

VU CAREER PRACTITIONERS' FORUM: INDUSTRY CONNECTIONS – THE PATH TO STUDENT SUCCESS

Once again Victoria University (VU) will be presenting the Career Practitioners' Forum to share with you our course and service information with you. Join us on Friday 15 May 2015 at Flemington Racecourse.

Your feedback on our previous events has been an integral part of our 2015 program design. The workshops will be formatted to share our partnerships, work integrated learning programs, achievements in industry and graduate outcomes. Our speakers will include current students, academic staff members and alumni. You will have the opportunity to hear well-rounded views of why VU is a great choice for your students.

VU is widely recognised as the University with strong industry connections. Our focus for the forum is to demonstrate how these connections put our students on the path to success. Our plenary panellists will include a selection of Victoria University's industry partners and successful alumni as they discuss the benefits of our high profile industry connections, our emphasis on practical learning and why our students graduate work-ready.

Professor Kerri-Lee Krause, Provost and Professor of Higher Education at Victoria University, will be sharing how VU is changing the student experience and the impact of these

changes for your students. You will also have the opportunity to tour our \$68M state-of-the-art sports research and learning precinct, the Institute of Sport, Exercise and Active Living (ISEAL).

The VU forum is a fun informative day where you can learn more about Victoria University and network with colleagues. This event is recognised as professional development by 'Careers Industry Council of Australia (CICA) Professional Standards' and the 'Victorian Institute of Teaching (VIT)' and Forum attendees will be able to claim professional development hours.

Register now to attend the VU Forum - 15 May 2015

TIPS FOR A FANTASTIC FORUM

- Attend workshops to learn more about our disciplines
- Chat to our students and get the real story about their VU experience
- Get all the details on our housing, scholarships and other student support services
- Network with your career practitioner colleagues
- Connect with VU Staff.

VICTORIA UNIVERSITY TEAMS UP WITH REAL MADRID

Victoria University sports students will gain behind-the-scenes access at Real Madrid Football Club through a new partnership signed this month. The partnership will bring Real Madrid Graduate School Universidad Europea expertise directly to classes in Australia. "Real Madrid Graduate School Universidad Europea has some of the world's most highly-regarded sports educators, in football

especially, and this partnership will see these very people deliver lectures at VU campuses in Australia," Professor Westerbeek said.

"This means students will learn from a strengthened teaching staff throughout the duration of their degrees."

Read more about VU's Real Madrid partnership.

MARK YOUR DIARY

MARCH 26

Diamond Series: 30 Years of Teacher Education vu.edu.au/diamond-series

APRIL 30

Diamond Series: Remaking Education from Below: Learning from the Chilean Student Movement vu.edu.au/diamond-series

MAY 15

VU FORUM vu.edu.au/vu-forum

MAY 28

Diamond Series: Educational Exclusion - A Hard Habit to Break vu.edu.au/diamond-series

JULY 9

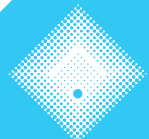
Be You at VU

AUGUST 23

Open Day

AUG-SEPT

Explore VU



VICTORIA UNIVERSITY



CONGRATULATIONS SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS

We know that education can transform lives, and that scholarships can make that transformation possible. Each year Victoria University awards hundreds of scholarships worth millions of dollars for students at all levels.

VU Scholarships were awarded to almost 100 of your students for 2015. See the full list of scholarship recipients by school on the last page of this newsletter.

DISCIPLINE IN PROFILE: EDUCATION

The Education and Training industry provides teaching and allied services to all those participating in education and training from preschool through to the tertiary sector and other adult and community education.

Based on the 2011 Census, there were 804,419 people employed in the Education and Training industry, 441,053 people were working full-time, with another 323,087 in part-time positions. This makes Education and Training the fifth largest employing industry.

Whatever your students' career aims, from early childhood education to secondary teaching, Victoria University has the right course. With an education degree from VU, students are able to teach in a public or private primary or secondary school, and can specialise in physical education, the arts, home economics, humanities, social sciences, mathematics, outdoor education, science and more.

CAREER OUTCOMES

- early childhood educators
- kindergarten
- primary school
- secondary school
- adult and vocational trainer
- language
- special needs.

WORKPLACE LEARNING

We place a strong emphasis on workplace learning. This means more hours in school and childcare settings interacting with young people at work and play, so you can put theory into practice right from first semester. It is truly the most inspirational way to learn.

