# Careers Newsletter

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Tip for Year 12 students submitting a SEAS and/or Scholarship Application through VTAC

How can a Statement of Support be submitted electronically?

In most cases applicants who have applied for SEAS and/or Scholarships are required to obtain and submit a statement from a responsible person who can support their application. The quickest and easiest way to do this is to have them submit a Statement of Support online.

Applicants can generate a one time login and password in their VTAC User Account and email these details to their nominated person (applicants should obtain their nominated person's email address prior to generating a one time login and password). Once their nominated person receives the email from VTAC, they can login and complete the online Statement of Support and submit it directly to VTAC.

APS Psychology Careers Seminar

The Melbourne branch of the Australian Psychological Society (APS) is hosting a free careers seminar for aspiring psychologists. The purpose of the event is to offer students an insight into a number of specialist areas of psychological work.

Date: Saturday 20 September 2014
Time: 12noon – 3.00pm (including a BBQ lunch)
Venue: South 1 Lecture Theatre, Building 64, Monash University, Clayton Campus

Any queries can be made to melbapsstudents@gmail.com

Discover Hospitality

Students are invited to make use of this useful website called Discover Hospitality - www.discoverhospitality.com. The resource was developed by industry and is aimed at providing information to those students looking to pursue a career in Hospitality.
Discover Deakin – School Holiday Program

Deakin is offering Year 10, 11 and 12 students the chance to find out more about Deakin and the courses on offer through hands on workshops and seminars at the Geelong Waurn Ponds and Melbourne Burwood campuses. Students will also have the opportunity to speak with current staff and students about courses and find out more about how to apply to Deakin.

**Date:** Tuesday 22 September 2014  
**Time:** 9.00am – 12noon  
**Venue:** Geelong Waurn Ponds Campus,

**Date:** Monday 23 September 2014  
**Time:** 9.00am – 12noon  
**Venue:** Melbourne Burwood Campus


Guaranteed Pathways from TAFE to Deakin

The Deakin Pathways Program seeks to encourage increased participation in higher education, as well as providing a supported student transition to higher education through supported VET programs. These pathways provide students with a seamless transition from TAFE Diplomas / Advanced Diplomas to Deakin degrees.


- Deakin-Box Hill Institute Pathways Program Flyer
- Deakin-Chisholm Institute Pathways Program Flyer
- Deakin-Riverina Institute (Riverina-Murray) Pathways Program Flyer
- Deakin-South West TAFE Pathways Program Flyer
- Deakin-Gordon Pathways Program Flyer

Alternatively, please email pathways@deakin.edu.au for assistance or further advice!

Explore the Broad Range of Science Courses at Deakin

*Considering a career in Science, but not sure which area you want to focus on? Our new suite of science videos will help you to decide.*

The videos at the link below showcase the undergraduate degrees in *Science, Biological Science, Biomedical Science and Zoology and Animal Science* from both a student and staff perspective. Visit [www.deakin.edu.au/study-at-deakin/find-a-course/science](http://www.deakin.edu.au/study-at-deakin/find-a-course/science) to watch the videos.
Automotive, Technical & Parts Apprenticeships

Applications are now open to those students considering a career in the Motor Trade. Successful candidates will be placed with a dealer for full time employment and will also receive block training. Dealers involved in this program include Audi, Volkswagen, Jaguar, Land Rover, Mazda, Volvo, Subaru and Renault. The Apprenticeship Program will start in 2015. For more information on the dealers participating in this program and to access the application form, visit www.vantageautomotive.com

Chancellor’s Scholars Guaranteed Entry to Medicine

One of the benefits of the University of Melbourne’s Chancellor’s Scholars Program is a guaranteed Commonwealth Supported Place in a wide range of graduate degrees, including the Doctor of Medicine (MD).

Guaranteed entry into the MD through the Chancellors’ Scholars Program requires:

✓ Successful completion of prerequisite subjects in an undergraduate degree; and
✓ A Multi-Mini Interview (MMI).

Successful Year 12 students may opt to sit the MMI in December 2014 or during their final year of undergraduate study. Either of these options is treated equally by the Selection Committee. It is up to the student which option they choose – the only advantage to choosing the earlier option is it will give students a greater assurance about their guaranteed pathway place.

