

**6 February 2020**

**IMPORTANT MESSAGE TO HEAD TEACHERS and ALL STAFF and to Parents,**

**It may only take one piece of news to lead a student towards success in their life's career.**

**If you know students enjoy your subject, this is a great way to assist them, so please encourage them to take part in those events mentioned below in your Subject Area.**

**Find below a listing of special careers news that have also been emailed out to many of our students and their parents.**

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**HSC SUBJECT KLA / FACULTIES**

**CAPA**

Dance, Drama, Music**,** Visual Arts

# AIM - Live Lounge: Connect and Learn with the Australian Institute of Music

Various dates available

1 Foveaux S, Surry Hills

This innovative and educational program is designed to provide your music students with an opportunity to connect and record music with our tertiary music lecturers, learn about tertiary study and careers in the creative arts, and experience a masterclass or concert with AIM’s tertiary students. It is all designed around a single day and comfortably takes place within normal school hours.

<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/live-lounge-connect-and-learn-with-the-australian-institute-of-music-tickets-79491869321?aff=ebdssbdestsearch>

**ARTEXPRESS - HSC Showcases and Exhibitions**

Art Gallery of NSW from 6 February to 26 April

NSW Art Gallery

[ARTEXPRESS](http://artexpress.artsunit.nsw.edu.au/) is an annual exhibition of exemplary artworks created by students for the HSC in Visual Arts. The works represent a broad range of subject matter, approaches, styles and media including painting, photomedia, drawing, printmaking, sculpture, graphic design, documented forms, textiles and fibre, ceramics, time-based forms and collections of works.

<https://artexpress.artsunit.nsw.edu.au/>

**Encore – Music - HSC Showcases and Exhibitions**

16 and 17 March

ENCORE is a program of outstanding performances and compositions by students from the HSC Music examinations.

[Click here.](https://educationstandards.nsw.edu.au/wps/portal/nesa/about/events/hsc-showcases-and-events/%21ut/p/z1/04_Sj9CPykssy0xPLMnMz0vMAfIjo8zijRwNzQw9TAy9LYxcDQ0cjb09fAyDfYzcDIz0w_EpCDI304-iRL-XKYn6_d0tgApC_A3NjLzMjfxDidRvgAM4GlDkfpCCKPzGh-tH4bMCHIJ4FYCCCFUBljAg5Iq)

**Callback Dance - HSC Showcases and Exhibitions**

Seymour Centre - 13 February – 14 February

Callback is the showcase of exemplary performances and compositions by HSC students of Dance. Performances of Callback have provided valuable demonstrations of HSC standards to Dance students and teachers since 1993. This is a great opportunity for students who are currently studying HSC Dance as well as for students who are contemplating undertaking this as a course of study. At the conclusion of each matinee performance there is a Q&A with the performers and HSC markers. [Click here](https://educationstandards.nsw.edu.au/wps/portal/nesa/about/events/hsc-showcases-and-events/%21ut/p/z1/04_Sj9CPykssy0xPLMnMz0vMAfIjo8zijRwNzQw9TAy9LYxcDQ0cjb09fAyDfYzcDIz0w_EpCDI304-iRL-XKYn6_d0tgApC_A3NjLzMjfxDidRvgAM4GlDkfpCCKPzGh-tH4bMCHIJ4FYCCCFUBljAg5Iq).

**On Stage - HSC Showcases and Exhibitions**

Seymour Centre 8 February – 14 February

### OnSTAGE is a presentation and exhibition of group and individual performances and projects by HSC Drama.

### OnSTAGE Exhibition

The OnSTAGE exhibition features exemplary individual projects by HSC Drama students. Projects include costume and set design, promotion and program, and theatre review.

