

# Career News 2019 #7



#### **UPDATES**

### **Collarts**

#### **New Campus**

Collarts have now taken over the Melbourne Fashion Institute on George Street in Fitzroy. This new campus will be hosting some fashion marketing classes as well as other new courses.

# New Course - Diploma of Dramatic Arts and Bachelor of Dramatic Arts in (Comedy).

This comedy course is centered around theatre, film, television, radio, podcasting, and more. Students must complete year 12 and complete an interview. Applications will be via VTAC in August and no ATAR or subject requirements are required.

### **Deakin University**

Upcoming Information Sessions at Deakin: **Arts** 

Gain an insight into Deakin's Bachelor of Arts degree and how it prepares students for a wide range of careers.

The details are:

Burwood

When: 13<sup>th</sup> June Time: 6.00pm–6.30pm

#### Criminology

Learn more about studying criminology at Deakin. You will also gain further understanding into why people commit crimes and the certain behaviors identified as criminal.

Held at both Waterfront and Burwood campuses on the following dates/times: Burwood

When: 13th June Time: 5.3opm–6.oopm

For further information on these events,

please contact: Phone: 1800 693 888

Email: myfuture@deakin.edu.au

## Kangan Institute

Certain institutes are partnering with universities to help provide students with pathway options into higher education. Kangan Institute have put together some comprehensive information on further study options to help you map out your long term career plan.

Follow this link to find out more:

https://www.kangan.edu.au/students/pathways-to-university

## **Latrobe University**

#### Experience Clever is coming up

'Experience Clever' gives students the chance to not only see Latrobe's campuses but experience them by taking part in fun and dynamic workshops led by real lecturers.

Open to future students and parents.
The dates/campus:
5th July – Melbourne

To register visit:

https://www.latrobe.edu.au/study/life/events /experience-clever

## Melbourne Institute of Technology

New course major - Digital Marketing

This major comes under the Bachelor of Business degree and is accredited by the Australian Marketing Institute (AMI). It combines a traditional marketing major with digital marketing units like Social media, Video and Search marketing, Digital Content Creation and Management, Digital marketing Strategy etc.

The entry requirements are; completion of VCE or equivalent including Units 3 and 4 and a study score of at least 20 in any English.

They now have 4 majors in the Bachelor of Business – Accounting, Marketing, Management and Digital Marketing.

#### New course major - Cyber Security

This major comes under the Bachelor of Networking degree.

Entry requirements: Completion of VCE or equivalent including Units 3 and 4, a study score of at least 20 in any English and any Mathematics. CAREER NEWS 2019 #7 |

# Monash University Update

#### **New Data Science Degrees**

Monash are introducing a new Bachelor of Applied Data Science and Bachelor of Applied Data Science Advanced (Honours) next year in 2020.

Monash University's new Applied Data Science programs will deal with the challenges that large bodies of data present to research, industries and society. You can view their course guides online here: https://www.monash.edu/study/why-choose-monash/information-for-schools-and-teachers/publications

#### <u>Winter Campus Tours – Medicine, Nursing</u> <u>and Health Sciences</u>

Monash are also offering tours of their brand new Biomedical Learning and Teaching building so students can try out their clinical labs and simulation environments in nursing, radiography, physiotherapy, OT and paramedicine. Spaces are limited to offer the best experience, so registrations are essential. Winter tours will be running at both their Clayton and Peninsula campuses on the following dates:

2th July 2019 – Clayton

4th July 2019 – Peninsula
Please follow this link:

https://www.monash.edu/campus-tours

## UCAT Medicine and Dentistry Students



#### One-day Workshop

The NIE – National Institute of Education are running a one-day UCAT (University Clinical Aptitude Test) workshop coming up on Saturday the 8<sup>th</sup> of June in Melbourne. This course is designed for students considering a career in medicine or dentistry, for those sitting the UCAT this year and for those who wish to have a head-start in UCAT preparation. The venue is yet to be confirmed, however you can review the details and register here if you haven't already: <a href="https://www.nie.edu.au/ucat-courses/simulated-ucat-day-workshop?idU=2">https://www.nie.edu.au/ucat-courses/simulated-ucat-day-workshop?idU=2</a>

## CareerNews Key Dates & Reminders

#### For Year 10 - 12 Students

#### DeakInspire 2010

Want to explore your future direction? Go along to DeakInspire! It also includes a program for parents to help to support your transition to university.

