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Spring has sprung!

Finally it's time to start defrosting. Don't get me wrong- I love winter; the fashion, the (potential) cosy-ness, hot chocolates. It all seems especially amazing in the middle of our 40 degree summers, but not so great at the end of a three-month stint of influenzas, expensive electric heaters and hibernation food (hello extra five kilos).

You've got to love Spring- flowers are blooming, vitamin D deficiency is waning, and you can finally leave the house without a jumper. All this sun and positivity puts uni students in the mood for some serious Spring fling lovin', which is why we've brought you a feature on where to take your crush (or lover, if you're lucky) on campus (determined by faculty for maximum accuracy, of course). If Spring isn't your thing (hay fever can be such a bitch), we've got a few other goodies to keep you entertained, like a feature on what it's like to work at music recording/publishing giant EMI, and some tarot card predictions for students (we hope you draw the good ones).

On another note, September 12 is national R U OK Day- a day dedicated to reminding people to regularly check in on family and friends. Head to page 7 to check out what Libby Trickett had to say when we chatted about her experiences of overcoming depression.

Until next week,

-Em

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Hey Blitz readers,

So it's Week 7 and Spring already. How did that happen? September 12 is National RU OK Day, which is a really important initiative to raise awareness on checking in with friends and family/ dealing with depression.

This week is the time that all volunteer and club presidents get to have their say on who will be a part of the Student Develop Committee (SDC) for 2013. The SDC is the peak body that helps manage how club and volunteer programs function throughout the year. Because of their accomplishments this year, we have had more students than ever nominated, so it's really important that everyone who can vote does so! We care about you and your voice, so use it to vote for the candidate that will represent you.

Have a great week!

-Chris

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Five minutes with... **Libby Trickett**

Libby Trickett first swam her way into Australian hearts back in 2004, quickly becoming as famous for her beaming smile as she did for her record breaking swims. As an ambassador for the R U OK? Foundation, Libby talks about her experiences of living with depression and why the conversations with the people close to her made the biggest difference.

What has been the highlight of your career so far?
 Anytime I've had the opportunity to represent my country has been a huge highlight. Specifically, the 2007 World Championships were absolutely incredible. Not only because I won 5 gold medals there, but because I married my husband the following week. My individual dream came true in 2008 at the Beijing Olympic Games where I won the 100m Butterfly.

How do you stay fit, focused and healthy when training?
 Lots of rest and recovery is vital to staying focused, healthy and fit when I'm training. We train up to 35 hours a week, so good nutrition and good recovery can make all the difference.

At what point in your career did you start to experience problems?
 I first had a period of being 'down' in 2007. I had such a high at the World Championships, followed by my marriage, so there was going to be a natural low after that. My main episode of depression was in 2010 and this happened after I retired from swimming and felt really out of control. My identity as a swimmer seemed lost and I didn't know what else I could be. It was incredibly confronting and challenging.

Can you describe how you felt?
 Overwhelmed. Out of control. No sense of who I was, or who I wanted to be. I felt lost, frustrated and really, really sad.

How significant were the conversations you had with your friends and family?
 Huge. It felt like I finally opened up completely with everyone and I allowed myself to voice frustrations and what I was feeling. If I was angry or hurt, I found by talking about it constructively with my family and friends that I was able to release those feelings and no longer hold on to them.

What advice would you give to someone who wants to connect with a friend with depression, but is unsure of how to start the conversation?

Ask the simple questions like 'Are you ok?', 'I'm a bit worried about you, because you don't seem yourself' or 'Can I help in some way?'. But what's really crucial is to be truly present with them and really listen to what's going on. Sometimes just being 'there' is the most important thing in a person's recovery, because they start to believe that someone truly cares for them and will always be there to support them.

What are your plans for the future?
 I injured myself late last year... rehabilitation has been tough, so I can't compete at the World Championships this year, which was very disappointing. But I've realised that no matter how much you plan or think you're in control, life tends to throw you curveballs from time to time and you have to just roll with it. So I'm rolling with life at the moment and seeing what happens.

