



# CAREERS NETWORK BULLETIN

Life at Deakin

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## Study abroad for a world of opportunities

Did you know more than 2000 Deakin students study abroad every year?

Studying overseas while at university is a fantastic opportunity that your students should start thinking about now.

From the second year of their degree, students can study overseas in a range of countries and gain credit towards their degree – we offer a choice of more than 200 universities in more than 40 countries!

The benefits of an international study experience are limitless. It is a life-changing and enriching experience, enabling students to gain in-depth knowledge and experience of another

culture, while learning more about their area of study through a new and exciting lens.

Studying overseas helps your students prepare for the global employment market, develop social and academic skills, and potentially learn another language, while travelling and having fun.

At Deakin, students have several opportunities to study overseas, for varying lengths of time, and financial assistance is available to eligible students.

Find out more about [Deakin's global study opportunities](#).



### UPCOMING EVENTS

#### Deakin in Your Region

[deakin.edu.au/your-region](http://deakin.edu.au/your-region)

- **Ballarat**  
Wednesday 18 May  
Oscars Hotel  
18 Doveton Street South, Ballarat  
6.30–8.00 pm – presentation will commence at 6.30 pm
- **Bendigo**  
June  
More information to come about this event.

#### Health sciences information sessions

- **Geelong**  
Wednesday 20 July
- **Burwood**  
Wednesday 27 July

More information to come about these events.

## SAVE THE DATE! 2016 OPEN DAYS

#### Warrnambool Campus

Sunday 7 August  
9 am–3 pm

#### Geelong Waterfront and Geelong Warrnambool Campuses

Sunday 21 August  
9 am–3 pm

#### Melbourne Burwood Campus

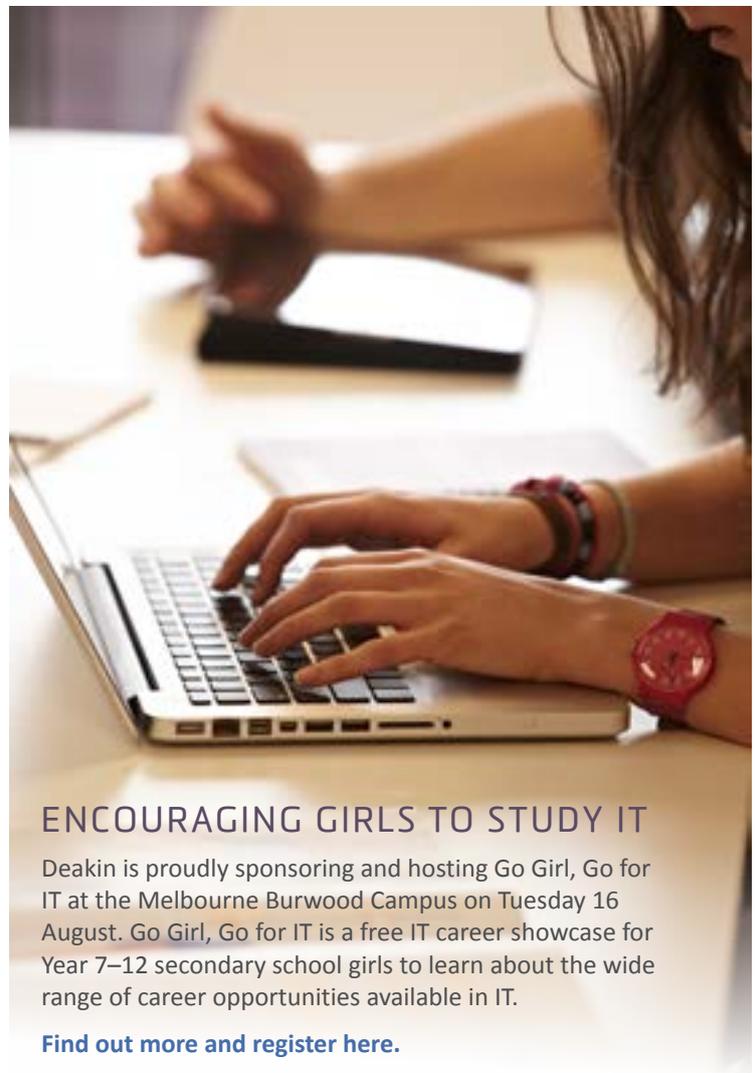
Sunday 28 August  
9 am–4 pm

## ONE-ON-ONE CHATS FOR TRIMESTER 2 APPLICATIONS

Applications are now open for the Trimester 2 intake. If you have a past student who would like to know more about study and pathways options and would benefit from a one-on-one chat with one of our experienced recruitment staff about commencing in Trimester 2, then send them our way!

