# CAREER NEWS

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1. 2017 TAFE at School Programs

**TAFE Queensland East Coast**

TAFE Queensland East Coast advise that applications for TAFE at School Programs for 2017 are now open!

**How does it work?**

Students apply by going to: [https://tafeapply.com](https://tafeapply.com)*

*Please use the latest version of Mozilla Firefox, Google Chrome or Internet Explorer (Version 11) to access form

**Students will need their USI number to complete the application.**

To create a USI click [here](https://tafeapply.com).

Students will need to enter the application code to access the electronic form.

**TAFE East Coast Application Code: TQEC1701**

Once a student applies, an email will be sent back to the school, for school approval.

**When do applications close?**

On time applications will close **Friday 21st October 2016**. Please encourage students to apply before this date to avoid disappointment, as we will start to confirm places after this date. Late applications and course changes will be accepted up until Friday 3rd February 2017, however course availability cannot be guaranteed for any late applications.

Here's a copy of the electronic [TAFE at School Course Guide](https://tafeapply.com).

We have also attached an updated list of courses by campus location – there have been some changes since the guide was published, this includes the addition of the following new courses:

**Nambour Campus**

- CUA30415 Certificate III in Live Production and Services

**Online**

- ICT30115 Certificate III in Information, Digital Media and Technology (Networking)
- ICT30115 Certificate III in Information, Digital Media and Technology (Web)
- ICT30115 Certificate III in Information, Digital Media and Technology (Support)

We have included timetabled days on the application form where they have been confirmed, for non-confirmed courses we will aim to confirm days with you ASAP or work to the school preferred days where possible.
2. Career News Items

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Universities

UQ New Degree Programs
Six new degree programs for 2017. The foundation degree of choice for Prime Ministers and many other political leaders will be available in Queensland for the first time next year Bachelor of Politics, Philosophy and Economics.

Also:
Bachelor of Biomedical Science (three years)
Bachelor of Advanced Science, majoring in Biomedical Science (four years)
Bachelor of Criminology and Criminal Justice (Honours) (four years)
Bachelor of Advanced Humanities (Honours) (four years)
Bachelor Clinical Exercise Physiology (Honours) (four years)

USC Undergraduate scholarships
Applications will open on 1 September 2016 and close on 30 November 2016.

Bond University Film and Television Awards
Bond University Film and Television Awards (BUFTA) is THE short film competition for aspiring filmmakers from Year 11 and 12 secondary schools across Australia. The Best Overall Filmmaker will receive a full scholarship to study a Bachelor of Film and Television at Bond University and there are various other prizes available. Competition closing date: October 7, 2016

Becoming an Architect
Architects are professionally trained designers who work on buildings and the built environment. They combine creative design with a wide range of technical knowledge to provide integrated solutions for built and natural environments. Find out more:
Griffith Uni Aptitude for Engineering Assessment Exam Reminder
This pathway is available to year 12 students who may not have the prerequisite courses or tertiary entrance score for admission to Engineering. Date: Saturday 24 September 2016
Where: Brisbane (Nathan) and Gold Coast campuses. Time: 10:00am – 1:00pm
Candidates in Regional Queensland will be able to sit the AEA test in their school (online) between Saturday 24 September 2016 and Friday 21 October 2016. Students can register at https://www.acer.edu.au/aea before Monday 12 September 2016, 5pm (AEST).

UQ Robotics Workshops for Kids
UQ offers holiday workshops for kids in Introduction to Robotics and Artificial Intelligence (AI). The workshops are suitable for YEAR LEVELs 7-12 students.
Introduction to Robotics: $15, 9am – 12pm, 27/9 & 13/12
Artificial Intelligence: $25, 9am – 12pm, 28/9 & 14/12
https://www.eait.uq.edu.au/robotics-ict#robotics-holiday-workshop

UQ Robogals Workshops
Robogals and UQ invite girls to attend a full-day Robotics Workshop for girls at UQ’s St Lucia campus. During the day, students will be able to try hands-on robotics activities and meet some of our female Engineering students. 9am – 3pm, 29/9 & 16/12
https://www.eait.uq.edu.au/robotics-ict#robotics-holiday-workshop

TAFE & Apprenticeships

Do Uni Differently @ TAFE
TAFE Queensland has partnered with some of Australia’s most established and respected universities to deliver world-class degrees in a practical, job-focused training environment. See the pathways that you might take to your degree: http://learnmore.tafeqld.edu.au/

Study Nursing Online
Nursing ranks highly as a rewarding and meaningful career choice for many. If you enjoy taking care of others and would like a fulfilling role in the nursing industry, then the HLT54115 Diploma of Nursing Online is the ideal platform to launch your career aspirations. Our nationally recognised HLT54115 Diploma of Nursing has been designed for everyone to gain formal qualifications as an Enrolled Nurse. You’ll benefit from on-the-job clinical experience in community, long-term residential, rehabilitation and acute care settings. Choose how you would like to study – in class or online.
Register your interest and receive our free Your Guide to Greatness Nursing e-book.
http://tafegoldcoast.edu.au/study-with-us/study-areas/nursing/webinar/

Gold Coast TAFE Coomera Open Day
9.30am – 2.30pm, 15 October @ Coomera Foxwell Rd Campus.
Come and explore our Coomera Campus and a range of course offerings and creative displays.

Gold Coast TAFE Creative Industries Showcase
Wednesday 23 November @ Coomera Foxwell Rd Campus.
Come and see amazing work from our music and graphic design students.

