



Careers Newsletter

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➤ **JOBJUMP - PARENTS AND STUDENTS PLEASE WATCH YOUTUBE VIDEO AND SIGN UP**

Sign up to JobJump for information about tertiary study options, ATAR's and apprenticeship and TAFE information. Create a resume, sign up for news alerts.

To register go to <https://www.jobjump.com.au/>

Search school – St Pius X Chatswood

Register with an email address

Password – pius (lower case)

Parent information: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fZoyckJwVg&feature=youtu.be>

NIE UMAT Workshops

Sydney 20/5 & 12/7

<http://www.nie.edu.au/umat-courses/umat-workshops>

➤ **MEDENTRY UMAT COURSES**

Sydney 3/6 – 4/6, 24/6 – 25/6, 1/7 – 2/7, 22/7 - 23/7

<https://www.medentry.edu.au/courses/umat-course-locations>

➤ **MEDICAL SCHOOLS AROUND THE WORLD**

Find and compare med schools around the world.

<http://worldwidemed.co/>

➤ **UOW INFO EVENINGS**

Year 10 Subject Selection Evenings:

Sutherland – Tuesday 2 May

Liverpool – Tuesday 9 May

Year 12 Information Evenings:

Sutherland – Monday 8 May

Liverpool – Tuesday 27 June

Years 10 – 12 Information Evenings:

Campbelltown – Thursday 18 May

Parramatta – Thursday 29 June

<http://www.uow.edu.au/future/events/index.html>



➤ **UOW HSC STUDY DAYS**

6 June - Languages Study Day

<http://lha.uow.edu.au/studydays/UOW213560.html>

8 June - Legal Studies Study Day

<http://lha.uow.edu.au/studydays/UOW213761.html>

➤ **UOW EARLY ADMISSION PROGRAM**

With UOW Early Admission, we'll get to know you, look at your results so far and reward your hard work with a place at UOW before you even sit your first exam.

Applications open 1 - 25 August 2017.

<http://www.uow.edu.au/future/early-admission/index.html>

➤ **MACQUARIE UNI UNDERGRADUATE INFORMATION EVENING**

5 - 8pm, 17 May @ Campus Hub, Building C10A, Macquarie University

Register: <http://www.mq.edu.au/about/events/view/undergraduate-information-evening-3/>

➤ **UTS BACHELOR OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (BIT) CO-OPERATIVE SCHOLARSHIP**

You must apply through both the Universities Admissions Centre and directly through UTS. Successful applicants are selected on a combination of interview + ATAR.

Round 1 closing date: 3 September

Round 2 closing date: 13 October

<https://www.uts.edu.au/future-students/information-technology/essential-information/how-apply/how-apply-bit>

➤ **UNSW MINING ENGINEERING FREE SCHOLARSHIPS INFORMATION DINNERS**

Parramatta 15 May (Mantra Hotel 6.30-9pm)

Year 10, 11 & 12 students can meet with our academics, current students, alumni and industry professionals to get the dirt on Mining Engineering. Find out about entry options, campus life, study, career options and what it's really like to work in the Mining and Minerals Industry.

We are also pleased to announce that we will have up to 15 UNSW Minerals Industry Scholarships valued at \$48,000 each, on offer again in 2018.

<https://www.engineering.unsw.edu.au/mining-engineering/all-events/unsw-mining-engineering-free-scholarship-dinners>

➤ **UNSW LAW ADMISSION TEST INFORMATION EVENING**

6.30 – 8.30pm, Thursday 4 May @ Law Theatre GO4, Union Road, Building F8, Kensington, UNSW Sydney.

The Law Admission Test is an entry requirement for all undergraduate law dual degree programs at UNSW.

For current High School students (Year 11 and 12) and their parents and career advisers.

<https://www.futurestudents.unsw.edu.au/lat-law-admissions-test-information-evening>



➤ **UNSW CO-OP PROGRAM INFO EVENING**

6 - 8pm, Thursday 11 May @ UNSW Kensington Campus

To help you start to shape your Career and the study pathway to get you there, the UNSW Co-op Program has assembled a line-up of Industry Leaders in key sectors:

Finance, Technology, Engineering, Marketing & Maths

Industry Leaders in these sectors will share their insights on the industry, the career opportunities available and their own journeys, in a session designed to help you Create Your Career.

<https://www.futurestudents.unsw.edu.au/co-op-create-your-career-evening>

➤ **UNSW HSC ENRICHMENT DAYS**

8.30am – 4pm, 4 – 6 July @ UNSW Kensington Campus.

