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University – Institutes

Last Chance – University of Wollongong Summer Master Class 2024

Applications Close 15th October

Our 3-week Summer Master Class program allows you to complete a university subject and secure at minimum a UOW admission interview to kick start your higher education journey.

Students who successfully pass their Summer Master Class subject will at minimum be guaranteed a conditional offer or admissions interview to a degree that aligns to the Summer Master Class subject they complete (noting must meet the assumed subject knowledge criteria).

Credit towards a UOW degree that could make you eligible to skip a whole subject when you study at UOW.

Western Sydney Uni – November Assessment Days for the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Pathway Program

13 & 14 November – Hawkesbury Campus

16 & 17 November – Campbelltown Campus

20 & 21 November – Online

The Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Pathway Entry Program is an alternative University Entry Program for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people.

Applicants can gain entry to any undergraduate degree* at Western Sydney University by completing our entry assessment and be supported throughout your education journey.

To gain entry to your dream degree, you are required to complete an Entry Assessment. The entry assessment includes a short essay and comprehension task. If your preferred degree requires numeracy, you will also be required to complete a short numeracy assessment. We provide you with access to online resources and practice tests, to help you get prepared.

Reminder – Western Sydney University – Blueprint Competition

Closing Soon!

Submissions Close 13 October

Western Sydney University is encouraging Year 10 High School students to pursue new business ideas that solves a customer problem. The competition empowers students through business education and provides a first-hand experience in entrepreneurship.

Western Sydney University Vice-Chancellor's Leadership Scholarship

24 November

The Vice-Chancellor's Leadership Scholarship (VCLS) aims to reward the success and accomplishments of high-achieving secondary school students who demonstrate excellence not only in their academic studies, but also in other aspects of their lives.

Western Sydney University Equity Scholarship

Closes 8 December

Equity scholarships recognise that all people have different needs and that some groups experience disadvantages that impact on their educational progress. WSU Equity Scholarships support a wide variety of students who experience financial hardship and other educational disadvantages.

[University of Sydney Bachelor of Arts \(Dual Degree, Sciences Po, France\) Applications Close Soon](#)

Applications Close 31 October

The first of its kind in Australia, two of the world's leading institutions for the humanities and social sciences – the University of Sydney's Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences and Sciences Po in France – have come together to offer students a dual degree program.

Anyone interested in furthering their studies in French and learning about other cultures while living in France for 2 years. The program offers an international learning experience and the opportunity to apply this learning to an Australian context.

[University of Sydney Elite athletes and performers Entry Scheme](#)

Closes 31 October

This scheme is for athletes or performers whose rehearsal, training or competitive commitments have significantly impacted their Year 12 studies or equivalent. This scheme allows successful applicants to receive up to five adjustment factors to increase their selection rank when applying to the University. Check the details on the link below. Scroll to "Elite athletes and performers"



[University of Sydney – Studying Design at Sydney Webinar](#)

25 October

Learn about how our new Bachelor of Design (Interaction Design) will provide you with the innovative technical and social design skills to become a leading edge designer in today's fast-paced job market. Find out how your passion for creativity and problem solving can be harnessed for a career in digital and visual design.

[Studying Science at the University of Sydney Webinar](#)

18 October

Are you an aspiring scientist keen to explore your tertiary study options? Join this information session delivered by Prof Mike Wheatland to learn about what the University of Sydney can offer you. Find out about the wide range of science major options, flexible and specialist degree pathways, career opportunities and the vibrant student experience at Sydney, and more.

[University of Sydney Designing your future with a Bachelor of Arts Webinar](#)

25 October

Discover the Bachelor of Arts and the combined four-year Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Advanced Studies degrees that will provide you with an outstanding liberal arts education. Find out how studying arts and social sciences at Sydney will prepare you to meet the challenges of the modern workforce, where expertise, inventiveness, logic and critical thinking come to the fore.

[University of Sydney Indigenous Australian Engineering School](#)

Applications Close 31 October

The Indigenous Australian Engineering School is an annual event established by Engineering Aid Australia. Open to 25 Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students entering Years 10, 11 and 12, the six-day live-in school gives students a taste of engineering as a university course and career.

IAES involves hands-on and challenging activities within the Faculty of Engineering, as well as site visits to engineering companies. [Learn more about the IAES program \(pdf, 2.3MB\).](#)

[University of Sydney and Sciences Po Dual Degree Information Session](#)

13 October, 9am (Paris time)

Join representatives from the Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences at the University of Sydney and Sciences Po, France as we hold a joint information session for our Bachelor of Arts (Dual Degree, Sciences Po, France) and Bachelor of Economics (Dual Degree, Sciences Po, France).