Sunshine Coast Job Show
10am – 4pm, 19 October @ East Coast TAFE, Mooloolaba Campus.
Tourism Noosa Job Showcase
Become trained and employed in the hospitality industry. For dates, times and locations for information sessions, please call Angela on 0432 824 634 or email angela@jobshowcase.com.au.
Third course starts: Monday 26th of September 2016.

Maroochydore Chamber Job Showcase
Become trained and employed in the retail industry. For dates, times and locations for information sessions, please call Angela on 0432 824 634 or email angela@jobshowcase.com.au.
Third course starts: Monday 19th of September 2016

Private Colleges

AFTRS Intro to Screenwriting
Sept 17/18, 9am – 5pm @ The Edge, State Library of Queensland.

Other News

Musical Theatre Summer School
If you have a passion for musical theatre, why not come and join us for an amazing week of singing, dancing, acting and performance? Sunday 15 – Friday 20 January, 2017. 9.00am to 5.00pm (Sunday 15, 12.30pm – 5.00pm) Friday 20 January, 6.00pm: Public showing of the work produced over the week. COURSE FEES: $560. VENUE: Burke St Studio Theatre. 8 Burke St, Woolloongabba
Email musical.theatre@griffith.edu.au

CSIRO Indigenous Traineeships
Over the course of the traineeship, trainees will undertake on-the-job training and complete a Nationally Accredited Qualification relative to their position. Upon successful completion of the training package the trainee will be considered for ongoing employment with CSIRO, if available.

Australia's Careers Online

Gold Coast 2018 Commonwealth Games
15,000 volunteers will be needed to help deliver a great Commonwealth Games. Register your interest now: https://gc2018.com/take-part/volunteering

Webinar – Early Leavers Training
Thursday 29 September, 2:00pm - 3:00pm AEST
Hear about the role of private RTOs in delivering training to young people who have left school. Will also appeal to people who have an interest in learning more about young disadvantaged learner groups. https://www.ncver.edu.au/about/news-and-events/events/webinar-how-can-private-rtos-support-young-learners-who-have-left-school-early
The 10 Happiest Jobs of 2016 from CareerFAQs

Brown Consulting: Engineering Scholarship Program for Year 12 Girls
Applications open October. Brown Consulting is offering paid work experience, financial assistance ($1,500 to $3,000 per year), a graduation bonus ($3,500 per year for two years) and mentoring and training to women who are considering studying engineering at university. Positions are available in Brisbane, Canberra, Melbourne, Rockhampton, Sydney, and the Sunshine Coast. Contact: (07) 3895 3444
http://www.calibreconsulting.co/careers/teams/start-your-career/dream-big

National Summer Art Scholarships 2016
Applications close 31st October. Scholarships allow students in Year 11 to spend a week over summer (14th – 21st January 2017) at the National Gallery of Australia, Canberra. This provides an opportunity to engage with staff at the National Gallery as well as other arts professionals, artists and peers from around the nation. Two students from each state and territory will be selected to participate in the program. Contact: (02) 6240 6632 or summerartscholarship@nga.gov.au http://nga.gov.au/SummerArtScholarship/index.cfm

The Young Endeavour: 2016 Youth Development Voyages
The Young Endeavour undertakes around 20 voyages each year with 24 young Australians and nine specially trained Royal Australian Navy crew, usually for an eleven day adventure at sea. The ballot is now open for applications, eligible Australians aged 16 – 23 can apply for Youth Development voyages sailing from January to June 2016.

UN Youth Australia 2016 International Programs
Applications are now open for two international programs to be run by UN Youth Australia in 2017.
• Aotearoa Leadership Tour: Aimed at high school students to explore indigenous rights, culture and reconciliation on a tour of New Zealand.
• Pacific Project: A year-long project for year 10-12 students with a trip to East Timor to finalise the experience.
https://unyouth.org.au/international-programs/

TSFX: Creating and Implementing Effective Exam Study Timetables

YFU Student Exchange Online Information Sessions
The online information sessions provide those interested in exchange with the opportunity to learn about the programs on offer.
20th September – 6pm, 18th October – 6pm, 15th November – 6pm, 8th December – 6pm
Email yfuaus@yfu.com.au or phone 1800 654 947 to register.

Architect for a Day
As part of the Brisbane Open House program the Australian Institute of Architects is opening its doors to high school students (14 – 18 years) who would like to be ‘An Architect for a Day’. This free event will be held from 10:00am – 12 noon on Saturday 8 October 2016 at the Queensland Chapter Auditorium, 70 Merivale Street, South Brisbane. There will be representatives from UQ, QUT, Bond and Griffith and the participating students will be learning from registered architects, academics and graduates to gain a full understanding of architecture. Advance registrations are required. To register, email qld@architecture.com.au. For information about Brisbane Open House on 8/9 October:
I Choose Technology
This website has information about careers in information technology, as well as skills you can develop and courses you can study to get into the industry.

Jobs of the Future
This Canadian website has come up with job descriptions for careers that may exist in 2030. This includes changes to current career paths as well as new jobs that will develop over time. http://careers2030.cst.org/jobs/

CS First
This free resource from Google is a great way to learn about coding if you’re just starting out. https://www.cs-first.com/

3. 2017 UQ Enhanced Studies

Current Year 11’s

Current Year 11 students are invited to apply for UQ’s Enhanced Studies Program (ESP).