Simon Anicich
 @Simonanicich



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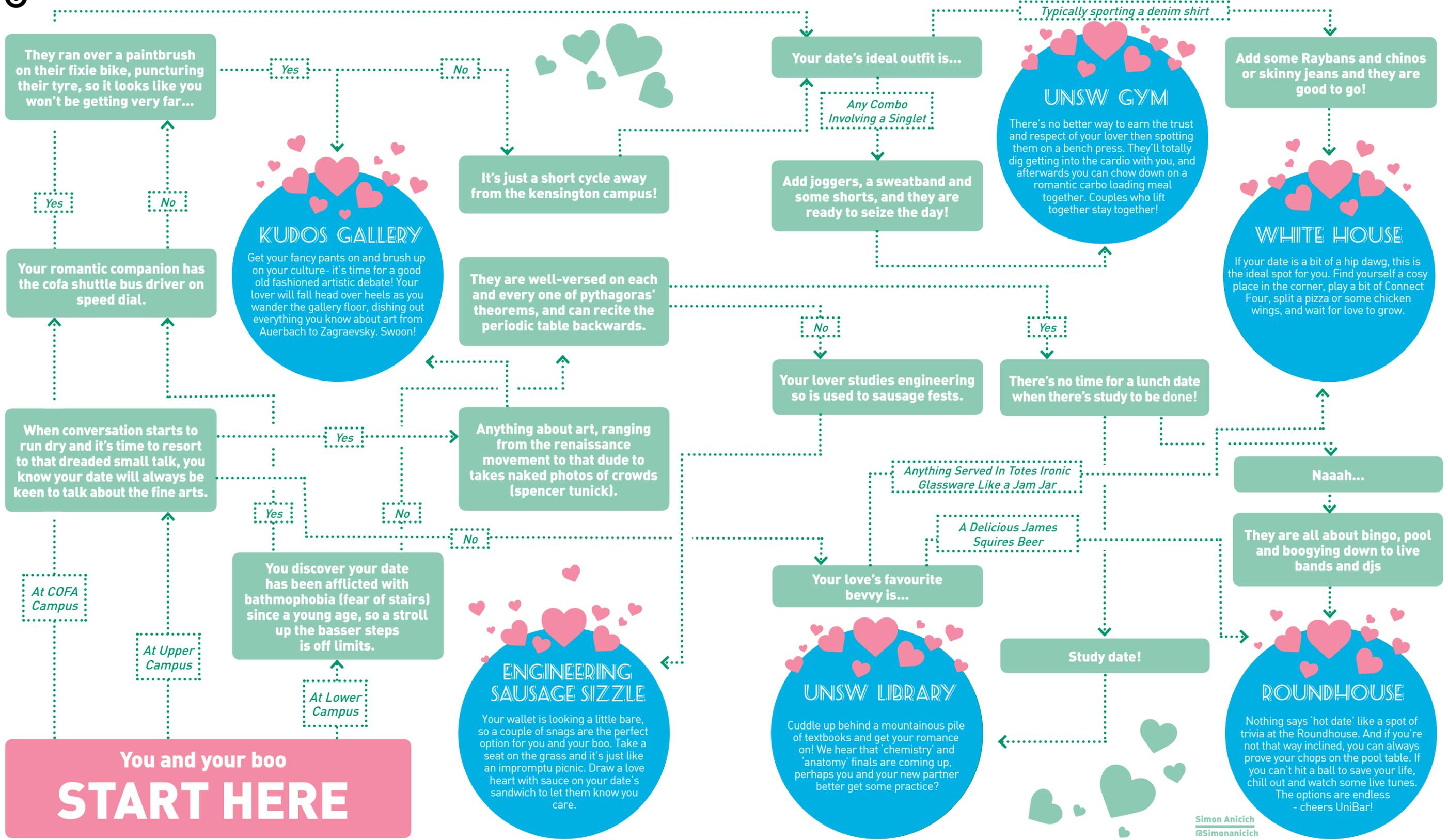
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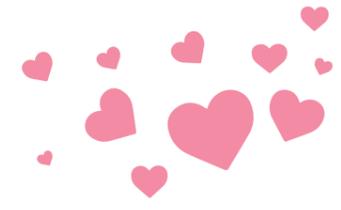
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SPRING FLINGS

WHERE TO TAKE YOUR DATE ON CAMPUS



Spring is here; a time to throw away the shackles of your oppressive winter coats and frolic in the warmth of the sun. Or perhaps for you it's a dreaded time in which you sneeze and wheeze the shit out of life, all the while cowering in terror from the impending doom of swooping magpies. In any case, spring is without a doubt the season of lurveee, and with this in mind, *Blitz* has taken a leaf out of Barry White's book. If you find that you have caught the love bug but are unsure how to impress the object of your affections, you've come to the right place. Just follow our handy guide and you'll be on the best date in your life in no time. Don't forget to thank *Blitz* in your wedding speech.

Blitz Goes To...

The Bone Season Book Launch

It is a rare occurrence that a launch party for a debut novel is held without the author present. It is an even rarer occurrence that such a launch party should be packed out, bristling with excited fans, but that's the effect that Samantha Shannon's *The Bone Season* seems to have on everyone who hears about it.

Tucked away on a cobblestone path brightened by sodium lights, there stands a mysterious little shop called The Argyle Oracle. Until now, you might have said it looked like something from *Harry Potter*. With plush red couches, crystal balls and tarot readers in gilded headdresses, it certainly evokes an atmosphere of something heady and clandestine. Very soon, you will be saying it looks like something out of *The Bone Season*.