[Click here.](https://educationstandards.nsw.edu.au/wps/portal/nesa/about/events/hsc-showcases-and-events/%21ut/p/z1/04_Sj9CPykssy0xPLMnMz0vMAfIjo8zijRwNzQw9TAy9LYxcDQ0cjb09fAyDfYzcDIz0w_EpCDI304-iRL-XKYn6_d0tgApC_A3NjLzMjfxDidRvgAM4GlDkfpCCKPzGh-tH4bMCHIJ4FYCCCFUBljAg5Iq)

**Sydney Dance Company School Matinees for Secondary Students**

Sydney Roslyn Packer Theatre Thursday 26 March

Sydney Roslyn Packer Theatre Friday 21 August

Sydney Sydney Coliseum Theatre Friday 28 August

Melbourne Arts Centre Melbourne Friday 15 May

See and meet dancers, choreographers and other dance professionals.

Sydney Dance Company’s national Schools Program supports dance education for grades 3-12 through curriculum relevant programs for primary and secondary students and career focused study for pre-professional dancers and university graduates. The Program connects schools, teachers and students to leading professionals in the dance industry, providing invaluable insight, opportunities and role models.

Sydney Dance Company inspires, excites and creates connections through contemporary dance of world-stage.

Download our 2020 Schools Program Brochure and donate to the Program below.

<https://www.sydneydancecompany.com/school-matinees/#secondary>

**NIDA Student Courses**

From 8 February onwards

215 Anzac Pde, Kensington

Practical, skill-based learning led by industry experts across a range of performing arts disciplines. NIDA courses for grade 7-10 students are designed to support and inspire young people at any stage of their creative development.

Each term we focus on a specific area of performance practice to ensure students have a varied experience and learn a range of essential creative skills.

**Students are able to join us at the start of any term during the year.**

NIDA Open Drama courses are designed across a four term structure within the following learning framework:

**Term one** Improvisation and Performance Craft
**Term two** Voice and Movement
**Term three** Devising and Contemporary Performance
**Term four** Script Work and Staging

<https://www.open.nida.edu.au/course/OTDK910>

**Budding Film Careers - Tropfest 2020**

9 February.

Parramatta Park

Tropfest is a completely free event and people are encouraged to come along to the venue and enjoy a night out amongst the stars. Attendees are welcome to bring a picnic to Parramatta Park and grab a spot. Alternatively, you can reserve a seat in the “Pick Your Patch” which is a ticketed section of the festival. You are permitted to bring alcohol to the event but note that large quantities of alcohol will not be permitted.

The festival generally opens at 12pm where there will be plenty of food, drink and entertainment, with the short film screenings kicking off at around 4pm

<https://www.evensi.com/tropfest-australia-tropfest-australia/325998133>

**JMC Mocktails - Short Film Competition**

Submissions for JMC Academy’s annual high school shorts “Mocktail Awards” will be open in the next few weeks. High school students are invited to submit their best shorts in fiction, doco, animation, commercial or music clip to be reviewed by industry professionals. Shortlisted films will be shown and the winner will be announced at the prestigious Martini Film Awards.

<https://www.jmcacademy.edu.au>

# Design for Events and Festivals - Short Course

 12 February 2020 and 29 April **for 9 weeks, 6pm to 9pm**

TAFE NSW - Design Centre Enmore, 110 Edgeware Road, Enmore

**Are you creative and looking to delve into the world of Entertainment & Production Design?** This hands-on short course is for learners who want to up-skill to improve employability. Learners will explore all aspects of staging an event or festival from concept and design through to basic logistics and budget.

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/statement-of-attainment-in-design-for-events-and-festivals-tickets-86445656285?aff=ebdssbdestsearch>

**Video Game and Animation Work Experience at AIE**

The AIE Work Experience Program is a great way for secondary school students in years 10 to 12 to learn about the interactive entertainment and digital industries. The Work Experience Program runs from 9am to 3pm over the course of a week and encompasses a range of activities including 3D animation, programming, QA testing and much more. Due to the popularity of the Work Experience Program, we ask that interested students fill out the form below and tell us why they would like to do work experience at AIE. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to [contact us](https://aie.edu.au/about-us/contact).