ESP provides talented students with an opportunity to extend their studies by completing a university subject in Semester 1 of Year 12. Students can select from over 40 courses including maths, psychology, accounting, business management, history, languages, music, and tourism. Some external and flexible delivery courses are also available. In 2017 there are ten new courses:

- Buildings in History and Culture
- Contemporary Australia
- Drama Performance Analysis
- Food for a Healthy Planet
- Introduction to Environmental Management
- Introduction to Music Technology
- Introduction to Planning
- Introduction to Popular Music Studies: The Rock Era
- Looking at Art
- Music in Society 1

Students who study an ESP course, do not pay tuition fees. ESP students enjoy the benefits associated with being a UQ student, including access to UQ libraries, student services, guest lectures, and use of UQ’s extensive sporting facilities. In addition, students who successfully complete ESP will receive one bonus point (1-99 scale) towards their university entrance rank through UQ’s Bonus Rank Scheme. Students who later enrol in a relevant UQ program may receive credit for their completed course.

Students are encouraged to view the ESP website for further information and eligibility criteria. Applications close Monday 31st October, 2016 at 11.59pm.

Important note regarding new online application process: Applicants are now able to upload their documents online (as opposed to submitting hard copies). More details are available via how do I apply.

Important note regarding late course change – Fundamentals of Writing (WRIT1005, internal only): WRIT1005 (internal only) will no longer be offered to ESP students. This course has been replaced with Creative Writing: Narrative (WRIT1110). Interested applicants are encouraged to refer to the WRIT1110 course profile to see if this course is of interest.

Enhanced Studies Program www.uq.edu.au/esp/
p: 61 7 3346 7762 | e: enhancedstudies@uq.edu.au
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- QSFT Introduction to Sound Production
- APM Open Day, Brisbane
- William Blue College of Hospitality Management Open Day
- ACNT Scholarship
- ANCB Scholarship
- ANCB Open Day
- Endeavour College of Natural Health Webinars

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- Character Strengths Challenge

TAFE QLD North Early Childhood Education & Care Info Session

NECA Electrical Apprenticeships

TAFE Queensland Scholarships
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University of Sydney Indigenous Australian Engineering Summer School
8th – 14th January 2016. The program established by Engineering Aid Australia enables indigenous students to experience what it is like to study engineering as well as explore different career options. The program is for students in years 10 to 12 and application forms can be downloaded from the website. For further information, contact: iaess@sydney.edu.au http://sydney.edu.au/engineering/iaess/

UQ Enhanced Studies Program
Test Drive UQ in Year 12. The Enhanced Studies Program provides students with an opportunity to extend their knowledge and skills by completing one university subject during Year 12. Applications close Monday 31 October 2016 at 4pm. https://esp.uq.edu.au/

Preparatory Studies & Bridging Programs
Preparatory programs and bridging studies can help you get into tertiary courses, and prepare you for study. More information: http://www.qtac.edu.au/applications/application-resources/upgrading-pathways/bridging-courses/preparatory-programs-and-bridging-studies

Griffith Uni Q & A Sessions
19 - 30 September @ Nathan & Gold Coast Campuses. Book a 30 minute, personalised appointment with a member of the student recruitment team. Phone 1800 073 875
Email futurestudents@griffith.edu.au
https://www.griffith.edu.au/guidance-officers-teachers/events

QUT Vice-Chancellor's Scholarship Program
Applications are now open for the Vice-Chancellor’s Scholarship Program. New elite visual and performing arts scholarships worth $30 000 each for acting, dance performance, music and visual arts single degrees. https://www.qut.edu.au/study/fees-and-scholarships/scholarships-and-prizes/vice-chancellors-scholarship-elite-visual-and-performing-arts
Other Vice-Chancellor’s Scholarships:

QUT Equity Scholarships Scheme
Offers more than $4 million in scholarships each year to students experiencing financial hardship. More than 3,000 QUT students currently benefit from these scholarships. Online applications open in mid-September—students should apply early to make sure they are considered. https://www.qut.edu.au/study/fees-and-scholarships/scholarships-and-prizes/equity-scholarships-scheme

QUT acting, dance, fashion, music and visual arts Destinations
27 & 28 September, 12 – 4pm @ Building Z9, Creative Industries Precinct, Brisbane. You’re invited to join us at our $80 million Creative Industries expansion, home to state-of-the-art dance, drama, music recording and visual arts studios. Hear from current students, teaching staff, student support services and industry professionals and experience a variety of student creations. No need to register – just show up and find the pink balloons indicating a Destinations event. All welcome – 2017 applicants, future students, parents, caregivers and friends. http://nowalls.qut.edu.au/destinations/
QUT Health course updates
A new three-year Bachelor of Sport and Exercise Science (replacing the current Bachelor of Exercise and Movement Science) will be offered from February 2017 to meet new Exercise and Sports Science Australia accreditation requirements. Associated double degrees will be discontinued. The Bachelor of Radiation Therapy will be four years duration and offer an honours pathway from 2017. Both these changes are subject to final university approval.
https://www.qut.edu.au/study/courses/bachelor-of-radiation-therapy

QUT Engineering update
Chemical engineering graduates in Australia often work as process engineers turning raw materials into products across many industries. Find out about QUT’s course and new scholarships available to students who choose the process engineering major.