- **Geelong Waterfront Campus**  
Tuesday 3 May
- **Melbourne Burwood Campus**  
Wednesday 11 May
- **Melbourne City Centre**  
Tuesday 17 May
- **Hume Global Learning Centre, Craigieburn**  
Monday 23 May
- **Werribee Learning Centre**  
Tuesday 24 May
- **Dandenong Learning Centre**  
Wednesday 25 May

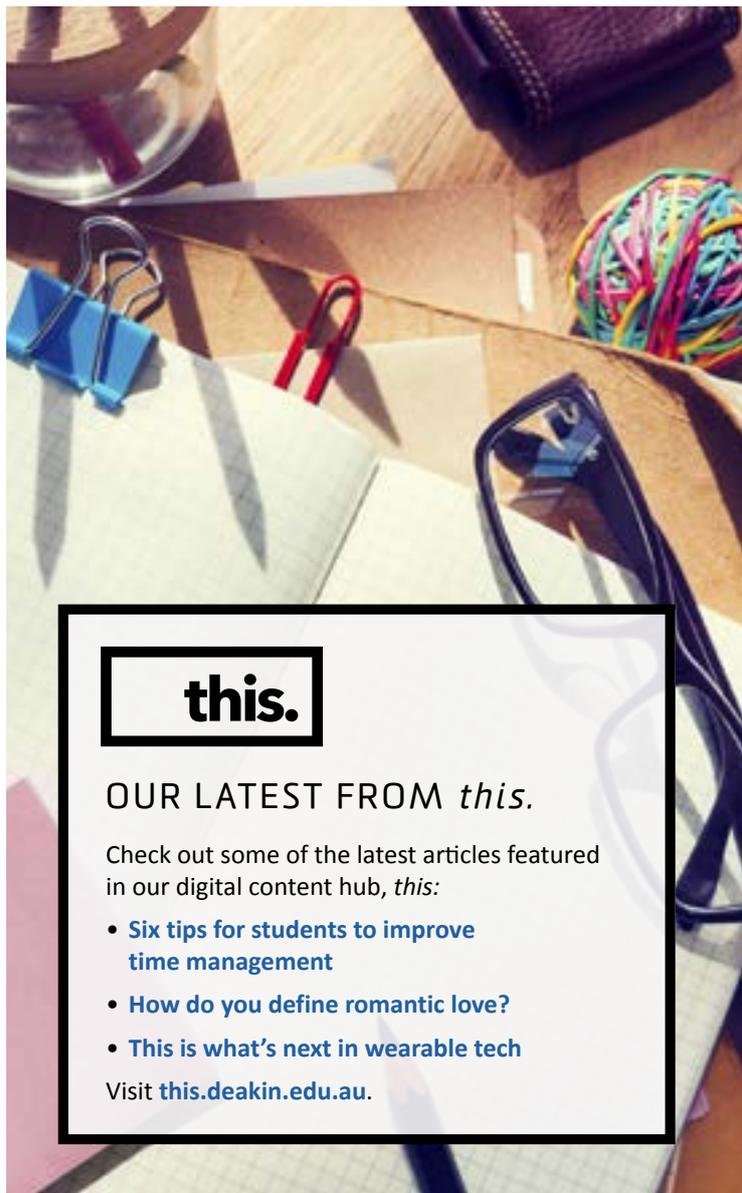
To register attendance and book in an appointment, visit: **T2 One-On-One Chats**



## ENCOURAGING GIRLS TO STUDY IT

Deakin is proudly sponsoring and hosting Go Girl, Go for IT at the Melbourne Burwood Campus on Tuesday 16 August. Go Girl, Go for IT is a free IT career showcase for Year 7–12 secondary school girls to learn about the wide range of career opportunities available in IT.

[Find out more and register here.](#)



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### OUR LATEST FROM *this.*

Check out some of the latest articles featured in our digital content hub, *this*:

- [Six tips for students to improve time management](#)
- [How do you define romantic love?](#)
- [This is what's next in wearable tech](#)

Visit [this.deakin.edu.au](http://this.deakin.edu.au).

## Brought to you by EXPLORE FEATURED CAREER

### Parasitologist

Study and find controls for parasitic micro-organisms, plants, worms or insects in humans, animals or vegetation.

Indicative average salary \$95 000.

Courses that could lead to this career\*:

- Bachelor of Biological Science
- Bachelor of Biomedical Science – infection and immunity major
- Bachelor of Biomedical Science – medical biotechnology major
- Bachelor of Science
- Bachelor of Health Sciences – medical biotechnology major

\* You may need to undertake further study to land this job.

Find out more about this career and hundreds more at [explore.deakin.edu.au](http://explore.deakin.edu.au).

With more than 1000 paired courses and careers, it's the perfect destination for you and your students to explore future careers.

Kickstart your course and career exploration today!



