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**Universities**

CQUniversity WA Open Day

CQU Perth Open Day is held at CQUniversity Perth 10 William Street on Saturday 9th September from 9:00am-1:00pm

<https://www.cqu.edu.au/calendar/event-items/open-day/perth-open-day>

Edith Cowan University Open Day

ECU Open Days are on the following dates:

* [Sunday 23rd July](http://www.ecu.edu.au/future-students/open-day-registration)- Joondalup Campus from 10:00am-3:00pm
* [Sunday 13th August-](http://www.ecu.edu.au/future-students/open-day-registration) Mount Lawley & WAAPA from 10:00am-3:00pm
* [Sunday 27th August](http://www.ecu.edu.au/future-students/open-day-registration)- South West Campus from 12:00pm-3:00pm

<http://www.ecu.edu.au/future-students/open-day-registration>

Murdoch University Open Day

Sunday 30th July at Murdoch University South Street Campus

<http://thinkmurdoch.com.au/open-day/>

University of Notre Dame Open Day

Sunday 20th August at the University of Notre Dame Fremantle Campus

<http://www.nd.edu.au/events/fremantle>

ECU Pizza night for Year 10

Tuesday 23rd May from 6:00pm-7:30pm at ECU Mount Lawley Campus

Edith Cowan University is hosting a Pizza Night for Year 11 and 12 students interested in furthering their education at the tertiary level. Grab your parents and join ECU at their Information and Pizza Night.

<https://www.ecu.edu.au/future-students/events/pizza-nights-for-year-10s>

ECU International Night

Thursday, 1 June, Mount Lawley Campus.

ECU International Nights introduce you to the wide range of courses and the excellent support services you can expect as an international student. We'll cover topics such as course entry requirements, how to apply, fees and scholarships, student accommodation etc.

<https://www.ecu.edu.au/future-students/events/international-night>

Curtin University Medicine Information Evening

Wednesday 26th April from 6:30pm-8:00pm at Curtin Medical School Bentley Campus

Are you interested in a career in medicine? Come along the Curtin University Medicine information evening, where you will gain a unique insight into the accredited five-year, direct entry degree.

<http://news.curtin.edu.au/events/medicine-information-evening/>

**Curtin University Psychology Information Evening**

Wednesday 3rd May from 6:15pm-6:30pm at Tim Winton Lecture Theatre Bentley Campus

Come along to the Psychology Information Evening to speak to experts about your options in undergraduate Psychology.

<http://news.curtin.edu.au/events/psychology-information-evening/>

Curtin University Commerce Information Evening

Wednesday 31st May from 6:30pm-7:30pm at Lance Twomey Lecture Theatre Bentley Campus

Learn more about Curtin’s Bachelor of Commerce, including the wide range of business specialisations, industry connections, innovative teaching facilities and internship opportunities, by attending the info evening.

<http://news.curtin.edu.au/events/commerce-information-evening/>

Murdoch University Game Coding Camps

Keep the kids busy with our fun and interactive school holiday technologies camps, designed for kids aged 7 to 17. As well as these hands-on workshops, you will have the opportunity to explore the Murdoch virtual reality suite and meet the Murdoch Information Technology lecturers and students.

* Tuesday 18 April 2017 – Game Coding Camp
* Wednesday 19 April 2017 – 3D Printing Camp
* Thursday 20 April 2017 – Game Coding Camp

<http://www.experience.murdoch.edu.au/event/game-coding-camps/>

Murdoch University Health Careers Evening

Wednesday 28th June from 6:00pm - 7:45pm at Murdoch University South Street Campus

Join Murdoch University for their inspiring and informative Health Careers Evening, and hear about how our courses will lead you into a wide range of fulfilling careers.

<http://www.experience.murdoch.edu.au/event/health-careers-evening-2/>

**TAFE & Apprenticeships**

**TafeChoices.com**

TAFE Choices provides an industries page that allows viewers to search and understand study areas that are available through TAFE College.

<http://tafechoices.com/industries/>

**Vantage Automotive Apprenticeship Vacancies**

Melville – Volkswagen

Contact us to find out more: (02) 8014 8990 or [reception@vantageautomotive.com](mailto:reception@vantageautomotive.com)   
[www.vantageautomotive.com](http://www.vantageautomotive.com/)

**TAFE WA North Regional**

Do you want to learn how to make a perfect espresso coffee in a café, restaurant, or just to enjoy at home?

This Barista course will teach you how to fluently speak the language of espresso and all the basics on how to make the very best espresso coffee using a commercial espresso machine, storage of coffee, cleaning, care and preventative maintenance of machinery.

Broome: 17 - 18 May, 26 - 27 July, 6 - 7 September, 15 - 16 November

<http://www.northregionaltafe.wa.edu.au/short-courses/barista>

North Metropolitan TAFE VET School Program

By completing a VET in Schools course, you will obtain a nationally recognised qualification.

Plus, Year 12 students who successfully complete a course in a VET in Schools program are guaranteed enrolment to one of our courses for the following year.