It seemed only appropriate that Bloomsbury Publishing should hold the launch party at The Rocks, one of the oldest parts of Sydney. Once a slum with a rough reputation, the area is certainly evocative the dystopian London that provides the setting for Shannon's book. Set in the criminal underworld of Scion, *The Bone Season* tells the story of Paige, a dreamwalker and clairvoyant who commits treason simply by breathing.

While there, I could hardly pass up the opportunity to have my palms read and fortune told. The psychic doing readings looked a little taken aback as she studied the lines of my hand with a magnifying glass. A strange fate, she said I had. I can only hope she didn't foresee my impending death, or my rise to Voldemort like power. The other *Blitz* reporter, Simon Anicich, had a more straightforward destiny: apparently he is going to be quite happy until the age of 60, at which point his life will drastically change. (Perhaps the *Blitz* team of 2049 can track him down and corroborate the validity of this. Stay tuned.)

All in all, it was a wonderful evening. The Bloomsbury staff are lovely and deeply passionate about *The Bone Season* – with good reason. The book is already in the Amazon Best Sellers list (peaking at #5 at the time of print) and is set to be adapted for the screen by Imaginarium's Andy Serkis (who played Gollum in that other tiny book-to-film adaptation, *Lord of the Rings*). To maintain your hipster cred, we highly recommend you get your hands on a copy and devour it before everyone else does.

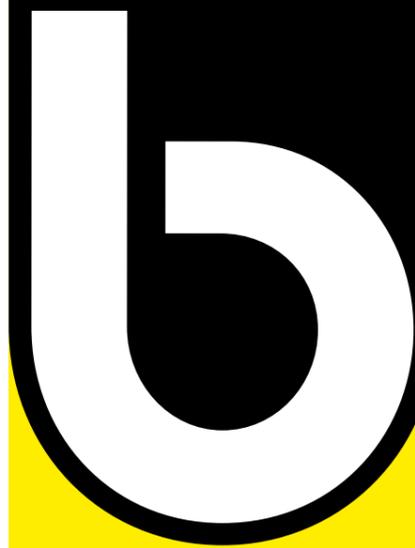
For your chance to win a copy of Samantha Shannon's *The Bone Season*, email blitz@arc.unsw.edu.au with BONE SEASON in the subject line and tell us your favourite part of the human anatomy.



Blitz reporter Simon Anicich learns he will be an exotic dancer at 60.



Krystal Sutherland @KM_Sutherland



WHAT'S ON UNSW
9TH SEP - 13TH SEP

ROUNDHOUSE UNIBAR SPECIAL WEEK 7

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B BISTRO SPECIAL WEEK 7

POTATO & LEEK SOUP SOUP
WITH GARLIC BREAD
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WHAT'S ON UNSW



BINGO! BINGO! BINGO!

WHEN: 1pm every Mon
WHERE: Roundhouse
COST: Free
VERDICT: Not your nanna's bingo, kids!

"Sixty-two, avian flu: number sixty-two. Two bloody stumps: number eleven."

Much like cardigans, beards and plaid, our hipster generation has dredged up bingo from the abyss of things once thought cool only by octogenarians in nursing homes. Unlike your white-haired great grammy's daily trek to the bingo hall, however, bingo at the Roundhouse is a much more thrilling affair. Wait with baited breath as you cross off number after number on your sheet, then scream your victory with all the bloody gusto of William Wallace.



GLAM ROCK ROLLER DISCO

WHEN: 7pm, Sat 14 Sep
WHERE: Roundhouse
COST: \$10 non-skating, \$23 BYO skates, \$28 skate hire + booking fee. Tickets on sale at rollergirlpromotions.com.au
VERDICT: Gary Glitter would be proud.

Get set to party like it's 1979.

Once upon a decade, rock and roll was dangerous, men wore more glitter eye shadow and much higher platforms than women, and the crown of super stardom sat upon the high-haired head of Ziggy Stardust. No longer do you have to spill Chernobly into your hot tub to return to the era of sleaze, cheese, lipstick and hairspray. This weekend, the Roundhouse is bringing it all to you with their first ever Glam Rock Roller Disco.

Dig out your mum's old electro-green spandex, unpack your dad's collection of Poison cassettes and tie on a pair of badass skates to travel at warp speed back to a simpler, sparklier time. There will be prizes for the best dressed, so spare no expense on hairspray, glitter and air guitars. Tunes for the evening will be provided by the legendary DJ Andrew P Street, Alejandro III and MR DOBALINA.

For your chance to win a double pass to this Glam Rock Roller Disco, email blitz@arc.unsw.edu.au with GLAM ROCK in the subject line and tell us your favourite 80s band.



