Program

8.30am  Arrival and Registration
         Refreshments provided

9am - 10am  Plenary Session
3.30pm  What's new at the University of Sydney?
3.50pm  The Student Experience

9.20am  Q & A session

10.05am  Morning Tea

10.30am - 1.25pm  Faculties in Focus
You are invited to attend four 40 minute faculty sessions of your choice. There are four session times and four options to choose from within each session. You do not need to register your option preferences prior to the event. All sessions will be held in the Eastern Avenue Complex. See inside this brochure for the option abstracts and venue details.
Continuous service of tea and coffee will be provided in the Eastern Avenue Foyer during the Faculties in Focus session.

10.30am – 11.10am  Session 1
11.15am – 11.55am  Session 2
12.00pm – 12.40pm  Session 3
12.45pm – 1.25pm  Session 4

1.30pm  Buffet Lunch (Great Hall)

2.30pm  Close

Careers Adviser and Teachers’ Day 2007

To register to attend the event go to:
http://rego.ucc.usyd.edu.au/schools/catd/

Registrations close
Monday 19 February, 2007

For more information call:
02 9351 4002 or email:
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Session 1  
10.30 - 11.10am

Option 1 - Discover Science
Science is a diverse and exciting field. Come and discover all that is available in the Faculty of Science to enthrill, inspire and develop your students interest in the sciences. This session will cover our courses and some of our unique science programs including the entry criteria for admission and the Science Careers Website. We will also explore the benefits of the Talented Student Program, a must for any high achieving student who values mentoring, freedom and networking connections.

The session will conclude with a Q&A Panel.
Venue: Eastern Avenue Auditorium

Option 2 - Sydney Conservatorium of Music
Think SCM and you probably think of great performers doing what they do best, but the Conservatorium doesn’t just produce some of the world’s best performers. Excellence in research, music education and musicology are some of the career pursuits that provide graduates with fulfilling and rewarding lives. Dr Jennie Shaw, Head of School and Associate Dean (Undergraduate Studies) will explore the ever changing requirements in flexible curriculum, performance initiatives and student entrance requirements taking place at the Conservatorium from 2008 which focus on delivering greater employment outcomes.

Venue: Eastern Avenue Seminar Room 310

Option 3 - Health Sciences
In the changing world of allied health, a shift in emphasis from curative treatment to preventative treatment and rehabilitation has brought courses offered by the Faculty of Health Sciences into the spotlight. Our study programs are being constantly updated to meet the demands of health professionals, enabling them to keep pace with the rapid rate of technological change. Explore our diverse range of study programs, including Exercise and Sport Science, Physiotherapy, Speech Pathology, Medical Radiation Sciences, Clinical Vision Sciences, Occupational Therapy and Health Information Management.

Discover the potential of the innovative Bachelor of Health Sciences degree-a hugely versatile program allowing students to keep their options open, whilst offering students a pathway to graduate entry programs, specific career opportunities and the flexibility to specialise in their area of choice.

Venue: Eastern Avenue Seminar Room 311

Option 4 - Why Pharmacy is the career of choice
This session will cover the entry requirements for Pharmacy, how to become a Pharmacist, the student clinical placements program, the variety of Pharmacy careers and the different Pharmacy degrees offered at the University of Sydney.
Venue: Eastern Avenue Seminar Room 312

Session 2  
11.15 - 11.55am

Option 1 - It’s moments like these……..you need mentors.
With so many options available for study within Arts as well as a whole range of other factors to consider, it is easy to feel like a tiny fish in a big pond. The Arts Network’s Transition and Mentoring Program assists new Arts students with the transition to university life, and provides a forum in which to meet other students and interact with second or third year student mentors. This session will provide details of the Arts Network’s Transition and Mentoring program as well as the range of degree options in the Faculty of Arts.

Venue: www.arts.usyd.edu.au/artsnetwork

Option 2 - From the natural resource base to the pleasures of life
This session provides an overview of the depth and breadth of degree programs in land and water science, resource economics, agricultural and forti-ficial science, and agricultural economics. You will discover a wealth of career opportunities using science and economics. A complimentary you will find on the University’s Online Networking website provides an overview of the Faculty of Agriculture Food and Natural Resources.

Venue: Eastern Avenue Seminar Room 310

Option 3 - Graduate Entry Medicine: Why and How?
The graduate entry undergraduate medicine program (USYDAP) has been producing successful graduates since 2005. This session will outline the advantages of graduate entry and the problem based learning (PBL) curriculum and detail the requirements and procedures for admission. A Q&A session will follow the presentation.