Download the 2017 VET in Schools Program online: <http://www.northmetrotafe.wa.edu.au/futurestudents/stillatschool>

**Private Colleges**

APM College of Business and Communication

Many of our accredited degrees and diplomas are available for flexible online study – so there’s no need to come to class if your location or situation doesn’t allow. Online classes are delivered using the latest resources and learning platforms, giving you full access to all teaching resources, lecturer information and academic support.

<http://www.apm.edu.au/study-options>

College for Law Education and Training: Study online

Access CLET course study resources and support online from anywhere with the internet without attending classes.

With a fully flexible study program designed to accommodate all aspects of a busy life, CLET leads the way in adapting study to the needs of students in the 21st century.

<http://www.clet.edu.au/study-online>

Australian School of Management

Successful businessman and Chef George Colombaris encourages people to study hotel and business management with ASM in 2017.

<http://www.asm.edu.au/about/ambassadors>

ATS Applied Training Solutions Courses

Applied Training Solutions (ATS) is an RTO, providing nationally recognised training qualifications offered Australia wide.

<https://www.appliedtrainingsolutions.com.au/courses/>

**Institute of Health and Nursing Australia**

Our fully equipped simulation center enables our domestic students to practice their skills and techniques on patient simulator manikins. Students can perform various procedures to improve their abilities in a safe and realistic environment, and can learn basic and advanced techniques of patient care. By using life-like manikins to hone their skills, patient safety can be considerably improved.

<https://www.ihna.edu.au/courses>

Endeavour: Being a sport nutritionist

Thu 25th May, 5:30pm AEST

Find out about career opportunities as a sports nutritionist from Kira Sutherland, an experienced sports nutritionist.

<https://www.endeavour.edu.au/events/19755>

**Other News**

**AIE Graduate Success Stories**

Hear where AIE graduates are after finishing their studies.

<http://www.aie.edu.au/graduate-success/all-graduates>

**Tips for juggling study, work and your passion**

<http://this.deakin.edu.au/careers/four-tips-on-juggling-your-job-study-and-passion>

**EducationUSA YouTube Channel**

Are you interested in studying in the USA? Check out the videos available on this channel and get inspire:

<https://www.youtube.com/user/EducationUSAtv#g/c/3633F81EDF17D51E>

**How to become a Chartered Accountant**

Becoming a Chartered Accountant (CA) sets you up to thrive in business anywhere in the world. Kick-start a rewarding career in business as a highly-qualified difference maker. Sign up to Chartered Accountants ANZ today and enjoy invitations to exclusive employer events, access to graduate and vacation positions, career advice, video testimonials and much more.

<https://www.youunlimitedanz.com/Site-Content/About-CA/How-to-become-a-CA#.WNn5dxhh1sM>

**Commonly asked interview questions**

Youth Central provides a YouTube video on what to expect when attending an interview.

The website also provides a checklist that has information about:

* ways to get ready for an interview
* common questions and how to answer them

<http://www.youthcentral.vic.gov.au/jobs-careers/job-interviews/commonly-asked-interview-questions>

**Top 20 Study Tips**

<https://au.pinterest.com/pin/62557882299225646/>

**ACTU Worksite**

This website aims to provide information to young people about their rights at work. The site contains videos, articles, quizzes and more on what your rights are at work.

<http://worksite.actu.org.au>

**Australian National Chemistry Quiz**

Held on Tuesday 1st August around the Country

Secondary students are able to participate in this chemistry quiz, which is designed to promote the study of chemistry around the world. Cost per entry $5.75 and the closing date for registration is Friday 2nd June.

<http://schools.raci.org.au/competition/ancq/>

**Cultural Care Au Pair Information Sessions**

* Online: Monday 17th April

<http://culturalcare.com.au/join-info-meeting/>

**How to get through your first year of Uni**

<http://www.jmcacademy.edu.au/news/%E2%80%8Bhow-to-get-through-your-first-year-at-uni>

**Med Entry**

3rd July & 4th July @ University of Western Australia

Med Entry holds courses to assist students in their preparation for the UMAT Test. Students must pass UMAT in order to gain entry into a medical degree at an undergraduate level.

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

Study Guide Tips

<https://au.pinterest.com/pin/457467274630575602/sent/>

**Chartered Accountant Stories**

Read stories of a variety of people who are Chartered Accountants. See how they got to where they are and what makes them tick.

<https://www.youunlimitedanz.com/Site-Content/CA-Stories>

NAIDOC Week 2017

2nd – 9th July

NAIDOC week is an opportunity for all Australians to come together to celebrate the history, culture and achievements of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples. This page has some ideas about how you can celebrate NAIDOC week.

<http://www.naidoc.org.au/celebrating-naidoc-week>

The John Marsden and Hachette Australia Prize

Entries open Monday 17th April and close Friday 20th June.

The John Marsden & Hachette Australia Prize for Young Writers is a developmental award open to Australian Secondary School Students in the categories of fiction, creative nonfiction and poetry. Fifteen shortlisted writers will be invited to meet John Marsden and participate in an exclusive creative writing workshop. Prize winners will also receive a cash prize and a book pack of YA titles, publication of their work on the Express Media website plus their names and an acknowledgement printed in Voiceworks, Australia’s premier youth literary journal.

