

Career Adviser Information Session

Friday 31 May 2024



University of
South Australia

8.30am – 9.00am Registration

Welcome to UniSA

Australia's University of Enterprise, now and into the future university.

SPEAKER

Distinguished Professor Marnie Hughes-Warrington AO

Deputy Vice Chancellor: Research and Enterprise,
Standing Acting Vice Chancellor & Bradley
Distinguished Professor

Admit one: UniSA Admissions

An overview of UniSA's entry and admissions in 2024 and insights into 2025.

SPEAKER

Mark Nading

Manager: Applications and Admissions

Better matching, not ranking: SACE learner profile

An overview of the SACE Capabilities and Learner Profile project and the opportunity for matching for success in the interface between secondary education and tertiary entrance.

SPEAKER

Virginia Steele

Program Manager Capabilities and Learner Profile,
Education Services, SACE Board of SA

What's new: The latest at UniSA

Hear about program updates, career resources and engagement opportunities for high school students.

SPEAKER

Jessica Sugg

Marketing Coordinator: Student Liaison

10:35am – 11:00am Morning Tea

Adelaide University Panel Session

Discover the latest information about the creation of the new Adelaide University, including transition support for students, curriculum development, equity and access, and student experience.

SPEAKERS

Ryan Bailey

Deputy Director: Marketing and Student
Recruitment, University of South Australia

Tom Steer

Chief Academic Services Officer, University of
South Australia

Professor Jessica Gallagher

Deputy Vice Chancellor: The University of Adelaide

Martin McCarron

Executive Director Student Experience, The
University of Adelaide

The cutting edge: Visual Effects, Film and TV

Hear about the new Bachelor of Visual Effects and the established Bachelor of Film and TV and our exciting industry partnerships with Rising Sun Pictures, We Made a Thing Studios and Channel 44. Learn firsthand about the practical experience and in-demand skills our students develop, and some of the senior roles our graduates are leading on including blockbuster productions.

SPEAKERS

Dr Josh McCarthy

Program Director: Bachelor of Visual Effects

Dr Carolyn Bilsborow

Program Director: Bachelor of Film and Television

Katie McCabe-Sortini

Layout Artist at Rising Sun Pictures, UniSA
Bachelor of Film and Television graduate

Future proofed: Careers in Pharmacy

Learn about our new Pharmacy offerings aligned with industry and designed to meet the growing scope and demands of modern pharmacy practice.

SPEAKER

Associate Professor Michael Ward
Dean of Programs (Pharmacy and Biomedical Sciences)

Alternative entry: UniSA College

Hear from Program Directors about Foundation Studies, Undergraduate Certificates and Diploma options that support students on their study pathways to UniSA degrees.

SPEAKERS

Tristan King
Program Director: Foundation Studies

Dr Natasha Wilson
Program Director: Diploma Programs

Dr Alice Betteridge
Program Director: Diplomas and UG Certificate

Fact, fiction and future: Social Work unpacked

Our academics address the myths of Social Work and give insight into the breadth of career opportunities beyond counselling and child protection.

SPEAKER

Dr Fatin Shabbar
Program Director: Undergraduate Social Work Programs

1:00pm – 1:45pm Lunch

Dynamic and progressive: Marketing degrees

Hear how our Marketing degrees have evolved, keeping pace with the ever-changing digital landscape, emerging career opportunities and how our world-renowned Ehrenberg-Bass Marketing Institute informs learning.

SPEAKER

Vivien Chanana
Program Director: Marketing

Success in STEM: Supporting your students into STEM Careers

Understand the skills, strengths and traits that lead to a successful career in STEM. Find out what careers in STEM look like beyond university.

SPEAKERS

Professor Jacqui Ramagge
Executive Dean, UniSA STEM

Professor Craig Williams
Dean of Programs (Science, Construction & Project Management)

Maria Vieira
Coordinator STEM Girls Academy

Franke Agenbag
Space Systems Engineering at DSTG, UniSA
Bachelor of Electrical and Mechatronic Engineering graduate

NEW: Three-year early childhood degree

Hear about UniSA’s new three-year Bachelor of Early Childhood (B-5 years), starting midyear 2024, and how UniSA are connecting with government and industry to support South Australia’s future early childhood teaching workforce.

SPEAKER

Professor Anne-Marie Morgan
Dean of Programs (Education Futures)

Dr Bec Neill
Program Director: Early Childhood Programs

Career planning: From high school to university

Our Career Services specialists share insights into their work with students from first year and beyond and provide tips for supporting high school students with their career and university choices.

SPEAKER

Demi Kastanos
Manager: Career Services, Student Engagement Unit

Angelika Portolesi
Careers Adviser: Career Services, Student Engagement Unit

3:00pm – 4:00pm Nibbles and Networking Drinks