



WEEKLY CAREER NEWS

EVENTS, NEWS, UPDATES
AND RESOURCES

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Year 11 students

Hansen Scholarship

Year 11 students planning to study at The University of Melbourne in 2023 may be interested in exploring the prestigious Hansen Scholarship via <https://bit.ly/3ix3ENW>

Applications for the scholarship will open early in 2022. A virtual information session is being held for interested Year 11 students.

Date: Thursday 28 October, 6 – 7pm
RSVP: <https://bit.ly/3Da321Y>

Interested in forensic science?

Web series

Afterlife is a web series that explores what goes on behind the doors at the Victorian Institute of Forensic Medicine and the Coroners Court of Victoria.

Join Meshel Laurie and Catherine McClements as they interview Melbourne's real Silent Witness and meet some of Australia's top forensic and legal experts, including

- forensic pathologists
- anthropologists
- toxicologists
- odontologists
- molecular biologists
- physicians
- coroners

<https://bit.ly/3eC56xc>

Forensic Science Careers

Explore careers in forensic science and study pathways at <https://bit.ly/2TbU4WS>

Demand for 'soft skills' in future workplaces

The next ten years will see a shake-up of the mix of skills required by the Australian workforce, with workers needing to deepen their existing skill sets, or acquire new ones. Soft skills are becoming more important than ever.

A Deloitte report found that soft skill intensive occupations will account for two-thirds of all jobs by 2030, compared to half of all jobs in 2000. You can download the report at this link - <https://bit.ly/2ITJbLL>

Defence Force – Upcoming Virtual Career Events

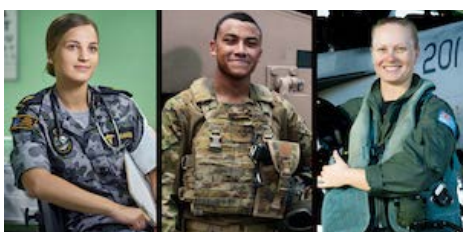
November

- 8: Air Force Careers
- 10: ADFA Careers
- 16: Trade Careers
- 17: Women in Defence
- 23: Defence Careers

You can watch past sessions on the following topics

- ADF Careers Information Session
- Royal Military College
- Navy Officer
- Navy Technical Trades
- General Entry
- Women in Defence

For information, to register your place, and to watch past webinars, go to <https://bit.ly/2MpyMUj>



Music Careers Guide

The Australian Institute of Music (AIM) has developed a career guide for people passionate about pursuing a career in the music industry. The guide features over 75 occupations! You can access the guide via <https://bit.ly/3pf4vtZ>

Check out Music courses at AIM and register to watch their virtual open day on demand via <https://aim.edu.au/>

Year13

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- Win cash just for filling out career surveys
- Contribute to their newsletter
- Participate in free career development and financial literacy programs
- Watch past career expos on demand
- Learn about travel and gap year options
- Read articles about student life

Year13 is your essential guide to transitioning through high school and beyond, <https://year13.com.au/>

Australia National University

New Mathematics Requirement

From 2024, applicants will need to have completed at least Unit 1 or Unit 2 of Mathematics (any) to be eligible for admission into all courses. Some courses will require advanced Mathematics. This information will impact current Year 10 students who will be applying for university courses in 2023 for the 2024 intake.

Watch Open Day Recordings

Prospective students can watch open day videos on demand from the recent ANU Open Day, <https://bit.ly/3vwZvC4>

Who wants to be an engineer?

Do you prefer building bridges or creating engines? Who has more fun – a civil engineer or an aerospace engineer? Bring together skills and knowledge with a degree at RMIT. Play this game to find out what type of engineering you'd be best suited to, and about student life at RMIT, <https://bit.ly/2MVJrDK>

Interested in Engineering?

The following information has been written by Nathan Chanesman at 'My Career Match':



"Engineering is one of most exciting and in demand careers for young people to choose. Engineering is an occupation with extremely wide reach. The term 'engineering' covers many fields and, by extension, many skills.

Engineers are scientists, inventors, designers, builders and great thinkers. They improve the state of the world, amplify human capability and make people's lives safer and easier.

As technology continues to develop, the need for engineers, and the reward of being an engineer, increases too. Some of the most popular reasons to be become an engineer include:

Personal Happiness

This is a career that will keep you happy by providing great financial security, diversity, flexibility, prestige, intellectual development, challenges and personal satisfaction. The variety of ideas and finished projects keep the engineer's job interesting.

Work with Smart People and Travel

People who enjoy working with other people and travelling may become field service engineers. Creative people who constantly have new ideas about everything may enjoy working as design engineers. People who enjoy conducting experiments in laboratories.



Become an Entrepreneur

Engineering also lends itself nicely to entrepreneurial types. In fact, more engineers are CEO's of companies than any other undergraduate degree. Usually this is because they invent something and then form a company to market and sell it. Other engineers may form construction, environmental, or consulting firms because their knowledge is in high demand.

Manage Companies

Many engineers obtain higher degrees in business to become better managers and to receive a broader understanding of the inner workings of engineering companies. Many graduates work for financial companies; they may write software programs or construct financial models.

Learn to Think

One of the best reasons to choose engineering is because an engineering education teaches you how to think through a problem in order to solve it. Engineering teaches all these mental agility skills will help you solve problems for the rest of your life. You access several different approaches to solve a problem, and then it is up to you to show everyone how your solution meets the needs of the design.

Make a Difference

Engineering is one of the most humanistic fields. Engineering is about making life and the world a better place. The more you expose yourself to the world of engineering, the more opportunities you may have and the better prepared you will be to meet the challenges ahead.



You can sign up to receive newsletters and career articles from My Career Match at <https://bit.ly/2kBBw4o>

Download the Careers with STEM Engineering Magazine at this link - <http://bit.ly/39SxV6r>

Do you love the outdoors?

Have you considered studying outdoor education or outdoor recreation? You can study outdoor recreation at TAFE institutes, private providers and via a traineeship at outdoor education centres such as Camp Coolamatong, Victoria and Outward Bound, NSW.

You can also study outdoor education and outdoor recreation at university. The following are examples of courses you can explore:

Victoria University

Footscray Park: Bachelor of Outdoor Leadership, <https://bit.ly/2QIzulk>

La Trobe University

Bendigo: Bachelor of Outdoor and Sustainability Education, <https://bit.ly/3vw8HXD>

Federation University

Ballarat and Gippsland campuses: Bachelor of Outdoor and Environmental Education, Bachelor of Sport, Physical and Outdoor Education, <https://study.federation.edu.au/>

Swinburne University

New Bachelor of Arts

Swinburne has revolutionised their Bachelor of Arts. There are new Arts majors and students can apply to complete Work Integrated Learning, Internships, double majors and combined degrees.

High achieving students who secure a place in the Bachelor of Arts (Professional) will be guaranteed a paid 12-month industry internship.

Download the new Bachelor of Arts guide via <https://bit.ly/3BTxwik>

RMIT University

'Parents to parents' panel session

Parents of prospective RMIT students are invited to participate in an online information session run by RMIT staff and parents of RMIT students. The event will run on 25 November.

For information and to register, visit <https://bit.ly/3IQJOCr>

VCE Exam Cram

VCE students studying Units 3+4 STEM subjects are invited to participate in the RMIT and ATAR Notes exam cram weekend running on Saturday 23 and Sunday 24 October. Register via <https://atamoteslectures.com/rmit-stem>