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# UPDATES AND IMPORTANT DATES

## EXPLORER 2018 DIGITAL

Our Termly Explorer Magazine is now digital. These will be sent out to our mailing list via email and available on our website.

## SRA NEWS



## HELLO, AND HAPPY NEW YEAR! WELCOME BACK TO 2018!

We are excited for the New Year and working alongside you to help ensure your students have access to every opportunity available to them. 2018 is already looking like a busy year with School Visits already booked in, Events locked in, and much more in our calendar.

There have been a few changes in our team, starting with Auckland; Lara Hussain has now moved on from Massey and is back in the UK. Trish Matson who is our Postgraduate adviser is now on maternity leave and will return in December. We welcome back Aisling into the fold who will resume responsibilities as our team leader. Down in Manawātū Phil Greig will move office to our Wellington campus, however will still look after the Waikato and Bay of Plenty areas. Rachel Kershaw is still on maternity leave and will return later this year. For full details of our team for 2018 please see our Team section later in this edition. As a team, we now sit under the **Office of the Assistant Vice Chancellor - Operations, International & University Registrar**, allowing us to work even more closely with our Student Administration and Admissions teams in order to help your students navigate their way through the Massey system.

Lastly, you will also notice our digital newsletter. We have changed from our usual paper magazine to our new digital version. We believe going 'digital' is a great move, making sure each and every school across New Zealand receives our Newsletter along with our updates, events and programme information. Everything else from our events calendar through to our promotional flyers will all still be physical and sent out to a physical address for your school.

Once again, we look forward to 2018 and the year ahead. Please feel free to email any of our team at any time throughout the year if there are any queries regarding Massey. We are more than happy to help you!

Massey University Student Recruitment Team

## FEES FREE 2018

In December of 2017, the Government announced the details of its "tertiary education fees free" policy.

From January 1 2018, first-time tertiary learners, who have not previously undertaken tertiary study of more than 60 credits, will be eligible for a year's free study.

As we continue to work through details here at Massey University, please encourage all of your prospective Massey students to **apply through the normal process** and check their eligibility for the scheme at [FeesFree.govt.nz](http://FeesFree.govt.nz). This website also has more information about the scheme, including FAQs.

Please also find attached a fees-free guide, including a very helpful decision path to help establish students' eligibility for the scheme.

As recruitment advisers working with your school, we are also able to help with any queries you may have, alongside the University's National Contact Centre, which can be reached by calling call free 0800 MASSEY (627739).

## NEW LOOK INFORMATION EVENINGS FOR AUCKLAND IN 2018

In the past our Information Evenings have run on back to back nights all from the Auckland campus. Understanding the Auckland region, we have now changed this event to make it easier for the community to attend. On the 9th of May, our usual Information Evening will run as per previous years on the Albany campus, with talks and presentations from each of the colleges. We have then decided to run another evening in Central Auckland with a similar format a week later on the 15th May at the Ellerslie Events centre.

More information regarding our information evenings will be made available closer to the date.

## THE RAMS ACADEMY: SPORT HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

Massey Rams Academy is back again! This time we are rolling out Rams Academy across all 3 campuses! So, if you have Y13 students that have a passion for sport, interested in studying Sport at University, and want a career in the Sporting sector, then register for this amazing 3-day Holiday programme to see what sports related courses you can study at Massey University.

## CA BREAKFASTS

Meet with our team, find out about our events, key dates, programme information and have breakfast on us. A personal invite should be sent out to you for you to register to join us. We are hosting breakfasts all over New Zealand from South Auckland, Waikato, Manawātū and Dunedin all throughout March.

For more information please contact your Massey SRA!

## OPEN DAYS 2018

MANAWATŪ

WEDNESDAY 1 AUGUST

AUCKLAND

SATURDAY 11 AUGUST

WELLINGTON

FRIDAY 31 AUGUST

AVIATION (MANAWATŪ)

SATURDAY 15 SEPTEMBER

## TE MANU TAIKŌ

Ngā mihi manahau o Hine Raumati ki a koutou katoa. We hope you all had an awesome end to 2017 and an even better start to 2018! This year Māori@Massey are excited to be in the business of Māori empowerment! We've got a new outlook for our rangatahi which involves a good set of mahi shoes, because we will be making sure that you will not just be chasing your dreams, but running them down!

Coming up we have many events for rangatahi all over Aotearoa. This year we will be running Te Manu Taikō in Auckland, Whangarei, Rotorua and Whakatāne. Similar to last year, Te Manu Taikō is aimed at engaging rangatahi in Year 12 & 13 with the tertiary space, giving rangatahi the tools to succeed and empowering them to be the best rangatahi they can be. We will also be working alongside Kia Ora Hauora, Waitemata, Auckland and Northland DHB this year hosting one of their Symposiums as well as running Science for Hauora (Year 10) later in the year.

