

NHS Year 12 Careers Newsletter

UNSW Co-operative Program Scholarships Program

Through the **UNSW Co-op Program** students are able to alternate academic study with full-time employment, gaining practical experience in their field of study. The UNSW Co-op Program Scholarships are offered to all students accepted into the program and are available for courses in Business, Engineering and Science. They are valued at \$19,600 p.a. for up to 4 years. Visit the Co-op website for more information on how to apply: www.coop.unsw.edu.au
Applications close 30 September.

Macquarie Leaders and Achievers Early Entry Scheme

If you performed well in your Year 11 courses and can demonstrate initiative, commitment through leadership, community, sport, or casual work activities, then you can apply directly to Macquarie University through the Leaders and Achievers Early Entry Scheme. Under this scheme you could receive an offer to study at Macquarie in August before you've even sat for the HSC exams. All Macquarie undergraduate courses are available under this scheme except:

- The Bachelor of Actuarial Studies with Professional Practice (Honours) (Co-op)

- the Bachelor of Professional Practice
- and the Bachelor of Professional Accounting (Co-op)

Applications open Monday 1 June and **close Monday 31 August at 2pm.** Check out the link below for details on the course information and how to apply.

<https://www.mq.edu.au/study/admissions/entry-requirements/domestic/macquarie-entry/macquarie-leaders-and-achievers>

There will also be a Macquarie Leaders and Achievers Early Entry Scheme Webinar on

1 June at 5pm where you'll hear directly from Macquarie students as they discuss the application process, key dates and how the scheme recognises your academic and community achievements.

<https://page.mq.edu.au/macquarie-leaders-and-achievers-early-entry-scheme.html>

Considering Macquarie University Accommodation in 2021?

Dunmore Lang College is a residential college affiliated with Macquarie University. It is located on the University campus. The College is running virtual platform sessions tailored to students or parents which highlight the options and benefits of living at Dunmore Lang. For more information, ring 02 9856 1000 or visit: admissions@dlc.nsw.edu.au

Medicine Students

Universities Clinical Aptitude Test

Year 12 students applying for courses in Medicine: current advice from the UCAT Consortium and Pearson VUE is that UCAT 2020 will be proceeding as usual in July. Registration dates have been extended until the first of June for those who wish to undertake the UCAT course, which is a prerequisite for admission to many Medicine and Dentistry courses. You can find further information in this blog:

<https://www.medentry.edu.au/ucats/en/try/ucat-anz-2020-and-coronavirus-your-questions-answered>

A free, online UCAT Bootcamp resource is available at:

<https://www.medentry.edu.au/resources/ucat/free-bootcamp> . You may find it useful.

Australian Defence Force (ADF) is conducting dial-in presentations

The Australian Defence Force (ADF) is conducting dial-in presentations to inform people about the career opportunities available in the ADF. The presentations are mostly done outside of school hours and can be accessed from home. Once you register, you receive a phone number and passcode that will connect you to your chosen session.

Click on the link below to find out about the job sessions on offer, select those in which you are interested, and register on the website. The dial-in information sessions will explain what to expect during the recruitment process, the opportunities and pathways available and the different job roles:

<https://www.defencejobs.gov.au/event>

[s?page=1&perPage=21&query=&eventsDate=upcoming](https://www.defencejobs.gov.au/event?page=1&perPage=21&query=&eventsDate=upcoming)

Sessions include:

26 May – Fitness for Defence

26 May – Indigenous Careers

27 May – Army General Entry

27 May – Royal Military College

27 May – Submariner

28 May – Intelligence, IT, Communications

28 May – Army Navy Air-Force

29 May – ADFA

29 May – Combat and security roles

<https://www.defencejobs.gov.au/events>

Transition to Uni Course: Southern Cross University

Transition to Uni is a free preparatory course for ATAR-eligible Year 12 students. It aims to prepare students for study at university. **Passing the Transition to Uni program will guarantee entry into all Southern Cross University undergraduate degrees except for the Bachelor of Midwifery.**

You can do the six week full-time (4-5 two hour sessions each week) or the twelve week part-time course (2-3 sessions per week). The course is delivered online with start dates in July and September. Classes are live-streamed from 3:30pm – 5:30pm, Monday to Thursday. For more information register for an online info session at scu.edu.au/transition-to-uni or contact the SCU Future Students team on 1800 626 481.