For discounted student tix online, enter code METAL at check.out.rollergirlpromotions.com.au



Daily Mass

12.10pm, @ Quad, G055

The Catholic Chaplaincy at UNSW hosts a daily mass for students to pray and celebrate together.



Happy Hour

5-6pm, @ UniBar

It's Week 7, biatches! Time to celebrate the almost half-way mark of Semester Two. Wednesdays from 5-7 is double happy hour, meaning you can get a whole extra hour of delicious drinkies in. Cheers.



Squires Sesh

7-8pm, @ UniBar

\$4 James Squires beers

Head to the UniBar for this cheap as chips deal: \$4 James Squires beers. Treat yourself after that late class- you deserve it for showing up.



Tim Olsen Drawing Prize

5-7pm, @ Kudos Gallery

An exhibition founded on a collaborative initiative between the Tim Olsen Gallery and the Department of Drawing and Painting at COFA. Continues to 14 Sep.



\$8 Gourmet Sandwiches

@ Cornerhouse Café, 33 Albion Street, Paddington

'Cornerhouse' is synonymous with everything gourmet. Their delish gourmet sandwiches will only set you back \$8 bucks. Choices include SMOKED SALMON with avocado, cucumber and cream cheese, CORNED BEEF with coleslaw, tasty cheese and mustard mayo, or HUMMUS & OLIVE TAPENADE with caramelised onion and lettuce. Yummo!



FREE Roundhouse Weekly Activities

@ Roundhouse

MON Bingo 1pm, Poker 5pm

TUES Pool 12-2pm, Ping Pong 2-8pm, Trivia 5pm

WED Theatresports 1pm

WED-FRI Live Music and DJs 5-7pm

SAVE THE DATE

WEEK 8

Flea Markets

Wed 18 Sep
@ Arc PRECINCT

Didn't get enough gozleme last time around? Never fear! The Flea Markets will be back with bric-à-brac next week!

Travel Expo

Wed 18 Sep
@ ROUNDHOUSE

Head to the Roundhouse for an expo on all things travel and contract the travel bug big time.

International Night Markets

Thurs 19 Sep

@ ROUNDHOUSE
Can't afford to travel the world? UNSW is bringing the world to you!

WEEK 9

Parkway Drive

Tue 24 Sep (SOLD OUT) & Wed 25 Sep
@ ROUNDHOUSE

Mid-Session Party: Shipwrecked

Thurs 26 Sep
@ ROUNDHOUSE
Celebrate the end of the first half of Semester Two, pirate style!

MID-SESSION BREAK

Mon 30 Sep - Fri 4 Oct

Uni Games

Sun 29 Sep - Fri 4 Oct
@ GOLDCOAST
The Australian University Games (AUG) is Australia's largest annual multi-sport event, providing a friendly and competitive environment for Australian university athletes.

ALL WEEK

MON SEP 9

Smoothie Social

10-11am
@ COFA Courtyard steps
Come get a free liquid breakfast and meet some new peeps! Provided by R.O.C.K.E.T Club and COFA SRC.

Christ Week: Fairy Floss

12-2pm
@ CLB Courtyard
Grab some free fairy floss to celebrate the launch of Christ Week.

Daily Mass

12.10pm
@ Quad, G055

Half-Assed Olympics

1pm
@ COFA Courtyard
Play ping pong, handball, hoop toss and other half-assed sporting endeavours.

Bingo

1pm
@ Roundhouse

Queer Collective Meeting

4-6pm
@ Queer Space, L9, Chemical Sciences Building

Poker

5pm
@ Roundhouse
Put your poker face on.

Happy Hour

5-6pm
@ UniBar

C Block Cinema Night

6pm
@ COFA Courtyard
Catch the hottest art house flicks under the stars.

Movie Night: Iron Man 3

7pm
@ The White House

Squires Sesh

7-8pm
@ UniBar
\$4 James Squires beers

TUE SEP 10

COFA Coffee Happy hour

8-10am
@ Cornerhouse
All Regular coffees \$2.50

Christ Week: International Food Day

12-2pm
@ CLB Courtyard
Celebrate Christ Week with \$4 meals. Price includes a bottle of water.

Free Pool

12-2pm
@ Roundhouse

Daily Mass

12.10pm
@ Quad, G042

Pottery Studio Induction

12.30pm
@ L2, Blockhouse
COST: Free for Arc members

Ping Pong Tuesdays

2-8pm
@ Roundhouse

Manifesto Zine Meeting

3.30-4.30pm
@ E Block, COFA Learning Commons, L1

HOT TIPS: Milkcrate events

4.30pm
@ COFA Courtyard

Trivia

5pm
@ Roundhouse

Happy Hour

5-6pm
@ UniBar

COFA Talks

6pm
@ EG02, COFA
Topic: art out of the box.