Stay tuned to our Facebook page **Massey University Māori@Massey** for updates otherwise feel free to contact Angelique or Cam for further enquiries.



PLEASE CONTACT MĀORI STUDENT RECRUITMENT ADVISERS FOR MORE DETAILS.



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## TALOFA LAVA & HAPPY NEW YEAR!

We are pleased to be back again for 2018, We are excited to continue our efforts to encourage Pasifika from across New Zealand to take up tertiary study and to start thinking about their futures.

We have a lot planned for 2018 with School visits, Community Events, and our own on campus events.

### ASB POLYFEST

Once again we will be sponsoring the Tongan stage as we do every year. We look forward to engaging with our Poly community in particular our Tongan community. Come down and meet some of our Pasifika staff and current students!

### AGANU'U 2018

Aganu'u will be kicking off again on all 3 campuses. The programme looks at reaching your goals without losing your cultural identity through workshops and presentations – most of all it's fun. We had some great highlights from last years' events that we thoroughly enjoyed, and we look forward to Aganu'u 2018.

For a full list of our Pasifika@Massey events for 2018, please refer to our events calendar.

We are looking forward to the year ahead.



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# AROUND THE CAMPUSES



## SCHOOL OF AVIATION BREAKS NEW GROUND

Palmerston North Airport Limited has started construction of a state-of-the-art training facility for Massey University's School of Aviation. It will bring all the school's students and staff members together in one location for the first time.

The airport is investing \$5 million for the 2200 square-metre facility located in the Ruapehu Business Park, a 20-hectare development for aviation maintenance and training, commercial, logistics, retail and light industrial development.

Massey's School of Aviation has been operating from its current Milson Flight Systems Centre at Palmerston North Airport since 1994. The school is New Zealand's leading aviation education and flight training provider, with a fleet of technically-enhanced Diamond DA40 and DA42 aircraft and ground-based training facilities.

School of Aviation chief executive Ashok Poduval says the new training facility will pave the way for growth in student numbers.

"It presents a much more attractive proposition for overseas flight training contracts," he says. "More importantly, it will improve synergy and efficiency by bringing the entire school onto one location for the first time."

The school's new facility will be constructed in two stages. Stage 1, due for completion in June 2018, will accommodate the existing airport-based students, staff and aircraft maintenance activities. Stage 2, due for completion in June 2019, will accommodate the aviation faculty and administrative staff currently based on the University's Turitea site.

Palmerston North Airport chief executive David Lanham says the development will build on the reputation the School of Aviation already has for delivering world-class aviation training programmes.

"The new facility will assist the school to further promote its capabilities to an international audience at a time when the demand for pilot and aviation management training is continuing to grow," he says. "It will also be an exciting addition to Ruapehu Business Park and it is expected to act as a catalyst for other adjacent developments."



## OUR NEW WILDBASE FACILITY IN MANAWATŪ

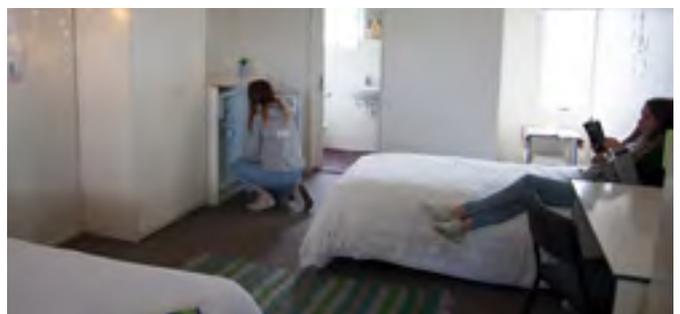
Construction began in June 2015 and has now been open for a year. The 250-sq. metre hospital space includes an intensive care unit, wards, a surgical suite, quarantine rooms, treatment spaces, and a display ward in front of the building where people will be able to view wildlife through viewing portals.

The majority of the ground floor area is dedicated to the hospital, but this is just one part of a much larger veterinary complex upgrade. The other two levels include a new main entrance for the Institute of Veterinary, Animal and Biomedical Sciences, offices for staff, common rooms and other administration facilities. The total cost of the three-storey building was \$9 million.

Shell New Zealand, a Gold Conservation Partner, has sponsored Wildbase for 13 years. Chairman Rob Jager says Shell is greatly impressed by the treatment and care provided at Wildbase and what has been achieved. "This is important work, it's lifesaving work and if our great-great-grandchildren in generations to come are to enjoy the New Zealand wildlife, like we have all had the privilege of enjoying ourselves, this work is critical," Mr Jager says. "New Zealand is fortunate for Wildbase's foresight, initiative, dedication and skills and we are delighted to support what they do."