QUT Special Entry Programs
https://www.qut.edu.au/study/applying/undergraduate-applications/special-entry-programs

QUT Courses you can use to upgrade

TAFE & Apprenticeships

NECA Electrical Apprenticeships
Electrical Apprenticeships NSW / QLD / ACT is a not-for-profit organisation owned by the peak industry association, NECA. Electrical Apprenticeships NSW / QLD / ACT currently employs over 600 Electrician and Telecommunication Apprentices and is seeking to recruit up to 150 more to commence in early 2017. http://www.necagt.com.au/

TAFE Queensland Scholarships

Private Colleges

Queensland School of Film & Television Open Day Online
Register for our Next Open Day Online: http://ems.gs/3tcU0bHbqjG

QSFT Introduction to Script Writing
WRITE IT! - Introduction to Script Writing
Learn how to best structure a script and techniques to bring the characters alive!!!
Saturday 8th October 2016, 9am – 1pm, @ QSFT Annerley Campus, 22 Warwick Street, Annerley. Cost $60 ($45 if paid before 17 Sept). Application Form:
Email your completed application to applications@qsft.qld.edu.au
OR Fax to (07) 3392 7511 https://www.facebook.com/qldfilmschool/photos
APM Open Day, Brisbane
10am – 2pm, Saturday 21 January 2017 @ 90 Bowen Tce, Fortitude Valley.
Courses in Marketing, Entrepreneurship, Public Relations, Events, Commerce, Sports Management, Project Management, Business Administration, & Professional Accounting.
http://www.apm.edu.au/about-apm/upcoming-events/open-day-brisbane

William Blue College of Hospitality Management Open Day
10am – 2pm, Saturday 21 January 2017 @ 90 Bowen Tce, Fortitude Valley.

ACNT Scholarship
Australian College of Natural Therapies is currently offering a new student a scholarship covering tuition fees for one year, commencing 20 February 2017 in any of the following full time, on-campus courses including:
Bachelor of Health Science (Naturopathy)
Bachelor of Health Science (Nutritional Medicine)
Bachelor of Health Science (Western Herbal Medicine)
Diploma of Health Science
Closing Date: 25 November 2016.

ANCB Scholarship
Australian National College of Beauty is currently offering a one term scholarship to a new student starting 20th February, 2017. Closing Date: 25 November 2016.

ANCB Open Day
9.30am – 2pm, Saturday 21 January 2017 @ 90 Bowen Tce, Fortitude Valley.
http://www.ancb.edu.au/events/open-day-brisbane

Endeavour College of Natural Health Webinars
Wed September 28, 11am or 7pm AEST - Online learning at Endeavour College - Demo and Q&A
Thu October 13, various times - What you need to know about enrolling with Endeavour College
Thu November 10, various times - What you need to know about enrolling with Endeavour College
Tue November 15, 11am or 7pm AEST - Online learning at Endeavour College - Demo and Q&A  http://www.endeavour.edu.au/events/

Other News
“Meet a Nobel Laureate” Competition
QLD Australian Institute of Physics competition. Students will compete for a chance to meet Nobel Laureate Takaaki Kajita, one of the Plenary speakers at this year’s Congress and talk to him about the question they most want to discuss with him. Students from around Queensland are encouraged to apply, and at least one winner will be drawn from a regional area. This regional winner will be provided some support to travel and attend the event. The closing date for the competition is 30 September.”
http://appc-aip2016.org.au/Registration/?IntCatId=62

Other Defence Info Sessions
20/9  Enoggera: Army Reserve Information Session
21/9  Ipswich: Defence Careers Information Session
28/9  Brisbane: Defence Careers Q&A Evening
https://www.facebook.com/DefenceJobsAustralia/events
Gap Medics International Medical Work Experience
Shadow doctors, nurses, midwives or dentists in hospital for 1 – 8 weeks.

C.A.S. Hawker Scholarship
The C.A.S. Hawker Scholarship is awarded to Australian students, usually those entering their first year of university. It is awarded based on personal qualities, demonstrated leadership and academic ability. Applications for the 2017 scholarship open 5th December 2016 and close 6th January 2017.
http://www.hawkerscholarship.org/

Australian Training Awards Real Stories Real Achievements Videos
These videos produced by the Australian Training Awards tell the stories of people who have experienced career success through VET study.

Voiceworks Volunteering Opportunities
Volunteer opportunities are available with Voiceworks, a literary journal produced by and showcasing the work of people under 25. Applications close Sun 18th September.
http://www.expressmedia.org.au/about/positions-vacant/

Vision Australia Further Education Bursary
Students who are clients of Vision Australia who are planning to undertake tertiary study in 2017 may be eligible to apply for the Vision Australia Further Education Bursary. Applications close 28th October.
You can watch this video to find out more about the bursary program.
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=u8R1HYrAtXE&feature=youtu.be

Think Your Way
Think Your Way is a resource for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students with targeted advice about post-school study options. http://www.thinkyourway.edu.au/

Australian Apprenticeships: My Gain Videos
The next series of Australian Apprenticeship My Gain videos have been published on YouTube. These videos ask apprentices and trainees to respond briefly to set questions about their job and job hunting experiences. They are directed at young people contemplating career pathways and where to look for job opportunities.
https://www.youtube.com/user/AAPathways

Think Education: Early Entry Program
The Early Entry Program enables students completing Year 12 to pre-enrol in their desired course before sitting exams. The program is available for students wishing to study at the William Blue College of Hospitality Management, Australasian College of Natural Therapies and Jansen Newman Institute. Students may register their interest for the program to have a course and career advisor discuss their options.
http://www.think.edu.au/studying-at-think/early-entry-program#

Whitehouse Institute of Design: 2017 Summer Holiday Workshops
Whitehouse will be offering a series of 5 day workshops for those looking to build technique and skills in Fashion Illustration, Interiors Illustration or Image Styling.
http://www.whitehouse-design.edu.au/courses/summer-holiday-workshops
SAE Institute Scholarship Program
Applications close 19th December. SAE Creative Media Institute offers scholarships to outstanding creative media applicants. SAE Scholarships are awarded to recognise creative talent coupled with academic excellence and outstanding leadership.
http://sae.edu.au/admissions/scholarships/

