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COURSE AND CAREERS EVENT

Tuesday, 28th March

Doors Open at 6 pm till 8 pm

In the College Hall

To add value to this evening I will be running a concurrent presentation titled, "Jobs of the Future". It will be held in the Auditorium and commence at 6 pm and then repeated at 7 pm. This will allow students and their parents ample time to spend in the Hall for the Course and Career Event and attend the presentation.

Of course, students and parents can choose not to attend this presentation and spend more time in the Hall speaking with our experts.

Collect new 2018 brochures, ask about prerequisites, speak about career outcomes for courses, speak about apprenticeship opportunities, and find out how easy or hard to apply for Police Force, Fire Brigade and Defence Force. Plus lots more.

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Deakin Step on Campus Event

Join us during Term 1 school holidays and experience Deakin University. You'll be taken on a 45-minute tour of your chosen campus, where you'll find out more about university life, study areas and be able to gain a feel for the campus from your tour guide, a current Deakin student! Students interested in studying at Deakin University might like to consider attending! Details for the [Melbourne campus](#) are:

Dates: Mon 3 April OR Thur 6 April OR Mon 10 April OR Thur 13 April
Times: 10.00am OR 12.00pm OR 3.00pm
Venue: Building HF, Level 2 221 Burwood Highway in Burwood

To register for the Melbourne campus event, or for Geelong Waurin Ponds, Geelong Waterfront, or Warrnambool, visit [Deakin Step on Campus](#)



Year 10 Discovery Day at Monash University

*Bring your curiosity, optimism and passion, and discover a course that's right for you. Year 10 students are invited to attend the **Discovery Day** these upcoming school holidays where students can enjoy an interactive day of discovery, including:*

- sessions on choosing the right course and university for you
- everything you need to know about prerequisite subjects and why you need them
- a chance to explore the Monash Clayton campus
- advice on how to manage Years 11 and 12
- an opportunity to chat with Monash staff and current students about studying at Monash

Date: Wednesday 5 April 2017
Time: 10.00am – 2.00pm
Venue: Robert Blackwood Hall, 49 Scenic Boulevard, Monash Clayton campus
Places are limited, so register soon at [Year 10 Discovery Day](#)



Australian
National
University **News from ANU**

➤ New Pathways to study at ANU

The Australian National University (ANU) is introducing the following **pathway programs** to prepare students for entry into Bachelor-level study:

- [Diploma of Creative Arts](#)
- [Diploma of Music](#)
- Diploma of Science (details coming soon, so watch this space)

➤ **New Bachelor of Health Science**

Starting in 2018, the **Bachelor of Health Science** will deliver an interdisciplinary research led and focused education that will equip graduates for career pathways in medicine, allied health, health organisations and public service. Students will be able to pathway into the Master of Public Health as a part of a FVDD, and pathway to medicine. **Further details will be released by ANU soon, so watch this space!**



PricewaterhouseCoopers (PwC) Trainee Program

What you're capable of doing, is extraordinary. At PwC we make it possible for you to get the extraordinary done. Assisting you to develop the skills, knowledge and network with which to build an exciting and inspiring career.

The PwC Trainee program is a unique 3-year program that allows students to incorporate real paid work experience whilst completing their degree. It is a very valuable way to complete university studies to set a student up for a successful and fulfilling career. Students start as a Trainee with PwC in either their second year of a single degree, or their third year of a double degree, and work full time and study part time for two years. Once the work experience period is over, students return to finish their degree on a full time study

During the program, Trainees are given real client work, and are critical roles to their respective business unit. Trainees experience the real working world, and get the invaluable opportunity to put what they are learning at University into practice. PwC currently hires Trainees in Assurance and Tax & Legal.

Find out more about a traineeship at PwC by browsing [PricewaterhouseCoopers \(PwC\) Trainee Program](#)



**The Institute of
Chartered Accountants
in Australia**

Careers in Chartered Accounting

They are coming to our Careers Night.

Why accounting? Accounting can be regarded as the language of business – the discipline of measuring, interpreting and communicating financial activity. Chartered Accountants hold the highest professional qualifications available to accountants in Australia, and are valued for their commercial know-how, analytical thinking and leadership abilities. A career as a Chartered Accountant is a fantastic choice for those who want to:

Earn good money, Have the opportunity to travel and work overseas, Have job security and Enjoy a challenging, interesting and diverse career.