## NEW ACCOMMODATION HALL IN WELLINGTON

Joining the Cube in 2018, we have Kāinga Rua - a new hall to accommodate our students in Wellington. It is in the heart of Wellington CBD, and is also a short walking distance to our Wellington campus. For more information about our new hall please visit [here](#).



# A SUMMARY OF CHANGES TO OUR PROGRAMMES IN THE PAST YEAR



## COLLEGE OF HEALTH

### Bachelor of Nursing

Entry requirements have been updated so that students studying a Science subject (any one of Biology, Physics and/or Chemistry), and in some special cases general science, are now eligible to apply for our Nursing degree.

### Bachelor of Health Science

The Major Public Health is no longer available as of 2018.



## MASSEY BUSINESS SCHOOL

### Bachelor of Business

With some changes over the last couple of years; a full list of Majors and Minors that students can take under the Bachelor of Business is available [HERE](#)



## COLLEGE OF SCIENCE

### Bachelor of Natural Sciences

The Bachelor of Natural Sciences is no longer available for prospective students to take. Students who are interested in this programme should consider the Bachelor of Science. Please feel free to put them in touch with us and we will be happy to discuss the most appropriate major for them, based on their specific interest areas.



## COLLEGE OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

### Bachelor of Arts

New minors under the Bachelor of Arts include Te Reo and Emergency management.



## COLLEGE OF CREATIVE ARTS

Tours of the college are available right throughout the year in Wellington. To find out more please visit [HERE](#)

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION VISIT [HERE](#)  
OR PLEASE CONTACT YOUR LOCAL SRA

# BACHELOR OF COMMUNICATION MEET OUR STUDENT



## INDYAH TAVA'E – BACHELOR OF COMMUNICATION

Second-year Bachelor of Communication student Indyah Tava'e says she loves people and hearing the stories they have to tell. For the Future Leaders Scholarship recipient, a communication degree has been the perfect fit and she can't wait to put everything she is learning into practice.

### What advice would you offer those considering a communication degree?

Do it! Communication is basically how this world turns. This degree allows you to understand how much more there is to communication than you ever imagined. Come into it with an open mind and you'll find yourself understanding more about yourself and the world around you.

### What drew you to the Bachelor of Communication?

My love for people – I love hearing people's life stories! Being able to see different perspectives through conversation is amazing. I really want to further my understanding of communication between people. That was a big part of my decision and why this degree has been a perfect fit.

### Why Massey?

I thought Massey offered more opportunities than anywhere else. Within the classes, they definitely give you a taste of what the real world is like through practical exercises.

I applied for, and received, a Massey Business School Future Leaders Scholarship, and being part of the Business Future Leaders Programme has been one of the most rewarding experiences I've had at university.

### What are the key skills you've gained so far?

I've learnt so much, but a key thing is critical thinking. Allowing others to criticise your work and vice versa can be scary, but it's a crucial skill to have in any field of work. I've found that healthy, constructive criticism really helps you grow as a person.

### What's your dream job at this point?

A Bachelor of Communication opens up so many options and I know I'll go through a lot of career changes in the future. That's why I'm not really worried about the actual job I'll have when I finish this degree – I just want something that makes me happy. I want to learn new things, gain real-life experience and take the opportunities as they come, which I'm sure they will.

## FACTBOX



The only communication degree in New Zealand to combine arts and business, ensuring graduates have broad skills that can be applied to a variety of industries



85% of our graduates are employed within six months of graduation. These graduates are employed across nine different industry categories with more than 60 different job titles



The only New Zealand communication programme that is accredited from the Accrediting Council for Education in Journalism and Mass Communications (ACEJMC)



Students have the opportunity to take a communication internship course working for companies and gaining invaluable experiences.



Available to study in Wellington, Manawatū, Auckland and via distance learning

# FREE CHEMISTRY WORKSHOPS

The Massey Chemistry department is offering two free workshops relating to NCEA level 3 achievement standards AS 91391, AS 91388.

## 2018 DATES:

The weeks of June 18th to June 29th,  
Three hour sessions starting at  
9.30am and 2.00pm

## WHERE:

Massey University,  
Auckland Campus

## CONTACT:

For more information or to book  
in a space for your school group.

[www.massey.ac.nz/chemistry-workshops](http://www.massey.ac.nz/chemistry-workshops)

## WORKSHOP 1:

**Synthesis, purification and analysis of a medicinal compound**

This synthesis and analysis of aspirin provides the students with an opportunity to experience different lab techniques and gives insight into pharmaceutical development.

