

Dear Dino,

Welcome to Term 3.

We hope you all enjoyed a relaxing break in anticipation of what is a very eventful period of year for your Year 11 and 12 students, with Open Day season fast emerging, planning course preferences and getting ready for their exams.

We'd like to keep you up to date on some of the latest La Trobe news to help assist your students to make informed decisions.

#### Update on course developments for 2022 coming soon

We're always looking for new ways to improve our portfolio and give students greater choice, flexibility and support.

So, when students study with us, they can study online, in person or both, and they can choose from an increased number of majors and minors.

Course changes in 2022 (subject to Academic Board approvals):

- **Bachelor of Arts** will offer increased choice with a selection of 50 flexible majors (Melbourne Campus) available, and an entirely online version supported by full access to on-campus support services and work integrated learning opportunities in Melbourne and our regional campuses.
- **Bachelor of Business** – students will have more time to decide on their main study area. Formerly students could enter into a Bachelor of Business or a range of "tagged" degrees. Eg. Bachelor of Business (Marketing). In the new structure students will enter into the Bachelor of Business and choose their major while studying. Their transcript will reflect their major eg. Bachelor of Business (Marketing). This new structure offers greater breadth to business studies, with digital business at the core of our business and commerce degrees.
- **Bachelor of Commerce** will offer majors and minors to expand choice and flexibility aligning to professional career outcomes with digital business at the core and the option to take the new Industry Partner Minor.
- **Bachelor of Laws** will transform into the **Bachelor of Laws (Honours)** offering students a higher-level law qualification with Honours in just 4 years.
- **Bachelor of International Relations** will become the **Bachelor of Global Studies**, a degree for the internationally engaged student who wants to pursue the study of other cultures, societies and politics with significant mobility options. The new program offers a greater level of flexibility with multiple major options available. For high achieving students we will also be offering double degrees in Bachelor of Laws (Honours)/ Bachelor of Global Studies and Bachelor of Commerce/ Bachelor of Global Studies.
- New pathways for aspiring teachers with a **Diploma of Teacher Education** and **Associate Degree of Teacher Education** assisting passionate students to reach their goal of becoming a teacher and pathway to La Trobe's Bachelor of Education programs. This program replaces the Bachelor of Educational Studies. It is recommended that students who are uncertain of whether they will receive the ATAR needed to enter a Bachelor of Education program also preference La Trobe's education pathways.

Students will also have the flexibility of more course entry and exit points – this means more pathway opportunities and the chance to graduate with a Diploma after one year of study.

Find out more at [Virtual Open Day 2021](#).



### La Trobe University Virtual Open Day

Hear from leading academics, students and student advisers about course options, pathways, scholarships, student services and employability at our Virtual Open Day on Sunday, 1 August. You can also take a virtual tour of our five Victorian campuses, so you can compare courses and find the right campus for you – all from the comfort of your home.

If you want to see our campuses in person, our Virtual Open Day is supported by on campus tours throughout August (and September for Shepparton and Mildura campuses).

[Register for Virtual Open Day >](#)



#### Aspire Early Admissions: Applications 101 >

Discover how to become an Aspire Coordinator in our La Trobe's Aspire Early Admissions Program with Applications 101. Learn how you can be rewarded for your involvement in community, leadership and volunteering with an early conditional offer into your chosen course at La Trobe. Aspire webinars run every month throughout the application period.



#### 'Best day ever' for paramedic students

During a routine simulated scenario, students at the Bendigo Campus received an unforgettable surprise when the Helicopter Emergency Services



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Upskill with our [Master of Education](#) and explore issues in education for social justice, communication for educational purposes and

landed during their accident simulation.

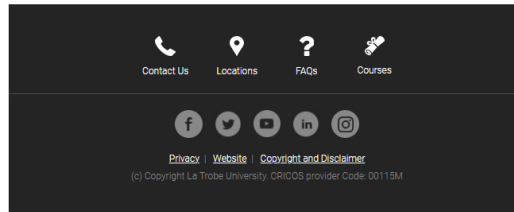
Academics at the Bendigo Campus organised the surprise to make it up to students who missed placement opportunities in 2020.

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issues in designing diverse educational programs.

You can also become a specialist in the inclusion and education of students with special needs through our [Master of Inclusion and Diversity](#).

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