So, how does one become a Chartered Accountant? [Becoming a Chartered Accountant](#)

Step 1: Choose an approved university *business* or *commerce* degree

Step 2: Complete the degree with an *accounting* major

Step 3: Begin the Chartered Accountants Program

Step 4: Complete the Chartered Accountants Program while accumulating three years of work experience with a Chartered Accountant mentor

Be inspired by the best. Introducing our talented and inspiring Chartered Accountants from around the world - [Chartered Accountants Stories](#)



Environment & Sustainability at Swinburne University

Preserving the earth begins with an understanding of the current landscape.

The environment and sustainability courses offered at Swinburne are an exploration into what it means to champion and sustain the earth for future generations. Courses are designed to provide foundational knowledge and practical skills through an emphasis on *conservation, land management, horticulture, renewable energy* and more. *An environment and sustainability course could lead to a future in floristry, horticulture, retail, writing, and beyond.* **Swinburne offers courses in -**

- [Conservation and Land Management](#)
- [Environmental Science](#)
- [Environmental Sustainability](#)
- [Horticulture and Landscape](#)

Visit [Environment & Sustainability](#) to find out more!



Bond University College

Located within Bond University's classically designed campus on Queensland's Gold Coast, **Bond University College** is fully integrated with the University's educational structure and lifestyle. **Bond University College** provides pathways to undergraduate study, including English language programs. **Bond University College** offers a range of diplomas which pathway to bachelor courses, and ATAR requirements are lower for diplomas than for bachelor degrees - [Bond University College Diplomas](#). Successful completion of a Diploma guarantees students a place in the undergraduate degrees at Bond University, with a possible 80 credit points credited towards their new program of study. As full members of the University community, Bond University College students enjoy access to Bond's libraries, IT resources and research facilities, as well as student support services, recreational facilities and accommodation.

New Bachelor of Nutrition Science

Nutritionists help communicate nutrition science to the public and advise the community about food choices for healthy eating. Studies in nutrition therefore include the nutritive value of foods, the nutrients that bodies need at different stages of development, and the role that nutrients and diet play in health promotion and disease prevention. Nutrition links very closely with the national health priorities in Australia such as obesity, diabetes, cardiovascular disease much of which are preventable through healthy lifestyle.

ACU's new 3-year **Bachelor of Nutrition Science** program will focus on general healthcare, chronic disease management, Indigenous health, and other emerging areas of need in the industry and will appeal to students interested in careers in nutrition including nutritionists in public and private industry, hospitals and public health sectors, e-health and tele-health, in nutrition communication, and in the food science and in the research and development sectors.

Importantly, the program will also provide the basis for postgraduate studies in dietetics. Dietitians treat disease through diet and therefore require further studies and clinical practice in health settings.

The VCE prerequisites are: Units 3 and 4 – a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or 25 in any other English.

Find out more at [Bachelor of Nutrition Science](#)



Photographic Studies College (PSC)

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 St Station, close to a multitude of contemporary galleries and cafes. As a leading Australian multi award winning photography educator with over 40 years of specialised experience our focus is on providing a contemporary, high quality teaching and learning environment.

Find out more about this private college by visiting [Photographic Studies College](#)



Graphic & Visual Design Degrees at Victorian Universities

UNIVERSITY	VCE PREREQUISITE SUBJECTS	SELECTION & ATAR FOR 2017
ACU M – Melbourne Campus	Visual Arts and Design (Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL; and a study score of at least 25 in one of Art, Studio Arts or Visual Communication Design)	59.20 (M) Selection: ATAR
DEAKIN GW – Geelong Waterfront M – Melbourne Campus	Visual Arts (Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 25 in English (EAL) or at least 20 in English other than EAL) Visual Communication & Design (Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 25 in English (EAL) or at least 20 in English other than EAL)	Range of Criteria (GW) and (M) Selection: Pre-selection kit, and ATAR Range of Criteria (GW) and (M) Selection: Pre-selection kit, and ATAR

