



MONASH Careers Update

Information for careers and secondary school teachers advising students about study at Monash

Welcome

Welcome to the Monash Careers Update for the month of November. We hope you have enjoyed the new look Monash Careers Update for this year. If you have any comments or would like to see new areas added to the update, feel free to email us any requests at careersupdate@adm.monash.edu.au.

The updates are now available online to download, so you never need to miss out on an issue. www.monash.edu/study/schools/careers-groups

Kind regards,

The Onshore Student Recruitment team

Change of Preference Information Sessions

The Monash University Change of Preference Guide has now been sent to schools who requested copies. If you would like to order further copies for your school, please email the number you require and mailing address to: ps0@adm.monash.edu.au.

Students can attend one of two Change of Preference Days held at either the Clayton or Gippsland campuses. These sessions provide students with the opportunity to speak with faculty representatives at this time. There will also be information sessions on Fees and Pathways at the Clayton day. Details are:

Gippsland region: Tuesday 12 Dec, 3-6pm

Edison Mission Room, Building 5N
Monash University Gippsland campus

Metropolitan region, Wednesday 13 Dec, 10am-2pm

Main Dining Room, First Floor, Campus Centre (Building 10)
Monash University Clayton campus

Information sessions:

11-11.30 am – Fees at Monash University

12-12.30 pm – Alternative Pathways into Monash University

Further information

For further information about Change of Preference at Monash University, visit our website www.monash.edu/cop or call the Prospective Students Office on (03) 9905 1320.

Need some more advice?

- For students who have just finished year 12 and want to discuss options
- For anyone who would like to find out more about studying at Monash

Come along to one of our drop in sessions and see why Monash is regularly ranked as one of the top universities in Australia (recently ranked 38 in the world*). You can find out about entrance requirements, application information,

course and career options, changing preferences, financial assistance and scholarships.

Drop in sessions:

Every Tuesday in November, 2-5pm

Prospective Students Office
Level 1, Building 10, Campus Centre
Monash University, Clayton campus

Bookings recommended

Telephone: (03) 9905 1320

Email: ps0@adm.monash.edu.au

www.monash.edu.au/study/events

* Times Higher Education Supplement 2006

November 2006

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Important dates

- **Change of Preference Information Session – Gippsland**
Tuesday 12 December
3-6pm, Gippsland campus
www.monash.edu/cop
- **Change of Preference Information Session – Metropolitan**
Wednesday 13 December
10am-2pm, Clayton campus
www.monash.edu/cop
- **Enhancement Studies Awards Ceremony – Clayton**
Wednesday 13 December
Contact Rebecca Hillman
Telephone: (03) 9905 4241

Quick links

Monash Course Finder

www.monash.edu/courses/coursefinder

Prospective Students Office

www.monash.edu/ps0

Monash news and events

www.monash.edu/news

Faculty of Art & Design

Monash students win at the Premier's Design Awards

Two Monash Art & Design students have been honoured at the Premier's Design Awards.

The design of a narrow tram that runs on a single track earned Mr Ben Last and Mr Jess Cameron-Wootten two awards - the overall Premier's Student Design Award and the Premier's Student Product Design Prize.

Mr Last and Mr Cameron-Wootten created the Melbourne Public Transport 2020- Single Track Tram System design for their third year Bachelor of Industrial Design project last year.

"We are blown away really to achieve something like this, for our project to be picked out of all the other student entries from around the state. It reflects well on the standard of design courses at Monash too," Mr Last said.

The pair has landed what they describe as their dream jobs at Holden, designing car interiors and exteriors, and plan to combine that work with the completion of their Honours year next year.

All short-listed entry designs, including several by past and present Monash students, will be on display at the Melbourne Museum until December 3.

Further information

More information can be found at: www.stateofdesign.com.au/awards_w2006.php



Faculty of Art & Design

Degree exhibition, 25 Nov–9 Dec

The Monash Art & Design Graduated Students invite you to **HATCH**, an exhibition showcasing their final-year work in a stunning display of originality, ingenuity and raw talent.

