

DE LA SALLE CAREER NEWS

Friday 22 June



Bond University Experience Day

Attending the **Bond University Experience Day** Year 11 and 12 students will get firsthand experience about the university before making the important decision about whether Bond University is right for you!

Bond University is offering a unique one-day program for interstate students to fly up to the Gold Coast for a day and return later that same day. Flights will depart from Melbourne airport around 7.00am, and will return later that day. As well as the return airfare, this offer includes:

- **Transfers to and from the Bond campus;**
- **Information sessions and activities from each of our faculties;**
- **Morning tea and lunch; and**
- **An information pack**

The **complete program** will be sent to registrants closer to the event, and will include tours of the campus and accommodation buildings, interactive presentations and activities from each faculty, information on scholarships, a Q and A panel with current students and much more!

Date: Thursday 12 July 2012

Cost: \$90 (*all inclusive*)

Registration: To register, please visit www.bond.edu.au/bond-experience - there are a few places left so register as soon as possible!

For more information contact the Event by phoning (07) 5595 1114, or emailing events@bond.edu.au.



Engineering Seminar at Monash University

Students keen on engineering are reminded of the engineering seminar – part of the ‘At Monash’ seminar series aimed at giving students the chance to get a head start as they consider where a Monash university degree can take them.

When: Thursday 28 June

Time: 6.30 – 9.30pm

Where: Clayton Campus

Please register at www.monash.edu/atmonash

Undergraduate Expo for courses in Teaching and Sport and Outdoor Recreation

Faculty of Education

***Are you thinking about your course options in 2013?
Attend the Faculty of Education Information Evening!
Courses and Careers in Teaching and Sport and Outdoor Recreation***

The Faculty of Education at Monash University offers a range of degrees that prepare students for a rewarding career in education and beyond.

Attend the information evening to learn more about the Undergraduate single and double degrees offered by the Faculty. Courses include: Teaching (Early Childhood, Primary, Secondary and Special Education) as well as Sport and Outdoor Recreation. At the information evening you will learn more about the course structure, admission requirements, professional placement opportunities and the many career opportunities available after graduation. You will have the opportunity to meet with academic and admissions staff from the Faculty of Education who can help answer specific questions that you may have.

Event details

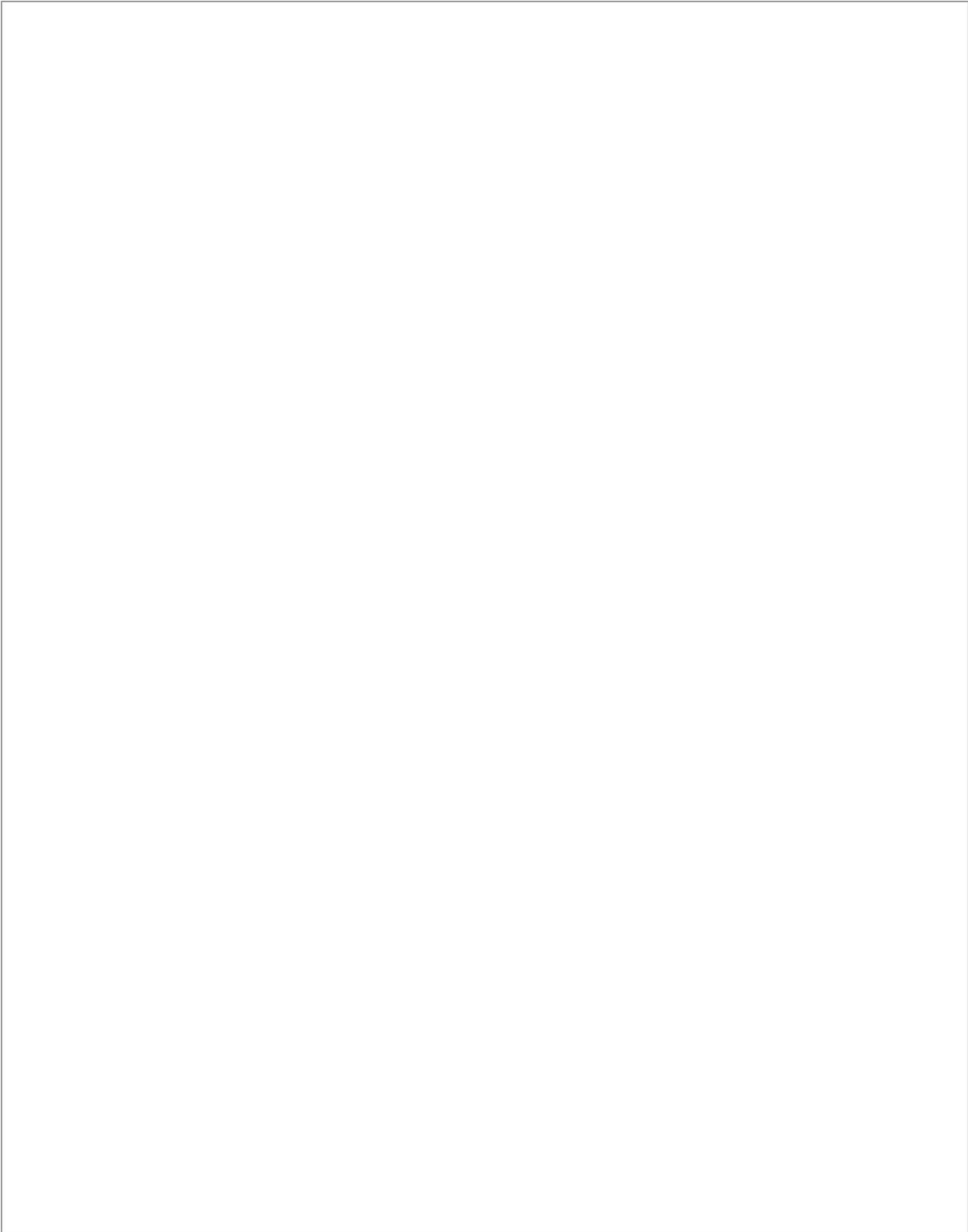
<u>Date</u>	Thursday 28 June, 2012
<u>Time</u>	6.00pm
<u>Location</u>	Monash University Clayton Campus Building 6, Level 1 The Learning Space