The combined science/medicine program will also be covered.
Venue: Eastern Avenue Seminar Room 311

Option 4 - Nursing and Midwifery
Our combined degrees have proven to be very popular and this session will introduce careers advisors to this exciting option for their students. Each of the degree patterns, Bachelor of Arts/Master of Nursing, Bachelor of Science/Master of Nursing Bachelor of Health Science/Master of Nursing and Bachelor of Applied Science/Health and Social Sciences/Master of Nursing attract students who wish to study nursing in combination with another field and therefore cater to a very wide group.

These particular combinations have great value in the nursing profession and this will be covered in this session, together with entry requirements and other issues. There will also be time to ask questions.

Venue: Eastern Avenue Seminar Room 312

Session 3  
12.00 - 12.40pm

Option 1 - Economics and Business at the University of Sydney
The Faculty of Economics and Business is committed to delivering high standard, innovative and stimulating programs of study that incorporate the latest thinking in Economics and Business education. This session will focus on recent and forthcoming Faculty initiatives in the development of undergraduate degree programs and innovations in curriculum design that highlight the students experience of learning and teaching and the provision of high quality student support, highlighting new Faculty services in careers guidance and internship programs.

Venue: Eastern Avenue Auditorium

Option 2 - Careers in Veterinary and Animal Bioscience
The Faculty of Veterinary Science provides excellence in veterinary and animal bioscience training. The Bachelor of Veterinary Science produces graduates with the knowledge, practical and generic skills to enable them to pursue many career options as veterinary scientists participating in the care and welfare of animals. The Bachelor of Animal and Veterinary Bioscience produces graduates with skills to undertake careers across a broad range of disciplines in the animal industries and biomedical research.

A brief overview of both courses will be presented with particular emphasis on curricular changes to the Bachelor of Animal and Veterinary Bioscience.

A Q&A session will follow the presentation.
Venue: Eastern Avenue Seminar Room 310

Option 3 - Design the future
Architecture: These professionals combine creative design with a focus on technical solutions. Architects must balance the wants of the client with the interests and needs of the wider community. They have a practical understanding of structural and materials and play an important role in social and environmental change.

Design computing: The world around us is increasingly being changed by design. At the same time the way in which the world can be designed has been rapidly moving beyond what we call the physical world, or world of atomic structures, into what we label as the virtual world, or the world of digital structures. Design computing provides new concepts and technologies that facilitate these changes.

Venue: Eastern Avenue Seminar Room 311

Option 4 - Engineering Flexibility @ Sydney
Find out more about current trends in engineering and information technologies. This includes the mathematics, physics and chemistry nexus. Why are so many students enrolling in combined degrees? One of our central aims is to produce engineers and IT professionals who are technically competent, up to date with constantly changing technologies, and have a social and environmentally aware: there will be opportunities for Q & A with both students and academics.

Venue: Eastern Avenue Seminar Room 312

Session 4  
12.45 - 1.25pm

Option 1 - Law
The Dean of Law will provide information on employment opportunities in law as well as provide an update on some new and exciting international study opportunities for law students and graduates. A Q&A session will follow the presentation.
Venue: Eastern Avenue Auditorium

Option 2 - Graduate Dentistry
The Faculty of Dentistry will be presenting a talk providing background information on both the Bachelor of Dentistry and the Bachelor of Oral Health. This presentation will include the entry criteria for both degrees. There will be information regarding the problem based learning (PBL) style of the Bachelor of Dentistry program and discussion on the Bachelor of Oral Health. A Q&A session will follow.
Venue: Eastern Avenue Seminar Room 310

Option 3 - Fine Arts, Media Arts and Object Design
Find out the career outcomes for graduates in Fine Arts, Media Arts and Object Design. This session explains what is involved in studying visual art at tertiary level and how visual arts can give graduates that competitive edge for success in a diverse range of careers.
Venue: Eastern Avenue Seminar Room 310

Option 4 - Working with People: Careers in Social Work
The Faculty of Education and Social Work provides excellence in social work training. The Bachelor of Social Work produces graduates with the knowledge and generic skills and prepares students for employment in an environment which is complex, diverse and changing. Graduates are expected to be reflective, versatile and skilled in a range of practice areas and to be able to translate professional values into action. Social workers may use many different types of intervention such as community work individual and family counselling, group work, policy development, advocacy, and research. They also work in such areas as health, aged care, women’s services, disability services, child and family services, international development, and Migration and refugee services.

An overview of the courses will be presented followed by a 15 minute Q and A session.
Venue: Eastern Avenue Seminar Room 312