COURSE & INSTITUTION INFORMATION SESSIONS FOR STUDENTS & PARENTS

Australian College of Applied Psychology (ACAP) Information Evening Wednesday 20 January, 2016 6pm
Come along to ACAP’s Information night and find out more about our VET, Bachelor, Honours, Graduate Diploma and Masters programs. ACAP staff will be on hand to answer your questions. Level 5, 11 York St Sydney. RSVP at http://www.acap.edu.au/future-students/info-sessions/ or call 1800 061 199.

2016 Option’s Day
UOW College will again be exhibiting at the annual 2016 UOW Option's Day to be held on 5 January at the UOW Wollongong Campus. We will be on hand to provide information about Alternative Pathways to UOW, Career-Ready Qualifications, Payment Options, Scholarships and much more. Students, Parents and Career Advisors can register at http://www.uow.edu.au/future/options/index.html.

ICMS Parents Information Evening
Our annual Parents Information Evening will be held on Thursday 3 December from 6.30pm to 8.30pm. Designed for parents of Year 12 students, the event includes a facilitated Q&A session with ICMS staff, parents and current students. Guests will also be served drinks and canapes while they find out more information about ICMS. To register, visit www.icms.edu.au/parents-evening.

COURSE UPDATES, CHANGES

Certificate III Individual Support
New Certificate III in Individual Support qualifies students as personal care assistants. Students complete core subjects common to AGEING, DISABILITY and HOME AND COMMUNITY. Great for VET and school-based traineeships. Call now for more information or visit https://www.macquarie.nsw.edu.au/new-course-gives-aged-care-more-flexibility

COURSES & WORKSHOPS FOR STUDENTS

Are your students looking to kick-start their career?
UOW College has a number of career-ready qualifications in Nursing, Early Childhood, Legal Services, Fitness, Business and Community Services. We offer courses ranging from Certificate III to Diploma-level to help you get where you are going in no time at all. Contact us at uowc-vocational@uow.edu.au or 1300 885 395 for more information. Also ask us about Smart and Skilled Funding Opportunities.

Summer School with the School for Excellence
Get a head start on your HSC with Summer School! The summer holidays offer students the opportunity to get ahead in their studies, reducing study loads in 2016. Work through course materials in advance so that you are then consolidating them in term time. We cover the first half of the HSC course to an A+ standard.

OPEN DAYS

Free Guidance and Career Advise Day
Style Academy is Sydney’s premier Modelling, Screen Acting, Photography, and Make-up Artistry Academy based in Sydney CBD with over 18 years tradition. We are offering free information sessions and career advise to those interested in getting in the industry. Available days are Tuesday to Saturday. To book, please ring 02 92643344
For more information visit http://styleacademy.com.au
You’re invited to Australian Careers Business College Open Days on December 8, 9 & 10
Students can discover how to graduate in one year with a Nationally Recognised Qualification, a pathway to University and hands-on work experience. Liverpool – Tuesday 8 December, Wollongong – Wednesday 9 December and Parramatta – Thursday 10 December. For more info call 1300COLLEGE http://www.acbc.nsw.edu.au/

EXPOS & FORUMS

National Skills Week 2016 – DATES ANNOUNCED

CADETSHIPS, APPRENTICESHIPS, TRAINEESHIPS

Love cooking? Want to be a chef?

- **Apprentice Chef – Newcastle Area**
  1st Year Apprentice Chef positions available in the Newcastle area. Start your culinary career now. Apply by sending your resume to recruitment@htn.com.au or call 1300 139 108 for more info.

- **Apprentice Chef – Hunter Valley**
  1st Year Apprentice Chef positions available in the Hunter Valley region. Start your culinary career now. Apply by sending your resume to recruitment@htn.com.au or call 1300 139 108 for more info.

- **Apprentice Chef – ACT**
  1st Year Apprentice Chef positions available in the ACT region. Start your culinary career now. Apply by sending your resume to recruitment@htn.com.au or call 1300 139 108 for more info.

- **Apprentice Chef – Tweed Heads**
  1st Year Apprentice Chef positions available in the Tweed Heads and Kingscliff area. Start your culinary career now. Apply by sending your resume to recruitment@htn.com.au or call 1300 139 108 for more info.

