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CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL GRADUANDS



Bachelor of Tourism and Hospitality Management (BTHM) Graduation 6th October 2016

CAREER PRESENTATIONS

Visiting Dean, School of Business, Asia Pacific University of Technology & Innovation on September 13, 2016 at AAPOLY, Melbourne

Prof Siva Muthaly who has over 26 years of Academic leadership in Australia and internationally, addressed BTHM students on the topic "Tourism: Career Opportunities for Graduates". He provided valuable insight into the Tourism Industry and its potential trends in Australia, in particular in Victoria. It was a very successful event where students gained awareness of career opportunities in the Tourism industry.

Mr. David Weston (former CEO William Angliss College)- sponsored by UniGlobal Education Services.

Mr. Weston presented an interesting session on how to prepare for the job market as graduates. He provided tools and resources for AAPoly 2nd and 3rd year students. It was an eye-opening session for potential job seekers on not just being 'job ready' but also understanding what employer expectations are. It was another rewarding session for students at AAPoly.



Eagles Awards 2016

The following students will be receiving their Eagles Award during the AAPoly Graduation Ceremony on October 6th, 2016 at the Melbourne Town Hall.

Bachelor of Tourism and Hospitality Management Program (BTHM) Scholarship Awards

The following students receive scholarship for Academic Excellence

Name
Patricia Markovska Kralova
Martha Ong
Dzenita Delibasic
Thuy An Pham Vu
Ai Fung Teo
Orsolya Tenkyos
Anna Finini

Bachelor of Tourism and Hospitality Management (BTHM) High Achievers

Semester 1, 2016: 82 students received Letters of Commendation for achieving High Distinctions in their exams.

Federation University (Undergraduate and Postgraduate) delivered at AAPOLY, Melbourne Scholarship Award

The following students receive scholarship for Academic Excellence for Federation University-partnership program.

Name
Wing Lam Law
Ma.Marjorie Abrea
Thi Mai Nguyen
Kamille Chia De Leon Aggabao
Subhashini Rukshini Suganniya
Ramona Schmitt

Higher Education Subject Excellence for FedUni and BTHM

The following students receive awards:

Name	Course
Wing Lam Law	Bachelor of Commerce (Accounting)
Ma.Marjorie Abrea	Master of Professional Accounting
Thi Mai Nguyen	BTHM
Sophia Scalla	BTHM
Kirandeep Kaur Dhaliwal	BTHM

VET Academic Excellence

Name
Kristina Disho
Sabrina Ingrid Brandes
Francesca Castle
Veronica Elizabeth Urdaneta Alarcon

VET Program: Special Recognition Awards

Navdeep SINGH for being the "Student winner of the inaugural TFE Hotel Cooking Competition"

Student Mentors Recognition Awards

The following students receive awards:

Name	Course
Karyna Lebid	MCOM
Diana Reina Estonilo	MBA
Gurkiranjit Kaur Nokwal	MCOM
Ramona Schmitt	BMGT
Subhashini Rukshini Sugan- niya Kumaravel	BMGT
Francis Sambile	BTHM
Thi Mai Nguyen	MBA
Kathleen Masongsong	BTHM
Vipanpal Singh	VET - ADIT
Sunil Nepali	VET - ADIT

Summer Semester at AAPoly / Federation University/Bachelor of Tourism & Hospitality

The 2016/17 Summer semester for students at AAPoly studying higher education programs begins Monday 14th November 2016. Students will be able to make the most of the opportunity to get ahead with studies and catch up on some other classes.

VET students will also have the opportunity to enter the summer term intake on Monday 9th January 2017.

Federation University Open Day 2016

Thank you to all of the students and friends who were able to travel to Ballarat and attend Federation University's Open Day on Sunday 28th August. It was a fantastic day for the group and a great chance for AAPoly students to experience both the University and the Victorian countryside.

The group were extremely lucky with a sunny 16 degrees day and the opportunity to experience many of the exciting activities Mt Helen campus has to offer. They were also given a tour of the city centre of Ballarat, the Ballarat Camp Street (City) campus and the old Ballarat Goal.



Diploma of Community Services at AAPoly



AAPoly is excited about developments in its Diploma of Community Services. Three groups of students (37 students in total) from Maidstone campus have already graduated, with many joining the workforce. Coinciding with the newly released CHC52015 this year, new students have started their studies at Bourke Street campus and are delighted with the facilities there.

The Diploma of Community Services is an 18 month course that includes academic work across 16 units of competence as well as 400 hours of supervised work placement. AAPoly's course is fully accredited by ACWA (Australian Community Workers Association) and is highly regarded within the industry.

We are looking forward to guiding another cohort of students along their journey into the expanding field of community services.



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