



Dates to Diarise in Term 3

- **University / TAFE Open Days 2016** – throughout August
- **Year 12 VTAC applications** – throughout August and September



Medicine & Biomedical Science Information Evening

Are you interested in medicine or health care?

Bond University is hosting a special **Information Evening** in Melbourne that will provide insight into study pathways and career opportunities in the health industry.

When: Tuesday 23 August, 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM

Where: [The Westin Melbourne](#), 205 Collins Street in Melbourne

Students will be able to meet the Dean of the Medicine program and the Head of Biomedical Science, as well as other friendly Bond University staff who can assist with any specific information they may want to know!

The evenings will also include information about the application procedure for the Bond University medicine intake for May 2017.

Attendance is FREE, however these events are popular and are often booked out. [Please register HERE soon to avoid disappointment.](#)



News from RMIT University

➤ Changes to Maths requirement for Bachelor of Environmental Science

The mathematics prerequisites for the Bachelor of Environmental Science and the double degrees with Business (Management) and Environment and Society have changed from a VCE Units 3 & 4 study score of at least 20 in "Mathematical Methods" to "a mathematics" (i.e. Further, Methods or Specialist).

➤ New double degree: Chemical Engineering/Pharmaceutical Sciences

Gain an end-to-end understanding of how pharmaceutical products are designed and developed, as well as their process involved in the large scale production.

From Semester 1, 2017, RMIT will be offering a 4-year double degree in **Chemical Engineering and Pharmaceutical Sciences**. As the pharmaceutical industry expands in Australia and world-wide, an understanding of the engineering process and other scientific fields involved in drug development and production, will ensure students

are well equipped to work across a range of roles. Students will gain a thorough understanding of the principles of chemical engineering and pharmaceutical sciences, allowing them to apply their knowledge to large scale production in the pharmaceutical industry.

Students will need to complete at least 12 weeks of engineering industry experience – allowing them to gain first-hand experience in an engineering environment under the supervision of a professional engineer. There are also opportunities for an overseas work placement of between six and 12 months (this satisfies the work experience requirement). These placements are normally taken during a one-year break in the middle or at the end of the third year of the degree.

Current Year 12 VCE prerequisites are: Units 3 and 4 – a study score of at least 20 in Chemistry and in Mathematical Methods (CAS); and a study score of at least 25 in any English (except EAL) or at least 30 in English (EAL).

Find out more at [Chemical Engineering/Pharmaceutical Sciences](#)

➤ **Useful Links for Entry to Design Courses at RMIT**

Students considering applying for design courses that require the submission of design exercises, and the attending of interviews, as part of selection into those courses, are encouraged to browse the following two links -

[Applying for Art and Design Courses](#)

[Art and Design Selection Interviews](#)



Important Reminder: Bachelor of Music

Year 12 students planning on applying for the *Bachelor of Music*, are reminded of the following important dates:

- ✓ Apply to VTAC by 29 September 2016
- ✓ Complete and submit the online Supplementary Form by 29 September 2016
- ✓ Be available for an audition mid-November to early December 2016

Find out more at [Bachelor of Music - Entry Requirements](#)



Bachelor of Engineering (Honours)

*The Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) is designed to equip students with technical expertise and management skills in an engineering field of their choice. Of significance is that students complete **common core units** in their first year, and then select their major.* Find out more at [Bachelor of Engineering \(Honours\)](#)



Schindler Electrical Apprenticeships Opportunity

***Are you looking to start a career working in a dynamic and exciting environment?
Do you want to work hands on with innovative and cutting edge engineering technologies?***

Schindler Lifts Australia is one of the largest suppliers of new escalators and elevators in Australia today. It has over 850 employees across Australia who design, install, service and modernise urban transport systems for almost every building type.

Most people considering a career in electrotechnology usually think about becoming a domestic (home) electrician, but this is only a small part of the electrical industry. Apprentices in the lift industry not only learn electrical skills, but all the skills required to install, service, and repair and modernise lifts and escalators.