Registrations for the Multi-Mini Interview (MMI) are now open and will close on Monday 15 December (12.00noon). Late registrations will not be accepted. Eligible registrants will receive an email confirming their interview time by close of business on Monday 15 December 2014. For more information, including how students can register, visit www.sc.mdhs.unimelb.edu.au/chancellors-scholars-program

Endeavour College of Natural Health

Endeavour College of Natural Health is a provider of education to the complementary health industry. Endeavour College offers Bachelor of Health Science degrees in acupuncture, musculoskeletal therapy, naturopathy and nutritional medicine, and Vocational Education and Training (VET) qualifications in massage and homeopathy.

Endeavour is holding an Open Day on Saturday 11 October 2014 where students will be able to attend mini lectures, see practical demonstrations and talk to lecturers about natural health study and careers. Register at www.naturalhealthopenday.com.au or find out more by emailing info@endeavour.edu.au or calling 1300 462 887.
News from RMIT University

- **New Advanced Diploma in Engineering Technology**
  The *Advanced Diploma in Engineering Technology* focuses on civil engineering and building the skills for a career in engineering at a para-professional level. This Advanced Diploma does not have a mathematics prerequisite and provides clear pathway into RMIT’s degree program. **Find out more by visiting** [http://www.rmit.edu.au/programs/c6132](http://www.rmit.edu.au/programs/c6132)

- **Pathway: Associate Degree in Engineering Technology**
  The *Associate Degree in Engineering Technology* provides a common first year before splitting in second year into seven engineering majors: *Advanced Manufacturing and Mechatronics*, *Aerospace*, *Civil, Computer and Networking*, *Electrical and Electronic, Mechanical and Sustainable Systems*. Students who achieve a grade point average of 2.0 or greater receive automatic entry into relevant bachelor programs with the equivalents of two years’ credit. **Find out more at** [http://www.rmit.edu.au/programs/ad026](http://www.rmit.edu.au/programs/ad026)

- **New Live Events and Technical Production**
  The *Certificate IV and Diploma of Live Events and Technical Production* are ideal for students interested in sound, lighting and video operation at live events. Students learn production techniques for a diverse range of jobs in the AV and Live Events industry. These programs are ideal for students who have completed VET in schools Music Industry or Technical Production. An ATAR score is not required, and selection is by interview. **Find out more at** [www.rmit.edu.au/media/liveproduction](http://www.rmit.edu.au/media/liveproduction)

- **Nuclear Medicine Lab Visits**
  Students interested in knowing more about the role a nuclear medicine technologist plays in the investigation, diagnosis, treatment and monitoring of disease, are encouraged to sign up for a *free* visit to a nuclear medicine department at a major teaching hospital in Melbourne.

  **Date:** Thursday 25 September 2014 OR Friday 26 September 2014

  For further information contact the RMIT Medical Sciences faculty on (03) 9925 7075 or by email at medicalsciences@rmit.edu.au. Alternatively register at **Nuclear Medicine Lab Visits**.

  **PLEASE NOTE:** Due to an issue with the original form, any registrations made before Monday 25 August have been lost. If students registered before this time, please register again. RMIT apologizes for this inconvenience.

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**Diploma of Nursing Pathway**
All Box Hill graduates of the Diploma of Nursing are guaranteed a place in the Bachelor of Nursing at ACU with 8 subjects credited. Graduates will be given one year’s credit in the Bachelor of Nursing at Deakin University, and graduates will also be eligible to apply to go into the Bachelor of Nursing at La Trobe University and Monash University (Berwick). The VTAC Code for the Diploma of Nursing is 5100210164. **Find out more about the Diploma of Nursing at** [http://www.bhtafe.edu.au/courses/local/Pages/HC512.aspx](http://www.bhtafe.edu.au/courses/local/Pages/HC512.aspx)
Swinburne Advice Night

• Understand ATARs, VTAC, pathways and fees
• Become informed about the application process and studying at Swinburne
• For students and parents
• Wantirna Campus: Wed 10 Sept, 4.30pm - 6.30pm
• Hawthorn Campus: Wed 17 Sept, 4.30pm-6.30pm