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# UPDATES AND IMPORTANT DATES

## NEW PVC FOR THE COLLEGE OF HEALTH



Introducing Jane Mills the new head of the College of Health.

Professor Mills is currently Professor of Clinical Sciences (Nursing) and the nursing discipline leader in the School of Health and Biomedical Sciences, College of Science, Engineering and Health, at RMIT University in Melbourne. Her first day was January 16, and is looking forward to leading the college of Health into the future.

## NEW AVC FOR MĀORI AND PASIFIKA



Dr. Charlotte Severne of Ngāti Tūwharetoa and Ngāi Tūhoe is our newly appointed assistant vice-chancellor of Māori and Pasifika.

Formerly with Lincoln University in a similar role, she is excited to be joining Massey in particular seeing particular growth of Māori and Pasifika and the support they receive as a student.

Dr. Severne has a science background, with a PHD in Geology from the university of Auckland. She was also made an officer of the New Zealand order of Merit for her services to Māori and science in 2016's Queens Birthday honours.

### COLLEGE OF SCIENCE

Bachelor of Science – You may now take up Exercise and Sport Psychology as a minor. Something to consider for those students looking to do Exercise and Sport Science, Human Nutrition and Dietetics, and Physiology as majors under the Bachelor Science.

### COLLEGE OF HEALTH

Bachelor of Nursing – Students studying General science in year 13 are eligible for consideration into our Nursing programme so long as they have achieved 14 credits in General Science at Level 3. The catch is that it will be on a case by case basis. Applicants should send through their application to Bert Teekam or advise students to contact the local SRA.

The Bachelor of Natural Science will now no longer be offered, effective immediately. The degree will be taught out and specialised courses will be moved into the Bachelor of Science programme. More information regarding this change will be made available later in the year.

### DISCOVER ENGINEERING & FOOD TECHNOLOGY DAY

AUCKLAND OR MANAWATŪ CAMPUS | JULY 10th

Find out how Massey's academics and students are turning imagination into reality everyday through technology and innovation with 'Discover Engineering and Food Technology Day'

Students will get;

- To experience some of the latest technologies
- Hands on workshops to get you thinking about future world challenges providing food and energy to communities.
- Work on real world engineering projects
- Meet successful graduates in the industry

This fun one day event is open to students in years 11 - 13 across New Zealand during the first week of the July school holidays.

'Discover Engineering & Food Technology Day' replaces the 'Engineering and Food Technology Winter Camp' held at Massey in previous years. Parents and teachers are also invited to attend this year! We hope to see you there!

FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO REGISTER CONTACT

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## IMPORTANT DATES

Scholarships	DUE 20 AUGUST
Accommodation for 2018	OPENS JULY 1ST
Semester 2	17 JULY

## UPCOMING EVENTS

1 JUNE	Whakatane Information Evening Nelson Information Evening
8 JUNE	Young Leaders Symposium (Palmerston North)
8 JUNE	Hamilton Information evening
27 JUNE	Global Summit (Auckland)
29 JUNE	Global Summit (Manawatū)
30 JUNE	CoCA student Experience day
5 JULY	Wellington Information Evening

## TE MANU TAIKŌ IN A NUTSHELL...

In early April we carried out the inaugural Te Manu Taikō (TMT) Programme for rangatahi Māori Years 11 – 13. Each Day Ngā Pihī (Year 11) & Te Puāwaitanga (Year 12/13) had similar themes such as Leadership, Self-awareness and exposure to the Tertiary Learning Space all relevant to their current educational context.

We delivered these messages through many workshops, over food, listening to guest speakers including Dan Walker (Massey Alumni & Graduate of the Masters of Advance Leadership) and hearing stories from our current Māori student ambassadors.

There were over 60 students in attendance from schools all over Auckland including Rosmini College, Orewa College, Rangitoto College, Northcote College, Birkenhead College, Whangaparaoa College, and Epsom Girls Grammar School, each day proved to be a great chance for rangatahi to network amongst themselves and meet other rangatahi in similar situations.

Many of our rangatahi reported having a great time and learning many new things about Massey University, the decisions they are making now and more importantly themselves. Massey University enjoyed hosting all of these rangatahi Māori and look forward to helping them with future decisions.



## CONGRATULATIONS ZEKE

On behalf of Massey University we wanted to congratulate one of our Māori student ambassadors Ezekiel Raui for becoming the most recent recipient of the auspicious Ngārimu VC and 28th Māori Battalion Memorial Scholarship. This was awarded to him on April 11th at Parliament, where the ceremony was held.

This scholarship is offered nation-wide and recognizes students who demonstrate education excellence and embody the characteristics of the Māori Battalion – including commitment, service & leadership. For Zeke the total worth of the Undergraduate Scholarship is \$10,000 per year for up to 5 years and he is also one of only 5 students in New Zealand to receive this. We couldn't be more proud of Zeke here at Massey University. The man is going places! Kei runga noa atu koe Ezekiel. Tau kē!

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## POLYFEST 2017 RECAP

Massey University once again sponsored the tongan stage for Polyfest this year.

This year we saw colleges from the University join us in engaging with those there and thoroughly enjoyed performances by Tongan groups from schools all over Auckland.

The College of Health was present on the Friday, and were promoting their Human Nutrition and Dietetics programmes. Dr. Sione Vaka from our school of Nursing also getting stage time to discuss our Nursing programmes and what it is like to be a Polynesian Male in the Nursing field.