1 day face-to-face study programs in Physics, Chemistry and Biology to assist Year 12 students in preparing for their HSC exams. Students will also be provided with online study resources which they can study at their own time.

<https://www.futurestudents.unsw.edu.au/hsc-enrichment-days>

➤ **UNSW OPEN DAY**

9am – 4pm, 2 September.

<https://www.futurestudents.unsw.edu.au/unsw-open-day>

➤ **WESTERN SYDNEY UNIVERSITY PARENT INFORMATION EVENING**

6.30 - 8.30pm, 20 June @ Parramatta South Campus

For parents, guardians and future students.

https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/future/future_students_home/events/parent_information_evening

➤ **HTN 12 WEEK PRE-APPRENTICESHIP**

Chef apprenticeships.

<http://htn.com.au/careers-2017/>

➤ **BERT EVANS APPRENTICESHIP SCHOLARSHIPS**

Scholarships assist apprentices in NSW who have demonstrated:

- Hardship in their personal circumstances.
- Aptitude for vocational education and training to lead to successful completion of their trade training.
- a positive attitude and application in the workplace and in off the job training.

There will be a maximum of 50 Scholarships awarded annually including 10 NSW Country Apprentice Scholarships.

Scholarships are open to school based apprentices.

Closing date: Tuesday 30th May 2017.

https://www.training.nsw.gov.au/individuals/apprenticeships_traineeships/financial_help/ber_t_evans_scholarships.html



➤ **NSW COUNTRY APPRENTICE SCHOLARSHIP CORRECT LINK**

This article was published with an out-of-date link. The correct link is the same as the article above. This Scholarship offers financial assistance to eligible country NSW apprentices to support their apprenticeship training. At least 10 Scholarships are awarded each year. At least two of these are awarded to apprentices of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander background.

Worth \$5,000 for each year the apprentice is completing training to a maximum of \$15,000. Up to 30 scholarships in any one year distributed evenly across 1st, 2nd and 3rd year apprentices.

https://www.training.nsw.gov.au/individuals/apprenticeships_traineeships/financial_help/bert_evans_scholarships.html

➤ **MIGAS: TELECOMMUNICATIONS TECHNICIANS**

There are opportunities to help expand the Telstra copper network and roll out the NBN in metropolitan and regional areas around Australia. Find out about the training opportunities in your area:

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

➤ **SYDNEY TAFE SEMINARS**

Free seminars will inform you about your options, how to make career and study decisions, and the support available to you at TAFE.

4.30 – 5.30, 16 May @ Ultimo

<http://sydneytafe.edu.au/newsevents/events/planning-tafe-and-your-career-0>

12.00 – 1.00pm, 18 May @ Randwick

<http://sydneytafe.edu.au/newsevents/events/planning-tafe-and-your-career-9>

12.00 – 1.00pm, 24 May @ Ultimo

<http://sydneytafe.edu.au/newsevents/events/planning-tafe-and-your-career-1>

5 – 6pm, 29 May @ Randwick

<http://sydneytafe.edu.au/newsevents/events/planning-tafe-and-your-career-10>

11am – 12pm, 1 June @ Ultimo

<http://sydneytafe.edu.au/newsevents/events/planning-tafe-and-your-career-2>

4.30 – 5.30pm, 8 June @ Design Centre Enmore

<http://sydneytafe.edu.au/newsevents/events/planning-tafe-and-your-career-3>

5 – 6pm, 15 June @ Ultimo

<http://sydneytafe.edu.au/newsevents/events/planning-tafe-and-your-career-4>

11am – 12pm, 22 June @ Ultimo

<http://sydneytafe.edu.au/newsevents/events/planning-tafe-and-your-career-5>

2 – 3pm, 5 July @ Ultimo

<http://sydneytafe.edu.au/newsevents/events/planning-tafe-and-your-career-6>

Bookings are not required.

➤ **MARINA TRAINEESHIPS IN SYDNEY**

The new traineeship is set to commence next month with the first group of trainees from NSW due to meet at the Boating Industry Association Watsons Bay Boating Safety Education Centre on Sydney Harbour.

Enrolments are still being accepted. For further information contact Colin Bransgrove at colin@marinas.net.au, 02 94395806, or Mark Robb at markr@safetycorp.com.au, 1300 799 190.

<http://www.marinebusiness.com.au/news/marina-traineeships-set-to-start-in-sydney>



➤ **AIE ALUMNI: GETTING AHEAD IN VFX AND ANIMATION**

This interview with an AIE alumnus can help you find out about skills you should be working on to forge a career in the VFX and animation industries.