<https://aie.edu.au/student-information/work-experience-sydney/>

**AIE Information Evening –Games Design and Animation**

19 March. 6.00pm to 8.00pm

Level 2, Wentworth Park Grandstand, Wattle Street, Ultimo

Discover the courses designed to get you started in game development, 3D animation and visual effects at the AIE Information Evening on Thu 19th March, 2020. Sydney, Melbourne, Canberra and Adelaide campuses will be opening their doors to visitors to find out about upcoming full-time and part-time courses.

The evening will include presentations on different areas of industry to get into as well as information about AIE full-time and part-time courses and entry requirements. Student work will be on display and our teachers will speak with you one on one about our courses and how to get you into a creative career.

P: +61 2 8514 8800 E: sydney@aie.edu.au

<https://aie.edu.au/aie_event/information-evening/>

**AIE Introductory Courses in Games 3D animation & programming**

Courses available for high school students who are interested in learning 3D Animation, Game Design or Game Programming. With convenient study options either in the evenings, school holidays or online. More info: <https://aie.edu.au/intro> 02 8514 8800 AIE also offers Work Experience for year 10 students, spots going fast.

<https://aie.edu.au/course_category/introductory-courses/>

**initiAIT Scholarships -Academy of Information Technology**

Application Deadlines

 March 2020 - Monday, 17 February

 July 2020 - Monday, 15 June

 November 2020 - Monday, 12 October 2020

The initiAIT scholarship is for new undergraduate students commencing an AIT Bachelor Degree in the 2020 academic calendar. This scholarship is only available to domestic students. Recipients of this scholarship will be awarded an 50% discount off their tuition fees in the first and last term of their Bachelor degree.

Download initiAIT scholarship information & hard copy of application form here:

<https://www.ait.edu.au/scholarship>

**ENGLISH**

**Young Writers Showcase -** **HSC Showcases and Exhibitions**

Young Writers Showcase is an anthology of some of the extraordinary Major Works in print, sound and visual media submitted for the HSC English Extension 2 course.

View the selection of authors and their writings lower down on this link:

[Check here for more info.](https://educationstandards.nsw.edu.au/wps/portal/nesa/about/events/hsc-showcases-and-events/%21ut/p/z1/04_Sj9CPykssy0xPLMnMz0vMAfIjo8zijRwNzQw9TAy9LYxcDQ0cjb09fAyDfYzcDIz0w_EpCDI304-iRL-XKYn6_d0tgApC_A3NjLzMjfxDidRvgAM4GlDkfpCCKPzGh-tH4bMCHIJ4FYCCCFUBljAg5Iq)

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Come along to this free event to learn more about your course and prepare for the upcoming study session at Charles Sturt University. We will give you insights to make the most of your studies, whether with advice about your course or studying online.

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/faculty-of-arts-and-education-north-parramatta-information-session-tickets-92602164567?aff=ebdssbdestsearch>

**LANGUAGES**

**Languages at Sydney: Go Global 2020**

Friday 22 May 2020
Year 10-12 students

University of Sydney's School of Languages and Cultures

Whether you want to continue with a language or learn one from scratch, this event will give you a taste of the programs and languages that the University of Sydney has to offer. Events on the day will include an introduction to learning at the School of Languages and Cultures and the School of Philosophical and Historical Inquiry, discussions with university language students, and two language-specific immersion sessions.

<https://sydney.edu.au/arts/news-and-events/events/events-for-prospective-students.html>

**P.D.H.P.E.**

Community and Family Studies, P.D.H.P.E.

**Scholarships for Enrolled Nurses**

Let your students know about this opportunity. If you know of students from 2019 that are looking to undertake an enrolled Nursing course, let them know about it urgently as applications close on February 19th. This is the eligibility criteria Applicants must: be an Australian citizen or permanent resident; live in NSW; meet English language skill standards; provide evidence of HSC completion, Certificate III qualification or equivalent.

<https://www.health.nsw.gov.au/nursing/scholarship/Pages/enrolled-nurse-scholarships.aspx>

**MATHS and SCIENCE**

Senior Science, Biology, Chemistry, Earth and Environmental Science, Physics

**NYSF Year 12 Program - Inspiring Australia's Young Scientists**

In 2020, there will be three separate sessions running for the NYSF Year 12 Program with the following locations and dates. Each session has places for up to 200 students.