Vision Generation Music Gala Fundraiser.

6-8pm
@ BeerGarden
COST: Free, but please bring a donation of any size
Join Vision Generation to help raise funds to close the poverty gap. There will be a banjo duet, two acoustic acts and much more!

Honours Projects 2013

7pm
@ Io Myers Studio
Final performance works by honours students Emily O'Connor and Grant Moxom are being presented in this showing on campus! Email cpl@unsw.edu.au to reserve your tix.

Squires Sesh

7-8pm
@ UniBar
\$4 James Squires beers

Jazz Club

7-9pm
@ The White House
And all that jazz

WED SEP 11

VeggieSoc Lunch

12-2pm
@ Arc Precinct
Get yourself a plate of pure deliciousness.

Christ Week Coffee

12-2pm
@ CLB Courtyard
Free cappuccinos, coffee and cookies

Daily Mass

12.10pm
@ Quad, G041

Welfare and Disability Collective Meeting

12.30-1.30pm
@ Welfare and Disability Room, SRC Wing, L1, Blockhouse

Arc @ COFA FREE lunch!

12.30pm
@ COFA Courtyard

Crafternoon Tea

1pm
@ COFA Learning Commons, L1, E Block
Craft and Cake!

More Than Words: Artist Talks

1pm
@ Kudos Gallery
Artist talks from the Tim Olsen Drawing Prize exhibition.

Mexican Standoff

4pm 'til close
@ The White House
Cheap sangria, nachos, burritos and tequila. ¡Muy bien!

Happy Hour

5-7pm
@ UniBar

Roundhouse Degrees: Latin Dance

5-7pm
@ Club Bar, Roundhouse

NCBC Regional Finals

6pm
@ Roundhouse

Honours Projects 2013

7pm
@ Io Myers Studio

Squires Sesh

7-8pm
@ UniBar
\$4 James Squires beers.

THU SEP 12

COFA Coffee Happy Hour

8am-5pm
@ Cornerhouse
Show your COFA card and get 10% off all day.

Christianity and Tacos

12-2pm
@ CLB Courtyard
There will be a debate on whether Christianity is relevant to modern society. Then there will be free tacos. Me gusta.

Daily Mass

12.10pm
@ Quad, G026

Pottery Studio Induction

12.30pm
@ L2, Blockhouse
COST: Free for Arc members

Pottery Studio Wheel Intro Lesson

1pm
@ L2, Blockhouse
COST: \$15

Meditation

1-2pm
@ CB09, C Block
De-stress with some quiet time.

COFA Soccer

2-3pm
@ Moore Park Courtyard

Queer Collective Meeting

2-4pm
@ Queer Space, L9, Chemical Sciences Building

Beatboxing Class

4.30-6pm
@ Blockhouse
COST: \$8 per week
Learn the basics of becoming your own walking beat machine. See the D2MG Hip Hop Society Facebook page for more deets.

Heineken Sessions: Live Music

4-6pm
@ The White House
Cheap Heineken and music from.

Happy Hour

5-6pm
@ UniBar

Squires Sesh: Live Music

5-7pm
@ UniBar
Tunes from The Backbeats.

Pint Night

5-10pm
@ The White House
\$5 pints. Cheers!

BioSoc Careers Evening

6-8pm
@ Biomedical Theatres
COST: Free
Find out where your biological science degree can take you.

Gallery Crawl

6-8pm
@ COFA Courtyard
Meet at 5.45pm.

Honours Projects 2013

7pm
@ Io Myers Studio

Squires Sesh

7-8pm
@ UniBar
\$4 James Squires beers

FRI SEP 13

Coffee Happy Hour

8-10am
@ The White House
\$2.50 coffee to kick start your weekend.

Free Toast Fridays

10am
@ COFA Courtyard
COFA SRC is providing free toast and take home loaves of bread. Yum!

UNSW - THERE'S ALWAYS SOMETHING GOOD GOING DOWN

BLITZ PICKS

MONDAY



Movie Night: Iron Man 3

7pm
@ The White House
See everyone's favourite genius, philanthropist, playboy, billionaire in action.

TUESDAY



COFA Talks

6pm
@ EG02, COFA
Topic: art out of the box. Join Ed Woodham, Anne Loxley and Eva Rodriguez Riestra for arty chats.

WEDNESDAY



NCBC Regional Finals

6pm
@ Roundhouse
The regional finals are here! The winner of the UNSW Band Comp will be up against USyd and UOW for a final battle of the bands. Judges include Scott Fitzsimons from themusic.com and Blitz reporter Simon Anicich.