Rail Careers
There are a wide range of careers available in the rail industry, these include engineering, customer service, corporate jobs and more. This website provides information about the industry and provides students with information about how they can succeed in the industry.
http://railcareers.net.au/

Character Strengths Challenge
Character strengths are traits that come through in our thoughts, feelings and behaviours. You can complete an online questionnaire that will identify your character strengths. The questions are available at: https://www.viacharacter.org/survey/account/register

5. QUT News
September 2016

New Vice-Chancellor’s Scholarships
Applications are now open for the Vice-Chancellor’s Scholarship Program. We are pleased to announce new elite visual and performing arts scholarships worth $30 000 each for acting, dance performance, music and visual arts single degrees. Encourage your students to check the details for these, as well as the academic, elite athlete, and creative industries categories, and make an application if eligible.

Holiday campus tours and Academic Scholarships Evening
Students and their parents can take a guided tour of our Gardens Point and Kelvin Grove campuses and hear from current QUT students about university life on 21 and 23 September. They can also register to attend the Academic Scholarships Evening on 22 September and find out about QUT’s range of academic scholarships and opportunities for scholarship recipients.

Equity Scholarships make a difference
QUT’s Equity Scholarships Scheme offers more than $4 million in scholarships each year to students experiencing financial hardship. Details of the documentation needed for the application are listed on the website so students can be prepared. Online applications open in mid-September—students should apply early to make sure they are considered.

Destined for creativity?
Students are invited to join us on 27 and 28 September at our new $80 million Creative Industries Precinct expansion, home to state-of-the-art dance, drama, music recording and visual arts studios, and discover more about QUT’s courses in acting, dance, fashion, music and visual arts. Find out more at Destinations. Reminder: applications for these courses close 9 September.

Health course updates
A new three-year Bachelor of Sport and Exercise Science (replacing the current Bachelor of Exercise and Movement Science) will be offered from February 2017 to meet new Exercise and Sports Science Australia accreditation requirements. Associated double degrees will be discontinued. The Bachelor of Radiation Therapy will be four years duration and offer an honours pathway from 2017. Both these changes are subject to final university approval.
Engineering and law updates
Chemical engineering graduates in Australia often work as process engineers turning raw materials into products across many industries. Find out about QUT’s course and new scholarships available to students who choose the process engineering major. Law students have recently been involved in work placement in Japan, and the 2016 Youth Assembly at the United Nations.

Entry programs and upgrading options
Many students are worried that they may not receive the OP or rank they need to get into their chosen course. Now is the time for them to investigate entry programs that may provide bonus OPs/ranks, as well as courses they can use to upgrade in case they miss out on their preferred course.

Applying as an international Year 12 student
International students studying Year 12 in Australia submit applications to QUT through QTAC. From late October, international students will receive offers, conditional on meeting course requirements, from QUT.

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UQ Scholarships
https://scholarships.uq.edu.au/

University of Queensland: Link Program
The Link Program is a scholarship scheme aimed at providing assistance to students who have experienced educational disadvantage as a result of financial hardship and who are enrolling in an undergrad degree at UQ. QTAC applicants approved for the UQ Link Program receive a financial bursary of $3,000. Applications close 30th November.
http://scholarships.drupal.uq.edu.au/scholarship/uq-link-program

Queensland University of Technology: 2017 Science and Engineering Scholarships
QUT offers a number of scholarships for students applying for courses within the Science and Engineering faculty. For more information, visit the site below.

ACU Pathway Programs
Successful completion of a pathway course can provide eligibility into your chosen ACU undergraduate course.
http://www.acu.edu.au/study_at_acu/alternative_entry/pathway_programs
Griffith University Gold Coast 2018 Commonwealth Games Scholarships
Each scholarship will include a full fee waiver, accommodation (full board and lodging) and a contribution towards education expenses.
Two categories of scholarships are available for students to apply for:
1. **Griffith University and Gold Coast 2018 Commonwealth Games Scholarship** - for eligible commencing students who wish to undertake study or research at Griffith in a sport- or event-related area.
2. **Griffith University and Gold Coast 2018 Commonwealth Games Sporting Excellence Scholarship** – for eligible commencing students who are elite athletes, in recognition of their sporting excellence and in a study area of their choice.

[Torrens Uni Brisbane Study Info Night](http://www.torrens.edu.au/about/events-and-workshops/brisbane-study-information-night)

QUT Elite Athlete program
If eligible you may receive a bonus of up to 3 OP scores (or 6 ranks) to help your application. Once enrolled there are many benefits to help you manage your study and training.

[University of Canberra and TAFE Queensland](https://www.canberra.edu.au/about-uc/campus-locations/queensland)
The University of Canberra and TAFE Queensland are offering a range of exciting new courses in Brisbane (South Bank) and the Gold Coast (Coomera). These courses combine theory with industry involvement and practical projects. Our graduates can hit the ground running with valuable experience working in real world industry settings.

[James Cook Uni GetReady4Uni](https://www.jcu.edu.au/getready4uni)
An overview of what to expect as a university student, whether you are studying on-campus or off-campus.

[JCU Courses and Careers Information Sessions](https://www.jcu.edu.au/events/september-2016)
5 – 7pm, 13 September @ Cairns Double Tree Hotel, 121-123 The Esplanade, Cairns
2 – 9pm, 15 September @ Centre Court, opposite Myers, Canelands Shopping Centre, Mackay.

