



Dates to Diarise in Term 1



News from Monash University

➤ New Certificate Courses

Monash is offering two *new* 6-month certificate courses, taught wholly online, for students who might like to try a short course before entering the bachelor degree.

1. [University Certificate in Mental Health](#) – aimed at developing one’s knowledge and skills in responding to mental health needs - from understanding mental illnesses, to different perspectives in mental health services, through to strategies for treatment and recovery. This course can lead towards further study, with the opportunity to progress into the [Bachelor of Health Sciences](#).
2. [Undergraduate Certificate of Sports and Exercise Nutrition](#) – provides participants with the scientific knowledge and practical skills to enhance their professional development in sport and exercise nutrition. This course can lead towards further study, with the opportunity to progress into the [Bachelor of Health Sciences](#) if students meet the course entry requirements.

➤ Bachelor of Arts - Professional Futures

The [Bachelor of Arts](#) at Monash University helps students achieve the career of their dreams by offering four *Professional Futures* domains which build the skills employers want. These domains are –

- **Global Immersion** — become engaged global citizens through overseas study.
- **Intercultural expertise** — navigate and successfully engage with different cultures.
- **Professional experience** — gain experience through internships and industry engagement.
- **Innovation capability** — prepare for the ever-changing workforce with skills in ethical and social innovation, leadership, and creativity.

Students get to choose from local and international internships, professional engagements, and entrepreneurial opportunities, and they have the choice of more than 50 global immersion programs including access to the funded Monash Arts Global Immersion Guarantee, preparing them to live and work in complex and culturally diverse environments, while building a community of like-minded peers.

➤ **Bachelor's/Master's Program in Arts**

Monash University now offers students entering a Bachelor of Arts and who intend doing a Master's program, the opportunity to complete both the Bachelor's degree plus a Master's degree in just four years – instead of five. Graduates will be more employable with two degrees and specialist knowledge and save on both time and fees. Students can choose to add one of the following Master's degrees to their Bachelor of Arts degree:

- [Master of Applied Linguistics](#)
- [Master of Bioethics](#)
- [Master of Communications and Media Studies](#)
- [Master of Cultural and Creative Industries](#)
- [Master of International Development Practice](#)
- [Master of International Relations](#)
- [Master of International Sustainable Tourism Management](#)
- [Master of Interpreting and Translation Studies](#)
- [Master of Journalism](#)
- [Master of Public Policy](#)
- [Master of Strategic Communications Management](#)



Physiotherapist, Chiropractor, Osteopath and Myotherapist

What is the difference? In November 2020 an article by Charlotte Ganderton and Matthew King was published on the [ABC website](#) addressing this very topic, and the fact that all four types of therapy come highly recommended to assist people in managing their aches and pains. To sum up the article –

In Australia, **physiotherapists**, **osteopaths** and **chiropractors** have extensive university training and are registered with the Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency ([AHPRA](#)). Myotherapists complete an advanced diploma or bachelor's degree in myotherapy or "musculoskeletal therapy" but are not registered with AHPRA.

The article goes on to state that a [physiotherapist](#) *assesses your problem, provides a diagnosis and helps you understand what's wrong while considering your general health, activities, and lifestyle. They treat your complaint with a variety of "active" therapies, such as exercise programs and hydrotherapy.*

A [chiropractor](#) *works on the diagnosis, treatment and prevention of mechanical disorders of the muscles, ligaments, tendons, bones and joints, and the effect on the nervous system. They have an emphasis on passive manual treatments, including joint and soft-tissue manipulation, and spinal adjustments. They may [also prescribe exercises to help you rehabilitate from your condition](#) as well as provide dietary advice.*

An [osteopath](#) *focuses on the muscular and nervous systems, assessing the structure of the body to determine its impact on function. Treatment involves a combination of active and*

passive therapies, including joint manipulation and mobilisation, massage, as well as postural advice and exercise programs.

Finally, a [myotherapist](#) works to assist your aches and pains by focusing on the muscles and joints. They offer a range of mostly "hands-on" treatments including dry needling, massage, and joint mobilisation, but can also prescribe exercises.