For the first time, the following courses will combine to present one, joint, major event in the award-winning Art & Design Building:

- Bachelor of Interior Architecture
- Bachelor of Industrial Design
- Bachelor of Creative Arts
- Bachelor of Design
- Bachelor of Design (honours)
- Bachelor of Multimedia & Digital Arts
- Bachelor of Design (Visual Communication)
- Bachelor of Visual Communication (honours)

HATCH

Saturday 25 November – Saturday 9 December 2006
10am-5pm Weekdays, 1-5pm Saturdays

Art & Design Building, Monash University, Caulfield campus
900 Dandenong Road, Caulfield East 3145

General enquiries: Telephone (03) 9903 1910
www.artdes.monash.edu

Monash Residential Services On-campus accommodation

Monash Residential Services (MRS) is committed to the provision of high-quality services and continuous improvement across the residential sites to create an environment that assists residents to achieve their best at Monash University.

Statistics show that residents living in a Monash Residential Services managed on-site accommodation complex have a 5% higher pass rate compared to the general student population.

Application forms

Applications for on-campus MRS accommodation can be obtained through the link at www.mrs.monash.edu or by visiting the Monash Residential Services office at any Monash University campus.

Applications for on-campus accommodation for first semester 2007 close on Thursday 30 November 2006. Whilst applications are accepted at any time, preference is given to those received by the 30 November deadline. Offers for accommodation at Clayton campus are emailed to applicants in the first week of December.

Once applicants have a confirmed place in a Monash University course, they must return the Residency Agreement duly signed and pay the non-refundable Building and Amenities Fee to accept the offer of accommodation.

Rates for 2007

Accommodation rates for Clayton Residential in 2007 are now available on our website. All residents staying for the duration of their contracted period are eligible to receive the concession rate.

www.mrs.monash.edu/on-campus/clayton/accommodation-rates-clayton.html

Monash Residential Services

Operations Office
Telephone: +61 3 9905 6200

www.mrs.monash.edu



New Arts courses in 2007

Gippsland's School of Humanities, Communications and Social Sciences is offering two new degrees in 2007 – Bachelor of Sports Promotion and Events Management, and the Bachelor of Arts (Criminal Justice). Students studying VCE or IB should apply through VTAC.

Bachelor of Sports Promotion and Events Management

This course is designed to give students a theoretical and practical understanding of the business of managing and promoting sports and sporting events. Drawing on units such as marketing, management and public relations, the degree offers universal business skills with a distinct sporting focus and incorporates a placement unit in the sporting industry.

Bachelor of Arts (Criminal Justice)

Crime, why people commit crime and how it should be dealt with are much debated issues. This course provides students with the knowledge and skills needed to better understand these issues and to evaluate traditional, innovative and radical alternatives for dealing with crime. By pursuing an interest in specific areas such as criminal profiling and policing, students can develop a career pathway in the public or private sector.

Both courses are offered at Gippsland; the Bachelor of Arts (Criminal Justice) is also available by distance education.

Further information

For further information, contact the School of Humanities, Communications and Social Sciences. Telephone: (03) 5122 6339 or email: humcass.info@arts.monash.edu.au

Brochures can be viewed at: www.arts.monash.edu/humcass

Enhancement Studies 2007

Closing dates for applications

The Enhancement Information Evening, held in October, was a huge success. If you missed out on attending the information session, but would like further information, feel free to contact Rebecca Hillman or Caitlin Moody on 9905 4241 or 9905 4126 or visit the website www.monash.edu/study/enhancement

- Closing date for applications for the Enhancement Studies Program is Friday 1 Dec (except Japanese which closes on Friday 3 November 2006).

If your school requires extra copies of the Enhancement guide or application forms, please contact Rebecca on the details listed above.

Diploma of Foundation Studies

Closing dates for applications

The Diploma of Foundation Studies is a one year full-time course designed as an alternative entry pathway to university study. The program is particularly suited to students who are unable to meet the required ENTER to gain entry into a university degree or who require additional learning support in their first year of university study.

