CAREERS NEWS JUNE 2015

WANTING TO STUDY MEDICINE? Year 12 students are reminded that if you plan to apply to study medicine at Monash University next year you must sit for the Undergraduate Medicine and Health Sciences Admission Test (UMAT). Register to sit this test by 5.00pm AEST on Friday 5 June. The test date is Wed 29 July. See: www.umat.acer.edu.au

MAKING MUSIC WITH TECHNOLOGY – Creative Music Technology (CMT) is a new specialisation in the Bachelor of Music at Monash. It focuses on the creative application of technology in professional music, sound, performance, broadcast, multimedia and research. Students are required to be musically trained as well as having an interest in the relationship between music and technology. Applicants will need to audition both on their chosen digital audio workstation (DAW) and on an instrument. A sound knowledge of music theory and aural skills will also be tested. Careers will be in new media, composition, recording and performance creative industries. A two-day audition workshop for CMT will be held in September. Contact ben.grayson@monash.edu for details.

DISCOVER DEAKIN – Deakin University welcomes Year 10-12 students and their parents to get a taste of university life. Attend study area workshops, explore the campus, find out information about fees and services, and hear from Australia’s leading innovation consultancy firm, Inventium on the latest scientific findings in relation to what drives highly inventive and intellectual thinking. When/Where: Tues 30 June at Burwood campus & Wed 1 July at Geelong Waterfront campus; Register: www.deakin.edu.au/discover-deakin.

EXPERIENCE ACU – This program at Australian Catholic University gives you the opportunity to sample the degree of your choice. Get a taste of life at ACU by meeting staff and current students, and trying out the course in which you are interested. This is for Year 10-12 students to learn about industries and careers, hear helpful tips in preparing for university, and enjoy the entertainment and fun campus atmosphere. When/Where: Mon 29 June (Melbourne campus, Fitzroy) & Tues 30 June (Ballarat campus); Register: www.acu.edu.au/uni-experience; Info: 1300 275 228.

EXPERIENCE LA TROBE UNIVERSITY – This is your chance to get to know the La Trobe community and be a uni student for a day. Find out what really happens after secondary school and attend workshops, seminars and lectures of your choice. This is a free event with lunch and entertainment provided. When: 9 July (Bundoora); Register: www.latrobe.edu.au/experience.

HANDS ON ENGINEERING – Get hands on experience in activities and workshops to learn about different fields of engineering. When: Thurs 2 July; Who: Year 10 students; Register: www.eng.unimelb.edu.au/schools.
HANDS ON COMPUTING – Find out what computing and information systems study involves, and pathways to careers. **When:** Tues 7 July; **Register:** [www.eng.unimelb.edu.au/schools](http://www.eng.unimelb.edu.au/schools).

HAVE YOU SUBSCRIBED TO 'MY MELBOURNE'? 'My Melbourne’ is a monthly newsletter for future students. It’s a great way to keep up-to-date with what’s happening at the University of Melbourne and find out all about the opportunities available. **Subscribe:** [https://blogs.unimelb.edu.au/mymelb](https://blogs.unimelb.edu.au/mymelb).

NATIONAL YOUTH SCIENCE FORUM – Are you in Year 11 and interested in a career in science, technology or engineering? Are you an Australian citizen or permanent resident, planning to study at an Australian university? Are you achieving good grades in science, and also have other skills and interests? If so, you might want to apply for this Forum. Applications must be endorsed by a local Rotary Club. Brochures are available by emailing nysf@nysf.edu.au, or see [www.nysf.edu.au](http://www.nysf.edu.au). The Forums are in Canberra in January 2016.

SCIENCE IN THE CITY LAB TOURS – RMIT is offering students and parents the chance to visit their learning laboratories and to find out about opportunities in biology, biotechnology, chemistry, environmental science, nanotechnology and physics. **When:** 11am-2pm, Mon 29 June; **Info/registration:** [www.rmit.edu.au/appliedsciences/discover](http://www.rmit.edu.au/appliedsciences/discover).

RMIT EXPERIENCE DAYS – You can find out about university life and explore interest areas in the school holidays. **What/When:** 29 June - Engineering (City); 30 June - Health and Medical sciences; 1 July - Justice and legal, Music, sound and live production, Science; 2 July – Engineering (Bundoora); Sustainability; 3 July – Project Management. **Info:** [www.rmit.edu.au/experiencedays](http://www.rmit.edu.au/experiencedays).

CAREER DISCOVERY IN FASHION AND TEXTILES – This course, running the school holidays, will assist you to select the most suitable RMIT Fashion and Textiles program and career options. It is a two-day workshop for year 11 & 12 students including workshops and discussion topics that may include trend forecasting, fashion creative processes and ideas generation, developing a visual diary, digital technologies and textile design. **When:** 8 – 9 July; **Cost:** $275; **Information:** [www.shortcourses.rmit.edu.au/page/career_discovery_fashion](http://www.shortcourses.rmit.edu.au/page/career_discovery_fashion).

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