Students can access the full article at [Physiotherapist, chiropractor, osteopath and myotherapist: what's the difference and which one should I visit?](#)



Applications for the 2022 ADF Gap Year are now open

An ADF Gap Year is a unique opportunity for students to experience life in the Navy, Army or Air Force, without needing to make a long-term commitment. The skills obtained through the ADF Gap Year program will provide them valuable work and life experience and are completely transferable.

It will enable students to develop the confidence for their next endeavours.

Students who take part in the ADF Gap Year program:

- Gain valuable skills and work experience
- Enjoy a great salary package plus free healthcare
- Live a varied, active and healthy lifestyle
- Make friends with like-minded people
- Have the opportunity to see more of Australia

Applications are open! Learn more and/or apply at at [ADF Gap Year](#)

Students might like to participate in Defence Force Information Sessions, or watch YouTube clips, so visit

[Defence Force Events and Information](#)

Undergraduate Webinar Series

Victoria University will be running a series of webinars throughout March and April. In these 30-minute webinars students will hear from the various course coordinators and gain a deeper understanding on the study and career options in a variety of fields. Students will also have the opportunity to ask live questions and learn how VU can assist in building industry opportunities and connections.

| Course | Date | Time |
|--|---------------------|-----------------|
| Early Childhood Education | Tuesday, 16 March | 5.30pm – 6.00pm |
| Law, Criminology and Legal Services | Wednesday, 17 March | 5.30pm – 6.00pm |
| Creative Arts, Screen Media, and Animation | Thursday, 18 March | 5.30pm – 6.00pm |
| Building Design, Building Surveying, Construction Management and Engineering | Tuesday, 23 March | 5.30pm – 6.00pm |
| Science: Biomedical and Health Sciences | Wednesday, 24 March | 5.30pm – 6.00pm |
| Primary and Secondary Education | Thursday, 25 March | 5.30pm – 6.00pm |
| Community Development, Social Work, Youth Work and Criminal Justice | Tuesday, 30 March | 5.30pm – 6.00pm |
| Information Technology and Cyber Security | Wednesday, 31 March | 5.30pm – 6.00pm |
| Sport, Exercise Sciences and Outdoor Leadership | Wednesday, 7 April | 5.30pm – 6.00pm |
| Business | Thursday, 8 April | 5.30pm – 6.00pm |
| Tourism, Hospitality and Event Management | Tuesday, 13 April | 5.30pm – 6.00pm |
| Nutrition | Wednesday, 14 April | 5.30pm – 6.00pm |

Register [here](#) to participate in one, or more, of these webinars.



Your Career Website

Students are encouraged to browse this useful website which allows students to *learn about occupations* and *explore career ideas*.



Travel & Tourism Courses in Victoria in 2021

Travel and/or tourism courses are offered at a number of Victorian institutions. Some of these courses are listed below.

Students are encouraged to visit [VTAC](#) for a comprehensive list.