**Session A:**  Wednesday 1 to Saturday 11 January – Canberra, The Australian National University

**Session B:** Wednesday 8 to Saturday 18 January – Brisbane, The University of Queensland

**Session C:**  Wednesday 15 to Saturday 25 January – Canberra, The Australian National University

**Application dates:** Applications are open from 1 March to 31 May each year.

[Find out more about how to apply.](https://www.nysf.edu.au/what-we-do/how-to-apply/)

The NYSF Year 12 Program is a 12-day residential program designed to give students a broader understanding of the diverse study and career options available in science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) and to encourage continued studies in these fields.  At the NYSF Year 12 Program run in January each year, participants will:

* visit science and technology related laboratories and facilities
* go on site tours and listen to lectures

Participants also take part in sessions on entrepreneurship, critical thinking, how to work together effectively, and more. The focus is not solely on academic achievements, but on developing well-rounded individuals who have the skills and confidence to determine their futures.

<https://www.nysf.edu.au/programs/year-12-program/>

**Pathways to Architecture**

Thursday, 13 February, 5:30pm

Northrop Consulting Engineers, 345 George Street, #level 11, Sydney

**Looking to become an architect in NSW? Dr Kirsten Orr presents everything you need to know about the various pathways & what is best for you.**

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/pathways-to-registration-as-an-architect-in-australia-tickets-92171438253?aff=ebdssbdestsearch>

# Night Sky Discovery Sessions 2020 - Macquarie Astronomical Observatory

Select a date from the link option below.

Astronomical Observatory @ North 3 Car Park, Gymnasium Rd, Macquarie Park

The Association for Astronomy (in the Department of Physics and Astronomy at MQ) invites you to observe the cosmos with your own eyes at the Macquarie University Astronomical Observatory. View planets, moons, binary stars, star clusters and nebulae through our professionally maintained in-dome and portable telescopes. You will be guided by our experienced, passionate and knowledgeable astronomy staff... bring all your astronomy and astrophotography questions with you! To learn more about the Department, the Association or the Observatory jump to [physics.mq.edu.au](http://www.physics.mq.edu.au) or [goto.mq/observatory](http://goto.mq/observatory)

<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/night-sky-discovery-sessions-2020-macquarie-astronomical-observatory-tickets-86764461841?aff=ebdssbdestsearch>

**2020 Frontiers of Science Forum**

Friday 6 March

**Boston University Sydney** campus, 15-25 Regent Street Chippendale

Exploring major discoveries and theories in physics, mathematics, biology and chemistry at this year’s combined AIP, TGNSW, RSNSW and RACI meeting invitation to the Frontiers *of* Science Forum.

Register here:

<https://tas.currinda.com/register/event/2071>

**Discover Engineering Days 2020**

First 2 x D.E. Days are now open! Fun day for Years 7-10 discovering the practical application of Science, Tech and Maths! Testing their problem solving skills! 1) Holy Cross at Ryde - 4 Mar. 2) Chatswood High - 1 May. Check the website for more info below. Scroll down to Programs. - OH&S & Group forms available stemnsw@engineersaustralia.org.

<https://www.engineersaustralia.org.au/About-Us/Divisions/Sydney>

**AC Aligned Physics Resources from ANU**

Are you studying Year 11/12 Physics? meriSTEM is a new initiative of The Australian National University to provide flipped classroom resources for Year 11/12 STEM subjects. The Physics course, aligned to the Australian Curriculum, is a perfect revision tool for students. Email Tim Friel (contact.meristem@anu.edu.au) or phone (02 6125 7011) for free access for students and teachers.

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**UTS Science Work Experience 2020 Now Open**

#### **Autumn**:**** 18-24 May 2020**Spring:** 12-18 October

Imagine doing real hands on work in forensics, environmental, biological, medical activities at UTS in:

* joining tertiary students in their experimental work
* performing experimental work under the supervision of technical staff
* working with scientific equipment

Speak to your Careers Adviser as soon as possible to check this out.