A program designed for students with disabilities to explore their university options. Year 9, 10, 11 and 12 students. Friday 14 October 2016, 9:00 am - 2:15 pm @ Southbank campus, Brisbane. Open to eligible students from across Queensland and Northern New South Wales. Apply by 16 September 2016.

[Griffith Uni Scholarships](https://www.griffith.edu.au/scholarships)
Griffith has almost 700 available scholarships to help new and continuing students successfully complete their degrees through direct financial support. They include the Sir Samuel Griffith Scholarships which are worth from $24,000 - $60,000 and include membership of the Griffith Honours College.
Griffith Uni Equity Scholarships
Go to https://www.griffith.edu.au/scholarships and click on Equity. 13 types of equity scholarships available. Uni-Start Equity Scholarships: Awarded to students who have experienced financial hardship, and/or education disadvantage that has impacted on their ability to achieve their full potential. Applications close: Friday 9th December

Top tips for applying for scholarships
Excellent advice from a USQ student which applies to any university. http://www.usq.edu.au/socialhub/uni-lifestyle/2015/10/elli-scholarship-applications

The Good Universities Guide 2017

Careers in Psychology

Overseas Universities
http://www.mhscareers.com/overseas-universities.html

ACU Scholarships and bursaries browser
http://www.acu.edu.au/study_at_acu/courses/scholarships_and_financial_support/Scholarships_and_Bursaries_Browser

ACU Equity Bursaries
ACU awards 22 ACU Equity Bursaries to commencing students each year. These bursaries are intended to financially assist students from low socio-economic backgrounds and are a one-off payment of $2,000. Closing date: 6th January 2017. http://www.acu.edu.au/study_at_acu/courses/scholarships_and_financial_support/Scholarships_and_Bursaries_Browser/acu_equity_bursaries

JCU Access Fund
The JCU Access Fund could be the answer if money problems stand between you and a higher education at JCU. The JCU Access Fund is currently being updated for 2017. If you would like to find out what is changing before the first round opens in November 2016, then please fill in the online form. https://www.jcu.edu.au/scholarships-@-jcu/search/jcu-access-fund

QS World Rankings Released
University rankings for 2016/17 have been released, they are broken down to overall rankings and rankings by subject area. The following universities ranked in the top 100 in the world. 22 ANU; 42 University of Melbourne; 46 University of Sydney; 49 UNSW; 51 University of Queensland; 65 Monash University http://www.topuniversities.com/university-rankings/world-university-rankings/2016
TAFE & Apprenticeships

TAFE Spring School Programs 19 - 30 September
Knowing what to do when you leave school can be hard. This is why at TAFE Queensland Brisbane we have created a series of hands-on programs designed specifically for grade 10, 11 and 12 students. From classics such as hospitality and fashion through to new areas like robotics and floristry, we give you the opportunity to trial potential pathways in a wide range of industries. The programs are as fun and interactive as they are educational, and will give you a firsthand look at what it's like to work in the industry of your choosing. Spring Schools commence between 9.00am – 10am and finish between 2.00pm – 3.00pm. Cost is $20 per person which includes pizza lunch soft drinks and water. You will receive a statement of attendance that you can use as part of your resume when you complete any Season School program. Places will be strictly limited and you are encouraged to apply early to avoid disappointment. For a full list of programs and details please email: Innovations.brisbane@tafe.qld.edu.au insert Spring School as the Subject and we will email you a program guide.

Brisbane City Council Apprenticeships
Council apprenticeships for 2017 will open on 12th September and close on 26th September. Once they are open go to the website and search for Jobs. For more information, phone 3403 8888. https://www.brisbane.qld.gov.au

Rio Tinto Apprenticeships
Rio Tinto has various apprenticeship opportunities as part of their iron ore operations. They are committed to diversifying their workforce. http://www.riotinto.com/australia/apprenticeships-12828.aspx

Private Colleges

Malyon College Open Night
Tuesday 11th October, 6pm @ 53 Prospect Road, Gaythorne, QLD. Malyon offers Diploma, Bachelor, Masters, and Doctoral degrees in theology and ministry, with targeted streaming programs for those wanting to work as pastors, youth workers, chaplains or in cross-cultural ministry. http://malyon.edu.au/about-us/whats-happening-now-at-malyon/

Queensland School of Beauty Therapy Holiday Course
Design and Apply Make-up. 9am – 4pm, 19 – 23 September. Cost $500. Ph: (07) 3371 2055 Email: info@qsb.com.au Floor 1 ‘Roscommon House’, 44 Benson Street, Toowong. https://gallery.mailchimp.com/3f0e0ee1e0b9d502c3ea51ab9/files/School_Holidays_Make_up_Course.01.pdf http://www.qsb.com.au/

QSFT School Holiday Filmmakers Bootcamp
28/29 September, 9.30am – 4.30pm @ QSFT Annerley Campus - 22 Warwick St. Annerley QLD 4103. Designed for high school students from years 9 - 12 to learn basic photography, video & editing techniques. Participants will get on-set experience and collaborate within a small group on a short film production. Cost $300 https://www.facebook.com/qldfilmschool/photos/a.101508122245868689.466579.192050058688/10154560794438689/?type=1&theater