THURSDAY



Squires Sesh: Live Music

5-7pm
@ UniBar
There's no better way to chill out after class than some quenching drinks and music to chill to. Tunes from The Backbeats will keep you entertained.

FRIDAY



Free Toast Fridays

10am
@ COFA Courtyard
COFA SRC is providing free toast and take home loaves of bread. Yum!



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Deadline 12 days before Mon of relevant week



JURASSIC LOUNGE: EXTINCTION

Sydney's wildest after-hours party is going extinct!

The sixth and final season of the uber quirky and cool Jurassic Lounge is sadly upon us. Over 53,000 people have already enjoyed the unique after-hours openings of the Australian Museum, where the partying happens prehistoric style. Not only is Jurassic Lounge probably one of the most quirky places to have a drink (and one of the only places where you can chat amongst dinosaurs), its showcase of the ever-changing roster of Sydney's best emerging artists was a sure way to keep your pulse on the happys of Sydney.

WHERE: Australian Museum, 6 College Street, Sydney
WHEN: 6pm-10pm every Tuesday from 6 September- 5 November
COST: \$16 at the door or online

But the fun isn't over yet! The final season will consist of a series of ten outrageous end-of-the-world parties counting down to the event's extinction, each unfolding against a stunning backdrop of dinosaurs, wild animals and precious gemstones. Each night will feature a line-up of artists including comedians, bands, pole dancers, DJs and burlesque performers, alongside craft markets, dance lessons and science experiments. They've warned us: expect the unexpected!

For the first five weeks of Jurassic Lounge, visitors will also enjoy complimentary access to the Wildlife Photographer of the Year Exhibition, featuring over 100 powerful and awe-inspiring wildlife images chosen from over 48,000 entries worldwide. The ultimate party will be Extinction Night on November 5th, which will feature performances by Miss Pole Dance Australia and Miss Pole Dance NSW, as well as the winner of the Raptors' Choice Award for Best Jurassic Lounge Act, picked by the audience.

Don't miss out on the last of Jurassic Lounge. Once it's extinct, it's too late! Head to www.jurassiclounge.com for the full line-up.

For your chance to win one of three double passes for Jurassic Lounge Tues September 17 session, email blitz@arc.unsw.edu.au with 'JURASSIC' in the subject line and tell us why you'd most like to check this place out before it goes extinct.



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CHEAP A\$\$ SYDNEY

LAUGH

Genevieve Fricker: *The Day After*
WHERE: The Switchbox @ The Factory Theatre, Marrickville
WHEN: 7.30pm, Thursday 12 September
COST: \$9

Performing as part of the 2013 Fringe Comedy Festival, 23 year old Sydney stand-up Genevieve Fricker is one to watch in the local comedy scene. A regular contributor to a wide array of publications from the *Sydney Morning Herald* to *The Brag*, as well as writing for ABC2's *The Roast* and making regular appearances on FBI Radio and triple j, it is fair to say that Fricker is on the verge of big things. Her new show, reported by the *Herald Sun* to be all 'sassy standup and sardonic songs' is the best way to catch Fricker before she gets super-duper famous, so make sure you don't miss it!

<http://www.fringecomedy.com.au>

LOOK

Craig Walsh: *Embedded*
WHERE: MCA, The Rocks
WHEN: 12 September-24 November
COST: Free

Aussie artist Craig Walsh's latest exhibition sees him in unfamiliar territory, straying away from the public art works and video projections that have made him a household name in the art community. Commissioned by Rio Tinto, the project developed from time Walsh spent in Pilbara, where he worked with both Rio Tinto staff and the Murujuga Aboriginal Corporation, who represent the local indigenous community. The artworks featured convey both the connection between Aboriginal people and their land, and the potentially hazardous effects of iron ore mining in the area.

<http://mca.com.au/exhibition/craig-walsh>

LISTEN

The Midnight Tea Party Album Launch
WHERE: Venue 505, Surry Hills
WHEN: 8.30pm, Wednesday 11 September
COST: \$10

All about your blues and roots music? If so, it's time to get onboard The Midnight Tea Party train, final destination: Funky town. Blending together an array of musical styles to create something truly unique, this Sydney five-piece band is sure to get you out of your seat and dancing up a storm. So if you like your tunes fresh and funky, get your caboose to the launch of the band's new album, a party which is guaranteed to be off-the-chain and all kinds of awesome.

<http://www.trybooking.com>

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five... Tarot Cards

Krystal Sutherland
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The Hermit

The Hermit appears as a lonely figure carrying a lantern over a vast and empty plain. Traditionally a symbol of wisdom, The Hermit card is often drawn by students around the time of examinations. What the card fails to depict is the poor personal hygiene, the breakdown of social interactions, and early onset scurvy that The Hermit is probably suffering.