SAMPLE STUDY PATHWAYS



EDUCATION COURSES

Bachelor of Education - Footscray Park campus

Prerequisites: Units 3 and 4 - a study score for English as an Additional Language (EAL) 30 or any other English 25 AND successful completion of Units 1 and 2 - two units of general mathematics or mathematical methods (CAS).
2015 Clearly in ATAR: 56

Bachelor of Education - St Albans campus - Extended Learning Program

Prerequisites: Units 3 and 4 - a study score for English as an Additional Language (EAL) 25 or any other English 20 AND successful completion of Units 1 and 2 - two units of general mathematics or mathematical methods (CAS).
2015 Clearly in ATAR: 52.9

Diploma of Education Studies

Prerequisites: Units 3 and 4 - a study score of at least 25 in English (EAL) or 20 in any other English or equivalent.
2015 Clearly in ATAR: Range of Criteria (RC)

Diploma of Early Childhood Education and Care

Prerequisites: Successful completion of VCE or equivalent.
2015 Clearly in ATAR: Range of Criteria (RC)

Bachelor of Education (Early Childhood/Primary)

Prerequisites: Units 3 and 4 - a study score for English as an Additional Language (EAL) 30 and any other English 25 AND completion of Units 1 and 2 - two units of general mathematics or mathematical methods (CAS).
2015 Clearly in ATAR: 50.1

Bachelor of Sport Science (Physical Education) (Secondary)

Prerequisites: Units 3 and 4 - a study score for English as an Additional Language (EAL) 25 and any other English 20
2015 Clearly in ATAR: 50.9





Samuel Manhom, accounts officer for the National Sterling Group, has progressively completed foundation courses, a double-degree in accounting, banking and finance in 2010, and finally a Master of Business in 2012.

"I was attracted to Victoria University because of its reputation for valuing cultural diversity and its commitment to excellence and innovation. Their courses motivated me and provided me with the right tools for my personal development, and most importantly, with abilities to contribute to the community."

Mr Samuel Manhom, Bachelor of Accounting, Banking and Finance 2010, Master of Business (Finance) 2012, Young Achiever Alumni Award 2014.

WANTED: STUDENT ENTREPRENEURS

Victoria University's I Plan a Business (iPAB) is back for 2015. The annual competition, open to Year 10 and 11 students, gives emerging student entrepreneurs the chance to apply their creativity and business skills; the chance to win some amazing prizes AND an opportunity to be mentored by innovative business leaders.

"The key to winning the competition is to have confidence in your business idea and plan. The more you put in, the more you will get out of the competition!" Great advice from Charlotte Morton, Melbourne Girls College, winner of the 2014 Best Multimedia Project – Individual.

Find more information on the iPAB competition on our website.

VU VICTORIES

- Our MBA has been ranked top three in Australia and eighth in the global Top 20 MBA by CEO magazine in its January 2015 rankings. **Read more on our successful MBA program**
- Victoria University sports students will gain behind-the-scenes access at Real Madrid Football Club through a new partnership signed this month. **Read how VU students will benefit.**
- Electrical Engineering expert Professor Peng Shi has made the Thomas Reuters list of Highly Cited Researchers for 2014. **Read why Professor Shi work is the most highly cited in Electrical and Electronic Engineering.**
- Well done to VU law students Gerard Everett, Lucienne Galea and Adelle Inclendon who won the Spirit of Jessup Award at the Jessup Moot in Canberra

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SUBMISSIONS OPEN: CREATIVE ARTS JOURNAL

Do you have creative students looking to get published? Offset, VU's creative arts journal, is accepting poetry, prose, painting, photography, film and much more.

"It was really amazing to see my name in print for the first time" says Riley Barber, a 14 year old poet from Maribyrnong College who in 2014 became the youngest ever person published in Offset and our first high school student.

Find out how we can help your students showcase their creativity!

VOCATIONS BY INTEREST: ENTERPRISING

"The only way to be truly satisfied is to do what you believe is great work. And the only way to do great work is to love what you do." – Steve Jobs

As introduced in our February edition, this year we will be exploring the Holland personality types to assist you in guiding your students to a rewarding future. We recognise that most students are a combination of types, and should be encouraged to explore a number of categories.

A strong Enterprising personality type sees themselves as energetic, ambitious, and sociable. These students may enjoy activities that involve leading and persuading people, and generally avoid activities that require careful observation and scientific, analytical thinking.