JMC Academy Scholarships
JMC Academy offers up to 8 Academic Undergraduate Scholarships in each campus, covering one year of tuition fees for any of JMC Academy's eight bachelor degrees. Campuses in Sydney, Melbourne & Brisbane. Applications close 5.00pm Friday 16 December 2016. http://www.jmcacademy.edu.au/apply/domestic-students/scholarships
William Blue Scholarships
Are you passionate about hospitality and keen to forge a career? Each year we invite aspiring hospitality managers, business managers, event managers, tourism managers and executive chefs to apply for a William Blue Scholarship. Applications due: 22 September. http://www.williamblue.edu.au/apply-online/scholarships/new-student-scholarships

New York Film Academy Open Days
17/9, 8/10, 19/11, & 17/12. Gold Coast: Upper Coomera Centre, 90 Reserve Road, Upper Coomera, QLD 4209 Tel: +61 7 5585 9722 RSVP at: rsvpgc@nyfa.edu https://www.nyfa.edu.au/nyfa-events/

New York Film Academy Summer Film Camps
Students looking to spend their summer making films need look no further than NYFA’s digital film camps offered at the Academy’s locations in Sydney and the Gold Coast. https://www.nyfa.edu.au/summer-camp/film-camp.php

Australian College of Applied Psychology Information Session

Other News

Griffith University Rock School

Youth Central Career Information

Brisbane Open House Photography Competition
Secondary Student Photography Competition for Years 7 - 12 only. Young photographers this is your chance to win a $250 prize for the best photo. All entries must be submitted before 5pm on Friday 14 October 2016. http://brisbaneopenhouse.com.au/photography-competition

StudyAssist
Projects Abroad High School Volunteer Online Information Session
Tuesday 27th September 2016 - 6.00 - 7.00pm AEST. An overview of Projects Abroad, profiles of volunteers, safety concerns and information on all the programmes. You will be able to ask questions via instant messages throughout the 45 minute presentation. For more info call 1300 132 831 or email: info@projects-abroad.com.au

AFS Student Exchange Information Sessions
Online sessions: Tuesday 11th October, Tuesday 8th November, Tuesday 13th December
Brisbane: Sunday 6th November. Gold Coast: Saturday 15th October

CCUSA Summer Camps 2017
Free information evenings: Wednesday 19th October, 6.30 – 7.30pm @ Sunshine Surf Lifesaving Club - Cnr Belmore Tce & Duke Str, Sunshine Beach.

Premed Projects
Premed Projects provides opportunities for high school students planning on studying medicine, nursing, midwifery or dentistry to do hospital placement in the UK, India or Thailand. These projects provide students with the opportunity to see what working in a hospital is really like, and relevant work experience looks great on a med application! Students need to be 16 or older to participate. http://www.premedprojects.co.uk/

How to set goals and make them happen

How to network and why it’s important

code.org
This non-profit organisation is dedicated to providing greater access to computer science. You can start learning online today.
https://code.org/
7. East Coast Apprenticeships

Sunshine Coast Vacancies
1st or 2nd Year Apprentice Painter
Maroochydore
3rd or 4th Year Apprentice Tiler
Maroochydore
Apprentice Cabinetmaker
Warana
Apprentice Commercial Cook (Chef)
Mooloolaba
Apprentice Commercial Cook (Chef)
Sunshine Beach
Apprentice Outdoor Power Equipment Mechanic
Mooloolaba
Apprentice Painter
Caloundra
Apprentice Painter
Flaxton
Apprentice Refrigeration & Air Con Mechanic
Buderim
Apprentice Tiler
Maroochydore
Business Administration Traineeship
Warana
Medical Business Administration Traineeship
Noosa Heads

SUNSHINE COAST
A: 2/68 Kingsford Smith Parade, Maroochydore
P: (07) 5479 4711

www.ecapprenticeships.com.au
8. TAFE at School Programs 2017
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9. TAFE at School Programs 2017

TAFE Queensland East Coast

Endeavour College of Natural Health is offering up to 5 scholarships for secondary school leavers and school gap year students from 17-19 years of age seeking a career in the natural health and wellness sector. This scholarship will cover the successful recipient’s degree course fees for a full year! Applications are now open and close in November. For more information and to apply visit endeavour.edu.au/scholarships

Register for October Open Day

Students and their families are invited to Open Day at your local campus this October and find out more about our natural health degrees.

Saturday 8 October between 10.00am – 12.30pm

This is a great opportunity for year 12’s to experience Endeavour College for themselves. They will be able to learn more about our Bachelor of Health Science degrees, take part in interactive natural health activities and of course pick up some complementary goodies.

Friends and families are welcome, visit naturalhealthopenday.com.au for more information and to register for Open Day in your state.
ELITE DANCE Institute.

Our Vision-

ELITE DANCE Institute is a venture debuting in 2017. The team behind ELITE DANCE Institute have 40+ years of professional, studio and educational experience. For many years we have searched for a way to capture the extensive time and financial outlay of studio dance students and have this recognized formally towards their passion, Career Pathway Goals, Formal Compulsory Education and further study options.

The Certificate IV Dance we will deliver under the umbrella of the RTO (Australian Dance Vision) is not only Nationally recognized but instead of waiting until you graduate you can get a jump start on your career and complete while at school in less than half the time and cost of other courses presently offered, all conveniently located on the Sunshine Coast, which means no travel costs and living away expenses.

ELITE PROGRAM AT A GLANCE

+ Cert IV delivered in 1 year,
+ 1 day per week
+ 8 QCE points
+ Completed while still at school
+ Competitively Priced

Our Program 2017

Elite Dance Institute is now auditioning for the 2017 intake of the Cert IV in Dance, Elite Program. Delivered over the course of 1 year, 1 day a week (may be completed whilst still at school) students will complete the Nationally Recognised Qualification.

