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Feedback and news items can be sent to vcamcm-research@unimelb.edu.au

★ - New Listings

## 1. News

Research Office Locations
The Research Office is located in Room 210 in the Conservatorium of Music, Building 141, Gate 12, Royal Parade in addition to our Southbank Campus location in the Old Police Hospital, Building 865, 234 St. Kilda Road.

## 2. Resources and Support

★ Interdisciplinary course for current doctoral candidates
What: The Melbourne CSHE is offering an advanced interdisciplinary course designed exclusively for doctoral candidates and early career researchers at the University of Melbourne. The Graduate Certificate in Advanced Learning and Leadership is a part time course undertaken alongside doctoral study with an aim to develop transferable skills in leadership, project management, cross-disciplinary problem solving and communication.

Further Information: [http://go.unimelb.edu.au/qy3n](http://go.unimelb.edu.au/qy3n)
Enquiries: Emmaline Bexley 8344 8436 / bexleye@unimelb.edu.au
STAR: Graduate Research Hub
What: Graduate Research Hub contains guides for all current graduate researchers, with resources and information to get you from orientation through to graduation.
Further Information: http://gradresearch.unimelb.edu.au/

Grants Bulletin Subscription
What: Are you subscribed to the Grants Bulletin? The Research Grants Bulletin is a highly valued fortnightly email service available only to staff and students of the University. It contains the latest information on research grant opportunities (including ARC and NHMRC), as well as related seminars and workshops.
Further Information: https://mro.unimelb.edu.au/

3. Events, Forums, Performances, Seminars and Exhibitions

★ Folio Live
What: The Victorian College of the Arts welcomes you to experience the collaborative sound and media pieces by graduating students of the Interactive Composition program. Over four evenings, Interactive Composition students will bring Grant Street Theatre to life in sound and vision; each presenting unique 30 minute works that collectively incorporate sound with film, animation, dance, theatre, installation, songwriting and performance.
When: Tuesday 10 to Friday 13 November, 6.00-10.00pm
Where: Grant Street, Grant St, Southbank, Melbourne, 3006
Admission: Free, bookings essential
Further information and bookings: via Eventbrite

★ Responding to Change in a Growing Melbourne: Community Acceptance, Wellbeing, and Resilience
What: The CSIRO has conducted a survey of about 1100 residents from six contrasting local government areas (LGAs) in Melbourne to understand how communities are responding to urban intensification and consolidation. Please join us for this special seminar to learn about our results, and participate in a discussion of these results and their potential interpretations and implications. Those attending will receive a copy of CSIRO’s research paper on the topic.
When: Friday 13 November 10.00am-12.15pm
Where: Lecture Theatre, 207 Bouverie Street (map)
This seminar is hosted by the McCaughey VicHealth Community Wellbeing Unit

Faculty Events Listings: Find out what is happening and stay connected
Faculty Events Listings: http://vca-mcm.unimelb.edu.au/events
VCA Events Listings: http://vca.unimelb.edu.au/events
MCM Events Listings: http://conservatorium.unimelb.edu.au/events
4. Funding, Research and Career Opportunities

⭐ How to Write a Brilliant Funding Application

**What:** In the process of seeking the right funding body for your research there are several iterative things that you can do. Maximise your own impact through conference speaking or giving talks in other departments and promote your published work to key individuals. As you consider the funding body you will approach ensure you meet all of the eligibility criteria and develop your research plan based on the funder’s objectives. The Institute of Physics sets out 10 things you that you can do as you put together your application.

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Academic Assistantships for Graduate Researchers - **Last Call**

**What:** The Faculty of VCA&MCM is offering up to ten Academic Assistantships to commence in 2016. These prestigious Assistantships are only available to candidates already enrolled in a graduate research degree at the Faculty of VCA & MCM. Selection is via a competitive process and takes account of the academic needs of the relevant discipline. They include academic activities and mentoring within the relevant discipline as well as full inclusion in the intellectual life of the Faculty. Each Assistantship will include a casual contract for academic activity anticipated to be $10,000 p.a. plus student bursary of $5,000 p.a.

**When:** Closing date for applications is Sunday 15 November

**Further Information:** More information and applications available online

Please note Melbourne Career Centre offers FREE career’s advice and can review your application before submission.

Further Information: Visit the Careers Express (10 minute Drop in) service available 2 to 4pm Monday to Friday at Arts and Music Student Centre. No appointment needed.

Melbourne Careers Centre

**What:** Melbourne Careers Centre provides a range of careers programs and resources to support students in building employability and career management skills. Check out our website for help with writing resumes, preparing for interviews, job seeking strategies and up-coming career events. Come and talk to a careers consultant about your career queries, or to get feedback on job applications via Careers Express (short 10 minute consultations) Service.


5. Conferences

⭐ **1st International Conference on e-Learning and e-Technologies in Music Education (ICeEME 2015)**

**What:** ICeEME 2015 aims to bring together a wide audience of academicians, policy makers and practitioners around clearly circumscribed topics, engage participants in fruitful debate, and facilitate mutual understanding.

**When:** Thursday 26 to Friday, 27 November

**Where:** Treviso, Italy

**Further Information:** [http://www.studiomusicatreviso.it/iceeme/iceeme.php#art0](http://www.studiomusicatreviso.it/iceeme/iceeme.php#art0)

Contact person: Della Ventura Michele
6. Profile, Publishing and Exhibiting Opportunities

🌟 Advertising on ArtsHub

What: Reach Australia’s creative community by advertising your business on ArtsHub. With over 110,000 unique arts professionals and enthusiasts visiting us each month, your ads will appear across the ArtsHub network and can be accessed anywhere, anytime and on multiple devices. Maximise the visibility and reach of your brand and events by advertising with ArtsHub. Spread the word to an engaged audience. Become an Australian arts industry insider by joining ArtsHub - the one-stop-shop for the latest industry news, jobs, what’s on and much more. Learn how and where to get grants, optimise your website for search engines, gain an understanding of salaries within the Australian arts industry. Take advantage of exclusive ticket giveaways, offers and competitions.


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