

# Student News



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## How to ace your exams, no matter what your timetable looks like

With STUVAC next week, we asked students to share their advice for managing time. [Here are their tips to help you prepare for exam season](#), no matter what your timetable looks like.



## Meet your SRC International Officer

[Get to know Ashrika](#), an International Student Officer and Bachelor of Arts and Advanced Studies student who's passionate about advocating for and supporting international students.



## How to be a good library citizen

Let's face it – no one likes to study in a loud and messy space. This exam season, help keep our library spaces serene and clean with [these five simple tips](#).



## Medibank cybercrime incident and support package

If you've been impacted by the recent Medibank cybercrime incident, [there is support available for you](#). Medibank have already begun contacting affected customers, however there are some things you can do now to protect yourself in the meantime:

- Change your passwords.
  - Be wary of scammers who may contact you. Reach out to the [SRC](#) or [SUPRA](#) if you need assistance in clarifying whether the communication you have received is legitimate.
  - Monitor your bank and credit card statements for any unusual activity.
  - International students can seek [24/7 support through Sonder](#).
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## Notices

- In Semester 1 2023, remote units will continue to be offered to offshore students wherever possible. In Semester 2, we will return to face-to-face delivery of classes. [Learn more about changes to learning and teaching arrangements in 2023](#).
  - [Semester 2 Unit of Study Surveys \(USS\) are now live](#). Please take the time to provide your valuable (and confidential) feedback and enter the prize draw.
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## Events

### BarberSoc presents: Stage Fright

BarberSoc, the University's acapella society, is putting on a fabulous end of year show at the Great Hall on Sunday 6 November, 1 pm. Expect all things ghosts and ghouls, classic horror and its campy '80s spinoffs. [Register for the free show](#).

### Wingarra Djuraliyin: public lecture on Indigenous Peoples and Law

Join the Sydney Law School on Tuesday 8 November from 6 pm for the annual Wingarra Djuraliyin public lecture, which showcases Indigenous perspectives on law. [Register for the in-person lecture](#).

### Art + Information at the Seymour Centre

Experience a new series of performance lectures designed to spark curiosity at conversation at the Seymour Centre from Thursday 17 November to Saturday 26 November. [Find out more and get your tickets](#).



## Get involved

### Get Exam Ready with the Library

The Library has prepared a range of events and workshops to help you ace your exams. [Check out the full Exam Ready program](#). The Library is also hosting an Exam Ready event for First Nations students on Tuesday 8 November from 1 pm to 3 pm at the Quadrangle. [Register for the event](#).

### Welcome international students to Sydney

Study NSW and Communitier are looking for volunteers to welcome newly-arrived international students at their Welcome Desk at Sydney International Airport. Meet new people and make friends, all while building valuable skills and connections. [Submit your expression of interest](#).

### Volunteer with the City of Sydney for New Year's Eve

Want to experience New Year's Eve from an A+ viewing site? The City of Sydney is recruiting volunteers for 2022 New Year's Eve from 27 December to 31 December 2022. Visit the [Sydney New Year's Eve website](#) for more information and [sign up today](#). If you have any questions, email [majevvolunteers@cityofsydney.nsw.gov.au](mailto:majevvolunteers@cityofsydney.nsw.gov.au).

### Have your say about the Startup Year program

The Department of Education is seeking feedback from current students, as potential [Startup Year program](#) participants, to better understand how this program should be designed to best meet the needs of students with an idea they want to explore. [The survey](#) will take no more than 5 minutes to complete and will close Tuesday 15 November, 11:59 pm.

### Masterclass: Political Economy

In this four-part lecture series, Professor David Garland will provide a lively and accessible introduction to political economy. Delve into the study of capitalism, its history and contemporary varieties and its relationship to democracy, welfare and justice. [Register for the first in-person lecture](#) in the New Law Building on Tuesday 8 November from 2 pm to 4 pm.

### Join the Green Summit in Bangkok

Are you passionate about climate action? [Register to become a delegate for the Green Summit](#) at the UN Conference Centre in Bangkok from 13 to 16 December. Delegates will have the

opportunity to hear from world-leading experts in sustainability development and network with like-minded people committed to the advancement of a healthier planet.

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## Event highlight: Sydney Innovation Festival

On Thursday 30 October, the Sydney Innovation Festival brought together some of Australia's best and brightest start-ups for an afternoon of networking, Q&As, food and entertainment.



## Image of the week

Sending off the spooky season with some gothic architecture on campus.

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