

CAREER NEWSLETTER

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FOCUS ON ARCHITECTURE AND URBAN DESIGN COURSES

Where can I study architecture?

To become a qualified architect, you will need to complete a three-year accredited undergraduate degree in architecture followed by a two-year Master of Architecture.

The following are undergraduate courses you can study in Victoria:

- **Deakin University:** Bachelor of Design (Architecture)/Master of Architecture, Geelong Waterfront. You can also combine the Bachelor of Design (Architecture) with the Bachelor of Construction Management (Honours), <http://bit.ly/2xZm6HL>
- **Monash University:** Bachelor of Architectural Design/Master of Architecture, Caulfield. You can also combine the Bachelor of Architectural Design with the Bachelor of Civil Engineering (Honours), <https://bit.ly/2yt4gQz>
- **RMIT:** Bachelor of Architectural Design/Master of Architecture, Melbourne, <http://bit.ly/2vPaAzc>
- **Swinburne University:** Bachelor of Design (Architecture)/Master of Architecture, Hawthorn, <https://bit.ly/2vmG2Fw>
- **The University of Melbourne:** Bachelor of Design (majoring in Architecture)/Master of Architecture, Parkville, <http://bit.ly/2yCJqIG>

Further information – Australian Institute of Architects, <http://bit.ly/2yKdw3T>

Where can I study landscape architecture?

To become a qualified landscape architect, you will need to complete a three-year accredited undergraduate degree in landscape architecture followed by a two-year Master of Architecture.

You can study undergraduate landscape architecture at the following Victorian universities:

- **RMIT:** Bachelor of Landscape Architectural Design/Master of Architecture, Melbourne, <http://bit.ly/2h0i9ND>
- **The University of Melbourne:** Bachelor of Design (majoring in Landscape Architecture)/ Master of Landscape Architecture, Parkville, <http://bit.ly/2yCJqIG>

Further information – Australian Institute of Landscape Architects, <http://bit.ly/2yIkNkt>

What about urban planning?

To become an urban planner, you usually have to complete a four-year accredited Bachelor degree or an accredited Bachelor/Master program. The following are courses in Victoria:

- **La Trobe University:** Bachelor of Urban, Rural and Environmental Planning, Bendigo, <http://bit.ly/1PILAGQ>
- **RMIT:** Bachelor of Urban and Regional Planning (Honours), Melbourne, <http://bit.ly/2y0OVIK>
- **The University of Melbourne:** Bachelor of Design (majoring in Urban Planning)/Master of Urban Planning OR Master of Urban Design, Parkville, <http://bit.ly/2yCJqIG>
- **Monash University:** Master of Urban Planning and Design, Caulfield, <https://bit.ly/2PffgL9>

Further information – Planning Institute of Australia, <http://bit.ly/2yLMqt1>

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VOCATIONAL AND HIGHER EDUCATION NEWS AND EVENTS

National Course Seeker website launched

The Course Seeker website is now available at courseseeker.edu.au. The Course Seeker website contains information about higher education courses in all Australian states and territories. This interactive, searchable website displays course information, entry requirements, admission processes and student satisfaction and graduate survey results at the study area and institutional level.

The Australian Government Department of Education and Training worked with the Tertiary Admission Centres (TACs) to develop a national higher education admissions information platform. The platform was a recommendation by the Higher Education Standards Panel in their [Improving the Transparency of Higher Education Admissions](#) report released in October 2016.

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Victoria University (VU): a global leader in sports

VU has been [ranked 12th in the world for sport](#) in the latest Shanghai rankings. As the largest provider of teaching programs in sports and exercise science, VU students benefit from industry partnerships with leading sporting bodies. They also have access to world-class \$68 million sport and exercise science facilities. To explore the vocational and higher education courses at VU, go to <https://bit.ly/2Q1iwXx>

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Have you considered spending your gap year overseas?