The dates/campus:

Tuesday 2nd July - Geelong Waurn Ponds Thursday 4th July - Melbourne Burwood Registration is essential so please visit: https://www.deakin.edu.au/aboutdeakin/events/deakinspire

#### For all VCE Students:

#### Inside Monash Seminar

When: Running until August.
Spend 90 minutes with an academic, a current and a past student on campus and discover what it's really like to study at Monash. To view the faculties and seminar dates visit: <a href="https://www.monash.edu/insidemonash">https://www.monash.edu/insidemonash</a>

#### **Monash Information Evenings**

When: Running from March until September.
Time: 6.3opm – 8.oopm.
Sessions will be held at various locations across Victoria. For further details and to register please visit:
<a href="https://www.monash.edu/information-evenings">https://www.monash.edu/information-evenings</a>

#### Victoria University Information Evenings

When: Running until the 25th of June.
These evenings feature a broad range of VU's undergraduate course offerings.
To register for the course areas that interest you please visit:

http://study.vu.edu.au/information-sessions

#### For Year 12 Students:

#### Latrobe University's 'Aspire' Program

Are you community minded and a volunteer? Then you might be eligible for Latrobe's 'Aspire' program, an early admissions program where the skills and knowledge you've gained through your community contribution are rewarded with a conditional early offer into your chosen course at La Trobe aswell as other benefits during your final year of VCE.

Applications open on June 1st 2019, so to review the criteria and application process, visit-

https://www.latrobe.edu.au/study/aspire/about-aspire



## **Career Focus – Sports Coaching**

Sports coaches teach individuals and teams how to improve the way they play and practice their sport by analysing their performances, instructing them in relevant skills, providing motivation and enhancing their capabilities.

#### Sports coaches:

- Observe individuals' performances to determine the level of instruction required.
- Teach techniques to help sportspeople acquire additional skills or improve existing skills.
- Supervise practice sessions.
- Plan training programs.
- Supervise athletes' physical development.
- Organise and liaise with sports science staff.
- Arrange entries into competitions.
- Plan and direct game strategy, sometimes in consultation with club officials.
- Analyse the progress of games or competitions and give signals and instructions to players.
- Carry out post-competition analysis of performance and evaluate strategy.
- Undertake related administrative tasks such as booking venues, organising tours and budgeting.
- Travel with individuals and teams to competitions.
- Recruit players and coaching staff.

#### To work in this field, it is important to:

- Have a thorough understanding of the particular sport.
- Have good communication skills.
- Have good interpersonal skills.
- Be enthusiastic, disciplined and dedicated.
- Be flexible and innovative.
- Be prepared to travel and to work long hours, evenings and weekends.

Sports coaches can operate on an honorary (unpaid) or professional (paid) basis and usually specialise in a particular sport. The degree of personal proficiency required to coach a sport varies widely, ranging from experience as a voluntary junior coach through to an elite coach of a highly commercialised sport.

Some areas of sports coaching do not require formal qualifications and each sport has its own coach qualification framework managed by the state and/or national governing body. Entry to this occupation may be improved if you have the background in the specific sport and/or have qualifications in a relevant discipline.

If sports coaching is a career of interest for you, you may like to consider a VET course, such as Certificate II & III in Sports & Recreation or Outdoor Recreation. You can also consider applying for a traineeship however entry requirements for these positions may vary, but employers generally require completion of Year 10. You can become a qualified sports coach by completing a degree in sports coaching, sport development, exercise and sports science, sport management or human movement. To gain entry into these courses, you usually need to acquire your VCE. Prerequisite subjects, or assumed knowledge in one or more of English, Mathematics, Biology, Chemistry, or Physics are normally required. Institutions have different prerequisites and some have flexible entry requirements or offer external study. Please contact the institutions you are interested in for more information.

It is recommended that coaches become accredited. The National Coaching Accreditation Scheme (NCAS), coordinated by the Australian Sports Commission (<a href="www.ausport.gov.au">www.ausport.gov.au</a>), offers education, training and accreditation to coaches. NCAS training programs include components for both general coaching principles and sport-specific skills, techniques and strategies. These programs are available for more than 70 sports, providing the industry-standard qualification for coaches.

Full-time employment opportunities can be limited for professional sports coaches. Coaches are employed by sporting clubs and associations, government agencies, government-funded centres (such as the AIS – Australian Institute of Sport, state, territory or regional institutes or academies of sport), holiday resorts and centres specialising in particular sports (such as

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horse-riding schools), swimming centres, health clubs, community institutions and educational institutions (schools and tertiary, for example). Job opportunities generally depend on the number of people playing various sports, corporate sponsorship and media coverage of sporting events, the performance of Australian sporting teams and individuals and the level of community interest/involvement in these performances. Other factors include the acceptance of sports as a part of a healthy lifestyle, the amount of money available to sporting clubs, the effectiveness of sports promotion, as well as the trend towards professionalism in many sports, including football, basketball, baseball, netball, hockey and soccer.