<https://www.uts.edu.au/about/faculty-science/partners-and-community/outreach-and-community/work-experience-years-10-and-11>

**Taronga Zoo Work Experience Sydney**

**Applications for 2020 are** [**now open**](https://taronga.org.au/sites/default/files/content/pdf/Taronga_Work_Experience_Application_Form_2020.pdf) **and will close Friday 28 February 2020**

Taronga Zoo Sydney offers school work experience opportunities for students in years 10 – 12 who are interested in pursuing a career in zoo keeping, animal care, tourism or zoo horticulture.

Speak to your school careers adviser who will liaise with Taronga on your behalf.

<https://taronga.org.au/get-involved/school-work-experience/sydney>

**Taronga Zoo Meet the Keeper**

Friday 27 March 2020

Friday 23 October 2020

Thursday 5 November 2020

The Meet a Keeper program is a day-long experience for school students who are fascinated by the work of our team does and want to get a better idea of what it’s like to work at our Zoos or in captive animal care in general.The program begins with a guest speaker presentation by a talented panel of Taronga Zoo Keepers, Educators, Human Resources, Taronga Training Institute staff and YATZ members in which students can learn about all aspects of caring for animals including the qualifications required, core responsibilities of a keeper, future career opportunities and more.Following the presentation, students will explore the Zoo and make their own way to a mystery behind-the-scenes animal tour, giving them a real-life look at the way our teams work.

<https://taronga.org.au/education/full-day-programs/meet-a-keeper>

**Study Medicine - Deadline updates for 59 Aust. university degrees leading to medicine.**

The new medicine year starts off with a bang – the excitement of medicine entry offers, university orientation and commencement. See the latest listing of deadlines detailing this information for all medical programs in Australia by going to the link below. You can find Study Medicine on Twitter, Facebook or email: admin@studymedicine.com.au

# <https://www.studymedicine.com.au/>

# Medicine – Your Free Guide

Throughout the medical training pathway, medical students and doctors in training will be exposed to many different areas of medicine and then [choose a speciality area](https://www.myhealthcareer.com.au/medicine/medical-specialties) that is of interest to them. Over 75% of medical students [change their first career preference](https://www.myhealthcareer.com.au/medicine/75-per-cent-of-med-students-change-their-vocational-preference) during medical school.

<https://www.myhealthcareer.com.au/medical-career/>

**UCAT Test Dates, Fees and Processes**

Candidates taking the UCAT in 2019 for entry to universities in Australia and NZ in 2021 should note these key dates:

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| Concession Scheme opensAccess Arrangements open   | 3 February 2020 |
| BOOKING OPENS | 2 March 2020 |
| Concession application deadlineAccess Arrangements deadline | 4 May 2020 at 5pm |
| BOOKING DEADLINE | 11 May 2020 at 11:59pm |
| Late booking deadline | 18 May 2020 at 11:59pm  |
| Cancellation deadline | 18 May 2020 at 11:59pm  |
| Testing begins | 1 July 2020 |
| Last testing date | 31 July 2020 |
| Results delivered to universities | by early September 2020 |

All details in full are found here:

<https://www.ucat.edu.au/ucat-anz/dates-and-fees/>

**Study Medicine and Health at the University of Sydney, admissions pathway and more for 2020**

At the University of Sydney, students can choose from the largest range of health degrees of any Australian university. We’re world leaders in medicine and health, and our students graduate in demand. We offer admissions pathways, including for double degree medicine and dentistry, and publish guaranteed ATARs for some of our courses. Read our updates for career advisers:

<https://bit.ly/2Mg8twF>

**Free UCAT Workshops (Feb & March): Balancing UCAT study with schoolwork**

In February and March, we will be running a number of free UCAT workshops on the weekends to give students a better understanding of the UCAT, explain important insights from the 2019 exam, and provide timelines for test preparation during Term 1 & 2. To sign up for a free workshop, visit link below. Limited seats are available - sign up early to avoid missing out.