Lattitude Global Volunteering still has places left for Europe, Canada and United Kingdom. Volunteering overseas looks great on your resume, helps you to meet new people and determine your career goals, allows you to refine and develop new skills, and builds your confidence, <https://muse.cm/1XIFDrN> To research your options and apply, go to <https://bit.ly/2o4BK3Q>

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Pathways to a Design degree at Monash University:

The Monash College Diploma of Art and Design is an alternative pathway into Architecture, Design and Fine Arts degrees at Monash. To align with the new Bachelor of Design specialisations, the diploma has been updated with extra pathways into the second year of the degree. These degrees and specialisations are now available via the Diploma of Art and Design:

- Bachelor of Architectural Design
- Bachelor of Design (collaborative design, communication design, Industrial design, spatial design)

- Bachelor of Fine Art (Art History and Curation)

For information, go to <https://bit.ly/2Suzteu>

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RMIT Student wins Melbourne Fashion Week award

An RMIT student has won the prestigious student award at Melbourne Fashion Week (MFW) for her Choose Your Own Adventure-inspired project. Bachelor of Fashion (Design) (Honours) student Helena Dong was announced as the winner during the MFW student runway at Melbourne town hall on 5 September. To read about the course, go to <https://bit.ly/2KpgrkG>

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Scholarships for Early Childhood Educators

The Andrews Labor Government has introduced an initiative whereby 400 scholarships will be provided to assist people wanting to pursue a career as an early childhood teacher. School leavers are invited to apply with eligible recipients receiving up to \$26,250 towards a bachelor qualification. This program is funded through a \$135.9 million investment in early childhood education in the Victorian Budget 2018/19.

For more information, please visit the following link: <https://www.premier.vic.gov.au/boosting-the-number-of-early-childhood-teachers/>

Amazing careers in Health

The team at Careers With STEM have profiled several people working in exciting health careers:

- Anastasia is helping the hearing impaired
- Parisa is making portable paper sunburn sensors to prevent skin cancer in Australia
- Trina is engineering a better way for bones to heal.

You can read their stories at this link - <http://bit.ly/2qQXMIq>

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Amazing careers in Maths

The team at Careers With STEM have profiled several people working in exciting maths careers:

- Sam is using maths to save animals in amazing places such as the Barrier Reef and the Amazon
- Daniel is using maths to discover who will be the next big football star
- Sara uses software engineering at Google Maps to help you find your way around

You can read their stories at this link - <https://bit.ly/2OhVr1m>

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New admissions process for Australia National University (ANU)

The new Admissions, Scholarships & Accommodation model will result in an earlier-than-standard admissions process, meaning school leavers will apply to ANU in March when they are in Year 12, and ANU will make them offers in August. To read about the new process and the new admission criteria, please go to <https://bit.ly/2AywKtl>

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Get a Tax File Number (TFN)

You apply for a TFN through the Australian Tax Office. Follow the steps at this link - <https://bit.ly/1HCzGOv>

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Your rights at work

Find out about your rights and responsibilities as a young worker, rules about unpaid work, junior pay rates, hours of work, probation, the age you can start work, and how to resolve issues in the workplace at this link - <https://bit.ly/1Svl7DP>

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Accounting career articles from 'The Footnotes'

- Forensic accounting: a look into the life of crime
- There is something you need to know about accounting

- How to become a Chartered Accountant
- How much maths do accountants really do?
- What do accountants that work in audit do?
- Finance degrees and accounting degrees are different – here's how
- Creative? Why you should consider accounting.

You can access all articles at this link - <http://bit.ly/2yxxLD3>

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Open Days at Holmesglen Institute

Open days will be held at Holmesglen on Thursday 29 November. They will showcase the TAFE and university courses on offer in the following departments:

- Arts and Design
- Business and Finance
- Building and Construction
- Community and Health Sciences
- Computing and IT
- Education and Training
- Hospitality, Tourism and Events
- Horticulture and Environment
- Sport, Fitness and Wellbeing

For information on locations, courses within each department and to register, go to <http://bit.ly/1vxdZMy>

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Residential Indigenous Science Experience (RISE) Program

The University of Melbourne and GTAC are proud to present the seventh annual RISE program: a week long residential program to provide indigenous middle-years students with the opportunity to immerse themselves in Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics.

