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➢ UMAT 2015 – REGISTER NOW
UMAT is a compulsory test that is used specifically to assist with the selection of students into medicine, dentistry and health science degree programs at undergraduate level.
UMAT is held once a year usually on the last Wednesday of July. Students can repeat the UMAT if they were unsuccessful the year before.
UMAT 2015 will be held on the 29th of July 2015. Registration deadline is 5th of June 2015, 5pm AEST. Late registrations will be accepted until 5.00pm AEST 19 June 2015, however $65 penalty fee on top of the registration fee applies.
UMAT is available to any candidate whose educational level at the time of sitting the test is their final year of secondary schooling, or higher.
Students can register for the UMAT only via the ACER website, www.acer.edu.au
UMAT 2015 covers the areas of Logical Reasoning and Problem Solving, Understanding People, and Non-verbal Reasoning. Students are given 3 hours to complete 134 multiple choice questions. Students will be provided with 10 minutes reading time.

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➢ UTS BACHELOR OF ACCOUNTING INFORMATION EVENING
Tue 19th May, 6.30pm – 7.30pm, UTS City Broadway
Prospective students, parents and teachers are invited to visit UTS and meet students, staff and sponsors of the Bachelor of Accounting. All students in the course receive a tax free scholarship worth over $46,500.

➢ UNSW: YEAR 10 SUBJECT SELECTION AND INFORMATION EVENING
Mon 4th May, Tue 12th May, Thu 14th May, Thu 21st May, Thu 28th May, 6.30pm – 7.30pm, John Niland Scientia Building
Tue 26th May, 6.30pm – 7.30pm, Wenona School Gym, Wenona, 255 Miller Street, North Sydney
The information evening will cover how year 11 and 12 subject selection may affect eligibility, the difference between assumed knowledge and perquisites, and how the uni admission and scholarships’ application process works.
https://www.whatson.unsw.edu.au/egateway/students.events_search

➢ UNSW: ACTUARIAL STUDIES WORKSHOP
Fri 15th May, 9.30am – 11.30am, Finity Offices, Level 7
UNSW Business School and FINITY, an Actuarial consultancy, will be available to speak to Year 11 and 12 students about the pathways available to become an actuary, what an actuary really does, and answer any questions attendees may have.
https://www.whatson.unsw.edu.au/egateway/students.events_search
UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY HSC PREPARATION COURSES
University of Sydney offers HSC Preparation Courses throughout the year for a range of subjects, including Biology, Mathematics, Economics, Physics, and more. The University also offers a free downloadable guide on how to cope with the HSC. http://cce.sydney.edu.au/courses/HSC

PROFESSIONAL CADETSHIPS AUSTRALIA 2016 CADETSHIP PROGRAMS
Business Cadetship applications are now open and close: Wed 13th May Engineering and Technology Cadetship applications open: Tue 28th April Engineering and Technology Cadetship applications close: Fri 12th June PCA offers cadetships in business, engineering and technology for Year 12 students who will be attending University in 2016. Participants for the programs will be chosen based on their academic effort and achievement, transferable skills, evidence of leadership potential, team involvement, work experience and personal motivation. http://www.businesscadetships.com.au/

THE TIMES HIGHER EDUCATION WORLD REPUTATION RANKINGS 2015
Times Higher Education has released their ratings of world universities based on their perceived reputation from senior academics. The survey ranks the University of Melbourne as having the best reputation of Australian universities among senior academics at number 41, followed by the Australian National University and the University of Sydney, which were both ranked between 51 and 60 of universities worldwide. http://www.timeshighereducation.co.uk/world-university-rankings/2015/reputation-ranking

CHARLES STURT UNIVERSITY 2015 CSU COMMUNITY-UNIVERSITY PARTNERSHIP GRANTS
The Community-University Partnerships (CUP) program aims to advance CSU’s mission by cultivating strong, relevant and collaborative partnerships designed to promote higher education opportunity and research excellence through University and community engagement. Grants are available in educational development, arts and culture, sport development, healthy regions, community research and indigenous engagement. Applications are now open from relevant community organisations across the University’s regions. http://news.csu.edu.au/latest-news/charles-sturt-university/applications-called-for-2015-csu-cup-grants

COLLEGE WEEK LIVE
College Week Live is a free online college fair which features several hundred colleges and universities worldwide. Visitors of the website can watch presentations, participate in live videos and chats without having to physically attend the university or college. http://www.collegeweeklive.com/event-schedule

UOW COLLEGE: INFORMATION SESSIONS
Certificate IV in Community Services – Session 1: Mon 16th March, 5.30pm – 7.30pm Certificate IV in Community Services – Session 2: Wed 1st April, 5.30pm – 7.30pm Alternative Pathways to UOW – UOW College Information Evening: Tue 19th May, 6.00pm – 8.00pm http://www.uow.edu.au/future/events/index.html