<https://www.icanmed.com.au/workshop-dates/>

**Canberra UCAT Workshop**

MedEntry will be running a two day UCAT workshop at the Canberra Grammar School on 30-31 January 2020.

[www.MedEntry.edu.au](http://www.MedEntry.edu.au)

**Study Medicine Free Resource – Medicine Application Deadlines**

Feb 2020

Find the latest deadline information “The beginning of the 2020 year marks the end of the medicine application cycle” in Study Medicine. A fully detailed list of February university deadlines for all Australian medicine degrees and degrees leading to medicine for entry in 2020 and 2021 can be downloaded by subscribing to Study Medicine.

<https://www.studymedicine.com.au/deadline-info>

**Certificate III in Pathology Collection.**

Various dates available

LTT Sydney, Level 2, 23 Wentworth Street, Parramatta

Your eligibility for government support will determine the course fee payable. Course fees for students eligible for government support are payable upfront.

For students ineligible for government support, please be prepared to pay a $200 non-refundable enrolment deposit to secure your place; this amount will be deducted from your total fee (payment plans are available to spread the remainder of payments over the duration of the course).

<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/sydney-course-info-session-tickets-85754292397?aff=ebdssbdestsearch>

**H.S.I.E.**

Aboriginal Studies, Ancient History, Business Studies, Economics, Geography, Legal Studies, Modern History , Society and Culture, Studies of Religion

**New 2020 MIT Business and IT Student Guide**

At MIT Sydney we specialise in Business and Computer Networking degrees. Students can also now major in Digital Marketing or Cyber Security. Download the latest MIT Sydney Student Guide for 2019 to find out more. Request an advance copy here:

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**T.A.S.**

Agriculture, Design and Technology, Engineering Studies, Food Technology, Industrial Technology, Information Processes Technology and Technology, Software Design and Development, Textiles and Design

**InTech**

InTech is an exhibition of outstanding Major Projects from HSC Industrial Technology students.

The exhibition covers all Industrial Technology focus areas – Timber Products and Furniture, Automotive, Electronics, Graphics, Metal and Engineering, and Multimedia. The exhibition includes students’ folios that document the design, management, communication and production of their projects.

[**Calendar available here soon.**](https://educationstandards.nsw.edu.au/wps/portal/nesa/about/events/hsc-showcases-and-events/%21ut/p/z1/04_Sj9CPykssy0xPLMnMz0vMAfIjo8zijRwNzQw9TAy9LYxcDQ0cjb09fAyDfYzcDIz0w_EpCDI304-iRL-XKYn6_d0tgApC_A3NjLzMjfxDidRvgAM4GlDkfpCCKPzGh-tH4bMCHIJ4FYCCCFUBljAg5Iq)

**Shape - HSC Showcases and Exhibitions**

22 February to 5 May

Powerhouse Museum, Museum of Applied Arts and Sciences

The Shape exhibition features a selection of exemplary Major Projects from HSC Design and Technology, Industrial Technology and Textiles and Design students from the 2018 Higher School Certificate examinations.

<http://educationstandards.nsw.edu.au/wps/portal/nesa/about/events/hsc-showcases-and-events>

**Texstyle - HSC Showcases and Exhibitions**

3 to 6 March

The Muse, Ultimo TAFE, Sydney.

The exhibition of a selection of exemplary major textile projects. Year 11 Textiles and Design students are encouraged to attend the seminars associated with [Texstyle](http://educationstandards.nsw.edu.au/wps/portal/nesa/about/events/hsc-showcases-and-events/%21ut/p/z1/04_Sj9CPykssy0xPLMnMz0vMAfIjo8zijRwNzQw9TAy9LYxcDQ0cjb09fAyDfYzcDIz0w_EpCDI304-iRL-XKYn6_d0tgApC_A3NjLzMjfxDidRvgAM4GlDkfpCCKPzGh-tH4bMCHIJ4FYCCCFUBljAg5IqC3FAgiDDI9ExXBADOT0Tt/#texstyle).

