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**OPEN DAYS THIS WEEKEND**

- **UNSW** – Saturday 6th September
- **ACU North Sydney Campus** – Saturday 6th September
- **UTS, Kuring-gai Campus** – Saturday 6th September

**UTS BACHELOR OF ACCOUNTING CO-OP E-NEWS**

The closing date for Round 2 applications is fast approaching - Friday 24 October. Interested students that they will need a letter of reference from their school. Online applications are now open at: [www.bachelorofaccounting.com](http://www.bachelorofaccounting.com)

A reminder that our industry partners are looking for all-round achievers to join the course. Thus we are looking for applicants who have taken initiative and pursued interests within and outside school and in doing so demonstrated things like interpersonal skills, dedication and leadership. A high ATAR is not essential. Academic ability is just one of our 5 selection criteria, so some successful candidates will be stronger in other areas than on ATAR. Each year we take in applicants whose eventual ATARs fall in the range 85-100, so please encourage worthy students who don’t expect to reach 95 ATAR to apply.

**SHORT COURSE IN JOURNALISM – SCHOOL HOLIDAYS – SCEGGS DARLINGHURST**

Students are given a real understanding of the world of Journalism from a variety of media. Visiting Journalists and guest presenters. Get feedback from industry professionals. Designed for students in Years 10, 11 & 12. Tuesday 23rd-Thursday 25th September. For more information call 9332 1133 or see Ms Janes

**ACU MORE THAN ONE CAREER – LAW DISCUSSION PANEL**

Wed 17th September, 6.00pm – 7.30pm, The Peter Cosgrove Centre, Tenison Woods House, Level 22, 8-20 Napier St, North Sydney

The Thomas More Academy of Law is hosting a panel of leading law professionals who will discuss the benefits and opportunities from studying law at university. This is an opportunity for potential Law students to find out about the diverse range of careers and opportunities that ACU law graduates may undertake. [http://www.acu.edu.au/about_acu/faculties_institutes_and_centres/law_and_business/about_the_faculty/news_and_events/news/more_than_one_career_-law_panel_discussion](http://www.acu.edu.au/about_acu/faculties_institutes_and_centres/law_and_business/about_the_faculty/news_and_events/news/more_than_one_career_-law_panel_discussion)

**UNSW: NEW DEGREES FOR 2015**

UNSW have a number of new degrees available that have been added after the publication of the 2015 Experience UNSW guide and the 2015 UAC guide.

- Bachelor of Music (Honours) / Bachelor of Laws
- Bachelor of Medicinal Chemistry/Bachelor of Laws
- Bachelor of Commerce / Bachelor of Design (Honours)
- Bachelor of Science / Bachelor of Fine Arts
- Bachelor of Science (Advanced Science) / Bachelor of Fine Arts
- Bachelor of Science (Advanced Mathematics) / Bachelor Science (Computer Science)
- Bachelor of Science (Advanced Science) / Bachelor Science (Computer Science)
- Bachelor of Commerce/Bachelor of Science (Advanced Science)

CSU WELCOMES TEACHERS MUTUAL BANK PARTNERSHIP
CSU teacher education students will benefit from a new partnership with teachers Mutual Bank which will provide a $4,000 scholarship and four $500 prizes.

MY FUTURE: NEW SCHOLARSHIPS LISTING
During August, myfuture has added 117 new scholarships for undergraduate and postgraduate study at university. To view scholarships, visit:
http://www.myfuture.edu.au/tools-and-resources/study-or-training-options/scholarshipsearch

SCHINDLER LIFTS: ELECTRICAL APPRENTICES
Applications close Friday 5th September
Schindler Lifts Australia is one of the largest suppliers of new escalators and elevators in Australia today. As an apprentice you will not only learn electrical skills, but all the skills required to install, service, repair and modernise lifts, escalators and moving walkways.

KOMATSU APPRENTICESHIP DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM
Applications close Thursday 18th September.
Komatsu is a global leader in the manufacture of earthmoving machinery with over 40,000 employees worldwide. They are seeking students completing years 10, 11 or 12 to join them as apprentice Mobile Plant Technicians.
To apply, search for apprenticeships online:

AUSTRALIAN CAREERS BUSINESS COLLEGE OPEN DAYS
Parramatta Campus: Wed 24th September, 10.00am – 6.00pm, Level 1, 85 George Street
An opportunity for high school students seeking guidance for career options in 2015 and beyond, and a great way for careers advisors and parents to look at ACBC, meet their team and explore the programs on offer. Each campus will feature employer and industry guest speakers, as well as past students sharing their experience beyond VET.

AUSTRALIAN COLLEGE OF APPLIED PSYCHOLOGY: INFORMATION SESSION
Tue 16th September, 6.00pm, Level 5, 11 York Street, Sydney
Discover the courses on offer at the ACAP, take a tour of the campus, speak to staff, and learn about student life at ACAP.
http://www.acap.edu.au/future-students/info-sessions/

AIE INFORMATION EVENING
Wed 17th September, 6.00pm – 8.00pm, Sydney and Canberra campuses
Teachers will be conducting seminars covering the range of courses on offer, as well as taking applications in 3D animation, game programming and game design.

UNITINGCARE IFP OPEN DAY
Wed 17th September, 9.00am – 5.00pm, Level 4, 146 Marsden St, Parramatta
Uniting Care Institute of Family Practice is a key provider of training and development for people working in the child, family and relationship sector. The open day will provide an opportunity for prospective students to learn about the courses available, the flexible study options, as well as the practical placements available.