- **Apprentice Chef – Sydney**
  1st Year Apprentice Chef positions available throughout Sydney. Start your culinary career now. Apply by sending your resume to recruitment@htn.com.au or call 1300 139 108 for more info.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Bedford College Scholarship Applications Due
Teaching courses in Business, Management, Early Childhood Education and School Age Education, Bedford College is offering a number of scholarships for these courses at each campus. All school leavers (Years 10, 11 and 12) are eligible to apply and applications close on 30 November. For more information, give us a call on 1300 174 174 or check us out at http://www.bedford.edu.au/

EARLY ENTRY

Sydney City School of Law early entry
Improve your chances of gaining direct entry into a law degree, with a guaranteed scholarship offered by the Sydney City School of Law and additional entry support such as 20 bonus points and a personal interview with the Dean. Please visit www.top.edu.au

OVERSEAS OPPORTUNITIES

Open a world of possibilities with WEP!
WEP Australia offers not-for-profit student exchange programs to over 25 countries around the world. Are you dreaming of a white Christmas in Europe next year? Maybe you’re keen to discover the ‘real’ USA or Australia’s cooler cousin, Canada! Whatever your style, there’s a place for you! Contact us now on 1300 884 733 or visit our website, wep.org.au, to find out more.
Study in the USA Fair

Save the date for the annual USA College Fair being held at Redlands School, Cremorne on Thursday 10 March 2016 from 5–7pm. A list of all participating universities and registration will be available from Term one in 2016. Over 20 universities expected. For more information please contact Simone Salier: ssalier@redlands.nsw.edu.au

JOBS & CAREER OPPORTUNITIES FOR STUDENTS

BiG Day In @ UTS Sydney – 1 March 2016

BiG Day In IT Careers Conference for students Yrs 9–12 @ UTS on Tuesday 1 March 2016. Speakers incl. Animal Logic (the LEGO movie), Microsoft, CSC, IBM, WiseTech Global, CBA, TCS & more talking about their careers & the future of technology. Loads of cool exhibitors including Microsoft, CodeCamp, Westpac, IBM, Digital Careers, CBA & loads more. Tickets $10ph http://www.thebigdayin.com.au

BiG Day In @ CSU – 17 March 2016


BiG Day In @ University of Newcastle – Tuesday 3 May 2016

BiG Day In IT Careers Conference for students Yrs 9-12 @ University of Newcastle. Speakers incl. Microsoft, NIB, Greater Building Society, IBM, Adobe & more talking about their careers & the future of technology. Loads of cool exhibitors including IBM TCS, Australian Govt ICT Apprenticeships & loads more. $10ph for students http://www.thebigdayin.com.au

BiG Day In @ University of Canberra – Thursday 2 June 2016

BiG Day In IT Careers Conference for students Yrs 9–12 @ University of Canberra. Speakers incl. Microsoft, IBM, Adobe, HP, Aust Govt ICT Apprenticeships, CSC & more talking about their careers & the future of technology. Loads of cool exhibitors including Microsoft, TCS, Australian Govt ICT Apprenticeships & loads more. $5ph for students http://www.thebigdayin.com.au

SUMMER COURSES

‘Designer for a Day’ Workshop– 28 November, Saturday 9am-12pm @ FashionMasters, L3, 91 York St

In this ½ day intensive, designer and lecturer Elise Slater will introduce you to the world of the fashion design workroom. She will guide students through various design and concept development functions via drawing, mood board and fashion visualisation techniques. This workshop is free-of-charge and open to everyone. For more info and to RSVP, please contact Rose at rschleicher@holmes.edu.au

ALTERNATIVE PATHWAYS

STEP to UOW Program in 2016

UOW College would like to remind you of their STEP to UOW Program for any students who may have experienced or be experiencing disadvantage during their secondary schooling, particularly Years 10-12. Eligibility criteria and course information can be found at the UOW College website or by contacting Ms Sherien Khachiche via sherien@uow.edu.au or on (02) 4221 3950.

Portfolio Entry for UNSW Art & Design Closing Soon

Students wishing to demonstrate their creative potential and boost their chances of entry to UNSW Art & Design may submit a Portfolio. Portfolios should include a cover letter; two referees; and a selection of work consisting of 6 images; a URL; or a 500 word review. To submit, visit: https://www.artdesign.unsw.edu.au/future-students/portfolio-entry Portfolios are due on 11 December 2015.
NEW COURSES

Diploma of Legal Services and Diploma of Fitness at UOW College in 2016

UOW College is pleased to announce that we are now offering a Diploma of Legal Services and a Diploma of Fitness commencing in February 2016! Both qualifications can be used as a Pathway to UOW (where eligible) and as a gateway to their relevant industries.

For more information, please contact the UOW College Vocational Team via uowc-vocational@uow.edu.au or 1300 885 395.

Certificate IV in Community Services Work now Available at UOW Shoalhaven Campus

UOW College is now offering the Certificate IV in Community Services at our UOW Shoalhaven Campus (Nowra) throughout 2016 commencing in February for students interested in an industry recognised qualification. In2Uni Scholarships will be available for eligible students along with Smart and Skilled Government subsidies. Contact uowc-vocational@uow.edu.au or on 1300 885 395 to find out more!

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