<https://www.facebook.com/AIEdu/videos/1436502909707118/>

➤ **BEDFORD COLLEGE OPEN DAYS**

Glebe Campus - 2 September 9.30am - 3.00pm

Norwest Campus - 9 September 9.30am - 3.00pm

Tour the College and check out the facilities

Attend the Information Sessions (held throughout the day)

Talk to the course information girls

Discuss your career options

Chat to teachers and staff

Ask us about university pathways for graduates

And more...

<https://www.bedford.edu.au/about/opendays>

➤ **WHITEHOUSE WINTER HOLIDAY WORKSHOPS**

July 3rd - July 16th, 2017.

5-day workshops in the specialised areas of Fashion illustration, Interior illustration, Photography, and How to Create a Design Portfolio.

<http://www.whitehouse-design.edu.au/courses/winter-holiday-workshops>

➤ **WHITEHOUSE GRADUATE EXHIBITION AND RUNWAY**

Tuesday 28th November 2017

For further event information or school bookings call 1300 551 433 or email

enquiry@whitehouse-design.edu.au

<http://www.whitehouse-design.edu.au/calendar/2017/11/28/graduate-exhibition-and-runway-sydney-campus>

➤ **INTERNATIONAL COLLEGE OF MANAGEMENT SYDNEY (ICMS) OPEN DAY**

6 August 2017.

<https://www.icms.edu.au/future-students>

➤ **ENDEAVOUR COLLEGE OF NATURAL HEALTH: OPEN DAY**

Sat 17th June

<https://www.endeavour.edu.au/events/725>

➤ **BLUE MOUNTAINS INTERNATIONAL HOTEL SCHOOL INFO SESSIONS**

SATURDAY 2 JULY, 2pm, Sofitel Sydney Wentworth, 61-101 Phillip St, Sydney

SATURDAY 20 AUGUST, 2pm, Hotel Hotel, 25 Edinburgh Ave, Canberra

<http://www.bluemountains.edu.au/infosessions/>

➤ **YOUTH JOBS PATH**

Youth Jobs PaTH is a new, flexible program designed to prepare young people for work. It also encourages employers to trial a young person for a job by offering interns and financial incentives to reduce the cost of recruitment.

<https://jobactive.gov.au/path>

Find your local Employability Skills Training Provider here:

<https://docs.employment.gov.au/node/37826>



➤ **NATIONAL YOUTH SCIENCE FORUM**

- Session A Canberra
Tuesday 2 – Saturday 13 January 2018
- Session B Brisbane
Tuesday 9 – Saturday 20 January 2018
- Session C Canberra
Tuesday 16 – Saturday 27 January 2018

The NYSF will take talented students, who are about to begin Year 12, through a residential camp where they will learn about the possibilities of careers in Science, Engineering and Technology through interactive demonstrations and laboratory work based on Campus at ANU or UQ.

Applications for the NYSF are now open and close 31st May.

Contact: 02 6125 2777 or nysf@nysf.edu.au

<http://www.nysf.edu.au>

➤ **YOUTH FOR UNDERSTANDING STUDENT EXCHANGE**

Online Info Sessions: 4/5, 1/6, 29/6, 13/7, 10/8, 5/9, 3/10, 31/10, 21/11

NSW Info Sessions @ The Dougherty Community Centre, 7 Victor Street, Chatswood:
10/5, 14/6, 9/8, 13/9, 18/10, 15/11

<http://www.yfu.com.au/connect/infosessions/>

➤ **FOCUS ON ABILITY SHORT FILM FESTIVAL**

This festival asks film makers to 'Focus on the Ability' of people with a disability and tell a story on film for the world to view. This year has been biggest yet, and our generous sponsors have donated over \$140,000 worth of cash and prizes to encourage film makers and people with disability to tell their stories.

Entries close 30 June 2017

<http://www.focusonability.com.au/>

➤ **HTN INTER SCHOOLS CULINARY CHALLENGE**

15, 22, & 30 June @ Hamilton, Campbelltown, & Ryde Colleges.

HTN is seeking Year 11 and 12 Hospitality students from local High Schools to participate in the 2017 HTN Inter Schools Culinary Challenge. Please complete the registration form or email mina@htn.com.au

<https://form.jotform.co/62160732147854>

https://gallery.mailchimp.com/9e93755a25afa25ba42912ece/files/6e19f399-8f27-449e-82ba-cadb632ab86b/2017_HTN_Inter_Schools_Culinary_Competition.pdf

➤ **NCVER NO FRILLS PROGRAM**

The program is now available for No Frills, 5 – 7 July in Hobart.

https://www.ncver.edu.au/_data/assets/pdf_file/0030/373647/No-Frills-2017-Program.pdf

➤ **STURT WINTER SCHOOL**

3 – 7 July.