Find out about the Le Havre, Menton, and Reims Campuses of Sciences Po, France as we unpack our 2 + 2 Dual Degree and discuss the Overview, Studies, Costs, Admissions, and Timeline and closing dates of the dual degree programs.

[ANU College of Law – Ask us anything](#)



25 October

29 November

Join us for our upcoming drop-in session, where you will have the opportunity to speak with current students and faculty members to get an inside look at what it's like to study law at The Australian National University.

This is a casual, come-and-go event where you can drop in and ask anything you would like – from admissions and scholarships, to study plans and specialisations (and everything in between). We will be on hand to answer your questions and provide information on our programs, courses and resources. Don't miss this opportunity to get a firsthand look at what it's like to study law at the ANU College of Law.

[University of Newcastle – Yapug](#)

If you're an Aboriginal and or Torres Strait Islander person and aged 17 years* or over, Yapug is your key to university! Offered at the Newcastle Callaghan campus and Central Coast Ourimbah campus, Yapug is a pathway program designed to help Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people gain skills for entry into undergraduate degrees at the University of Newcastle.

Yapug will help you develop the academic skills and self-discipline required for success in undergraduate study. This specialty pathway program is specifically for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islanders wanting to:

- Gain guaranteed admission to over 40 undergraduate programs at the University of Newcastle
- Develop the academic skills necessary to succeed at university level;
- Become familiar with the University of Newcastle and its environment; and
- Develop different learning methods and skills, including problem-based learning, whilst enjoying a supportive learning environment (culturally, personally and academically).



University of Newcastle TAFE to Uni Webinar



26 October

Are you looking at studying a university degree after completing TAFE or another vocational qualification?

We invite you to join us for our TAFE to Uni webinar via zoom and hear why TAFE is a popular pathway into University.

Tune in to hear from our admissions staff and student ambassadors that will cover the following topics:

- Info about our University
- How to apply
- TAFE and other vocational qualifications entry pathway
- Scholarships and jobs on campus
- Support and services

Our student ambassadors will share their experiences coming to Uni via the TAFE pathway, and there will also be plenty of time for you to ask any questions. We hope that you can join us!

CQ University Principals Recommendation Scheme

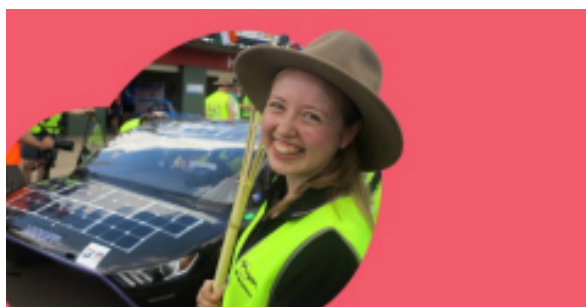
Closes 1 December

Our Principal's Recommendation Scheme (PRS) provides an early entry pathway for Year 12 students to apply to an undergraduate CQU course based on their high school principal's recommendation rather than ATAR. Students can receive an offer within 48 hours of submitting their application – without waiting for their Year 12 results.

Open to all Year 12 students; the Scheme is designed to assist capable students to access entry to CQUniversity; it in no way provides relaxation of the quality and academic standards that students must meet to complete their degree successfully.



UNSW Young Women in Engineering Club



The UNSW Young Women in Engineering Club is a fun, inspiring community for high school students interested in STEM.

We provide opportunities to explore the diverse fields of engineering where you can connect and share ideas with fellow high school students, and hear from inspiring role models such as UNSW Engineering students and women engineers who are already making their mark on the world.

UNSW Indigenous Pre-programs and IAS applications are open

Applications Close 3rd November

Program Dates: 20 November – 8 December

UNSW's Indigenous Pre-programs offer a holistic pre-entry university experience for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students. Our programs are both an alternative entry pathway to UNSW and a degree-specific preparatory program, meaning you can hit the ground running on day one of your degree.

We run Indigenous Pre-Programs in the areas of Business, Education, Law, Medicine, Social Work, or Science & Engineering.