The Hanged Man

Didn't attend lectures? Took nanna naps in tutorials? Failed to study? Depicted as a dude hanging upside down by his ankle, chances are high that students drawing The Hanged Man card already know their fate. They've been hanging at the Roundie saying 'Ps get degrees, man' since Week One.

The Fool

The Fool is represented by a bloke in paisley tunic frolicking in the sunlight with a dog. It is most frequently drawn from the tarot card deck by arts students genuinely hoping to find employment after they graduate. It can also be drawn in conjunction with The Hermit and The Hanged Man around exam time. When all three are drawn together, it often indicates that not showing up to your exam will result in a better mark than if you actually go and attempt to answer anything.

The Lovers

Time for a new housemate? Unfortunately, if you draw The Lovers from the deck, you might be in for a rough time. Pictured as a naked man and woman standing in a garden, The Lovers likely means that your new roomie will be a total Casanova in the sack. Whether it be through paper-thin walls or a play by play recount at the breakfast table, one way or another, you're gonna hear all about it.

Wheel of Fortune

Semester is over and exams are all finalised. While you might be hoping to draw The Sun or The World from the tarot deck, you'll probably keep getting The Wheel of Fortune until your results are released. There's no need to freak out just yet. In all likelihood, you'll soon be seeing Strength and Justice. Or you could get The Devil and Death. Unlike the game show, spinning the student Wheel of Fortune results in HECS debt and malnutrition instead of riches and household appliances.

Hammertime.

Spring Flings

Is love in the air? Are you and your boo getting serious and wanting to take things to that co-habitation place? As awesome as this might be, if you're getting benefits from Centrelink, your relationship could impact what you get. Firstly, they'll need to determine whether or not for their purposes you're a couple. De facto relationships now also include same sex relationships.

Centrelink will assess factors such as your finances, social relationships, the nature of your household, presence or absence of a sexual relationship, and the nature of the commitment. Under Youth Allowance, there is a minimum time period applied for a relationship to be regarded as de facto (unlike other payments where people are considered to be in a de facto relationship from the time they start living together as a couple). Make sure you report all changes to Centrelink.

If Centrelink affirms that you are a member of a couple and you believe that the decision to treat you as a member of that couple may cause you unfair hardship, you can ask Centrelink to consider whether there is a special reason for you not to be treated as a member of a couple under Section 24 of the Social Security Act 1991.

It is however a legal requirement for you to inform Centrelink. Not doing so can have serious repercussions, just like not informing them of changes in work and study load. So while you've got thoughts of quiet nights in and walks home together in your head, make sure you don't get into financial heartache. Break ups with Centrelink can get messy.

Matt Ward
 Legal & Advocacy Project Officer

Drop us a line at advice@arc.unsw.edu.au or ring (02) 9385 7700.

How to vote: An email containing the voting link will be sent to eligible students to the email address provided when signing up for Arc membership.

Please visit the Arc website (arc.unsw.edu.au/sdc-election) for further information or contact the Returning Officer - sdcr@arc.unsw.edu.au

CANDIDATES FOR:

THE VOLUNTEER PROGRAMS STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE POSITION (2 positions available):



Henry Sit

Arc volunteering needs to move in a new direction and cater better to all students. I'm Henry Sit. I am a second year commerce/law student currently serving as a Student Development Officer at Arc. I feel that every Arc volunteer program should be as reputable and desired as the other. This ultimately comes down to providing the right skills and experiences for students. Programs need more specific goals so volunteers will know what they are gaining for their time. We choose to volunteer not only to give back, but to gain as well. In this way, we can make every volunteering program great. I have volunteered in big programs such as Yellow Shirts and CONTACT but smaller ones like MOSAIC Fusion Forums as well. With hard work, passion and a fresh perspective, I can see the potential of volunteering realised as a member of the SDC.



Andy Cheung

Hey! My name is Andy and I'm a first year Commerce/Law student running for Volunteer Programs Representative. I'm involved with the Volunteer Army and worked with Conservation Volunteers to protect endangered species. With my Gold Duke of Edinburgh Award, I look forward to assisting the program at UNSW. I've volunteered with the Tzu Chi Compassion Relief delivering meals-on-wheels to the elderly for 2 years, worked with mentally-challenged adults for 3 years with the Marsfield Minimbah Challenge and built community housing for the financially-disadvantaged during the Bidwill Mission with Habitat for Humanity Australia. I've also been part of the Nui Dat Committee working with the AVVRG raising \$16,000 to reconstruct a war-torn kindergarten in Vietnam and raised funds with charities like Legacy Foundation. I simply love volunteering! By being on the SDC early on and having the passion, I will ensure the continual growth of Volunteer Programs as older students graduate!



