Welcome

Welcome to the March issue of Monash University’s Careers Update. We have had a busy start to the year preparing for our 23 At Monash Seminars and arranging many school visits, both on and off campus. Don’t forget to book your expo or visit requests as soon as possible at monash.edu/schools and click on ‘School visits’.

Kind regards,

The Onshore Student Recruitment Team

Important dates for 2014

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A new year, a new Extension class

On a sweltering day with the mercury topping 40 degrees, our new Extension program students visited Monash’s Caulfield campus for the 2014 Extension Orientation. Students had an opportunity to experience the campus and make new friends before being treated to a range of presentations from staff, Academic Skills advisers and Extension alumni, Jason Ha, to introduce them to facilities, services, resources and tips to prepare them for their exciting year ahead. We welcome all our students and are confident they will excel in their studies this year.

We were also pleased to see many of our 2013 participants returning to Monash as full-time undergraduates.

VCE Baccalaureate

Monash University will not be providing additional bonusing for the VCE Baccalaureate to be introduced in 2014. A set of Frequently Asked Questions regarding the VCE Baccalaureate has been attached to the Careers Update.
Upcoming events

At Monash Seminar Series

Want a head start in finding your ideal course?
Explore your options early.

Attend the At Monash Seminars to hear from current students, graduates and staff.
Gain the insight you can’t get online and ask the questions that matter. You will get an overview of the university experience – from commencement to career outcomes, and everything in-between.

Seminar times

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All seminars commence at 6.30pm and finish at 8pm.
Everyone who registers and attends a seminar will go in the draw to win a Monash gift pack.
To check out other seminars and to register, visit monash.edu/seminars

Indigenous Student Experience Monash Day

Indigenous Student Experience Monash Day event will be held on Friday, May 2 from 10am to 1.30pm at Clayton campus.

Year 9 – 12 Indigenous Australian students are invited to attend and gain hands-on experience of what Monash University has to offer through a large range of interactive activities.
Participants will meet current Indigenous students and staff within all different areas of study and gain information on the opportunities available within the higher education sector.
This is a free event and lunch will be provided on the day.
For further information or to RSVP, please contact Kristel Keleher at kristel.keleher@monash.edu or 03 9905 8699.
Monash University’s Faculty of Business and Economics recently launched a new undergraduate course website. It is the place for prospective students to discover more about business and commerce courses and the careers they lead to. The interactive website provides comprehensive information about our courses, study abroad programs, internships, majors, and it provides the opportunity to hear from our current students and alumni about their Monash experience. It is also a fantastic resource for VCE teachers, as the site is designed to help you promote VCE commerce and business studies to your Year 9 and 10 students and to support in-classroom learning.

You can also visit our new blog ‘Business as usual’, which is written by current students of our faculty. They write about their activities as members of clubs and societies, about their classes, about attending O-week, overseas experiences, and much more.

In addition, we recently published our business magazine which gives students a taste of business and commerce at Monash and introduces them to fields and industries they may never even have heard of. The magazine is available for download on our website or you can contact BPO to order copies.

From April, our 2014 undergraduate course guide will also be available for order through BPO. This course guide provides a complete overview of the great variety in our business and commerce offerings, course options, majors and units.

**Education**

**VCE Physical Education Enrichment Program**

Monash Sport and Monash University’s Faculty of Education are again hosting a VCE Physical Education Enrichment Program to support VCE students studying PE Units 3 and 4, at the Peninsula campus.

The program lets students apply their understandings of theory through the latest assessment technology available to athletes, including:

- Light Gates
- VO2 max testing
- Global Positioning System (GPS) athlete tracking equipment

A lecture covering important VCE PE topics will allow students to enhance their understanding of content.

The program costs $31 per student (GST inclusive). Schools are invited to register a class group or individuals using the registration form. Schools that bring less than 25 students will be combined with students from other schools.

The program runs for four hours (from 9am – 1pm or 12 – 3.30pm) on the following dates:

- Monday, 21 July
- Tuesday, 22 July
- Wednesday, 23 July
- Thursday, 24 July
- Friday, 25 July

An optional campus tour and presentation can be included at 11am or 1pm.

For more information, contact Monash Sport on 03 9904 4413 or at monash.edu/education/events/vce-physical-education-enrichment-program

**Law**

**Eleventh Fiat Justitia**

Presented by The Honourable Chief Justice Marilyn Warren AC, Supreme Court of Victoria

**The Access to Justice Imperative: Rights, Rationalisation or Resolution?**

How have the twin forces of the global human rights movement and economic rationalism affected local efforts to guarantee equal access to justice? Chief Justice Warren discusses the current challenges in preserving access to justice reforms and outlines how the courts may respond.

**Date:** Tuesday, 25 March

**Time:** 6 – 7pm (followed by refreshments)

**Venue:** Monash University Law Chambers, 555 Lonsdale St, Melbourne

**Cost:** Free

**RSVP:** Wednesday, 19 March to law-marketing@monash.edu or 03 9905 2630
Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences

Faculty of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences
VCE chemistry and biology development seminars

The Faculty of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences is pleased to again support current VCE biology and chemistry students studying units 3 and 4. These seminars have been designed to reinforce each term’s key learnings and will be delivered by qualified VCE teachers.

Dates:
Biology: 5:30 – 7pm, 2 April, 4 June, 27 August and 8 October.
Chemistry: 4:30 – 6 pm, 26 March, 11 June, 3 September and 15 October.

Venue: Monash University, Parkville campus, 381 Royal Parade, Parkville 3052. These seminars are free however registration is essential and places are capped. To register, simply visit monash.edu/pharm/about/events/vce-seminars.html

For more information, please contact Tom Day on 03 9903 9594 or tom.day@monash.edu

Onshore staff changes

With a great deal of sadness we would like to advise of staff changes within the Monash Onshore team.

Student Recruitment Coordinator Eddie Oates is moving to a new role at another University.

Student Recruitment Officer Steve Lester has been offered a role within the Faculty of Education at Monash University.

Student Recruitment Coordinator (Peninsula) Britta Morrison has also resigned to pursue other interests.

We thank them for their hard work and commitment during their time with us and wish them all the very best in their future endeavours.

We will keep you updated with details of new team members in the coming issues. In the meantime, contact Helen O’Keeffe with any queries that you would normally address to those staff or email onshore@monash.edu

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