[Click here.](https://educationstandards.nsw.edu.au/wps/portal/nesa/about/events/hsc-showcases-and-events/%21ut/p/z1/04_Sj9CPykssy0xPLMnMz0vMAfIjo8zijRwNzQw9TAy9LYxcDQ0cjb09fAyDfYzcDIz0w_EpCDI304-iRL-XKYn6_d0tgApC_A3NjLzMjfxDidRvgAM4GlDkfpCCKPzGh-tH4bMCHIJ4FYCCCFUBljAg5Iq)

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**BiG Day In Wagga**

11 March 2020

BiG Day In IT Careers Conference for students Yrs 9-12 on Wednesday 11 March 2020 @ CSU Wagga Campus – Speakers incl. Adobe, AFTRS, WiseTech Global, Defence Force Recruiting, Department of Human Services & more to come, talking about careers & the future of technology. Loads of cool exhibitors including Adobe, Defence Force Recruiting, ACS, CSU, Riverina TAFE & loads more. No charge to attend

<https://www.thebigdayin.com.au/>.

**BiG Day In @ UTS**

18 March 2020

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**BiG Day In @ ANU**

27 March 2020

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<http://www.thebigdayin.com.au>

**BiG Day In Newcastle**

7 April 2020

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**Millinery Course – Hats Off**

This is a 9 week course starting 12 February, 6pm to 9pm

TAFE NSW - Design Centre Enmore, 110 Edgeware Road, Enmore

Learners will identity, develop and construct a range of costume accessories for productions in the screen, media, entertainment and events industries.

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/statement-of-attainment-in-millinery-for-the-races-tickets-86629317621?aff=ebdssbdestsearch>

**VET COURSES**

**Enrol now with TAFE NSW**

**Enrolments Close Soon**

TAFE NSW is taking enrolments now! Put yourself in the drivers’ seat this year and upskill to create more career opportunities. Or perhaps you would like to further their education in an adult learning environment. With over 1,200 courses from degrees to diplomas and short courses, TAFE NSW has you covered: <https://www.tafensw.edu.au/courses>

**TAFE NSW Credit Transfer Pathways to University**

If you want to go to University via a TAFE qualification, check out your great options here and get credit for what you studied at TAFE.

This credit transfer website is a guide to credits available for completed TAFE NSW qualifications to articulate into a University or Higher Education Provider degree. It is designed to help you tailor your study journey. How much credit you are eligible for varies depending on course, institution chosen and the grades achieved. As credit arrangements are updated regularly, you should always confirm your eligibility with the offering institution. You can e-mail TAFE NSW if you need more information.
<https://credittransfer.tafensw.edu.au/>

**VET Entertainment Industry**

**Budding Film Careers - Tropfest 2020**

9 February.

Parramatta Park

Tropfest is a completely free event and people are encouraged to come along to the venue and enjoy a night out amongst the stars. Attendees are welcome to bring a picnic to Parramatta Park and grab a spot. Alternatively, you can reserve a seat in the “Pick Your Patch” which is a ticketed section of the festival. You are permitted to bring alcohol to the event but note that large quantities of alcohol will not be permitted.

The festival generally opens at 12pm where there will be plenty of food, drink and entertainment, with the short film screenings kicking off at around 4pm

<https://www.evensi.com/tropfest-australia-tropfest-australia/325998133>

**JMC Mocktails - Short Film Competition**

Submissions for JMC Academy’s annual high school shorts “Mocktail Awards” will be open in the next few weeks. High school students are invited to submit their best shorts in fiction, doco, animation, commercial or music clip to be reviewed by industry professionals. Shortlisted films will be shown and the winner will be announced at the prestigious Martini Film Awards.