Adult Art & Craft courses and Children's courses in the Southern Highlands.

Accommodation & Meals.

<http://www.sturt.nsw.edu.au/education/winter-school>



➤ **PROS AND CONS OF A GAP YEAR**

<https://www.gooduniversitiesguide.com.au/education-blogs/student-life/taking-a-gap-year-pros-and-cons>

➤ **UN YOUTH: YOUNG DIPLOMATS TOUR**

This four-week tour will run in January 2018 across nine European countries so that young people can learn about diplomacy in the 21st Century. Applications are open to students in years 10 – 12 and close 7th May.

<https://unyouth.org.au/event/young-diplomats-tour/>

➤ **UN YOUTH: AMERICAN POLITICAL TOUR**

This four-week tour in December 2017 – January 2018 is for students to learn about the current state of American politics by travelling around the US and meeting politicians, diplomats, activists, NGOs and more. Applications are open to students in years 10 – 12 and close 7th May.

<https://unyouth.org.au/event/american-political-tour/>

➤ **15 TIPS TO STOP PROCRASTINATING**

<http://learningfundamentals.com.au/blog/15-strategies-to-stop-procrastinating-and-get-stuff-done/>

➤ **EXPRESS MEDIA: TOOLKITS**

Toolkits is a mentoring program for writers aged under 30. It provides one-on-one mentoring from experienced writers, presentations from artists, and the chance to network with other young writers. The program takes place online, so high school students and people living in regional and remote areas are encouraged to apply. Applications should open in May, as in previous years – keep your eye on the website for details.

<http://expressmedia.org.au/programs/toolkits/>

➤ **BOND UNIVERSITY FILM AND TELEVISION SHORT FILM COMPETITION**

Entries open: Monday 1st May

Entries close: Saturday 30th September

Bond University Film and Television Awards (BUFTA) is a short film competition for aspiring filmmakers from Year 11 and 12 secondary schools across Australia. BUFTA winners are offered a grand prize of a full fee paid scholarship to study a Bachelor of Film and Television at Bond University.

<http://www.bufta.com.au>

➤ **SKI OR SNOWBOARD INSTRUCTOR IN CANADA**

All-inclusive instructor package in Canada from only \$3975 includes:

- Accommodation
- Training
- Lift Passes
- Exams and course material
- Guaranteed job offer
- and so much more...

<http://courses.easkiandsnowboard.com/easter-sale-1/>



➤ **WORK EXPERIENCE IN THE FASHION INDUSTRY**

Whitehouse Institute of Design, Australia offers on-campus work experience for design/education orientated Year 10- students. The week at Whitehouse provides the opportunity to watch and learn about photo shoots, illustration and design classes and workshops as well as experience some of the core administration tasks in a design college such as studio setting-up, event bump-in & bump-out and reception duties.
Contact: enquiry@whitehouse-design.edu.au

➤ **EDUTECH CONGRESS & EXPO**

8 – 9 June @ International Convention Centre, Sydney
<http://www.edutech.net.au>

➤ **TIPS FOR YEAR 12 ENGLISH**

<http://this.deakin.edu.au/study/how-to-pass-year-12-english>

➤ **APPRENTICESHIP AS THE BASIS FOR A SUCCESSFUL CAREER**

Read this story from MIGAS about Christopher, who completed a boilermaker apprenticeship, which led him to university and then to managing. He believes an apprenticeship was the perfect basis for this career.
<https://www.migas.com.au/news/boilermaker-apprenticeship-perfect-entree-to-university/>

➤ **COMMUNICATION SKILLS FOR WORKPLACE SUCCESS**

<https://www.thebalance.com/communication-skills-list-2063779>

➤ **ARMY RESERVES ONLINE Q&A**

Tuesday 2nd May from 6:00pm-7:00pm
If you have ever thought about joining the Australian Army but don't want the full-time military commitment, the Army Reserves offers exciting flexible opportunities. If you're interested in joining the Army Reserves, you can join in this Facebook Q&A to ask any of your questions.
<https://www.facebook.com/events/641544632709655/>

➤ **WHAT'S IT REALLY LIKE TO BE AN ACCOUNTANT?**

<http://this.deakin.edu.au/careers/whats-it-really-like-to-be-an-accountant>

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