The program will run between Monday 26 November – Saturday 1 December and no cost to the participant.

For information and to register your place, go to <https://bit.ly/2AyeT6a>

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Academy of Interactive Entertainment (AIE) Open Day

AIE is a private college in Melbourne offering courses in the following study areas:

- Game Art and Animation
- Game Programming
- Game Design and Production
- 3D Animation and VFX for Film
- Games and Virtual Worlds.

The next open day for prospective students will be held on Saturday 17 November. For information and to register, go to <https://bit.ly/2D9oldg>

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Interested in find out more about TAFE and university courses at Swinburne?

The Institute is hosting the following two information evenings:

- **Wantirna, 13 November:** Thinking about a career in early education, horticulture, business, design, nursing or trades? Chat to academics, tour the facilities and ask any questions.
- **Hawthorn, 20 November:** Want to know more about certificates, diplomas and bachelor degrees at the Hawthorn campus? Get course advice, chat to specialist staff and have all your questions answered.

For information and to RSVP your place, go to <https://bit.ly/2EOMUDt>

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NOVEMBER

PaperSpace Student Exhibition, School of Architecture and Built Environment, Deakin University. Melbourne, 5 – 9, Geelong, 13 – 23, <https://bit.ly/2znXzO2>

13, 20: Information Evenings, Swinburne University. Wantirna (13) and Hawthorn (20) campuses, <https://bit.ly/2EOMUDt>

15: Experience Surveying, RMIT, Yarra Bend, <https://bit.ly/2IXItEQ>

16: Deadly Day of Science, RMIT, Bundoora, <https://bit.ly/2PAh923>

16 - 30: MADA Now Graduate Exhibition, Monash University, Caulfield campus, <https://bit.ly/2yCslIM>

17: Open Day, Academy of Interactive Entertainment, Melbourne, <https://bit.ly/2D9oldg>

20: UMAT Medical Interviews Workshop, NIE, Adara, <https://bit.ly/2lwOgJt>

26 Nov – 2 Dec: The Young Leaders Program, Trinity College, The University of Melbourne, Week 1, <https://bit.ly/2OoyQ8f>

26 Nov – 1 Dec: Residential Indigenous Science Experience (RISE) Program, University of Melbourne, www.gtac.edu.au/rise/

27: Peninsula Experience Day, Monash University. Peninsula campus, <https://bit.ly/2EFK6Zd>

28 – 30: The ConocoPhillips Science Experience, The University of Melbourne, Dookie campus. Register before 15 November, <https://bit.ly/2ap3Cau>

29: Open Days, Holmesglen Institute, various campuses, <http://bit.ly/1vxdZMy>

30: Graduate Exhibition and Fashion Runway, Whitehouse College of Design, Melbourne, <https://bit.ly/2E81RAj>

DECEMBER

2 – 17 Dec: The Young Leaders Program, Trinity College, The University of Melbourne, Weeks 2 and 3, <https://bit.ly/2OoyQ8f>

4 – 8: Experience Monash Indigenous Summer Camp, Monash University, <https://bit.ly/2z6KGt0>

13: Information Night, SAE Institute, Melbourne, <https://bit.ly/2DTkqlc>

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4 – 13: Filmmaking Summer School, University of Melbourne, www.summerfilmschool.com/

9: Open Day, JMC Academy, Melbourne, <https://bit.ly/2nRkDB4>

14 – 16: The ConocoPhillips Science Experience, The University of Melbourne, Dookie campus, <https://bit.ly/2ap3Cau>

15 – 17: The ConocoPhillips Science Experience, RMIT, City campus. Register before 31 October, <https://bit.ly/2ap3Cau>

20 – 23: Melbourne Computing Summer Camp, University of Melbourne and RMIT, <https://bit.ly/2IUQ3jr>

21 – 23: The ConocoPhillips Science Experience, Marine and Freshwater Discovery Centre. Register before 31 October, <https://bit.ly/2ap3Cau>

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