

# VU IN FOCUS

## 2016

COLLEGE OF ARTS

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# PARTNERSHIPS AND STUDENT OPPORTUNITIES

COLLEGE OF ARTS

## Major Partners

- Malthouse Theatre
- Footscray Community Arts Centre
- Willy Lit Fest
- Emerging Writers Festival
- Melbourne Writers Festival

# BACHELOR OF ARTS

STUDENT OPPORTUNITIES

Parliamentary internship program

Graduating Project

College of Arts Society



2015 Parliamentary interns graduating

# BACHELOR OF CREATIVE INDUSTRIES

STUDENT OPPORTUNITIES

The Global Creative 3<sup>rd</sup> year

Studio Project

VU Photography Club

VU Theatre Club

show at



Poster for La Mas Collective

# BACHELOR OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

STUDENT OPPORTUNITIES

Internships

Yearly student-run symposium

Community Development Association

East Timor Study Tour



2014 study tour participants with Jose Ramos-

Horta

# BACHELOR OF MARKETING COMMUNICATION

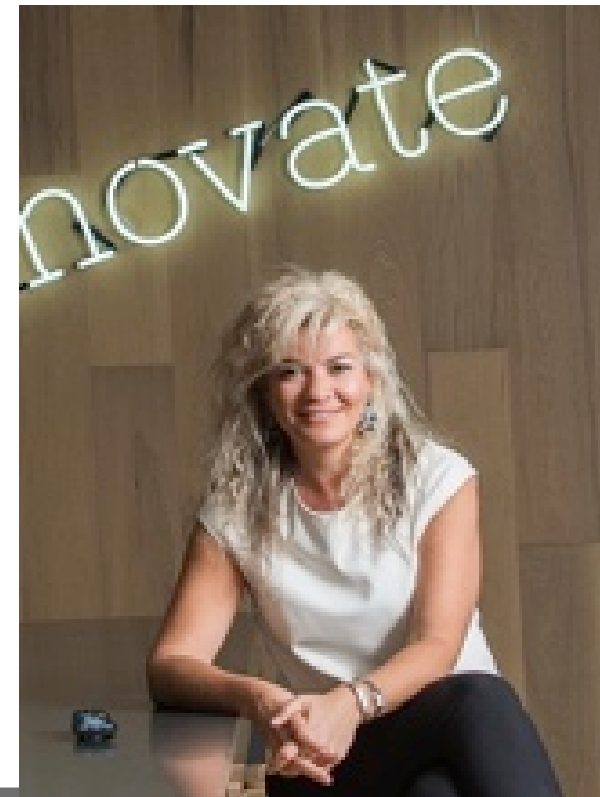
## STUDENT OPPORTUNITIES

Internships

Industry tours and guest lectures

Student-led Communication Agency

Melina Augoustakis – MultiChannel Network (MCN)



# BACHELOR OF PROFESSIONAL AND CREATIVE WRITING

STUDENT OPPORTUNITIES

Internships

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*Hyde Magazine*



OFFSET

# BACHELOR OF PSYCHOLOGICAL STUDIES

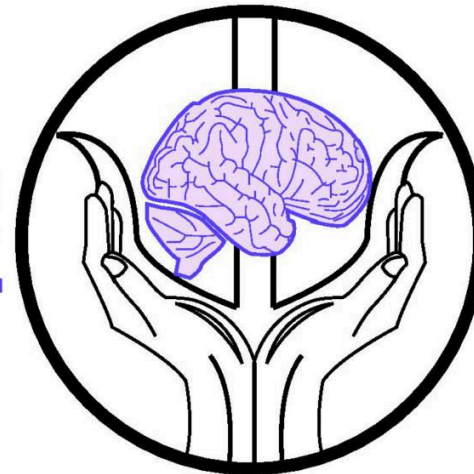
STUDENT OPPORTUNITIES

Internships

Psychology Society

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# BACHELOR OF SCREEN MEDIA

STUDENT OPPORTUNITIES



Internships

Student Media Club

Industry connections

# BACHELOR OF SOCIAL WORK

STUDENT OPPORTUNITIES

Internships

Social Work Society



Western Health



Health  
and Human  
Services

# College of Education



## Partnerships for Education & Youth Work Students' Professional Experience

# Professional Experience Component of Courses

Bachelor of Education (P-12) – 106 days

Bachelor of Education (Early Childhood/Primary) – 105 days

Bachelor of Youth Work – 450 hours

Diploma of Education Studies – 9 days

Master of Teaching (Early Childhood) – 60 days

Master of Teaching (Primary) – 60 days

Master of Teaching (Secondary) – 60 days

# Schools and Settings

- Primary and secondary schools – metro, country, interstate
- Special schools
- Vocational and Further Education providers
- Alternative education settings, e.g. Scouts Victoria
- Community organisations
- Early Childhood Services – childcare, kindergarten, long day care
- International Study Tours – China, Timor Leste, Japan, Indonesia, Malaysia, Thailand, India & more



“I chose Victoria University because of the extensive school placement component, which gave me practical experience and confidence right from first semester. I find teaching so rewarding. I really enjoy the interaction and transfer of knowledge.”

**Michael Pace**

Bachelor of Education (P–12)



# International Study Tours

“I went to East Timor on a Victoria University study grant and experienced first-hand teaching and learning in an international context. It was great to immerse myself in such a different culture. And I even received credits towards my degree.”

**Lauren Bakker** – Bachelor of  
Education (P-12)



# Country Schools

Brittney: "My experience was very positive! I have never been in a country town before and I fell in love with the sense of community in the small town. All teachers seemed happy at this school and students enjoyed school and had a good relationship with teachers."

Alenka: "I really enjoyed my rural placement. I found it very rewarding and felt a real sense of community, not only within the school but also in the town. The staff I encountered were welcoming, supportive and really helpful - everyone collaborated with one another ... I would seriously consider teaching in a rural school."



# Project-based Partnerships in Schools - A sample

AVID Australia Institute – AVID Program

Hands on Learning – Student Engagement Program

Netball Victoria – NET SET GO

Smith Family – Learning Clubs

Tennis Australia – Hot Shots

Western Bulldogs – Bulldogs Friendly Schools Program

# Youth Work Industry Placements

Bachelor of Youth Work students undertake two industry placements. These occur in the second and third years of the program. Locations include:

Alternative Education  
Camps  
Recreation  
Brotherhood of St Lawrence  
Housing and Homelessness

Local Government  
Cultural Agencies  
Drug and Alcohol  
Secure Welfare  
Front Yard Youth Services

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