RMIT Career Advisers' Update

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Career Advisers' Briefing - resources

Thanks again to those who attended our Career Advisers Briefing on the 24th of July 2020.

You are welcome to review the RMIT Career Advisers Briefing PowerPoint Presentation as well as the Recording at the links provided.

RMIT Pathways Guaranteed

We are pleased to announce that this year, not only are we offering more options across RMIT subject areas, but we have 85 options for students to select!

RMIT is the first Victorian tertiary institution to offer packaged pathways as options for VTAC preferences through Pathways Guaranteed.

Information about Pathways Guaranteed was presented at the Career Advisers Briefing and at RMIT Open Day.

Find a full list of out Packaged Pathways here.

RMIT Open Day Reimagined

On Demand until 31st August



On August 8th and 9th, RMIT's Open Day Reimagined provided tens of thousands of students the opportunity to engage with live sessions, find out more about courses they are interested in, engage with course-specific content, and interact live through chat to academics and current students.

Although our live events have wrapped up, here's the good news: you can still experience recorded course presentations, virtual campus tours and more on demand until Monday 31 August.



Click here to log in and continue the Open Day experience!

New Business Course 2021

The **Bachelor of Business Innovation and Enterprise** is a multi-disciplinary, 'build your own' degree to help students determine their own pathway to success and develop into the business professional of the future.

Click here to view the course page.

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Upcoming competitions for Year 11 and 12's

RMIT Yearbook - High School class of 2020



Year 11 and 12 students are invited to enter our competition by recording a short video to tell us what 2020 has been like as well as their 'What's Next'. We have refer-a-friend prizes, student ambassador's choice, most creative video, spot registration winners, and a mega prize pack for the overall winner!

Click here to register!

RMIT Scavenger Hunt

During the September school holidays, there will be a Scavenger Hunt for your Year 11 & 12 students to take part in and go in the chance some cool prizes

Register here!

Spin the Pixel Winners

Open Day Competition Winners

Congratulations to the following students for winning one of the weekly \$250 VISA Gift Cards in the Spin the Pixel Open Day competition: a male Year 11 student, a Year 11 student from Darul Ulum College of Victoria, a Year 10 student from Ave Maria College, and a Year 11 student from Shore College in North Sydney!

RMIT Activator Workshops

Facilitate a Practice-based Learning Experience.

A series for all educators that pursues ways of doing virtual experiential learning design with proven tools.

- Workshop 1 (beginner): 20 August, 3pm-5pm
- Workshop 2 (intermediate) 3 September, 3pm-5pm

There is a 20% discount on the second session if you sign up for both. Note: you must do Workshop 1 to be able to complete Workshop 2.

Discover What's Next – Series 2

We're excited to advise you of additional sessions covering a wide range of topics during the VTAC Timely Application period where students and their parents will have the opportunity to ask questions to RMIT staff and students across the sessions.



From the **19**th of August to the **29**th of September, we will be running webinars on topics such as:

- Selection Tasks (3 specialised sessions)
- International, Interstate and Regional content
- Industry spotlights with alumni and students
- Parents session and Pathways, VE and TAFE
- General presentations fortnightly

Click here to see all 17 Discover What's Next sessions.

Click here for a helpful calendar of upcoming sessions.

Year 10 Subject Selection Events

Monday 17 - Thursday 20 August

Year 10 students and families are invited to attend live webinars to support VCE subject selection.

4 panels of RMIT students and industry professionals will discuss how VCE subject choices helped prepare them for tertiary study and their careers.

Click on the session links below to view and register:

- Choosing Business Subjects for Years 11 &12 -Monday 17 August 5.30pm
- Choosing Science Subjects for Years 11 &12 -Tuesday 18 August 5.30pm
- Choosing Maths Subjects for Years 11 &12 -Wednesday 19 August 5.30pm
- Choosing Arts subjects for Years 11 &12 -Thursday 20 August 5.30pm

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RMIT Principals' Newsletter

A new quarterly newsletter dedicated to Principals.

RMIT Student Recruitment launched the first edition of the Principals' Newsletter last quarter in July. We have already seen significant interest from principals, with each edition revolving around a central theme and including an opening article from a different Deputy Vice Chancellor at RMIT each quarter.

Please pass on the <u>RMIT Principals' Newsletter</u> to your principal. Principals can <u>email us</u> with their contact details to receive future editions of this newsletter.

Bird's-eye view helped with VCE flight pathway

Future pilot Sophia Eldridge is still on her L-Plates and is more scared driving a car then when she is flying.

The Bendigo RMIT flight training student says "flying a Cessna feels much easier and is a lot more relaxing than driving. Once in the air you've got to work with a plane, but in a car you have to watch every direction, stop all the time, watch out for pedestrians. There are so many variables you can't control. I find being in an aircraft the most relaxing place you can be."



Sophia, 18, finished VCE last year and studied Further Maths, English Literature, Systems Engineering as well as her two favourite subjects, Geography and Environmental Science. "I was hearing and seeing what my geography and enviro teachers were saying, and connecting the dots, particularly the meteorology stuff," Sophia commented about her flying.

RMIT's chief pilot instructor Julia Lang is a role model for the likes of Sophia and the many other female trainees at either the Bendigo or Point Cook centres. Sophia says, "the people in this profession are so excited to see females becoming more involved and personally I love the challenge that comes with flying, the adrenaline, the work and the people."

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