A student who identifies with the Enterprising vocational personality may be interested in:

LEGAL PRACTICE AND SUPPORT

Career Outcomes

- Arbitrator, Mediator, or Conciliator
- Lawyer
- Paralegal/Legal Assistant

Courses to Explore

- Advanced Diploma of Legal Practice
- Bachelor of Laws
- Bachelor of Legal Services

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Career Outcomes

- Construction Manager
- Purchasing Manager

Courses to Explore

- Diploma of Business (Enterprise)
- Diploma of Purchasing
- Bachelor of Building (Construction Management)

FINANCE

Career Outcomes

- Accountant or Auditor
- Appraiser, Real Estate
- Personal Financial Advisor

Courses to Explore

- Diploma of Accounting
- Bachelor of Business (Banking and Finance)
- Bachelor of Commerce (Applied Finance)

PROMOTION

Career Outcomes

- Advertising and Promotions Manager
- Public Relations Manager
- Sales Manager

Courses to Explore

- Bachelor of Communication
- Bachelor of Sport Management
- Bachelor of Business (Marketing)

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR 2015 SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS

| SCHOOL NAME | STUDENT/COURSE |
|--|--|
| | Cameron Lee, Bachelor of Science (Clinical Sciences) |
| | Kelsey Wells, Bachelor of Exercise Science (Clinical Practice) |
| Al-Taqwa College | Ramiza Secic, Bachelor of Education Yasmine Barakat, Certificate IV in Education Support |
| Apollo Bay P-12 College | Josh Cooper, Bachelor of Health Science (Paramedic) |
| Ave Maria College | Claudia Raimondo, Bachelor of Business |
| Ballarat Clarendon College | Jaleesa Morris, Bachelor of Sport Management/ Bachelor of Business |
| Bayside P-12 College | Leah Collins, Bachelor of Education (Early Child/Primary) |
| Braybrook College | Bruce Huynh, Bachelor of Sport Coaching |
| Buckley Park College | Samantha Alvarez Arreguin, Bachelor of Psychology (Honours) Nicholas Mermingas, Diploma of Fitness |
| Camberwell Anglican Girls' Grammar School | Amelia Flynn, Bachelor of Science (Clinical Sciences) Leni Schiller Ampt, Bachelor of Science (Clinical Sciences) |
| Caroline Chisholm Catholic College (Sacred Heart Campus) | Molly Argus, Bachelor of Education |
| Catholic Regional College - Melton | Megan Pawar, Bachelor of Nursing Sarah Spiteri, Bachelor of Nursing |
| Catholic Regional College - Sydenham | Christopher Fenech, Bachelor of Laws/Bachelor of Business Brandon Lowe, Bachelor of Exercise Science (Sport Practice) |
| Caulfield Grammar School - Caulfield | Marcus Pennefather, Bachelor of Science (Clinical Sciences) |
| Christian College Institute Of Senior Ed | Liam Nankervis, Bachelor of Education |
| Copperfield College | Maria Cifligaraska, Bachelor of Business |
| De La Salle | Nicholas Papamiliades, Bachelor of Science (Clinical Sciences) |
| Diamond Valley College | Laura Dunell, Bachelor of Science (Clinical Sciences) |
| Emmanuel College (Notre Dame Campus) | Bridgette Petersen, Bachelor of Nursing |
| Emmanuel College (St Paul's Campus) | Jacob Splatt, Bachelor of Science (Clinical Sciences) |
| Essendon East Keilor District College | Kate Nicolaou, Bachelor of Education |
| Footscray City College | Jacob Veal, Bachelor of Engineering (Mechanical Engineering) (Honours) Ben Chambers, Certificate IV in Sound Production |
| Genazzano F.C.J. College | Sarah Cust, Bachelor of Science (Clinical Sciences) |
| Gilmore College for Girls | Jasmin Savannah, Certificate IV In Liberal Arts Vanessa Nguyen, Bachelor of Science (Psychology) |
| Haileybury College | Glenn Strutt, Bachelor of Science (Clinical Sciences) |
| Haileybury College - Brighton | Brendan Scotts, Bachelor of Science (Clinical Sciences) |
| Heathdale Christian College | Darcy Hodges, Bachelor of Sport Science (Physical Education) (Secondary) Alexandra Lala, Certificate IV in Accounting |
| Heathdale Christian College Werribee Cam | Arie Van Der Merwe, Bachelor of Science (Clinical Sciences) |
| Hoppers Crossing Secondary College | Asmaa El-Dabel, Bachelor of Education |
| John Paul College | Jack Rowlinson, Bachelor of Laws/Bachelor of Business |
| Katherine High School | Asha Tonkin-Reeves, Bachelor of Biomedicine |
| Keilor Downs Secondary College | Laura Christou, Bachelor of Education |
| Kurnai College - Precinct Campus | Cassandra Godden, Bachelor of Arts (Criminal Justice Studies) |
| Kurunjang Secondary College | Ezekiel Daniel, Bachelor of Exercise Science (Sport Practice) |
| Lakeview Senior College | Keegan Large, Bachelor of Laws Jemmina Polzella, Certificate IV in Community Services Work |
| Laverton P-12 Secondary College | Sharni Currie-Procter, Bachelor of Arts |

