



## Dates to Diarise in Term 3

- **University / TAFE Open Days 2023** – throughout August
- **Year 12 VTAC timely applications** – throughout August and September
- **VTAC SEAS and Scholarship applications** – throughout August and September



## Bachelor of Health Sciences

*The need for health professionals is growing. Your students can prepare for a career in the health industry with a flexible curriculum and diverse majors in our Bachelor of Health Sciences.*

From 2024, the **environmental health major** will be added to the suite of majors that students can choose from:

- Environmental health (new)
- Health promotion
- Health, wellbeing and performance
- Human physiological sciences
- Psychological science
- Public health
- Rehabilitation counselling
- Climate change

After graduation, Health Sciences students will be equipped to pursue a wide range of careers across the health industry, including as a *public health manager, health promotion coordinator or occupational health and safety officer*.

Students can use their Health Sciences degree to enter graduate entry courses such as Master of Audiology or Master of Physiotherapy at La Trobe. They can find out more from a course advisor at the upcoming Open Day. Visit [Bachelor of Health Sciences](#).



## Information Technology (Professional Practice)

The [Bachelor of Information Technology \(Professional Practice\)](#) is an innovative program that has been developed in conjunction with industry to produce graduates who have an appreciation of the culture of work as an IT professional. From the second year of the program, students will combine university studies and practical experience with IBM or Kyndryl. Students will receive a minimum of 1600 hours of industry experience, and \$47,000 in scholarships and salary as part of the program.

Students who apply for this course – VTAC code: 3700537201 (Mt. Helen Campus) – will be eligible for consideration. All applicants must attend an interview to be considered for selection.

Details about the interview process will be communicated to applicants via email after the close of timely VTAC applications – 28 September 2023.



➤ **New Pathway for Criminology enthusiasts**

The new [Diploma in Criminology](#) can help students gain credit towards their first year of study and seamlessly transition into the second year of the [Bachelor of Criminology and Criminal Justice](#). Alternatively, students can exit with a standalone qualification to add to their résumé.

➤ **Graduate Outcomes at ACU**

ACU's courses are designed to ensure its students develop the skills and confidence they need to launch their careers. Below are a few highlights from a recent survey which shows ACU students' employment rates four months after graduating from ACU:

- 94% of the teaching graduates employed\*
- 91% of the nursing graduates employed\*
- 100% of the physiotherapy graduates employed\*\*
- 98% of the occupational therapy graduates employed\*
- 95% of the early childhood graduates employed\*
- 97% of the speech pathology graduates employed\*

\*2022 Graduate Outcomes Survey, overall employment for domestic undergraduates, four months after graduating

\*\*2022 Graduate Outcomes Survey, full-time employment for domestic undergraduates, four months after graduating



**News from Monash University**

➤ **New Courses on offer in 2024**

**Bachelor of Arts/Bachelor of Global Studies**

Built around deeply enriching local and international experiences and has been designed for students who seek to be leaders in applying their knowledge to global challenges.

**Bachelor of Arts/Bachelor of Media Communication**

This double degree will provide students with analytical and critical thinking skills through a core program of professional communication practice alongside development of cross-cultural competency, social awareness, and a global outlook.

**Bachelor of Architectural Design/Master of Architecture**

This undergraduate/graduate degree package gives students the opportunity to study the Bachelor of Architectural Design and upon successful completion, progress to a guaranteed Commonwealth Supported Place or International Fee Place in the [Master of Architecture](#).

➤ **Careers in Pharmacy**

*Any place there are medicines, there are pharmacists. This means that the pool of opportunities for pharmacy graduates is large and diverse.*

Monash University recently published a very useful booklet outlining twenty-two pharmacy careers which are summarised below.

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| 1. Community Pharmacy                                 | 12. Entrepreneur                                     |
| 2. Hospital Pharmacy                                  | 13. Regulatory Affairs Associate                     |
| 3. Consultant Pharmacy                                | 14. Management and Mentorship                        |
| 4. Primary care pharmacist                            | 15. Politics   |
| 5. Researcher / Academic                              | 16. Military Pharmacist                              |
| 6. Pharmaceutical Industry /<br>Clinical Trials       | 17. Mental Health Pharmacist                         |
| 7. Locum Pharmacist                                   | 18. Women's and Newborns'<br>Pharmacist              |
| 8. Aged Care  | 19. Drug Information Specialist                      |
| 9. Government and<br>nongovernmental<br>organisations | 20. Emergency and Acute<br>Medicine Pharmacist       |
| 10. Complex Care Coordinator                          | 21. Antimicrobial Stewardship                        |
| 11. Drug Safety Officer                               | 22. Pain Educator, Program<br>Director or Consultant |

To access the booklet and find out more details about these roles, click on [Careers in Pharmacy](#).



### **Carlton College**

*The Carlton College of Sport provides the opportunity to complete 100-hours of industry-based placement whilst also undertaking their first year of tertiary education.*

*This, coupled with exclusive access into the sporting industry, allows for students to broaden their network.*

The Carlton College of Sport offers two year-long diplomas, with the academics run by La Trobe University, and work-based experience facilitated by the Carlton Football Club. Both diplomas lead into the second year of a bachelor's degree at La Trobe University, or immediate employment in the sports industry. Guaranteed placements are part of these courses too.