LA TROBE B – Bendigo Campus M – Mildura Campus	Creative Arts (Visual Arts) (Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 25 in English (EAL) or at least 20 in English other than EAL.)	Range of Criteria (B) and (M) Selection: Folio, Interview, and ATAR
MONASH C – Caulfield Campus	Fine Arts (Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL.)	Range of Criteria (C) Selection: Supplementary Form, Folio, Interview, and ATAR
	Communication Design (Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL.)	Range of Criteria (C) Selection: Supplementary Form, Folio and Interview, and ATAR
RMIT M – Melbourne Campus	Communication Design (Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL.)	Range of Criteria (M) Selection: Preselection kit, Folio Presentation, and ATAR
	Graphic Design Associate Degree (Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 25 in English (EAL) or at least 20 in English other than EAL.)	Range of Criteria (M) Selection: Preselection kit, Folio Presentation, and ATAR
SWINBURNE H – Hawthorn Campus	Communication Design or Communication Design (Honours)* (Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL; and a study score of at least 20 in one of Art, Product Design And Technology, Media, Interactive Digital Media C, Studio Arts or Visual Communication Design.)	65+ (H) 90.00+ (H) * Selection: ATAR
	Design (Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL; and a study score of at least 20 in one of Art, Product Design And Technology, Media, Interactive Digital Media C, Studio Arts or Visual Communication Design.)	65+ (H) Selection: ATAR
UNI MELBOURNE P – Parkville Campus VCA – Victorian College of the Arts	Design – (Units 3 & 4: A study score of at least 25 in English/English Language/Literature or at least 30 in EAL.) *A study score of 25 in Maths Methods Mathematical Methods (CAS) or equivalent will be required if you intend to pursue a Civil systems, Computing, Construction, Mechanical systems, Property, or Spatial systems major *	88.25 (P) Selection: ATAR
	Fine Arts (Visual Art) at the VCA (Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL.)	Range of Criteria (VCA) Selection: Supplementary Form, Folio and Interview, and ATAR
VICTORIA FP – Footscray Park	Creative Industries (Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 25 in English (EAL) or at least 20 in English other than EAL.)	n/a (FP) Selection: ATAR

Listed above are a number of bachelor degrees in **graphic and/or visual design** offered at most universities in Victoria. For a list of all courses on offer, including various double degrees, visit [VTAC](https://www.vtac.vic.edu.au)



Australian College of Nursing

Career in Nursing

The website www.NurseInfo.com.au defines a nurse is a “highly skilled health care professional who combines the art of caring with scientific knowledge and skills developed through their education and career. A nurse is involved in the education of patients around health and disease processes, health promotion activities, clinical procedures and management of nursing processes. Nursing enables one to work in a diverse range of settings including hospitals, community settings,

general practices, prisons, homes and residential settings.”

There are two ‘divisions’ in nursing:

Registered Nurses (known as Division 1 nurses in Victoria)

Enrolled Nurses (known as Division 2 nurses in Victoria)

The two levels of nursing differ in relation to the responsibilities they hold.

1. Registered Nurse

To become a Registered (Division 1) Nurse you need to complete a **Bachelor of Nursing** and these degrees are available at most Australian universities.

2. Enrolled Nurse

To become an Enrolled (Division 2) Nurse you need to complete a **Diploma in Nursing** or a **Certificate IV in Nursing** at a TAFE institution. This may vary between Australian state/territories.

The **Australian College of Nursing (ACN)** is hosting a *free Nursing & Health Expo* and students considering a career in the nursing or health professions are encouraged to attend.

Date: Saturday 29 April 2017

Time: 8:30am - 1:30pm

Venue: Melbourne Convention & Exhibition Centre, 2 Clarendon Street, South Wharf

Find out more at [Australian College of Nursing \(ACN\) Nursing & Health Expo](#)



Health Information Management at La Trobe

Health Information Management is an exciting and dynamic career with excellent opportunities throughout the entire healthcare system.

Health Information Managers make a big, big difference doing essential work behind-the-scenes to enable:

- Hospitals and health services to function on a day-to-day basis
- Australia to have high quality information about peoples’ health status
- Patients’ information to be protected, and kept private and confidential
- Hospitals to receive appropriate funding in order to function and treat their patients, and
- The planning of future healthcare services for all

All hospitals require Health Information Managers in order to run. The work of Health Information Managers is specialised and essential:

- (i) for hospitals to receive their funding so they can operate on a day-to-day basis; and
- (ii) so their patients’ medical records and health information are properly protected and managed.

Health Information Managers also work in many other areas throughout healthcare such as in health research and health screening centres, dealing with the information; in national and state public health surveillance; in a range of community-based services; in health ICT (health record-related) developments for private firms, hospitals and government bodies; in health insurance

organisations, dealing with health information for private hospitals; in the pharmaceutical industry; and in other areas undertaking clinical trials.