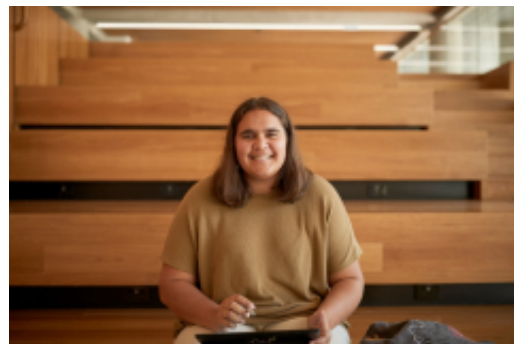
UNSW Indigenous Pre-programs provide you with a stepping stone to your dream degree.

The intensive programs introduce you to university life within a culturally supportive environment. Our programs prepare you for your specific degree and help you understand what to expect as a student.

You will make new and lasting connections with other students, as well as meet inspirational support staff and academics who will answer any questions you have about your studies.

Not only do the Indigenous Pre-programs assess your readiness for university without the need for an ATAR, they also provide preparation and support for your first year at UNSW. If you successfully complete the Pre-program, you may be offered a spot to study at UNSW.

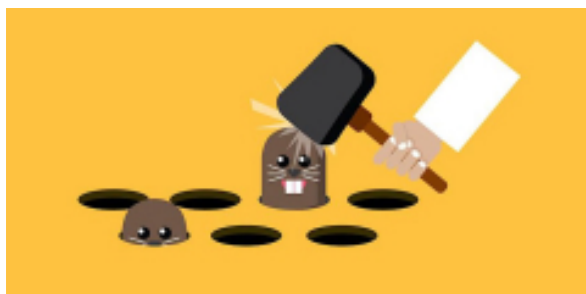
Therefore, our programs also enable you to hit the ground running when you commence as a student. You'll be familiar with the campus, your faculty, and with the community at Nura Gili, who will be there to help you navigate through your studies. The Pre-programs are also designed to examine your aptitude to study at university and allows students to understand the demands of various degree programs. There is no cost for students to take part in a Pre-program.



La Trobe University Sydney Learn how to build a Whac-a-Mole game!

23 November

Guided by our Information Technology Coordinator, Mehdi Pishva, learn the step-by-step process of building the classic Whac-a-Mole game with a techy twist!



[SciX@UNSW 2024](#)

Register by 12 November

Event runs January 15

The SciX@UNSW program is designed to support passionate high school students who are eager to delve into scientific research. Join one of our research groups and conduct an independent research project, ideal for HSC Extension Science, IB independent projects, or as a taste of a career in research science. The projects are overseen by our academic research staff and are delivered primarily by our graduate research students. They will introduce you to cutting-edge research tools and methodologies and guide you as you extend your scientific skills.

The centrepiece of the SciX experience is a one-week intensive summer school and SciX 2024 will take place on 15th – 19th January 2024. During the SciX summer school week, you will be involved in hands-on research lab and workshop sessions, learning new science and new techniques in data creation, collection and analysis that will enable you to get a great start with your project.



[UNSW National Indigenous Business Summer School](#)



Applications Close 23 October

UNSW Business School is proud to again be hosting the National Indigenous Business Summer School from 14 – 19 January 2024. The National Indigenous Business Summer School (NIBSS) is a Cultural leadership immersive experience for Indigenous high school and TAFE students in years 9, 10, 11, and 12 thinking of entering the world of business, industry and/or entrepreneurship. Throughout the program, students will meet Indigenous entrepreneurs, community leaders, business academics and industry professionals. Through workshops, company and site visits students will get hands on experience through working on a real-life business sprint.

University – General

[Bond University – Medical Program Information Session for 2024 Intake](#)

15 November

The Bond University Medical Program offers students opportunities to bring to life their ambitions to become outstanding practitioners, thinkers, and leaders, well-equipped to deliver evidence-based, patient-centred health care that meets the needs of a diverse community.

If you missed out on our last webinar in November or would like a refresher, we invite you to join the Dean of Medicine who will provide an overview of the Medical Program at Bond University. Get the answers to all your questions during this information and interactive chat session. It's your opportunity to ask the important questions, explore your options and discover if Bond University is the right fit for you.

Your information session topics of discussion:

- Entry requirements and tuition fees
- Program structure and subjects
- How to apply and the admissions process
- Upcoming key dates
- Pathways into the program

TAFE

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Volvo Apprenticeship Program

The Volvo Apprenticeship Program is designed to train and develop apprentices to keep pace with advancing technology and high levels of customer service. It spans four years, with three years as block release at the Volvo Training Centre, and consists of a variety of workplace and off-the-job training.

Your career will be given full support to help you successfully complete the Program. Few businesses can offer their employees such diversity, challenges, excellent training and career development prospects.