For more information regarding the Diploma of Foundation Studies, or to receive an application, please contact the School of Humanities, Communications and Social Sciences on (03) 5122 6339.

- Closing date for pre-ENTER applications: Monday 20 November 2006
- Closing date for post-ENTER applications: Monday 18 December 2006

Congratulations to Engineering competition winners!

The Faculty of Engineering is happy to announce the winners of its prospective student mailing list competition.

Prospective engineering students who registered their interest on the faculty website this year went in the running to win one of two iPod Shuffles. Registered students were also sent a copy of the faculty's monthly newsletter E-news, which provides regular updates on new courses, promotional events, graduate profiles, and industry information and gives secondary students a personal contact for their enquiries.

The competition was drawn at the end of September and winners were notified last week. Robert Lyons from Ballarat Grammar School and Vanessa Kong from Glen Waverley Secondary College met with the faculty marketing team to collect their prizes.



Vanessa is considering Chemical Engineering at Monash and is interested in the Deans Scholars program. Robert has his sights firmly set on a degree in Aerospace Engineering at Monash and is also considering the double degree with commerce.

Both students had attended Monash Open Day this year which assisted them in making course decisions. Congratulations to Robert and Vanessa, we look forward to seeing you on campus next year.

E-news is available online at: www.eng.monash.edu/prospective

Ask a Pharmacy student

Are you being asked a million and one questions about what university is going to be like?

Prospective students often have questions about lectures, social activities, the timetable and readings at university. These kinds of questions are best answered by someone who is currently attending lectures and social activities and following the University timetable.

To help students figure out University, the Victorian College of Pharmacy has established an online system enabling prospective students to ask current students what life is really like at the College.

Carol and Ranelle from the Bachelor of Pharmaceutical Science and Tracey and Edmund from the Bachelor of Pharmacy have volunteered to help out.

To ask them a question, visit:
www.vcp.monash.edu/prospectivestudents

Course information

For further information about courses offered at the Victorian College of Pharmacy, email: info@vcp.monash.edu.au or telephone: (03) 9903 9635.



Faculty of Information Technology

CASIT 3rd Year Industry Experience Expo

Friday 27 October 2006, 4-6pm

Expo Space, Building H1, Caulfield campus, Dandenong Rd, Caulfield East

The Caulfield School of Information Technology (CASIT) will be presenting an exhibition of industry-based projects by current third-year students enrolled in the Bachelor of IS and the Bachelor of Computing.

The exhibition will showcase 30 student projects designed and developed for high-profile companies such as ANZ, Bosch and Synchrotron.

Also on display will be presentations on innovative ideas in video podcasting and other areas that are a service to the Monash community.

More information and registration

If you would like to know more about the event, please contact Kathy Lynch by email: kathy.lynch@infotech.monash.edu.au

To attend the event, please contact Christine Branton by email: christine.branton@infotech.monash.edu.au

VCEzy podcast

The VCEzy Podcast is a downloadable audio file for Year 10-12 students (and careers advisers) on various topics related to study at university. It can be downloaded and played on an iPod, MP3 player or desktop computer.

www.radiomonash.net

Proxy Enrolment at Monash

The main undergraduate offer round will take place on Tuesday 16 January 2007. In order for a student to accept their place while away during the enrolment period, they must ensure they nominate a proxy to enrol on their behalf.

Each year a number of students are away during the enrolment period. If a student does not enrol at the time specified in their letter of offer, it will be assumed that they do not want to accept that offer.

Downloadable Proxy form

To enrol on behalf of a student, download and sign the 'Authorisation for Proxy Enrolment' form located on the Monash website at: <http://adm.monash.edu/enrolments/new-enrolments/on-campus.html#proxy>

Details of what the proxy needs to bring on the day of enrolment can also be found at the above web address.

If a student does not have someone who can act as a proxy, they should contact the faculty that administers the course they have been offered. Further details about the enrolment period will be in the offer letter.

Contact us

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Feedback

We hope *Careers Update* is a useful tool for you, and we want to make it better. If there's any information you'd like covered, questions you'd like answered, please contact:

careersupdate@adm.monash.edu.au