<http://expressmedia.org.au/programs/john-marsden-prize/>

**WEP Scholarship Opportunities**

WEP organises student exchanges around the world. The experience allows students to experience a new culture while living with a host family. This year WEP has two current scholarships on offer; the Early Bird Special, a $500 discount off the 2018 program fee and the China Scholarship worth $1500 towards a year-long exchange.

To apply, create a video introducing yourself to your prospective host family. The China Scholarship application closes midnight 4th April and the Early Bird Special closes 31st May.

<https://wep.org.au/scholarships-and-specials/>

**Pitch Perfect: Your Guide to writing the Perfect Pitch**

So, let’s set the scene: you’re a young writer, looking to get some more experience and exposure. You’re thinking of submitting your work to a publication. What do you do? You pitch of course!

A pitch is an idea. It’s the description of a story you’re hoping to write, an outline to show an editor an idea you’d like to put on paper. It’s the first step in getting published, and it’s important in your writing career.

<http://expressmedia.org.au/news/pitch-perfect-your-guide-to-writing-the-perfect-pitch/>

Tim Winton Award for Young Writers

All school students aged between five and eighteen Years in Western Australia are encouraged to put pen to paper and submit an original piece of creative writing of no more than 2000 words.

Start writing now because entries open Tuesday 6th June and close at 4pm on Monday 26th June.

<http://www.subiaco.wa.gov.au/Your-council/Awards/Tim-Winton-Award#award%20info>

**How to organize your life in a day**

Study with Jess is a YouTube Channel where she gives tips and tricks on how to be productive while studying.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=d22KWVJl3lo>

Student Flights: Gap Year Options

Students Flights have a webpage dedicated to those interested in taking a Gap Year to travel. Gap Years are an opportunity to work, teach, volunteer or learn in another country.

<http://www.studentflights.com.au/gap-year>

SkillsRoad.com.au

This website has a range of career tools available for students, parents and teachers.

<http://www.skillsroad.com.au/home>

My Gain: Australian Apprenticeships YouTube Channel

<https://www.youtube.com/user/AAPathways/featured>

MoneySmart

The Australian Securities and Investment Commission have developed a website to assist with all areas of financial planning, including saving, budgeting, spending, personal tax, superannuation, debt management and insurance, with special sections for young people, including apprentices, trainees and students in vocational education.

<https://www.moneysmart.gov.au>

Defence Jobs Australia: Work Experience Job List

The Defence Work Experience Program provides young Australians interested in Defence as a future career, the opportunity to sample life in Defence and learn more about the Australian Defence Force (ADF) and the Australian Public Service (APS).

* Navy Familiarisation at Gardens Island WA, Applications close 28th May
* Marine Technician at Gardens Island WA, Applications close 28th May
* Navy Familiarisation at HMAS Stirling WA, Applications close 27th August
* Marine Technician at Gardens island WA, Applications close 27th August
* Women in the Navy Leadership Camp at Gardens Island WA, Applications close 3rd September

<https://defencecareers.nga.net.au/cp/index.cfm>

CG Spectrum Online Workshops

If you’re considering studying animation, visual effects, game design or anything else at CG Spectrum College, you might want to attend one of their online workshops to get a taste of studying with them.

Sat 22nd April: Introduction to Creature Animation

<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/introduction-to-creature-animation-online-workshop-for-april-tickets-33065025381>

Sat 29th April: Fundamentals of 3D Modeling

<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/fundamentals-of-3d-modeling-online-workshop-for-april-tickets-33066232993>

Sat 6th May: You’ve got 2 hours: Let’s make a game!

<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/youve-got-2-hours-lets-make-a-game-online-workshop-for-may-tickets-33139751890>

How to write an effective entry level essay

<https://myfuture.edu.au/career-insight/details?id=how-to-write-an-effective-entry-level-resume#/>

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**Coming Soon** (See <http://www.calendarwiz.com/mhscareers> for all events)

**Monday 3rd April**

National NAIDOC Awards Nominations close

Youth Week

**Tuesday 4th April**

Defence Information Sessions

Grip Student Leadership Conferences

Youth Week

**Wednesday 5th April**

2017 Young Unversities Summit at QUT

Big Day in IT

Defence Information Sessions

Youth Week

Murdoch University Creative Industries Careers Evening 6:00pm- 7:30pm

**Thursday 6th April**

2017 Young Universities Summit at QUT

Youth Week

Endeavour College of Natural Health Twilight Open Day

Police Entry Information Sessions

**Friday 7th April**

2017 Young Universities Summit at QUT

Youth Week

**Saturday 8th April**

National Institute of Circus Arts Come and Try Day, Victoria

Youth Week

Paramount College of Natural Medicine Open Day

**Sunday 9th April**

Youth Week

**Monday 10th April**

Defence Info Sessions

William Angliss Institute Scholarships Open

**Tuesday 11th April**

ECU Campus Tours 11am-12pm

**Wednesday 12th April**

ECU Campus Tours 11am-12pm

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