Students keen on finding out more about an **electrical apprenticeship with Schindler** are encouraged to visit [Schindler Careers](#) to start the application process.
Applications for 2017 entry close on 31 August 2016.



Schools Recommendation Scheme (SRS)

Students considering applying for a course at an **interstate university** or campus 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.

Students keen on finding out more should visit [UAC - Schools Recommendation Scheme \(SRS\)](#).



Royal Australian Chemical Institute

The Royal Australian Chemical Institute (RACI) is the professional body for the chemical sciences in Australia. It acts both as the qualifying body in Australia for professional chemists, and for promoting the science and practice of chemistry.

Students often ask about what types of careers are out there for students with a science or chemistry background! The career profiles showcased at the following link make for interesting reading - [RACI Career Profiles](#)



Career as a Diplomat

Many universities in Victoria offer courses that include major studies in *international studies*, *global studies*, *politics*, etc. that students keen on a career as a diplomat, or working in government or NGO's, might be keen on studying. Students should note that the prerequisite VCE subject for most of these degrees is only an English or EAL. For a comprehensive list of all relevant courses (including the many double-degree options) on offer at universities, visit [VTAC](#)

UNIVERSITY	COURSE	MAJOR STUDIES
ACU	International Development Studies	Global Studies, International Development Studies.
	Laws/Global Studies	Global Studies, Law.
Deakin	International Studies	Anthropology, Arabic, Chinese, Indonesian, International relations, Language and culture studies, Middle East studies, Politics and policy studies, Spanish.
	International Studies/Commerce	Accounting, Accounting Information Systems, Anthropology, Arabic, Business analytics, Business information systems, Chinese, Commerce, Commercial law, eBusiness, Economics, Finance, Financial Planning (all campuses and Cloud), Human resource management, Indonesian, Interactive Marketing, International Business, International Management, International relations, International trade and economic policy, Language and culture studies, Management, Marketing, Middle East studies, Politics and policy studies, Quantitative Business Analysis, Spanish, Supply Chain Management.
	Laws/International Studies	Anthropology, Arabic, Chinese, Commercial law, Corporate law, Indonesian, Industrial relations, International relations, Language and culture studies, Law, Law reform and diplomatic legal aid, Middle East studies, Politics and policy studies, Spanish.
La Trobe	International Relations	International Relations.
	Law/International Relations	Law, Anthropology, International Relations, Politics, Sociology.
	Politics, Philosophy and Economics	Economics, Philosophy, Politics.
Monash	Global Studies	Global cultural literacies, International relations, International studies, Languages.
	Law/Global Studies	Constitutional law, Corporations law, Criminal law & procedure, International relations, International studies, Administrative law, Contract, Equity, Evidence, Global cultural literacies, Human rights, Intellectual property, Languages, Law, Lawyers' ethics in practice, Litigation and dispute resolution, Professional practice, Property, Taxation, Torts, Trusts.
RMIT	International Studies	Cross cultural studies, Cultural diversity, Globalisation, History, Human rights, International development, International economics, International law, International relations, International studies, Language and culture studies, Language and literacy, Politics and policy studies, Social research methods.
	Legal and Dispute Studies	Dispute resolution and mediation, Human rights, Justice, Law, Law (civil), Law (criminal), Law (evidence), Law (Family), Law (information), Law (labour relations), Legal practice, Legal studies, Organisational processes, Social sciences, Sociology.
Swinburne	Law/Arts	Asian commercial law, Chinese, Cinema and screen studies, Civil procedure and alternative dispute resolution, Commercial law, Company law, Competition law and policy, Contract law, Copyright, Corporate law, Creative writing and literature, Criminal law and procedure, Criminology, Digital advertising technology, Environmental sustainability, Equity, Federal and state constitutional law, History, Intellectual property law, International law, International studies, Japanese, Journalism, Legal practice and professional conduct, Media industries, Patents and designs, Philosophy, Politics and international relations, Professional writing and editing, Property law, Social media, Sociology, Torts, Trademarks, Trusts.
Uni Melbourne	Arts	Ancient world studies, Anthropology, Arabic, Art history, Asian studies, Australian Indigenous studies, Chinese, Chinese studies (minor), Classics, Creative writing, Criminology, Development studies (minor), Economics, English and theatre studies, English language studies (minor), Environmental studies (minor), European studies (minor), French, Gender studies, Geography, German, Hebrew and Jewish studies, History, History and philosophy of science, Indonesian, Islamic studies, Italian, Japanese, Knowledge and learning (minor), Law and justice (minor), Linguistics and applied linguistics, Media and communications, Philosophy, Politics and international studies, Psychology, Russian, Screen and cultural studies, Social theory (minor), Sociology, Spanish and Latin American studies.
Victoria	Community Development	Communication studies, Community development, Contemporary society and social change, Gender studies, History, International development, Literary studies, Media studies, Politics and international relations, Sociology, Vietnamese, Writing.