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|---|--|
| Luther College | Emily Laffin, Bachelor of Science (Clinical Sciences) |
| MacKillop Catholic Regional College | Anthony Limina, Bachelor of Sport Science (Exercise Science) Tori Agius, Bachelor of Sport Management/Bachelor of Business |
| Manor Lakes P-12 College | Jordan Patty, Diploma of Fitness |
| Marian College Sunshine West | Mezide Okray, Bachelor of Laws/Bachelor of Business |
| Maribyrnong College | Jesse Bonnici, Bachelor of Laws/Bachelor of Arts |
| Melton Christian College | Laura Jackson, Diploma of Education Studies |
| Melton Secondary College | Liam Richards, Bachelor of Communication |
| Montmorency Secondary College | Erica Tait-Hoffman, Bachelor of Creative Arts Industries |
| Mount St Josephs Girls' College | Tahlia Davis, Diploma of Information Technology |
| Neerim District Secondary College | Alyssa Quigley, Bachelor of Science (Biomedical and Exercise) |
| Northcote High School | Riley Terrens, Bachelor of Exercise Science (Sport Practice) |
| Overnewton Anglican Community College-Keilor | Michaela Bidmade, Bachelor of Science (Clinical Sciences) |
| Point Cook Senior Secondary College | David Currie, Diploma of Education Studies |
| Rosehill Secondary College | Danielle Honey, Bachelor of Science (Biomedical and Exercise) |
| Seymour College Adelaide | Georgia Sanders, Bachelor of Health Science (Paramedic) |
| St Albans Secondary College | Steve Obeid, Diploma of Sport Development Linh MY (Tina) Huynh, Bachelor of Nursing |
| St Bernard's College | Kristian Said, Bachelor of Exercise Science (Sport Practice) Thomas Mahony, Diploma of Sport Development |
| St Columba's College | Nikki Spencer, Bachelor of Exercise Science (Clinical Practice) |
| St John's Regional College | Manepha Kozoolin, Bachelor of Laws/Bachelor of Business |
| St Joseph's College Ferntree Gully | Jackson Weiser, Bachelor of Science (Clinical Sciences) |
| Staughton College | Jennifer Spiteri, Diploma of Education Studies Jayden Saltmarsh, Advanced Diploma of Legal Practice |
| Strathmore Secondary College | Joshua Shenouda, Bachelor of Science (Biomed Sciences) |
| Sunshine College | Imeri Dzenita, Bachelor of Legal Services Latesha Palu, Advanced Diploma of Legal Practice |
| Suzanne Corey High School | Zoe Agius, Diploma of Education Studies |
| Taylors Lakes Secondary College | Reyhan Sentip, Bachelor of Psychological Studies/ Bachelor of Business |
| The Grange P-12 College | Dylan Woods, Diploma of Fitness Tori Barton, Bachelor of Education |
| The King David School- Senior School | Michael Kocherginsky, Bachelor of Sport Science (Exercise Science) |
| Thomas Carr College | Izabela Smaza, Bachelor of Education Chloe Reeves, Diploma of Early Childhood Education and Care |
| Upwey High School | Laura Bucci, Bachelor of Exercise Science (Sport Practice) |
| Victoria University Secondary College (Brimbank Campus) | Emma Psaila, Bachelor of Education Vannessa Mayne, Certificate IV in Music |
| Victoria University VCE Department | Cameron Wilson, Bachelor of Sport Science (Human Movement)/Bachelor of Psychological Studies Maryam Ahmed, Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled/Division 2 Nursing) |
| Werribee Secondary College | Cayley Parker, Bachelor of Science (Human Nutrition) Lauren Traynor, Diploma of Sport Development Aimee Underwood, Bachelor of Education |
| Williamstown High School | Ashleigh Davey, Bachelor of Business |
| Wyndham Central College | Kacie Mclean, Bachelor of Education |