Register
edu.monash.edu/ug-expo

or call (03) 9905 0014

We encourage you to attend the expo to find out more about study options in 2013. We look forward to seeing you on the night.

**Faculty of Education
Monash University**



International students applying for the *Bachelor of Dental Surgery (BDS)*, *Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery (MBBS)* and *Bachelor Oral Health (BOraHlth)* programs are reminded that they must submit a **Personal Quality Assessment (PQA)** as part of their application process for these courses. Students are reminded that applications for the PQA must be made online by **Saturday 30 June 2012**. This is strictly enforced and no late applications will be accepted.

The PQA date and venue for Melbourne is:
Saturday 4 August, Level 7 Seminar Room at Taylor's College.

The cost of the PQA fee is \$400

For more information, visit the following website and download a copy of the **International Applications Guide for 2013 entry** -
http://health.adelaide.edu.au/students/international/fhs_international_applications_guide_ugrad%202013.pdf



Directory Undergraduate 2013

Directory Undergraduate is a very useful resource which provides an Australia-wide listing of undergraduate degrees and the 2012 entry scores by 110 subject areas. By summarising courses and entry scores by specific subject areas, the directory makes it incredibly easy for students to find their way around the mass of detail of universities, courses and their chances of getting in! For many years **Directory Undergraduate** has been available in print, but this year the resource is also available as an *iPhone app*.

Visit <http://itunes.apple.com/au/app/undergraduate-2013/id517195315?mt=8>



Urban Futures Competition at RMIT University

The world needs you to be a leader in creating our sustainable cities! The **Urban Futures Competition** is an exciting opportunity for students wanting to create sustainable cities and regions. **Win up to \$300 by coming up with the best idea to tackle the challenges our cities face today and in the future!**

The task: Provide a photo or image to communicate an urban problem you have identified, and explain the problem and your ideas for a solution in 200-300 words.

The competition is open to all Year 10, 11 and 12 students in Victoria and entries close at midnight on Sunday 26 August 2012.

For more information about the competition and to look at examples of past winners visit <http://www.rmit.edu.au/environmentplanning/urbanfuturescomp>



'Next Steps' at the University of Melbourne

The **'Next Steps'** program is an initiative of the Office of the Provost. The program is directed at all undergraduate students and provides these students with access to a wide range of information and advice across the university in relation to graduate coursework, research and employment opportunities.

Although directed at final year students, first and second year students are also welcome to attend the information sessions and expos. Students considering applying to study at the University of Melbourne will be encouraged to know that regular events are held assisting students in learning more about the Masters Programs as well as employment options open to them on completion of their undergraduate course.

For more information, visit <http://www.nextsteps.unimelb.edu.au/>.



DEAKIN Studying Law at Deakin University

Deakin's **Bachelor of Laws** is designed to produce first-class lawyers who have a commercial focus. The course provides in-depth studies in each of the major areas of legal practice by offering a number of special features including an emphasis on practical legal skills training.