Upcoming Days 2016

INSTITUTION	DATE	TIME	CONTACT DETAILS
Australian Catholic University Melbourne Campus Ballarat Campus	Sun 14 August Sun 28 August	10am – 4pm 10am – 3pm	1300 ASK ACU Email: opendayvic@acu.edu.au http://www.acu.edu.au/study_at_acu/future_students/undergraduate/experience_uni_before_you_start/open_day
Australian College of Applied Psychology	Sun 14 August	10am – 2pm	1800 061 199 http://www.acap.edu.au/
Australian National University	Sat 27 August	9am – 4pm	http://www.anu.edu.au/study/events/anu-open-day-2016
Blue Mountains Hotel School (Leura Campus)	Sat 3 September	10am – 2pm	https://www.bluemountains.edu.au/open-day2016/
Box Hill Institute of TAFE Lilydale Campus Box Hill Campus	Sun 21 August Sun 28 August	10am – 3pm	1300 269 445 www.boxhillinstitute.edu.au
Deakin University & Deakin College Geelong Campus (Waurin Ponds & Waterfront) Melbourne (Burwood) Campus	Sun 21 August Sun 28 August	9am – 3pm 9am – 4pm	1800 334 733 http://openday.deakin.edu.au/
Federation University of Australia Mount Helen Campus; SMB	Sun 28 August	10am – 3pm	1800 333 864 http://federation.edu.au/future-students/study-at-feduni/open-day
Holmesglen Institute Open Thursday's – all campuses	15 September 27 October 15 December	Various times	1300 MY FUTURE http://www.holmesglen.edu.au/open
La Trobe University & La Trobe Melbourne Bendigo Campus Mildura Campus	Sun 14 August Sun 17 August	10am – 3pm 10am – 4pm	1300 135 045 http://www.latrobe.edu.au/openday
Monash University Parkville Campus (Pharmacy Focus)	Sun 21 August	10am – 3pm	1800 666 274 www.monash.edu.au/openday
Photographic Studies College	Sun 14 August	10am – 3pm	9682 3191 https://www.psc.edu.au/
Navitas College of Public Safety 123 Lonsdale Street, Melbourne CBD	Sun 14 August	10am – 2pm	1800 783 661 www.ncps.edu.au
RMIT City, Bundoora & Brunswick Campuses	Sun 14 August	10am – 4pm	9925 2260 www.rmit.edu.au/openday
University of Melbourne Parkville & Southbank Campuses	Sun 21 August	9am – 4pm	1800 801 662 https://futurestudents.unimelb.edu.au/explore/events/victoria_and_interstate/victoria/university_of_melbourne_open_day
Victoria University Footscray Park campus	Sun 28 August	10am – 3pm	1300 VIC UNI www.vu.edu.au/open-day
William Angliss Institute of TAFE	Sun 14 August	10am – 4pm	1300 ANGLISS http://www.angliss.edu.au