According to the latest Australian Government Labour Market Industry Projections Report, sports coaches, instructors and officials are due to see a 20.3% increase in employment growth in the next five years and Outdoor Adventure Guides a 26.5% growth.

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Below is a list of pathway courses and single undergraduate degrees in Sports Coaching and Exercise Science in Victoria:

| Institution                  | Campus   | Course   | Duration | ATAR             |
|------------------------------|--|--|----------|------------------|
| Box Hill Institute           | Box Hill & Lilydale  | Diploma of Sport Development                                       | 1 Year   | NA               |
|                              | Box Hill   | Diploma of Sport and Recreation Management                         | 1 Year   | NA               |
| Chisholm Institute           | Cranbourne   | Diploma of Sport and Recreation Management/Sport Development (VET) | 1 Year   | NA               |
| Torrens University Australia | Online   | Diploma of Sport Development                                       | 1 Year   | NA               |
| VFA Learning                 | Geelong, Melbourne,<br>Narre Warren                          | Diploma of Sport Development (VET)                                 | 1 Year   | NA               |
| Bachelor (Undergraduate) Deg | jrees  |  |          |                  |
| Institution                  | Campus   | Course   | Duration | ATAR             |
| ACU                          | Melbourne  | Bachelor of Exercise and Sports Science                            | 3 Years  | 58.55            |
|                              |  | Bachelor of High Performance Sport                                 | 3 Years  | 59.05            |
|                              |  | Bachelor of Sport and Outdoor Education                            | 3 Years  | 61.05            |
| CQ University                | Online   | Bachelor of Exercise and Sport Science                             | 3 Years  | NA               |
| Deakin University            | Geelong (Warn Ponds)<br>Melbourne (Burwood)                  | Bachelor of Exercise and Sport Science                             | 3 Years  | 62.00 –<br>70.25 |
|                              | Cloud, Melbourne<br>(Burwood)                                | Bachelor of Business (Sport Management)                            | 3 Years  | 80.25            |
|                              | Melbourne Burwood  | Bachelor of Sport Development                                      | 3 Years  | 63.15            |
| Federation University        | Flexible Delivery<br>(Gippsland) &<br>Mount Helen (Ballarat) | Bachelor of Exercise and Sport Science                             | 3 Years  | 31.15 -<br>40.15 |
|                              | Mount Helen (Ballarat)                                       | Bachelor of Sport Management                                       | 3 Years  | 64.05            |
|                              | Gippsland & Mount<br>Helen (Ballarat)                        | Bachelor of Sport, Physical and Outdoor Education                  | 3 Years  | 47-35-59-4       |
| Holmesglen Institute         | Chadstone & City (St<br>Kilda Road)                          | Bachelor of Sport Business   | 3 Years  | 40.05            |
| La Trobe University          | Melbourne  | Bachelor of Sports Coaching and Development                        | 3 Years  | 57.65            |
|                              | Bendigo  | Bachelor of Exercise Science                                       | 3 Years  | 66.20            |
|                              | Albury-Wodonga &<br>Melbourne                                | Bachelor of Business (Sport Management)                            | 3 Years  | 50.45            |
|                              | Melbourne  | Bachelor of Sports and Exercise Science                            | 3 Years  | 60.65            |
| RMIT                         | Bundoora   | Bachelor of Applied Science (Exercise and Sport Science)           | 3 Years  | 60.75            |
| Swinburne University         | Hawthorn   | Bachelor of Exercise and Sport Science                             | 3 Years  | 61.15            |
| Victoria University          | Footscray Park   | Bachelor of Exercise Science (Sport Practice)                      | 3 Years  | 60.25            |
|                              |  | Bachelor of Sport Management                                       | 3 Years  | NA               |
|                              |  | Bachelor of Physical Education and Sport Science                   | 3 Years  | NA               |
|                              |  | Bachelor of Exercise Science (Clinical Practice)                   | 3 Years  | NA               |
|                              |  | Bachelor of Fitness  | 3 Years  | NA               |
|                              |  | Bachelor of Outdoor Leadership                                     | 3 Years  | NA               |
|                              |  | Bachelor of Physical Education and Sport Science                   | 3 Years  | NA               |

#### Note

<sup>\*</sup> NA – Not applicable or under 5 offers were made.

 $<sup>\</sup>boldsymbol{*}$  ATAR is based on the lowest selection rank with adjustment factors.

<sup>\*</sup>All course periods mentioned in this newsletter are based on a minimum full time study load unless mentioned otherwise.

<sup>\*</sup> As subjects, course structures and requirements can vary between institutions, it is necessary to contact your chosen institution for further information.