- [Diploma of Elite Sport Business](#)
- [Diploma of Sport Coaching and Development](#)

Find out more, including course fees, at [Carlton College of Sport](#).



## Media, Communication & Journalism Degrees in Victoria in 2023

Many universities in Victoria offer **advertising, media, media & communication, and/or journalism** degrees, and many of these are listed below. These areas of interest are often also offered as majors in Arts degrees. Note: An English is usually the only prerequisite subject for entry. For a **comprehensive list of all courses (including double-degree options) visit [VTAC](#).**

INSTITUTION	COURSE NAME	MAJOR STUDIES IN 2023	ATAR 2023
<b>DEAKIN</b> M – Melbourne GW – Geelong W’ Ponds	Communication	Advertising (major only), Creative advertising minor only), Digital and social media (major only), Digital media (minor only), Indigenous studies (minor only), Integrated communication (minor only), Journalism, Photojournalism (minor only), Public relations, Social media (minor only), Strategic advertising (minor only).	60.80 (M) 60.80 (GW)
	Communication (Advertising)	Advertising.	n/p (M)
	Communication (Digital and Social Media)	Digital and social media.	72.50 (M)
	Communication (Journalism)	Journalism.	n/p (M) n/p (GW)
	Communication (Public Relations)	Public relations.	n/p (M) n/p (GW)
<b>LA TROBE</b> M – Melbourne	Media & Communication	Creative and professional writing, Journalism, Marketing, Media industries, Sports media.	60.10 (M)
	Creative & Prof. Writing	Creative and professional writing.	74.40 (M)
	Journalism	Journalism.	61.05 (M)
	Marketing	Marketing.	60.10 (M)
	Media Industries	Media Industries.	67.10 (M)
<b>MONASH</b> C – Caulfield	Sports Media	Sports Media.	60.95 (M)
<b>MONASH</b> C – Caulfield	Media Communication	Journalism, Media, Public relations, Screen.	72.35 (Ca)
<b>RMIT</b> C – City	Communication (Advertising)	Advertising, Advertising Briefs, Advertising Campaigns, Advertising Communication, Advertising Concept Development, Advertising Marketing, Advertising Production, Advertising Research, Advertising Strategy, Communications, Concept Development, Consumer Behaviour, E-marketing, E-media, Marketing, Marketing Research, Media Planning, Media Strategy.	71.25 (C)
	Communication (Journalism)	Broadcast journalism, Digital journalism, Fact checking and verification, Feature writing, Journalism, Journalism ethics, Journalism law, Journalism practice, Journalism reporting, Journalism technologies, Newsroom practice, Photojournalism, Podcasting, Radio Journalism, TV journalism.	70.00 (C)
	Communication (Media)	Asian media and culture, Audio production, Cinema studies, Community media production, Film production, Internet and multimedia, Literature, Live media, Media, Media industries, Media production, New media, Non-profit media production, Online media production, Politics and communication, Popular culture, Radio production, Social media management, Social media marketing, Social media production, Television production, Video production.	68.25 (C)
	Communication (Prof. Communication)	Advertising, Asian studies, Cinema studies, Communication, Journalism, Literature, Media production, Politics, Popular culture, Public relations.	72.95 (C)
<b>SWINBURNE</b> H – Hawthorn * Professional Degree	Media & Communication	Advertising, Cinema and screen studies, Creative writing and literature, Digital advertising technology, Journalism, Media industries, Professional Writing and Editing, Public relations, Social media.	55.00 (H) 72.25 (H) *

## **Snapshot of the University of Adelaide in 2023**

- The University of Adelaide is amongst the world's top 1% of universities and the top university in South Australia – [World Rankings](#).
- The University of Adelaide is a member of the [Group of Eight](#), a coalition of Australia's leading universities.
- The University has four [campuses](#); three in South Australia at North Terrace, Waite, and Roseworthy and one in Melbourne, Victoria.
- The [Melbourne campus](#) offers two bachelor degrees for international students. They are: [Bachelor of Commerce](#) and [Bachelor of Information Technology](#).
- The university has a number of [international partnerships](#) and regularly has international guest speakers presenting at the university.
- The university has three academic [faculties](#), each with a number of schools and disciplines.
- The University of Adelaide offers undergraduate and graduate [courses](#), and the [Bachelor of Medical Studies and Doctor of Medicine](#) is also offered.
- Other Faculty of Health and Medical courses offered are -
  - [Bachelor of Dental Surgery](#)
  - [Bachelor of Health and Medical Sciences](#)
  - [Bachelor of Health and Medical Sciences \(Advanced\)](#)
  - [Bachelor of Nursing](#)
  - [Bachelor of Oral Health](#)
  - [Bachelor of Psychological Science](#)
- The university has a vibrant and diverse [volunteer](#) community, with volunteering and community service regarded by the university as an important enrichment activity.
- The University of Adelaide offers a wide range of [scholarships](#) ranging in value.
- The University of Adelaide students have access to an impressive portfolio of University-managed student [accommodation](#) options.
- [Study Overseas](#) supports students completing part of their degree overseas, with offerings including exchange programs, study tours, study abroad, practical experiences, and onshore programs to develop students' intercultural awareness.