Reminder: Universities Admission Centre (UAC) Applications are Now Open

Applications for study in 2021 are now open. Getting started is easy. Start by going to <https://www.uac.edu.au/> and clicking on the green "Find a Course" tab in the top right corner. You are looking for undergraduate courses. After you've selected those that you want, apply online at <https://www5.uac.edu.au/uacug/> - Remember that you will need to use the UAC PIN that was emailed to you in April and your NESA student number (the same number that you use on your exams – Miss Broderick or Mr Randall can supply these if you can't remember them).

Once you've completed your UAC application, you will also be able to apply for Equity Scholarships, Educational Access Schemes and Schools Recommendation Schemes on the same website. Just click on the blue "Apply or Login" box in the top right corner of the screen and go to the drop down list.

While not all courses for semester 1, 2021 are available yet, you can apply now and add, change or delete course preferences later. All courses will be available for you to choose by August.

On-time applications close at midnight on Wednesday, September 30.

Copies of the UAC Guide are currently being mailed from the UAC Centre and should be here in a few weeks, but all the course and application information that you need is available on their website (www.uac.edu.au).

Special Entry into Bond University

Bond University is a Fee-Pay university located in Queensland. This means that you pay for the full tuition fee for courses taught there, unlike other Commonwealth Supported Places, which are subsidised by the government. Bond has sent the following information for Year 12 students:

"2021 Year 12 Entry Requirements

To ensure Year 12 students are not disadvantaged by the current circumstances, Bond University will be accepting applications from Year 12 students based on their first semester results. These special entry requirements include all undergraduate programs, with the exception of the Bond Medical Program. You can read more

<https://bond.edu.au/future-students/study-bond/how-apply/undergraduate-admissions-criteria/2021-year-12-entry>

In addition, Year 12 students and their parents are invited to join a Webinar, especially for them, on Wednesday, 27 May from 5.30 - 6.30pm (AEST). They can register

<https://bond.edu.au/event/65145/year-12-entry-graduate-employment-update-webinar> ."

UNSW Law Admission Test

To enter the law degree at UNSW you need to register for, and complete, the UNSW Law Admission Test (LAT). The LAT will take place on Tuesday, 29 September 2020. Registrations for the LAT 2020 are now open and will **close at 5:00pm AEST on Friday, 14 August 2020**. To Register go to:

https://lat.acer.edu.au/register?_cld=ee=bWFyay5yYW5kYWxsQGRldC5uc3cuZWR1LmF1&recipientid=contac

t-e51b6229e34fe71180f970106fa39b51-cf944f731aff4ae28b8879ffe09dca6f&utm_source=ClickDimensions&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=Future%20Student%20Newsletter&esid=b8ccca32-f293-ea11-a812-000d3a7946d7 (A link is also available in the email sent to your school account on May 14, which will be easier to use than typing this monstrosity into your search bar!)

HSC Gateway Winter Program (Early Entry)

The Uni of NSW has an early entry program whereby you can be accepted conditionally into a course as early as August this year. You still have to achieve a minimum ATAR, but it will be significantly lower than the normal ATAR required for the course. The only courses the scheme does not apply to are the Bachelor of Medicine and those courses at their Canberra campus (Defence Force degrees). Successful applicants receive priority when being considered for available scholarships, including those for accommodation.

The program involves undertaking a 100% digital HSC revision and preparation that can be accessed free of charge during the July school holidays.

"The Gateway Winter Program provides comprehensive study support from subject matter experts, current UNSW students, tutors and mentors. Participants in the Gateway Winter Program will also receive guidance in applying for an early conditional offer to UNSW"

To undertake the program you need to **register by 29 May**. The relevant links are:

Learn more: bit.ly/3fHQuh2

Register today: bit.ly/gateway-winter

University of Wollongong (UOW) Year 12 Online Information Evening

16 June. 6pm

These interactive online events are designed to answer all the common questions that students have about starting university study. UOW academics, support staff and current students will be on-hand to make sure you have all of your questions answered at the one time in the one place. Register below for the event that suits you.

