

# In the Know with Careers

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#### SPECIAL MESSAGE REGARDING EVENTS LISTED AND COVID-19

Events listed are presented as reported from the home website at the time of collection from the news source. We strongly advise you check directly with the event organisers regarding the delivery of the event due to current restrictions.

## University - Institutes

## What is UNSW Portfolio Entry?

12 December With UNSW Portfolio Entry, your pathway into university is unique - just like you. **UNSW Portfolio Entry includes** 

- Art & Design Portfolio Entry,
- Built Environment Portfolio Entry,
- Bachelor of Information Systems Admissions Scheme (BISAS) and the
- Faculty of Engineering Admissions Scheme (FEAS).

Here at UNSW, we want to reward your passion, creativity and potential to succeed in your degree area. That's why we offer UNSW Portfolio Entry, which gives you the opportunity to demonstrate your passion and talent, alongside your ATAR. If this sounds like you, we want to see your portfolio submission. It's an easy, online process, and can only ever boost your chances of admission. What you submit in your portfolio will depend on which degree you're interested in. Remember, your UNSW Portfolio Entry submission needs to be completed in addition to your UAC application. Please note, individual faculties may decide to open a second round to accommodate more applications after ATARs are released. The second round will be dependent on the number of places available in the program.

Portfolio Entry gives you the opportunity to demonstrate your passion and talent, alongside your ATAR. UNSW Portfolio Entry is one, easy online process. You'll select up to three degrees that you're interested in and be guided through what you need to submit. All domestic student high school leavers who are applying for an eligible degree and expecting an ATAR within 10 points of the lowest selection rank for your degree (unless otherwise stated).

https://www.unsw.edu.au/study/how-to-apply/undergraduate/admission-pathways/portfolioentry#:~:text=FEAS%20is%20an%20alternative%20pathway,Guaranteed%20Entry%20Rank%20(GE).&tex t=FEAS%20applies%20to%20most%20UNSW,Rank%20(GE)%20of%2091

## The University of Sydney Elite Athletes and Performers and Future Leaders Schemes closing Closes 31 October 2022

If you are an athlete or performer and your rehearsal, training or competitive commitments have significantly impacted your Year 12 studies, this scheme allows you to receive adjustment factors to increase your selection rank when applying to the University.

https://www.sydney.edu.au/study/how-to-apply/undergraduate/admission-pathways.html

Note that Elite Athletes and Performers Schemes are available at all universities and will close around this date. Check the individual university websites for more information.

## University of Sydney - Bachelor of Engineering: Civil, Construction and Structural Engineering 19 October

Join this webinar to find out more about the Bachelor of Engineering in Civil, Construction and Structural Engineering. The University of Sydney is ranked 2nd in Australia and 17th globally for Civil and Structural Engineering. Our systems approach to teaching allows students to graduate with the much sought-after design, research and problem-solving skills needed to create and manage sustainable built and natural environments.

https://uni-sydney.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\_oLrc2ZnET0q-dtAVS59xYg

## Study a Science Degree at the University of Sydney

Join this session to hear about how science degrees at the University of Sydney will prepare you for the future world of work. Find out about the wide range of areas of study or 'majors' on offer, such as geoscience, sustainability, environmental science, chemistry, physics, biology, psychology, animal and veterinary bioscience, and many more.

https://uni-sydney.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN eM nYM4yT3KJk Z8Dnh69A

## Free HSC seminars for students and parents in Year 10 and 11

With the beginning of the HSC year now having begun for your Year 11/12 students (and Year 10 approaching senior study), we would like to share with you some **free** seminars taking place at our partner universities, UTS and Macquarie University, in November this year. Designed for both **students and parents in Year 10 & 11**, the seminars will be delivered by qualified counsellors and senior HSC markers to address the following topics:

- How to manage stress during assessment and exam blocks
- Secrets to HSC success Tips from the marking centre
- What you need to know about the ATAR
- English tips and tricks
- Strategies for parents: communication & emotional support

The dates and times can be found below:

- Macquarie University Sunday 6th November (9:30am-12:15pm)
- UTS Sunday 13th November (9:30am-12:15pm)

Spaces are strictly limited, so we recommend you secure your place ASAP.

Please click on the buttons below to download the flyer and/or to register on our website.



## Medentry UCAT Preparation for Year 11 and Year 10 students looking at studying Medicine in the future

2 Pieces of the Medical Interview Success Puzzle - Medical Interview Strategy Day. Learn the strategies needed to succeed in a day long session with Dr Ray, Consultant Gastroenterologist with 20 years' experience in medical interview training. Dates: 5, 11, 20 Nov, 8 Dec. Tailored Mock Interview: Practice with a full length, university-specific mock interview, and receive feedback. http://www.medentry.edu.au/

## <u>TAFE</u>

## TAFE for Music, Fashion, Art, Floristry, Photography, Sound, Design, Signs, Graphics, Film and Screen

Creative, fashion and music courses offer students a chance to explore their passions and bring their artistic ideas to life. Courses in this sector are formulated to equip you with the practical skills and background knowledge you need to accomplish detailed design tasks and utilise the latest technology within any organisation.

https://www.tafensw.edu.au/courses/arts-design-digital-

media?utm\_campaign=20191015%20002%20b2c%20Career%20Advisor%20edm%20october%20newslett er%20initial%20SCHOOLS%20awareness&utm\_medium=email&utm\_source=Eloqua

## Launch Your Career in Big Data

Launch your Career aims to facilitate a broad range of opportunities for students to engage with industry across NSW. Increased exposure to employers and the world of employment leads to better outcomes for students when selecting a sustainable career pathway. It's also been shown to increase student engagement at school. Data is the driving force for almost all aspects of our daily lives. Huge amounts of data generated by large-scale enterprises or even individual data will only add value if we are able to interpret the story behind the information. This event is the perfect taster to explore the industry and pursue your career in data analytics.

https://www.tafenswevents.com.au/event/launch-your-career-in-big-data

## 2023 Degrees Guide now available

TAFE NSW offers a range of degrees that are taught by industry professionals in state-of-the-art facilities. Download the 2023 Degrees Guide to learn more.

https://www.tafensw.edu.au/degrees

## <u>General</u>

## Microsoft Traineeship Program

Microsoft Australia has created Microsoft Traineeship Program, which is developing a new, diverse pipeline of exceptional IT talent while also addressing the technical skills shortage in Australia.

For Microsoft partners and customers interested in hosting a trainee, this is an opportunity to get access to new and emerging talent from a diverse pool of candidates.

For aspiring trainees, this program provides an excellent foot-in-the-door to an exciting and rewarding career in IT.

https://www.microsoft.com/en-au/microsoft-traineeship-program

#### Reminder - AIQS Scholarships – closing soon!

Applications close 31 October 2022

AIQS offers a number of scholarships each year for Year 12 students who qualify for entry into a Quantity Surveying, Construction Economics, Construction Management (Economics) or other appropriate course at an AIQS accredited university in Australia.

Of the scholarships offered, at least one Equity Scholarship will be awarded to a student experiencing educational disadvantages.

https://www.aiqs.com.au/donald-napier-scholarships

#### **Electrical and Mechanical Apprenticeship Opportunities at Otis Elevators**

Otis Elevator Company are looking for Electrical and Mechanical Apprentices to commence in Sydney and Newcastle in early 2023. Find out more about Otis and the Apprenticeship Program through our online information sessions on Wed 19th October or Tues 25th October at 6pm. For more information or to register your interest in a webinar please contact Nicola Hilton on 0448 457 334 or nicola.hilton@otis.com