**Relation to achievement standards:**

AS 91391, AS 91388

**Pre requisites**

Students should have some practical experience in the lab and be able to follow instructions. It is best if they have seen IR spectroscopy, but it is not essential.

## WORKSHOP 2:

**Chemical Cluedo**

In this workshop students have to use spectroscopy to solve a murder in the lab.

**Relation to achievement standards:**

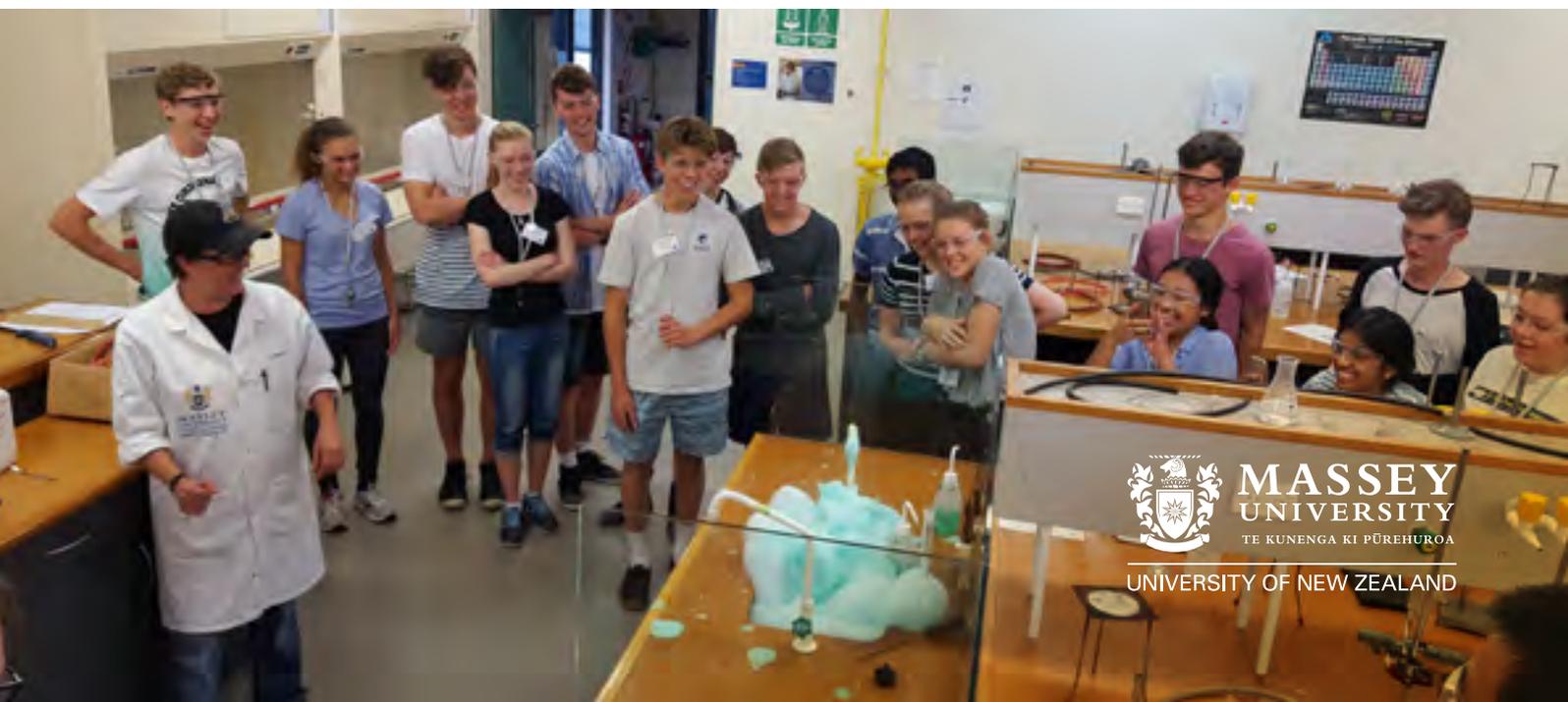
AS 91391, AS 91388, AS 91164 (level 2)

**Pre requisites**

The students have to have covered all the spectroscopy content in class before they come to this workshop.

**All laboratory equipment and safety glasses will be provided. Students can bring their lunch or purchase from the café's on campus.**

PLEASE NOTE THESE WORKSHOPS HAVE THE FOLLOWING SAFETY GUIDELINES: All students must wear lab appropriate clothing and enclosed footwear. Supplied safety glasses must be worn at all times. There will be no eating or drinking inside the laboratories. A teacher must be present for the three hour period.



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# THE MASSEY UNIVERSITY STUDENT RECRUITMENT TEAM

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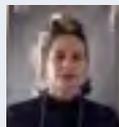


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