The current shortage of qualified health information managers means that graduates are highly sought after. Health information managers work in all areas of healthcare, from hospitals and community health centres to specialist disease registries. There's currently a national shortage of these professionals. Salaries range from \$50,000 to \$180,000 per year.

La Trobe's double degree - ***Bachelor of Health Sciences (Medical Classification)/Bachelor of Health Information Management*** offers a career in the clinical and business sides of health care, with an emphasis on clinical coding, health data analysis, health informatics (including e-health) and management.

From the foundations of human bioscience to being specialised in health information systems, students learn everything from anatomy to medical terminology to coding and classification of diseases, and health data analysis. Professional placements are an integral part of this course and students often find employment with their host company after graduation. Graduates can work in a variety of settings including medical institutions and health agencies, and healthcare technology development companies.

The VCE requirements are VCE Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL; and a study score of at least 20 in one of Biology, Chemistry, any Mathematics, Physical Education or Physics.

La Trobe also awards subject bonuses: a study score of 25 in Health and Human Development, any Mathematics, Physical Education or any Science equals 4 aggregate points per study. A study score of 20 in any LOTE equals 4 aggregate points per study. Overall maximum of 12 points.

Find out more at [Health Information Management](#)



Nursing and/or Midwifery Degree Courses in Victoria

UNIVERSITY	VCE PREREQUISITE SUBJECTS	ATAR FOR 2017
ACU Ba – Ballarat M – Melbourne	Midwifery (Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL)	93.40 (M)
	Nursing (Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL)	83.10 (M), 58.75 (Ba)
	Nursing/Business Administration (Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL)	63.50 (M)
	Nursing/Paramedicine (Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL)	72.25 (Ba)
CHARLES STURT AW – Albury Wodonga	Nursing (no prerequisite subjects, but maths, biology and English highly recommended)	70.00 (AW) predictive
DEAKIN G – Geelong Warrn Ponds M – Melbourne W – Warrnambool	Nursing (Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL)	72.25 (M), 65.85 (G), 51.10 (W)
	Nursing (Clinical Leadership) (Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL)	81.80 (M)
	Nursing/Midwifery (Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL)	91.20 (M), 86 (G), 67.40 (W)
	Nursing/Psychological Science (Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in	79.10 (M), 75.15 (G), n/a (W)

	English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL)	
	Nursing/Public Health & Health Promotion (Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL)	78.85 (M)
FEDERATION Gi – Gippsland Mt. Helen (Ballarat)	Nursing (Units 1 and 2: satisfactory completion in two units (any study combination) of General Mathematics or Maths: Mathematical Methods or Units 3 and 4: any Mathematics; and a study score of at least 25 in any English)	n/a (Mt H), n/a (Gi)
HOLMESGLEN Mo – Moorabbin	Nursing (Units 1 and 2: satisfactory completion in one of General Mathematics or Maths: Mathematical Methods or Units 3 and 4: any Mathematics; and a study score of at least 25 in any English)	Minimum 50 (Mo)
LA TROBE AW – Albury-Wodonga B – Bendigo Mi - Mildura S – Shepparton	Nursing (Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL.	60 (M), 52.45 (AW), 50.35 (B), 54.20 (S), 52.50 (Mi)
	Nursing/Midwifery (Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL.	81.00 (M) 80.90 (B)
MONASH C – Clayton P – Peninsula	Nursing (Units 1 and 2: satisfactory completion in two units (any study combination) of General Mathematics or Maths: Mathematical Methods or Units 3 and 4: any Mathematics; and a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL)	75.55 (C), 70.25 (P)
	Nursing/Midwifery (Units 1 and 2: satisfactory completion in two units (any study combination) of General Mathematics or Maths: Mathematical Methods or Units 3 and 4: any Mathematics; and a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL)	84.35 (P)
RMIT Bu - Bundoora	Nursing (Units 1 and 2: satisfactory completion of any Mathematics or Units 3 and 4: any Mathematics; and a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL)	69.00 (Bu)
SWINBURNE H – Hawthorn W - Wantirna	Nursing (Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL) * New in 2018	Minimum 65 in 2018 (H and W)
VIC UNI St A – St. Albans	Nursing (Units 1 and 2: satisfactory completion of any Mathematics or Units 3 and 4: any Mathematics; and a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL)	n/a (St A)
	Midwifery/Nursing Units 1 and 2: satisfactory completion in two units (any study combination) of any Mathematics or Units 3 and 4: any Mathematics; and a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL.	80.15 (St A)

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