| UNIVERSITY | COURSE | MAJOR STUDIES IN 2021 |
|---------------------------|--|--|
| Charles Sturt University | Bachelor of Applied Science (Outdoor Recreation and Ecotourism) | Adventure, ecotourism, mountain biking, nature tourism, outdoor education, outdoor recreation, rock climbing, sea kayaking, snow skiing, white water rafting. |
| Holmesglen Institute | Diploma of Travel and Tourism Management / Diploma of Holiday Park and Resort Management | Business (accounting), Customer service, E-commerce, Ecotourism, Environmental management, Event management, Guiding, Human resource management, International Travel and Tourism, Marketing, Meetings and conventions management, Natural resource management, Project management, Tourism, Tourism (attractions and theme parks), Tourism (tour guiding), Tourism (tour wholesaling), Tourism (visitor information services), Tourism management, Travel Industry, Travel and tourism management, Travel sales (domestic and international). |
| | Certificate IV in Guiding / Certificate IV in Outdoor Recreation | Bush walking, Canoeing, Low ropes, Outdoor activity risk management, Remote area trip guiding and navigation, Rock climbing, Snow camp, Trip planning. |
| La Trobe University | Bachelor of Business (Tourism and Hospitality) | Tourism and Hospitality. |
| Victoria University | Bachelor of Business (Tourism and Hospitality Management) | Accounting, Banking and Finance, Event Management, Financial Risk Management, Human Resource Management, Information Systems Management, International Trade, Management and Innovation, Marketing, Supply Chain and Logistics, Tourism and Hospitality Management. |
| William Angliss Institute | Bachelor of Tourism | Designing for the Visitor Experience, Destination Concepts, Economics and Global Impacts, Financial Concepts, Innovation and Entrepreneurship, Introduction to Marketing, Introduction to the Tourism Industry, Management Fundamentals, Niche Tourism, People and Place, Planning for Tourism, Risk and Legal Issues, Strategy Change and Leadership, Taking Responsibility for Tourism and Hospitality, Tourism Attraction Management, Tourism Distribution Systems, Tourism Futures, Tourism Theories and Concepts, Visitor Services. |
| | Bachelor of Tourism (Ecotourism) | Delivering Thematic Interpretation, Designing Thematic Interpretation, Designing for the Visitor Experience, Destination Concepts, Economics and Global Impacts, Financial Concepts, Innovation and Entrepreneurship, Interpret Natural Landscape, Introduction to Marketing, Introduction to the Tourism Industry, Management Fundamentals, People and Place, Risk and Legal Issues, Strategy Change and Leadership, Taking Responsibility for Tourism and Hospitality, Tourism Attraction Management, Tourism Distribution Systems, Tourism Futures, Tourism Theories and Concepts, Understanding Natural Landscapes, Visitor Services. |
| | Bachelor of Tourism (Marketing) | Designing for the Visitor Experience, Destination Concepts, Digital and Social Media in Tourism, Economics and Global Impacts, Financial Concepts, Innovation and Entrepreneurship, Introduction to Marketing, Introduction to the Tourism Industry, Management Fundamentals, People and Place, Risk and Legal Issues, Strategy Change and Leadership, Taking Responsibility for Tourism and Hospitality, Tourism Attraction Management, Tourism Distribution Systems, Tourism Market Research, Tourism Marketing Data and Analytics, Tourism Theories and Concepts, Tourist Behaviour, Visitor Services. |
| | Bachelor of Tourism and Hospitality Management | Current Issues in Tourism and Hospitality, Financial Analysis and Decision Making, Financial Concepts, Food and Beverage Knowledge, Food and Beverage Service Management, Human Resource Operation for the Services Industry, Innovation and Entrepreneurship, Introduction to the Tourism Industry, Management Fundamentals, Menu Design and Engineering, People and Place, Project Restaurant, Risk and Legal Issues, Strategy, Change and Leadership, Sustainable Procurement for the Hospitality and Tourism Industry, Taking Responsibility for Tourism and Hospitality, Tourism Attraction Management, Tourism Theories and Concepts, Wine Design. |
| | Advanced Diploma of Travel and Tourism Management | Attractions and theme parks, Computer reservation systems, Customer service, International airfares, Tour wholesaling, Tourism, Travel and Tourism management, Travel sales, Visitor information services. |



Occupational Therapy Courses on offer in Victoria in 2021

Occupational therapists assess and treat people who, due to illness, injury or circumstance, are limited in their ability to undertake everyday activities. They assist people to regain lost functions, develop their abilities and social skills, as well as maintain and promote independence in their everyday lives to enhance health and wellbeing - [Good Universities Guide - Occupational Therapist](#).

| UNIVERSITY | VCE REQUIREMENTS | ATAR 2021 |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|
| ACU M - Melbourne | Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL; Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 25 in one of Biology, Chemistry or Physics. | 78.80 (M) |
| Charles Sturt AW – Albury-Wodonga | No VCE prerequisites but completion of Year 12 is required, and an ATAR is used in selection | 70.60 (AW) |
| Deakin G – Geelong W'Front | Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL. | 71.85 (G) |
| Federation Uni Gi – Gippsland | Units 1 and 2: satisfactory completion in two units (any study combination) of any Mathematics or Units 3 and 4: one of Biology, Chemistry, Health and Human Development, any Mathematics, Physical Education or Physics; Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 25 in any English. | n/a (Gi) |
| La Trobe B – Bendigo M – Melbourne | Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL. | 76.05 (B) 76.75 (M) |
| Monash P - Peninsula | Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 27 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL. | 85.10 (P) |