Delivered by two experienced dance teachers with over 40 years of professional, studio and educational experience, students will engage in a variety of Dance Styles including Jazz, Commercial Jazz, Lyrical, Hip Hop, Musical Theatre and Contemporary. Students will study a range of theoretical components including Safe Dance, Body Science and Nutrition. Students will also be exposed to regular Guest Choreographers and Artist Workshops.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS & COST

The following prerequisites are required:

- Successful Audition (video submissions excepted - please contact us for details)
- Recommended age of at least 15 years of age and at least 7 years dance experience.
- Evidence should include certificates from completed dance assessments (eg. RAD, CSTD dance syllabi). If you are unsure please submit your certificates from an alternate dance syllabus and we will map/compare them to our entry standards.
- Contact ELITE DANCE Institute if you are unsure if you have the relevant standard.

The total cost of the Program is $6125. This includes:

- Face to face delivery of entire program
- 24/7 support for theoretical components of course
- All workbooks and associated materials
- ELITE DANCE Institute Uniform

Upon successful audition and acceptance of enrolment, a 100% non-refundable deposit of $1125 is required. Fees may be made in instalments. Please see enrolment pack for conditions and structure.
11. Griffith College 2017

Study guide

The Griffith College 2017 Guide for domestic students can be downloaded [here](#).

Benefits of Griffith College for students:

- Located on the Mt Gravatt and Gold Coast campuses of Griffith University, Griffith College students enjoy a university campus experience and have access to campus facilities, including computer labs 24/7, sport and recreational facilities and the Griffith University library.

- Students can complete a Griffith College Diploma in 8 or 12 months. Successful completion allows students to articulate to the 2nd year of the relevant Griffith University degree program.

- Apply via QTAC for a joint offer in the Griffith College diploma / Griffith University bachelor degree. No need to apply twice, students automatically progress upon successful completion.

- FEE HELP is available to all Australian citizens.

Study Areas:

- Business
- Criminology and Criminal Justice
- Design
- Engineering
- Nursing
- Health Sciences
- Hotel Management
- Media and Communications
- Information Technology
- Science
- Psychology

[Download 2017 study guide](#)
Applying for study in 2017

On-time QTAC and UAC applications close Friday 30 September

Applications will be accepted after 30 September, but a late fee will apply. Find out how to apply on the QTAC or UAC websites.

Tips for ordering preferences

Students can list up to six preferences on their QTAC application or nine preferences on their UAC application. All preferences will be considered with one offer being made based on the highest preference a student is eligible for. Here’s a handy guide for ordering preferences:

- 1st and 2nd: Desired degrees
- 3rd and 4th: Realistic degrees
- 5th and 6th: Pathway degrees

Offers will be made from 21 December 2016, following the release of OPs.

» Find out more about offer rounds and preferencing

Year 12 Subject Bonus Scheme

Griffith University awards bonus ranks for subjects that students complete in high school that require a high level of skill and knowledge. Bonus ranks give students the opportunity to boost their entry score and improve their chances of getting into their chosen degree. Students don’t need to apply for bonuses—they just need to complete their QTAC or UAC application and bonus ranks will be applied automatically.

» View the wide variety of subjects included in this scheme

Scholarships at Griffith

Griffith University has streamlined the application process for scholarships. The new online application can be used for all of our scholarships, allowing students to apply for multiple scholarships with just one form.

» Visit the scholarships website to see what’s on offer and for application details

Griffith on-campus accommodation

Griffith Accommodation offers flexible on-campus living options. Students enjoy easy access to classes and can be part of our Residential Life Program, which includes extensive events and activities.

» Applications for on-campus accommodation in 2017 are now open
Introducing trimesters

From 2017, Griffith University will replace the existing two-semester academic year with a three 12-week trimester academic year. Trimesters will offer students more flexibility and control, with the option to pace their study to suit their needs, or fast track their degree and get a head start on their career. This will complement a range of new degrees at Griffith, specifically designed to equip students for the future world of work.

» Find out more about study at Griffith in 2017

Enter the #JournalismLives competition

Entries close Friday 30 September

1. Write 100 words about your dream media career and why Griffith is your first preference for study-email this to journalismlives@griffith.edu.au

or

2. Create a 30-second video of you doing your dream media job-upload it to Facebook, Instagram or Twitter, and tag it #JournalismLives. Share it with Griffith as well, and make sure your profile pic is public so we can see it.

or

3. Do both and double your chances of winning!

Prizes up for grabs*

The winners will be selected by a panel of Griffith experts. Share the #JournalismLives message and get your friends to enter too—the more entries, the better the prizes!

100 entries
iPad mini 4

200 entries
Macbook Air

300 entries
A special behind the scenes studio tour with Griffith graduates Eva Milic (9 News) or Ange Anderson (Nova 106.9)

School holiday Chinese immersion courses

Learn about the Chinese language and culture or improve your current knowledge by enrolling in a two-day course at Griffith’s Tourism Confucius Institute.

» Find out about course fees and register online

Summer Rock School

9 - 13 January 2017 I Applications due 11 November 2016

High school students who want a hands-on crash course in popular music should check out Queensland Conservatorium Griffith University's week-long Summer Rock School. Participants will learn stagecraft and live sound, songwriting, performance and recording in the industry standard, multi-million dollar popular music studios at Griffith’s Gold Coast campus. The week culminates in a live performance.

» Find out more about the program, including key dates and how to register

13. Dates For Your Diary

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