Every apprentice is encouraged to demonstrate initiative and contribute his or her own ideas for improving customer service and developing the business. But this approach requires a special type of person. You must have the ambition to contribute and succeed in a fast-paced, results oriented environment and strive to be the best in everything you do.

Master Builders Association of NSW Pre-Apprenticeships

Register your interest for the course starting 27th November.

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.

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Traineeships for School Leavers Working in Community Services

LiveBetter provides traineeships for senior school students and school leavers who would like to work in the community services sector.

It's a valuable opportunity to improve the lives of others while embarking on a fulfilling career in aged care, disability care or other business areas in a regional community services organisation.

We offer School-leaver Traineeships across our NSW geographic footprint, depending on the capacity of our service teams.

Taking place in the year after your final year of high school, it can be either full time or part time and lasts for 12 months. Depending on your location, we offer traineeships in both aged and disability care or other areas of the organisation, such as business administration, Early Childhood or IT. You will work alongside a buddy with full-time supervision in a supportive environment.

School-leaver Traineeships combine on the job experience with formal study/training at a Registered Training Provider (RTO) such as TAFE.



Murrumbateman Field Days

21 October

Visit us at the the largest agri-tourism event in the Yass Valley.

Teachers and staff will be available to answer all your questions regarding studying agriculture at TAFE NSW.

We look forward to meeting you there!

Childhood Education Careers Day

25 October

The event is for students considering a career in the high-demand industry of Early Childhood Education. Our campus is a learning hub and industry leader in Early Childhood Education, and during the Careers Day you can speak with childhood educators and several employers. You can also learn about our courses (Cert III, Diploma and Degree), traineeships and career pathways.

Australian National Field Days

26 October

The Australian National Field Days (ANFD) is the oldest annual agricultural exhibition in the country. Established in 1952, the ANFD continues to offer visitors a unique insight into the future of agriculture with the commitment to Advancing Australian Agriculture.

More than 600 exhibitors travel to the Borenore site (15kms west of Orange, NSW) from all over Australia and internationally to display their products and services during the three-day event.

Private Colleges

AMPA – How To Apply

Auditions available in November and December

Take the lead and join one of Australia's leading providers of music and performing arts education. There are 3 intake periods for you to start your journey with AMPA:

Intake 1 (Jan/Feb) | Intake 2 (May) | Intake 3 (Sep)

How should I prepare? Choose your audition pieces carefully and know them well. Choose songs that you feel most confident with and that show off your full range of skills. Feel free to utilise backing tracks and accompaniment. Most importantly, relax and enjoy the process! If you have any questions beforehand, please feel free to get in touch with our friendly Admissions staff on 02 9310 3111 or by emailing admissions@ampa.edu.au

William Angliss Institute Scholarships Closing Soon

Closing 5 November

Don't miss out on the chance to apply for scholarships valued at up to \$4,000 at William Angliss to help support students through your educational journey. Scholarships are awarded on the basis of both academic merit, or financial need.

The William Angliss Institute Foundation provides educational opportunities and financial assistance to support disadvantaged students in achieving their career ambitions. The Foundation has been established in recognition of the pioneering work in the areas of hospitality and foods by the late Sir William Charles Angliss.

Through a scholarship fund built on the generous support of our many friends and industry partners, the Foundation provides ongoing assistance to students and the wider community through the establishment of various scholarship programs across the Institute.

William Angliss Institute Scholarships Workshops

12 & 23 October

Online

Attending this session is a must before you apply for this round of scholarships! By attending, you'll receive a rundown of the application process, scholarship requirements, some key dates, and ways to improve your application.

Whitehouse Design – Limited Places Remaining for 2024

Whitehouse has limited places remaining for their February 2024 intake. Apply today to avoid missing out!



Sydney Design School Open Day

28th October

Be open to creativity! We're opening our studios for a day of exploration. Meet our passionate Educators, view our exhibition space and get hands on building an interiors mood board or 3D model.

AIT MasterTalk – Meet the Graphic Artist for Elvis!

26 October

Join us for an AIT MasterTalk with Bowen Ellames, award-winning Concept Artist and Graphic Designer for Marvel and the biopic, Elvis!

Learn about the career journey of concept artist and graphic design artist, Bowen Ellames, and get a glimpse into some of the main projects throughout his career.



