

CAREERS NEWS

If any student has questions about the opportunities below, please email me at joanne.cupac@spc.nsw.edu.au or book an appointment via the Canvas Careers homepage.

In the Know with Careers

This week's edition of In the Know with Careers includes information on the following:

University

UAC - Career mapping: where to after school?

Many students are uncertain about their next steps after Year 12. But – as Phillip Williamson, Head Teacher Careers for the NSW Government's Educational Pathways Program, writes – it's vital to go easy on yourself, self-reflect and do your research. Here are Williamson's practical tips for starting your career journey. The most important thing, he advises, is to focus on your direction, not your destination.

<https://www.uac.edu.au/media-centre/news/career-mapping-where-to-after-school>

Western Sydney University - Discover Western Webinar - Pathways, Alternative Entry and Early Offers

29 July

Join us for a webinar aimed at students in Years 10 - 12, where we will explore and explain our HSC True Reward Early Offer Program, Alternative Entry Pathways and more.

Get the answers you need and uncover the support available for your journey!

https://wsustudents.au1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_5pUieJ4SFvQB382

University of Sydney Webinar - Why Study Business at Sydney?

30 July

Discover how our Commerce degree prepares you for the future of work and a wide range of career opportunities. You will learn about the range of study areas (or majors) available – such as Marketing, Finance, or Innovation and Entrepreneurship - and the many ways in which you can combine your interests, with over 100 study areas to select from our shared pools of majors and minors. Find out more about internships, industry-focused experiences, and global mobility opportunities on offer to our Bachelor of Commerce students.

https://uni-sydney.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_1ZfWJ62FTKuIAu2504D-6w

University of Sydney Webinar - Scholarships at Sydney

30 July

At the University of Sydney, we offer over \$135 million worth of scholarships every year. We're dedicated to supporting you throughout your time at university and offer a variety of scholarships for domestic undergraduate students. To make the process easier and more accessible, we've created a centralised form where you can be considered for multiple scholarships through one simple application.

Additionally, some of our scholarships require no application at all! In this webinar you will learn about the scholarships we offer, find out about your eligibility, get tips on writing a strong scholarship application and have your questions answered by our team.

https://uni-sydney.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_siCwQZoaTimjQM3DFWWhaYg#/registration

UTS's Bachelor of Information Technology Co-operative Scholarship

Applications Close 7 September

If you're looking to accelerate your career in technology leadership, the UTS Bachelor of Information Technology (Co-op) is the ideal choice. This fast-tracked course is a cooperative education scholarship program developed by UTS in conjunction with leading organisations, designed to mentor the next generation of IT and business leaders. This program will give you unparalleled hands-on experience, allowing you to complete two six-month industry-based sessions with our partner organisations, where you'll follow a structured program designed jointly by UTS and the employer group. If selected for this competitive program, you'll also receive a scholarship of around \$49,500 to support you throughout your learning journey.

<https://www.uts.edu.au/courses/bachelor-of-information-technology-co-op>

Notre Dame - Open Day

30 August

Notre Dame's Open Day is your chance to explore what university life is all about! You'll discover study options, career pathways and our student support services. Plus, you'll experience an exciting program filled with activities for future students. Whether you're in Year 10, 11 or 12, or a graduate thinking about postgrad study, our Open Day is open to everyone – including pathways and international students, who can chat with our dedicated team. Learn about scholarships and financial assistance to make your journey affordable.

<https://www.notredame.edu.au/engage/visit-us/openday>

University of Notre Dame - Medicine Information Session 2025

30 September

Join us for an online information session designed to provide you with crucial insights into Notre Dame's Doctor of Medicine program. This webinar offers a unique opportunity to delve into the program's structure, entry pathways and exciting new developments.

<https://events.nd.edu.au/doctor-of-medicine>

Future Doctors Australia - A 4 Day Program for ages 14 to 18

Register Now for 22-25 January

This popular program will book out, so register now to ensure you have your spot!

Gaining medical work experience is essential for young people considering a medical career. It provides insight into the field, helps develop skills and attributes, and provides networking opportunities. However, obtaining medical work experience can be challenging due to various restrictions such as limited opportunities, safety concerns, and confidentiality issues. That's why NIE has developed the "Future Doctors Australia" program. This engaging and high-impact 4-day program provides young people with a unique opportunity to gain medical work experience in a safe and structured environment. Participants will have the opportunity to spend time with current junior and senior medical students. They will also have the rare opportunity to spend time with more senior clinicians and various medical specialists. You will learn about clinical specialist's relevant fields of work, ask them questions, and learn some hands-on skills from them.

<https://www.niecareers.com.au/future-doctors-australia>

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MIGAS Apprenticeships and Traineeships Availability

MIGAS specialises in skilled and traditional trade apprenticeships and traineeships. That means we are always looking for people interested in pursuing a career in trade-related industries such as engineering, mining, energy, manufacturing, building and construction, and warehousing. Read more about apprenticeship or traineeship types and specialisations by browsing the categories below. Once you're set on your preferred apprenticeship or traineeship, head to our Jobs Board to find a current opening in your region and apply! If you don't see a current vacancy that appeals to you, register with MIGAS to receive our latest job alerts.

<https://www.migas.com.au/apprenticeships>

Master Builders Association of NSW Pre-Apprenticeships

5-23 January

19 January - 6 February

Want to be a carpenter? This is your best first step. Master Builders will help prepare you to become the best 1st-year carpentry apprentice. This 3-week entry level training program provides an introduction into both the industry and a carpentry trade prior to commencing an apprenticeship. This 3-week entry level training program provides an introduction into both the industry and a carpentry trade.

<https://www.mbaapprenticeship.com.au/mbas-pre-apprenticeship-program/>

Private Colleges

ICMS City Campus Pop-in Sessions

8 - 12 September

Embark on a journey of discovery at the ICMS City Campus. Book in a time with our Student Advisors to explore our undergraduate and postgraduate courses in management, fashion, business, sport, information technology, and more – all conveniently situated in the vibrant heart of the Sydney central business district.

<https://www.icms.edu.au/event/city-campus-information-evening/>

ICMS Open Day 2025

23 August

At the ICMS Open Day you will learn about all the degrees offered and discover why ICMS's personal mentoring approach could make all the difference to your future career success – and help you to make the most of your student years!

Snapshot of the day:

- Learn about undergraduate and postgraduate degrees
- Attend degree course briefings with lecturers
- Get insights from current students
- Find out about scholarships, Early Entry, Leadership Entry and the Elite Athlete and Performer programs

<https://www.icms.edu.au/event/icms-open-day-2025/>

JMC Sydney Open Day

16 August

- Explore your creative future and learn about our courses
- Tour our world-class facilities and tech
- Meet our current students and industry expert lecturers
- Speak to us about the admissions process

<https://www.jmcacademy.edu.au/open-day/open-day-sydney/>

AIE Open Day

17 August

Discover the courses designed to get you started in game development, 3D animation, film and visual effects at the AIE Open Day on Sun 17 August 2025. This event will be held at AIE Campuses in Sydney, Melbourne, Canberra and Adelaide from 10am to 3pm.

AIE's Open Day is a great opportunity to meet our teachers, staff and students. The day will cover everything you need to know about the:

- careers in games and VFX that we train students for;
- studios and industries that we work with;
- courses we offer - from beginners to professional mastery, and;

AIE's Open Day will also include presentations on entry requirements and how to apply. Find out how AIE can get you into a creative career.

https://aie.edu.au/aie_event/open-day/