploads/2016/11/The-New-Work-Mindset.pdf>

➤ WHAT TO DO NOW THAT YOU'VE FINISHED HIGH SCHOOL

<http://this.deakin.edu.au/careers/what-to-do-now-that-youve-finished-high-school>

➤ DEFENCE JOBS AUSTRALIA EVENTS

5 Dec: Parramatta: Defence Careers Information Session

6 Dec: Dee Why: Army Reserve Information Session

7 Dec: Sydney: Race Into a Trade Career with the ADF

7 Dec: Sydney: Army Officer Information Session

8 Dec: Newcastle: Engineering Careers Information Session

<https://www.facebook.com/pg/DefenceJobsAustralia/events/>

All the best for a safe and joy filled Christmas and New Year.
Looking forward to exciting careers news and events in 2017.

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