CATC DESIGN SCHOOL A DAY IN THE LIFE OF A DESIGNER WORKSHOP
Sat 20th September, 46-52 Mountain Street, Ultimo
Learn how to harness your artistic abilities with this interactive and hands on Design Discovery Workshop.
Contact: 1300 661 111 or enquiries@catc.edu.au
PUBLIC EVENTS

➢ **ACTORS COLLEGE OF THEATRE AND TELEVISION OPEN DAY**
Sat 27th September, 41 Holt Street, Surry Hills
Learn about the study options available at Actors College of Theatre and Television.
Contact: 9213 4500 or info@actt.edu.au
http://www.actt.edu.au/events/open-day-registration-form/

➢ **APM COLLEGE OF BUSINESS AND COMMUNICATION PARENT INFORMATION EVENING**
Tue 9th December, 6.00pm – 9.00pm, North Sydney Campus, Level 9 171 Pacific Highway
An opportunity for parents of prospective students to view the facilities and learn more about the study options available at APM.
Contact: 1300 880 610 or enquiries@apm.edu.au

➢ **INTERNATIONAL COLLEGE OF MANAGEMENT SYDNEY: FREE MATH GENERAL HSC TUTORING AND EXAM TIPS**
Mon 22nd September – Fri 26th September, 4.00pm – 6.00pm, 151 Darley Road, Manly
Sessions are first come first served, minimum of 10 students, maximum of 100 students.

➢ **TSFX HSC SUBJECT EXAM ADVICE**
TSFX has released HSC exam tips for a range of specific subjects.

➢ **CASTLE HILL LIBRARY: HSC STUDY LOCK-IN**
Sun 21st September – Sun 26th October
Castle Hill Library will be open exclusively for HSC students on Sundays from 9.30am – 1.00pm, for 6 weeks prior to the HSC.
Entry from 9.30am – 9.45am only

➢ **PARRAMATTA LIBRARY: HSC TRIAL CHEMISTRY EXAM**
Mon 29th September, 1.00pm – 3.00pm, 1B Civic Place Parramatta
Sit a 2 hour trial exam for HSC Chemistry. Presented by Meihua Gong, Bored of Studies. Meihua will provide debrief, mark papers and provide feedback for all students

➢ **MUSEUM OF HUMAN DISEASE: OCTOBER SCHOOL HOLIDAY DISSECTION WORKSHOP**
Multiple dates between, Tue 23rd September – Fri 3rd October, Samuels Building (F25), Via Gate 11 - Botany St, University Of New South Wales
Students can participate in an expert led dissection of an animal organ. All equipment is provided.
Children under 16 must be accompanied by a responsible adult.

➢ **CARER CAREER QUIZ**
An online quiz for those considering a career in the carer industry. The quiz takes a few minutes to answer and will provide a clear picture of where you could best fit into a career in disability or community care.

➢ **STUDENT EDGE CAREER PROFILES**
Ever wanted to know what it’s really like to be a police officer? Engineer? Hairdresser? Check out a day in the life of a whole range of careers at Student Edge. These are real people with real stories.

➢ **AUSTRALIAN DEFENCE JOBS: ‘A TYPICAL DAY’ – AIR FORCE APP**
Experience what it’s like to work in the Air Force like never before. This online program gives you exclusive access to Air Force people for one extraordinary week. Sign up and you’ll receive updates from real Air Force personnel throughout the day. A Typical Day gives you an insight into the everyday life of an Australian Air Force member, from a Pilot to Airfield Defence Guard. You’ll receive messages from your preferred Air Force member via SMS, MMS, email, video and even Facebook.
 **BECOME A PSYCHOLOGIST PATHWAY**
The Australian Psychological Society has outlined the pathway to become a registered Psychologist. In short it takes a minimum of six years in education and training broken into undergraduate study, postgraduate study, internship and a registrar program.
http://www.psychology.org.au/studentHQ/studying/study-pathways/

 **CAREERS IN SPORT**
This website is for anyone interested in a career in sport and fitness. There is information about recommended qualifications and pathways, along with a list of available positions and courses.

 **COCO REPUBLIC FIELD NOTES**
This blog, run by design professionals at Coco Republic, helps catalogue interior design styles from across Australia and around the globe. Students undertaking visual art courses or who are interested in pursuing interior design can find inspiration, the latest design trends and a source of ideas from Australia and abroad.
http://designfieldnotes.com/

 **GRADUATE CAREERS AUSTRALIA SALARY REPORT 2013**
Graduate Careers Australia has completed their 2013 annual report of recent higher education graduates salaries. The report reveals the median start up salary for a number of bachelor degrees and disciplines.
To view the report visit:

 **SKILLS ONE TV**
Skills one is a video platform with over 1500 short video stories about getting a trade or skill. Videos are intended for career counselors, parents and students. Check it out by visiting the website:

 **SYDNEY DANCE HOLIDAY WORKSHOPS**
Bookings are open for spring school holidays. Each School Holidays, Sydney Dance offer classes in a variety of dance styles to students aged from 8 – 18 years, taught by leading industry professionals.
http://www.sydneydancecompany.com/classes-and-courses/holiday-workshops/#.U_1s0MWSy8A

 **THE TRUTH ABOUT TRADES: APPRENTICESHIPS VERSUS UNIVERSITY DEGREES**
This article explores the benefits of obtaining a trade compared to getting a university degree.

 **THE AUSTRALIAN SOCIETY FOR INTELLECTUAL DISABILITY: RISING TO THE CHALLENGE CONFERENCE**
Thu 18th September – Fri 19th September, Waterview at Bicentennial Park, Homebush
Topics Include: Education & Employment, the NDIS, Behavior Support, Accommodation, Knowledge Translation and many more.

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