Physiotherapy Courses on offer in Victoria in 2021

Physiotherapists assess, treat and prevent disorders in human movement caused by injury and disease - [Good Universities Guide - Physiotherapist](#).

| UNIVERSITY | VCE REQUIREMENTS | ATAR 2021 |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|
| ACU B – Ballarat | Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL; Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 25 in one of Biology, Chemistry or Physics. | 92.05 (B) |
| Charles Sturt AW – Albury-Wodonga | No VCE prerequisites but maths and science subjects an advantage, and the ATAR is used as part of selection | 92.80 (AW) |
| Federation G - Gippsland | Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 25 in any English; Units 1 to 4: satisfactory completion in one of Biology, Chemistry, Health And Human Development, Physical Education or Physics. | n/a (G) |
| La Trobe B – Bendigo M – Melbourne | Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL; Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 25 in two of Biology, Chemistry, any Mathematics, Physical Education or Physics. | 94.95 (B) 96.20 (M) |
| Monash P - Peninsula | Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 35 in English (EAL) or at least 30 in English other than EAL; Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 25 in two of Biology, Chemistry, Maths: Mathematical Methods, Maths: Specialist Mathematics or Physics. | 96.20 (P) |
| Uni Melbourne P – Peninsula *Through Biomedicine | Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL; Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 25 in Chemistry; Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 25 in one of Maths: Mathematical Methods or Maths: Specialist Mathematics. * | 98.00 (P) |
| **Through Science | Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL; and a study score of at least 25 in one of Maths: Mathematical Methods (any) or Maths: Specialist Mathematics; and a study score of at least 25 in one of Biology, Chemistry or Physics. --OR-- Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL; and a study score of at least 25 in both of Maths: Mathematical Methods (any) and Maths: Specialist Mathematics. ** | 98.00 (P) |
| VU FP – Footscray Park | Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL; Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 25 in one of Biology, Chemistry, Maths: Mathematical Methods, Maths: Specialist Mathematics or Physics. | 93.05 (FP) |



Snapshot of Bond University in 2021

- **A High Rating University**

In the 2021 Good Universities Guide, Bond University was awarded more 5-star ratings in the Educational Experience category with 5 stars being the maximum rating awarded.

The QS star rankings were similar.

★★★★★ Student Support

★★★★★ Overall Quality of Education

★★★★★ Learning Resources

★★★★★ Student Retention

★★★★★ Teaching Quality

★★★★★ Learner Engagement

★★★★★ Skills Development

★★★★★ Student Teacher Ratio

Bond also ranked #30 in world's best small universities - [Bond University Rankings 2021](#)

- **Accelerated Degrees**

Graduate up to 12 months ahead of the rest by studying three semesters per year. Students learn from world-renowned, highly qualified academics and high-level corporate and government consultants who take a hands-on role in guiding students' career paths.

- **The Bond Core Curriculum**

The Core Curriculum establishes and begins the development of essential graduate attributes, supports students' capacity to acquire the knowledge and skills taught in their discipline-specific coursework, and prepares graduates to translate these capabilities into successful professional and personal lives.

- **Leadership Development**

Part of Bond University's unique approach is to help students develop a strong foundation of key leadership attributes that will prepare them for career success, regardless of which field of study they choose.

- **High Quality Teaching and Learning Environments**

Not only does Bond offer state-of-the-art facilities, but it also offers unprecedented access to them. This means students can apply their profession as they learn it, in an environment far more akin to the real thing.

- **Practical Experience**

Bond is committed to producing graduates who are "ready to hit the ground running" thanks to the practical case studies and internships with its network of blue-chip employers such as KPMG, IBM and the Marriott International to name a few.

- **Globally Focused Courses**

Australian in character yet international in perspective, Bond offers globally focused course content and a world of cultural enrichment.

- **Beyond Bond**

A practical, activity-based program that extends across the duration of all undergraduate degrees, as a mandatory degree requirement, ensuring all Bond students engage in various extra-curricular activities that complement their academic studies.

- **Social Life on Campus**

Students have over 70 sporting and social clubs, one of Queensland's leading fitness centres, cafes, restaurants, and support services on offer, all available on campus.

- **Global Bondy Alumni Network**

Bond has a global network of over 26,000 alumni, which is active in over 120 countries around the world, so students can be connected practically anywhere their ambition may take them.