- Important dates and key things to remember
- Your ATAR and selection rank (and what it means)
- UOW Early Admission
- UOW scholarships
- UOW accommodation
- Your options if you don't get the ATAR you need
- Student life at UOW

<https://event.on24.com/eventRegistration/EventLobbyServlet?target=reg20.jsp&referrer=https%3A%2F%2Fwcc.on24.com%2Fwebcast%2Fregistration%2F2355725&eventid=2355725&sessionid=1&key=917809356032BB5D866CF80DF5DC10F5®Tag=&sourcepage=register>

National Institute of Dramatic Arts (NIDA) Virtual Open Day

- From 17 to 20 June
- Experience NIDA from home. Attend a live talk, take a virtual tour, watch never-seen-before videos of student projects, try a NIDA Online class!
- <https://www.nida.edu.au/productions/open-day>

Becoming a Pilot: Course Information Videos Now Available

- In these times of social distancing, interested students and parents can now go online to watch two videos which describe the process of becoming a qualified pilot at Sydney Flight College. There is a formal information session webinar available at :
 - bit.ly/SFCWebinar
 - and a more relaxed discussion (filmed in the air!) at :
 - bit.ly/SFCInfoFlight

UTS - Discover what Mechanical and Mechatronic Engineering at UTS is all about

27 May. 4pm

Register for this webinar to learn about dynamics (the science of moving things) and learn to calculate and control the movement and interaction of solid objects, fluids, heat and electricity. Design, build and manage automated and autonomous mechanical systems, with an emphasis on robots, smart machines, intelligent control systems, and biomedical devices.

<https://www.uts.edu.au/about/faculty-engineering-and-information-technology/online-events/engineering-undergraduate-students/intro-mechanical-and-mechatronic-engineering-uts>

UTS – Discover what Flexible Engineering at UTS is all about

28 May. 4pm

Not sure which engineering major to choose? The Flexible Engineering course is just that - flexible! Once you've completed core engineering subjects, choose a major or choose your own blend of compatible subjects.

<https://www.uts.edu.au/about/faculty-engineering-and-information-technology/online-events/engineering-undergraduate-students/intro-flexible-engineering-uts>

UTS Support your UAC application with the Engineering and IT Questionnaire Closes 17 December

If you fall short of the ATAR by 1–3 points, we'll still consider your application if you complete the questionnaire and demonstrate a strong motivation to study engineering or IT.

It takes just 20 minutes to complete, so give yourself the best chance to get into your preferred course at UTS.

<https://www.uts.edu.au/future-students/engineering/essential-information/year-12-engineering-and-it-questionnaire>

UTS 10 Adjustment Points to Women in Engineering IT and Construction

If you're female and have applied for selected engineering, information technology or construction project

management courses, you're eligible to receive 10 adjustment points.

These adjustment points are automatically applied (no additional application required) and contribute to your selection rank.

Eligible engineering, information technology and construction project management courses are:

- Bachelor of Information Technology
- Bachelor of Computing Science (Honours)
- Bachelor of Information Systems
- Bachelor of Science in Games Development
- Bachelor of Science in Information Technology
- Bachelor of Science in Information Technology Diploma in Information Technology Professional Practice
- Bachelor of Information Systems Bachelor of Business
- Bachelor of Business Bachelor of Science in Information Technology
- Bachelor of Science in Information Technology Bachelor of Arts in International Studies
- Bachelor of Science in Information Technology Bachelor of Creative Intelligence and Innovation
- Bachelor of Engineering (Honours)
- Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) Diploma in Professional Engineering Practice
- Bachelor of Engineering Science
- Bachelor of Engineering (Hons) B Arts in International Studies

- Bachelor of Engineering (Hons) B Business
- Bachelor of Engineering (Hons) B Science
- Bachelor of Engineering (Hons) B Medical Science
- Bachelor of Engineering (Hons) B Creative Intelligence and Innovation
- Bachelor of Construction Project Management
- Bachelor of Construction Project Management Bachelor of Arts in International Studies

<https://www.uts.edu.au/future-students/undergraduate/admission-requirements/admissions-schemes/specific-study-area-schemes/women-engineering-it-and-construction>

UTS - Up to 5 Adjustment Point for Work Experience

You may be eligible for up to five adjustment points if your work experience relates to the course you are applying for. Complete the employment question in your UAC application so your work experience can be considered for specific courses in:

- Engineering and IT
- Business
- Science

<https://www.uts.edu.au/future-students/undergraduate/admission-requirements/admissions-schemes/specific-study-area-schemes>