Students study many areas of law including core units in *Commercial Law, Criminal Law, Criminal Procedure, Constitutional Law, Contract, Legal Practice and Ethics, Taxation, Administrative Law, Equity and Trusts, Torts, Competition Law and Policy, Evidence, Property, Land Law, Law, Society and Civil Rights*. Elective units include *International Law, Chinese Commercial Law, Health and Biotechnology Law, Migration and Refugee Law, Succession and Family Law*.

What about pathways to Law at Deakin? Students who do not attain the ATAR for selection into the **Bachelor of Laws** can enter another degree (Arts, Commerce) and as long as students attain a 70% average in that year, they are guaranteed entry to the second year of the **Bachelor of Laws**.

To find out more about the Bachelor of Laws visit <http://deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/course.php?course=M312&stutype=local&keywords=law>



News from the University of Ballarat

➤ **Changes in TAFE**

Due to the recent TAFE funding changes introduced by the State Government, partly taking effect from 1 July 2012 and wholly in place by 1 January 2013, a number of University of Ballarat TAFE courses are under review. **This review will determine, based on the significant reduction in funding, whether particular courses are viable to maintain.**

University of Ballarat TAFE wishes to stress that 70% of the current TAFE course offering will still be available and there are many options available to students to achieve their study and career goals.

Visit www.ballarat.edu.au/about-ub/organisation/TAFEchanges for a complete list of courses under review.

➤ **Science Experience**

The **Science Experience** will run at University of Ballarat in September and is designed and is designed to provide students who have an interest in science with an opportunity to engage in a wide range of fascinating science activities under the guidance of scientists who love their work. The **Science Experience** event will take place from Monday 24 September to Wednesday 26 September and is open to all Year 9 and 10 students. Applications are now open and close on 1 September 2012.

Visit www.scienceexperience.com.au for full details.



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News from La Trobe University

➤ **Podiatry: A Step into a Career in Demand**

Podiatrists are health professionals who work with patients who have foot, ankle and knee problems. They work on the treatment, management and prevention of disorders across various age groups.

With an aging population and a rise in foot and ankle related injuries from sport and everyday physical activities, the demand for podiatrists has remained strong and will continue to do so - especially in regional areas.

La Trobe University graduates have strong career prospects both in Australia and abroad with 70% of graduates obtaining work in private sector while the remaining 30% work within the public health network.

This is a very good course for students interested in rehabilitation and in the treatment of sports related injuries. **To find out more, visit**

<http://www.latrobe.edu.au/health/areas-of-study/allied-health-and-rehabilitation/podiatry>

➤ **Changes to Creative Arts and Media Studies in 2013**

Bachelor of Creative Arts

In 2013 La Trobe will be offering a revised **Bachelor of Creative Arts** degree that anticipates and responds to the demands of these new directions. At the core of this new degree is a suite of subjects which will teach students a distinct approach to creativity and practice. This multi-disciplinary approach is in response to current international trends in creative arts. *New* core subjects will enable students to explore and experiment with thinking and practice as a creative artist across all its disciplines. Students will also study a suite of introductory subjects in *creative writing, performance, media arts and visual arts*. The breadth of the current degree has been maintained, but the new structure will also mean that students will have an introduction to, and be firmly grounded across, various creative arts disciplines.

Bachelor of Media Studies

The revised **Bachelor of Media** degree will have a greater emphasis on combining practice with theory across a suite of new core subjects.

In first year, the subjects *Exploring Media Arts, Making Networked Culture, and Writing with Words* will introduce the culture and aesthetics of the changed media landscape as well as enabling students to learn basic media concepts and skills needed to operate creatively and successfully.

In second and third year students will extend their conceptual and practical skills through a range of *new* subjects across *large and small screen, radio/sound, media art, and writing for screen and sound – including Remix, Screenplay: Soundplay, and Exploring Spaces*. Also in the third year, students will have the opportunity to gain credit through industry experience working on the production of a television series in conjunction with Channel 31, or a portfolio project of their own.

Visit <http://www.latrobe.edu.au/humanities/about/events/new-directions> for more information on both these revised degrees.



Medicine at the University of New South Wales (UNSW)

UNSW recently held a Year 12 **Medicine Information Evening** which provided prospective students with an overview of the undergraduate medicine degree, the application process, UMAT preparation tips and helpful myth busting.

UNSW has made available a video recording of the entire evening – which can be viewed at <http://tv.unsw.edu.au/video/unsw-year-12-medicine-information-evening-2012>.