TRIAL A TRADE – THIS SCHOOL HOLIDAYS
William Angliss Institute is running a school holiday session on Tuesday 14th April. Aspiring chefs, patissiers, baristas and hospitality and events. 10am-12 Tuesday 14th April. Phone 9125 5179 or register at www.angliss.edu.au/register
SYDNEY TAFE INFORMATION SESSIONS AND CLASSES
Certificate IV Training and Assessment and Business and Management Courses: Thu 26th March, 6.00pm – 7.00pm, Building G1.6, Ultimo College, Mary Ann Street, Ultimo
Intro to Digital Photography Short Course: Sat 2nd May, 9.00am – 1.00pm, Ultimo College
Three Day iPhone App Development Course: Sat 25th July – Mon 27th July
http://sydneytafe.edu.au/newsevents/events

ACADEMY OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY INFORMATION NIGHT
Tue 17th March, 6.00pm – 8.00pm, Level 2, 7 Kelly Street, Ultimo
Tue 14th April, 6.00pm – 8.00pm, Level 2, 7 Kelly Street, Ultimo
An interactive seminar providing an opportunity to learn more about the curriculum, course requirements and study pathways at AIT.  http://www.ait.nsw.edu.au/events/

ACTORS COLLEGE OF THEATRE AND TELEVISION: OPEN DAY
Sat 23rd May, 41 Holt Street, Surry Hills
Join a drop-in acting workshop, learn how to prepare for an audition, see actors in a set production environment, and speak to current students, recruitment advisers and lecturers.
Contact: +61 2 9213 4500 or info@actt.edu.au  http://www.actt.edu.au/

BASAIR AVIATION COLLEGE: CAREER INFORMATION SEMINAR
Thu 30th April, 7.00pm – 8.30pm, Bankstown Airport, 628/23-25 Airport Avenue, Bankstown
Tue 26th May, 7.00pm – 8.30pm, Bankstown Airport, 628/23-25 Airport Avenue, Bankstown
Basair Aviation College is the largest flying school in Australia. Learn about the courses they have to offer by attending a career information seminar.

ENDEAVOUR COLLEGE OF NATURAL HEALTH OPEN DAY
Sat 9th May, 10.00am – 12.30pm, 815-825 George St, Level 2, Sydney
View the facilities, speak to staff and have questions about natural health answered.
http://www.endeavour.edu.au/events/

DEFENCE JOBS AUSTRALIA: ENGINEERING FACEBOOK Q AND A
Thu 19th March, 6.30pm – 8.00pm
Chat live with serving ADF members in engineering roles to learn about their experiences, life in the ADF, and how they combine an engineering career with military life.
https://www.facebook.com/events/1582003582079492/

DEFENCE JOBS AUSTRALIA: MEDICAL, TRAVEL OPPORTUNITIES LEAVE AND SUPERANNUATION
This article outlines some of the travel and career opportunities available to those serving in the Army. The article also outlines the leave, superannuation, and medical treatment entitled personnel are entitled to receive.

MED ENTRY UMAT PREPARATION COURSES
Each year Med Entry holds courses to assist students in their preparation for the UMAT Test.
Sydney: Fri 3rd April – Sat 4th April, University of Technology
Sydney: Sun 5th April – Mon 6th April, University of Technology
Sydney: Wed 15th April – Thu 16th April, Macquarie University
Sydney: Sat 30th May – Sun 31st May, University of Technology
Sydney: Sat 20th June – Sun 21st June, Macquarie University
Sydney: Mon 29th June – Tue 30th June, University of Technology
Sydney: Sat 25th July – Sun 26th July, University of Technology
http://www.medentry.edu.au/courses/umat-course-locations
GRADUATE CAREERS AUSTRALIA – CAREER PROFILES
For Secondary School Students, Parents, Teachers and University Graduates - the website offers an insight into a range of careers in a multitude of different industries.

MATRIX EDUCATION: HOLIDAY COURSES
Tue 7th April – Fri 17th April, Sydney CBD, Chatswood, Strathfield, and Epping
These upcoming school holidays, Matrix will be holding courses to assist students in years 7 -12. Courses are available to cover foundation skills in English and Maths as well HSC specific content.
https://www.matrix.edu.au/

MYJOB APP
The MyJob app and website provides easily accessible information for students looking for work. Information provided includes:
- What you need before you get a job
- How to find a job
- How to work out what skills you have
- How to write a resume, cover letter and key selection criteria
- Interviews

LATTITUDE VOLUNTEERING ONLINE INFORMATION SESSIONS
Latitude run a series of interactive online sessions that provide information about the volunteering abroad options available. Latitude staff will run through the program and will leave time for any questions.
- Volunteering in the UK: Wednesday 22nd April, 7pm
- Latitude Introduction: Wednesday 29th April, 7pm
- Volunteering in Canada: Monday 4th May, 7pm
- Volunteering in Asia (Vietnam, Japan, China): Monday 11th May, 7pm
- Volunteering in the Pacific & Africa (Fiji, Vanuatu, Malawi): Monday 18th May, 7pm
- Latitude Introduction: Thursday 28th May, 7pm

STUDENT EXCHANGE AUSTRALIA NEW ZEALAND: SCHOLARSHIP DEADLINE
Student Exchange offers a range of study experiences abroad. If you want to save some cash and reduce the price of an exchange program, the deadline for Scholarship and Early Bird Discount applications is Tuesday 31st March. http://studentexchange.org.au/programs-overview/discounts-scholarships/

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