General

Wesley Youth and Young Adult Support



Through a range of programs we can help you:

- access safe and affordable accommodation
- get support for mental health, addictions, family breakdown and/or financial stress
- access appropriate services and advocate on your behalf
- explore options for medium and long-term housing
- discuss and explore pathways to employment
- develop a rental accommodation assistance plan

We operate in locations across Sydney's Inner West, as well as the Mid North Coast of New South Wales and Coffs Harbour. As well as accommodation support, Wesley Mission has a range of support services in each region to help young people facing homelessness or other hardships

Wesley Support – Mental Health Support

Emotional wellbeing is just as important as your physical health. Good mental health allows you to develop the resilience to cope with whatever life throws at you and grow into well-rounded, healthy adult.



Assistants in Nursing – Their Important and Growing Role

Anyone who relishes the idea of caring for people as a living may decide that a career in the medical world is a good choice. However, not everyone is suited to becoming a medical professional such as a doctor, nurse or physiotherapist. For people who want to help, without having one of these roles, there is the option of becoming an assistant. For instance, there are [Allied Health Courses](#) which people can take in order to qualify for a role in assistance. Allied health assistants provide assistance to health practitioners including physiotherapists, occupational therapists, podiatrists, speech pathologists and dietitians. Another option is to become an assistant in nursing.

Things to Consider Before Getting Started in a Physio Career

Physiotherapy is a great career choice if you're interested in helping people recover from injury or illness. But before you decide to become a physiotherapist, you should consider a few things. Sure, physiotherapy sounds cool but is it the right career for you?

Here, we will provide more information on the job outlook for physiotherapists, the educational requirements for this profession, and what kind of salary you can expect to earn. We'll also discuss some of the benefits of working as a physiotherapist so before you take the plunge, here are a few things to consider.

Apply for a Job At Woolworths



At Woolworths Group, we create better experiences together for a better tomorrow. Our diverse group of retail businesses are some of Australia's most recognised and trusted brands, and our team are at the heart of everything we do.

Career Pathways with Coles

Good things start with being your true, authentic self. At Coles Group, we're committed to attracting and employing people that represent the communities we work in. We're building a safe and supportive working environment for all team members, regardless of age, disability, race, gender identity, gender expression, sexual orientation, religion, ethnicity, family responsibilities or cultural background.

Throughout the recruitment process, we provide support for candidates to make sure nobody is disadvantaged.

If you're interested in a great career with Coles Group, across any of our brands or functions, we'd love you to apply.



SummerJobs.com.au

All the Christmas casual jobs in Australia in one place! We know it's a weird time and nobody's sure what's happening but as we move into summer and the school term comes to an end it's the perfect time to get a summer job. Even though we can't travel there's no reason we can't save for a trip!

To make it easy we've found all the current open positions for Christmas Casuals in New South Wales.

It also has a really useful blog designed specifically for first-job seekers.

How to Transition to Tertiary Education – Helpful Hints for People with Autism Spectrum Disorder.

Congratulations on deciding to undertake tertiary study at university or TAFE. You will encounter many changes with this transition: a new physical environment, different teaching and learning approaches, and new expectations of you as a student.

Coping with change and transition can be difficult for many people, and if you are on the Autism Spectrum you may find it particularly challenging.

The information was developed as two booklets. These booklets discuss many changes to expect, but cannot predict all possible changes you may experience. Each university or TAFE is different; each campus is different; the staff are different; the students are different; and the way you experience it may be different as well. Nevertheless, a good logical approach to planning will help you cope with the transition



Microsoft Traineeship Program – IT Traineeship

Applications now open

The Microsoft Traineeship Program is designed to support budding IT professionals to take the first step in their career. This is an opportunity to gain paid work experience in the IT field while gaining the nationally recognised qualification: Certificate IV Information Technology (Networking), in addition to the latest Global Microsoft certifications as part of the Azure Administrator Certification Track.

If you are successful in joining the Microsoft Traineeship Program, MEGT becomes your legal employer and you will be hosted with one of our clients from the Microsoft Australia partner network.

Reminder – AIQS Scholarships – closing soon!

Applications close 31 October 2023

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.

LetzLive Gap Year

As industry leaders and a respected partner of prominent schools, we provide overseas Gap Year opportunities for young people across the world. Since embarking on our own Gap Year, we can personally relate to the experiences had by our participants and provide ongoing support every step of the way with full-time staff located in Australia, New Zealand and the United Kingdom. We believe the support we offer and how we place participants based on their skills and preferences are just some of the reasons why we are leaders in the Gap Year field.

Over the years we have established solid relationships with over 200 prominent schools globally and several hundred placements annually. Let us guide you through the whole process so you can begin the best year of your life.

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