# FACULTY FEATURES

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## FACULTY OF SCIENCE, ENGINEERING AND BUILT ENVIRONMENT

### Melbourne Knowledge Week events

Connect with Deakin at a range of exciting and inspiring free Melbourne Knowledge Week events hosted by Deakin's Faculty of Science, Engineering and Built Environment.

There will be the opportunity to gain insights into the world's leading start-up ecosystem, drop in to our virtual reality lounge, find out about staying cybersmart and get hands-on with life in the cyber-physical world. Another event, being run in conjunction with the Power of Engineering and the Foundation for Young Australians, will provide an opportunity to learn about ways of engaging girls with science, technology, engineering and maths (STEM).

### REGISTER NOW

[Building start-ups the Silicon Valley way](#)

[Virtual reality lounge](#)

[Seven billion reasons for staying cybersmart and cybersafe](#)

[Life in the cyber-physical world](#)

[Girls in STEM: Making it happen](#)

These events are part of [Melbourne Knowledge Week](#), Monday 2–Sunday 8 May 2016, proudly presented by the City of Melbourne.

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## FACULTY OF BUSINESS AND LAW

### Compulsory career planning unit for commerce students

Preparing to find a job will soon be an integral part of the course for commerce students at Deakin, with a compulsory unit in career planning being piloted.

The compulsory [Personal Insight unit](#) will provide career development experiences for students, and has a clear focus on students co-creating their professional identity. The unit is the Bachelor of Commerce's key vehicle for creating awareness and engagement in University initiatives, which include planning for choice of majors and alignment to career aspirations, the Career Portal, Work Integrated Learning and international mobility initiatives.

The Personal Insight unit is a journey of discovery in which students explore intrapersonal and interpersonal aspects of themselves with the goal of creating a personal portfolio of career resources, to assist them to gain Work Integrated Learning placement(s) and be better prepared to find a graduate role.

## FACULTY OF ARTS AND EDUCATION

### Entertainment production students gain industry experience promoting new Australian film

First year [entertainment production](#) students at Deakin are helping to promote the new Australian film, *Pawno* (2016). Meeting with director Paul Ireland and writer Damian Hill in a masterclass at the university, students are encouraged to learn firsthand about producing entertainment today. Social media platforms, festival circuits and online media exposure are some of the topics they explore while promoting the film in student groups.

This is just one of the exciting opportunities available to those studying the Bachelor of Entertainment Production, which is a new degree that joins a passion for entertainment to the possibility of student learning in a hands-on, collaborative and supported environment.

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## FACULTY OF HEALTH

### Deakin nursing graduates among the best in the world

New rankings have revealed that Deakin nurses – many of whom train at Barwon Health and go on to work locally – are among the best-prepared in the world.

Find out what makes our nursing courses so innovative at our upcoming undergraduate nursing information sessions.

#### Melbourne Burwood Campus

Wednesday 20 July

Building BC, Burwood Corporate Centre, Level 2

6.00–8.00 pm

Saturday 23 July

Building BC, The Point, Level 1

2.30–4.30 pm

#### Geelong Waterfront Campus

Wednesday 20 July

Building AD, Western Beach Room 6.104

6.00–8.00 pm

Saturday 23 July

Building AD, Western Beach Room 6.104

2.30–4.30 pm

#### Warrnambool City Centre

Friday 22 July

165 Timor Street, Warrnambool

7.30pm

Click [HERE](#) to book tickets to the session you wish to attend. Alternatively, please phone 03 9244 3059.



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## JOIN OUR SOCIAL CHANNELS!

Did you know Deakin has the most facebook followers of all the universities in Victoria? If your students aren't some of them, they are missing out! Encourage your students to sign up to Deakin's social channels to stay in the know!

 [facebook.com/DeakinUniversity](https://facebook.com/DeakinUniversity)

 [twitter.com/Deakin](https://twitter.com/Deakin)

 [instagram.com/DeakinUniversity](https://instagram.com/DeakinUniversity)

 Search Deakin University

## NEW DEAKIN WEBSITE COMING SOON!

Scheduled for launch on Monday 23 May, the new site will be ground-breaking in the higher education sector and aims to combat the many problems commonly faced by university websites. Check it out in late May at [deakin.edu.au](http://deakin.edu.au).

## DEAKIN ELITE SPORTS PRECINCT DEVELOPMENTS

The first stage of the new **Deakin Elite Sports Precinct** has opened at our Geelong Wauran Ponds Campus. The \$8.4 million precinct has been developed to provide state-of-the-art world-class facilities for exercise and sport science and physical education teaching students, as well as student engagement and community sport.

The redevelopment includes an MCG-sized AFL oval, a FIFA-grade soccer pitch, an eight-lane 400-metre athletics track and a stunning outdoor, trackside teaching facility.

You will have the opportunity to see these and other exciting developments in Geelong at the 2017 Careers Practitioners Seminar, which will be held at the Geelong Wauran Ponds Campus for the first time.

Stay tuned for more information.