<https://www.jmcacademy.edu.au>

**VET Financial Services**

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**VET Information and Digital Technology**

**Video Game and Animation Work Experience at AIE**

The AIE Work Experience Program is a great way for secondary school students in years 10 to 12 to learn about the interactive entertainment and digital industries. The Work Experience Program runs from 9am to 3pm over the course of a week and encompasses a range of activities including 3D animation, programming, QA testing and much more. Due to the popularity of the Work Experience Program, we ask that interested students fill out the form below and tell us why they would like to do work experience at AIE. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to [contact us](https://aie.edu.au/about-us/contact).

<https://aie.edu.au/student-information/work-experience-sydney/>

**AIE Information Evening –Games Design and Animation**

19 March. 6.00pm to 8.00pm

Level 2, Wentworth Park Grandstand, Wattle Street, Ultimo

Discover the courses designed to get you started in game development, 3D animation and visual effects at the AIE Information Evening on Thu 19th March, 2020. Sydney, Melbourne, Canberra and Adelaide campuses will be opening their doors to visitors to find out about upcoming full-time and part-time courses.

The evening will include presentations on different areas of industry to get into as well as information about AIE full-time and part-time courses and entry requirements. Student work will be on display and our teachers will speak with you one on one about our courses and how to get you into a creative career.

P: +61 2 8514 8800 E: sydney@aie.edu.au

<https://aie.edu.au/aie_event/information-evening/>

**AIE Introductory Courses in Games 3D animation & programming**

Courses available for high school students who are interested in learning 3D Animation, Game Design or Game Programming. With convenient study options either in the evenings, school holidays or online. More info: <https://aie.edu.au/intro> 02 8514 8800 AIE also offers Work Experience for year 10 students, spots going fast.

<https://aie.edu.au/course_category/introductory-courses/>

**initiAIT Scholarships -Academy of Information Technology**

Application Deadlines

 March 2020 - Monday, 17 February

 July 2020 - Monday, 15 June

 November 2020 - Monday, 12 October 2020

The initiAIT scholarship is for new undergraduate students commencing an AIT Bachelor Degree in the 2020 academic calendar. This scholarship is only available to domestic students. Recipients of this scholarship will be awarded an 50% discount off their tuition fees in the first and last term of their Bachelor degree.

Download initiAIT scholarship information & hard copy of application form here:

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**VET Tourism and Events**

# Design for Events and Festivals - Short Course

 12 February 2020 and 29 April **for 9 weeks, 6pm to 9pm**

TAFE NSW - Design Centre Enmore, 110 Edgeware Road, Enmore

**Are you creative and looking to delve into the world of Entertainment & Production Design?** This hands-on short course is for learners who want to up-skill to improve employability. Learners will explore all aspects of staging an event or festival from concept and design through to basic logistics and budget.

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/statement-of-attainment-in-design-for-events-and-festivals-tickets-86445656285?aff=ebdssbdestsearch>

**OTHER FIELDS**

**Defence Jobs Near To You Information Sessions**

10 Feb – Nowra – Defence Info

10 Feb – Newcastle – Women In Defence

10 Feb – Coffs Harbour – Defence Info

11 Feb – Canberra – Fitness for Women

11 Feb – Tweed Heads – Army Reserve

11 Feb – Kempsey – Defence Info

11 Feb – Sydney – Army Officer

12 Feb – Port Macquarie – Trade Info

12 Feb – Wollongong – GAP Year

<https://www.facebook.com/pg/DefenceJobsAustralia/events/>

**Yr10 and Yr 11 Secrets of the HSC**

Talent 100 Sydney CBD, Level 2, 225 Clarence Street, Sydney

Talent 100 will be hosting the famous **FREE 'Secrets of the HSC Seminar’** followed by a Q&A session.

This seminar was created by Richard Chua; founder of Talent 100 to help educate students and families on the importance of approaching the HSC strategically so that students can work smarter rather than harder.

Learn what schools don't tell you in this 1 hour presentation that demystifies scaling and the HSC. Learn what it takes to achieve your desired ATAR score as early as possible.

<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/year-10-11-secrets-of-the-hsc-seminar-sydney-cbd-tickets-90735238541?aff=ebdssbdestsearch>

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