We also had the Massey Business School attend on Saturday to promote programmes under the Business school. Jeff Stangl from the Massey Business School engaged with the crowd on the day.

It was also made special, as the new Assistant Vice Chancellor for Maori and Pasifika Charlotte Severne spent most of the Saturday with our team at polyfest. She also presented awards to the winners during the prizegiving.

We had over 400 students over the two days engage with us and our team, and it was great to interact with the tongan and wider Pasifika community.

As a part of our presence at Polyfest, at the Tongan stage we ran a quiz for students to go in the draw for laptops. Here is one of the four winners; Valerie Lui from Henderson High School who was presented her new laptop at her school assembly.



Valerie Lui



Polyfest 2017



Aganu'u

## AGANU'U PALMERSTON NORTH

Due to the success of Aganu'u in both Auckland and Wellington. Our team took the programme to Palmerston North for the first time.

Day 1 was on the 30th March and saw 23 students from 4 local high schools attend and engage with our specific workshops tailored to pacific students in their senior years at High School. They engaged and talked about cultural identity, exploring opportunities and goals and aspirations.

The feedback from the students were very positive. It was a great day with many of the students looking forward to day 2 later in the year where they will present their projects as well as go through our cultural specific workshops.

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# SPOTLIGHT ON COMMERCIAL MUSIC

## THE 21ST CENTURY GLOBAL MUSIC INDUSTRY

The new Bachelor of Commercial Music at Massey is designed by award-winning performers and industry experts to equip you for a career in the global 21st century music industry.

The degree responds to profound changes in the way revenue and distribution models now work in the field of commercial music. In the current digital music environment, successful practitioners are skilled in using and developing new production tools and distribution networks and are in control of live performance and merchandising. They are familiar with composition and production techniques for interactive and digital platforms such as games and mobile applications, and demonstrate an essential understanding of digital rights, music branding and music marketing that differs from traditional business models.

Brand new state-of-the-art music facilities at Massey, due to open in late 2017, provide students with the opportunity to experiment and expand their talents and media skill sets in radical new ways, and to challenge the norm when it comes to commercial music production.

You can major in one of three subject areas, and work collaboratively with your fellow students on live gigs and performances that draw on all skill areas.

With the Music Practice major you'll study musicianship and cross-genre performance using your instrument or musical interface of choice, along with computer-based production and composition techniques.

With the Music Technology major you'll study software and hardware development, electronics, sound engineering and production, live sound and lighting, and concepts for developing new musical interfaces.

With the Music Industry major you'll study artist development and management, label and distribution, music publishing, one-off and large-scale live events, and future industry trends.

For more information or to book an audition or pre enrolment briefing, go to <https://creative.massey.ac.nz/study/bachelor-of-commercial-music/>





# FAB LAB WELLINGTON

Engaging with a Fab Lab means connecting with a global community of learners, educators, technologists, researchers, makers and innovators. It is a knowledge-sharing network that spans more than 80 countries and 24 time zones. The exponential growth of this network is a testament to the relevance of digital technologies in our lives. Because Fab Labs share common tools and processes, the program is building a global network, a distributed laboratory for research and invention. Fab Labs around the world are connected through live video and communication technology, making the rest of the world much closer to us on a daily basis.

Fab Lab Wgtn is situated within our school of design at Massey's Creative Campus in Wellington and was the first Fab Lab in New Zealand. Opened in 2012 during the eighth global Fab conference, Fab Lab Wgtn quickly extended its expertise and facilities to initiate and support many design research projects locally and around the world. When it first opened it was one of approximately 130 fab labs in the world, there are now more than 1100.

(Photo) Fab Lab Wgtn is an invention playground where students are able to learn through doing and experimenting. It is a practical space equipped with accessible tools and technology that assists students in bringing their ideas to life.

Massey University students are able to engage with Fab lab Wgtn in many different ways, using Open Design principles and practices and developing either individual or collaborative projects. Their projects utilise digital fabrication tools and processes such as 3D printers, electronics and programming, laser cutters, knitting machines, scanners and a variety of CNC machines.

You can come to Wellington and visit Fab Lab Wgtn as a part of the College of Creative Arts tours or for more information please visit our website <https://www.fablabwgtn.co.nz>



## OUR SRA ACTIVITIES CA BREAKFASTS

Our Careers advisers breakfasts was a change from previous years and the usual CA update days. We made efforts to go out to those areas/ regions for our updates, changes and events for 2017. It was awesome to get great engagement from our Careers Advisers around New Zealand. Here is our team with our Palmerston North careers advisers.





# EXPERIENCE MASSEY'S AGHORT DAY

Are you a Year 12 or 13 student? Interested in studying agriculture or horticulture? Come along to our free, interactive, hands-on day. Have some fun and find out there's more to these subjects than you might think!

You will find out about career options and experience the world of study by engaging in real projects. Graduates with agriculture and horticulture degrees are in demand for well-paying jobs, so it's a great time to consider this area.

**DAY** Tuesday 11th July      **TIME** 10am – 4pm  
**WHERE** Massey University, Palmerston North  
**VISIT** <http://www.massey.ac.nz/agexperienceday>

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[massey.ac.nz/sra](http://massey.ac.nz/sra)

# THE MASSEY UNIVERSITY STUDENT RECRUITMENT TEAM

Here is your Massey Recruitment team for 2017. We are looking forward to working with you all!  
Contact any of our team to set up visits, meetings and anything else regarding Massey University.

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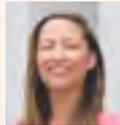
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