Geoffrey Zhang

Hi there, I'm a 4th year BCom/LLB student, and I'd love to continue representing your interests on the SDC after 2 years as your Volunteer Programs representative. I've done several years of Yellow Shirts, Contact, Volunteer Army, Shack Tutoring, Mosaic Forums and numerous peer mentoring programs, plus I've previously coordinated 2 volunteer programs for Arc. I'm currently Treasurer of UNSW LawSoc and UNIT UNSW, while being involved in many other clubs. I'm also a black belt with UNSW Taekwondo Club, and have been selected to represent UNSW at the Australian University Games twice previously. As you can see I've been heavily involved in all aspects of student life here at UNSW and well-qualified to represent your interests. With this diverse range of experiences I believe I am the best candidate to represent your interests and continue creating amazing student life through Arc Student Development. Thank you for your consideration!



David Chan

Hi! My name's David and I'd love to represent your interests on the SDC. I'm incredibly passionate about student life, and believe it should be exciting, engaging, and actively inclusive of all UNSW students. I'm the only candidate who's coordinated a Volunteer Program for Arc this year, leading the Mosaic Fusion Forums, and giving me a huge insight into the work of Student Development. I've also been heavily involved in Shack and Volunteer Army, been on the Executive of two Clubs, helped establish another two new ones, and was awarded Waverley Council's Young Local Hero of the Year 2013. I hope to bring this leadership and advocacy to your student body, and to focus on a few things in particular - increasing Volunteering opportunities to meet growing application numbers, AHEGS recognition and optional training for Club Executives, and ensuring the sustainability of funding sources for future years.



Richard Tjahjono

Hey! My name is Richard Tjahjono and I am a third year Medical student. As an International Student who has never stepped foot into Australia until university studies, I was fortunate enough to become engaged in many aspects of UNSW student life that made my stay here unforgettable. I've been actively involved with Arc since 2011 by being part of Yellow Shirts and Shack Tutoring. I've also taken up other responsibilities, such as the International Students' Representative for MedSoc, Design Head for MedRevue, and various peer mentoring programs. These experiences have equipped me with the necessary skills to work with people and organizations, and I would like to return the favor by being your SDC Volunteer Representative. As SDC Volunteer Representative, I would commit to ensure that the University continues to work with Arc to promote volunteering programs that are both accessible and accommodating to every student's needs.



Monish Maharaj

My name is Monish and in 2014 I'll be in my 4th year of Medicine. With experiences in student productions (MedRevue 2011/12 Director2013, MedShow 2011-13, CSE+Law Revue 2013), society committees (MedSoc, PaedSoc) and volunteer events (YWCA ISM, The Hub, DonatLife) I feel as though I have a strong know-how behind running and co-ordinating activities behind the scenes. Particularly as a secretary for PaedSoc and a Director for MedRevue I do have experiences with running successful societies, the latter of which raised \$2000 for charity this year. Lastly living in a college (NCV), I am very accessible - and with a striving motivation to perform and do a good job I hope you'll elect me into 2014 SDC Body.



Saba Goudarzi

My name is Saba and I'm a third year Commerce/Law student passionate about improving the functionality and access to the volunteers programs so other student can have the same valuable experiences I have had. I have been involved in a variety of volunteer programs including Yellow Shirts and student society groups such as Law Society as a Careers Director. Through these activities, I have witnessed the vision Arc has to engage its members with a network of amazing individuals, promoting self-growth and the development of lasting friendships. I am confident that I will represent the interests of volunteer programs in the best light possible and to ensure that they have a strong stance when it comes to relevant policy and grants.



Edward Losiv

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THE AFFILIATED CLUBS STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE POSITION (3 positions available):



Rachel Lobo

Hi, my name is Rachel, and I'm an International Studies student running for the SDC in 2013. As an ethnic and linguistic minority, and as a Kids Leader in my local church, I understand the importance of cultural enrichment at university. I'm currently serving as the President, Vice-President and Treasurer of three societies which vary in their aims, constituents and outreach. Since high school, I have volunteered within my local church community and through Arc's Volunteer Programs, I will be able to help people in need through a leadership capacity as Team Leader of the Global Village Fiji project later this year. Using my experiences in student life, including raising close to \$80,000 for disadvantaged UNSW students, I strongly believe that I can further engage all types of clubs and promote understanding across our university. My volunteer work informs me about the importance of helping others, so help me to help your club!



Chris Chan

If elected on the Student Development Committee, I would draw from my vast experiences in forging relationships with other Arc clubs, faculties and external organisations. I have served on the executive team of the Social Soccer Society as Marketing Director (2012) and President (2013) for two years where I have had the opportunity to work with students from a diverse range of backgrounds. As President, I adopted a philosophy with the aim of engaging the particular stakeholders of the UNSW community such as females and other faculties. Various events/programs that I oversaw include the Pink Sports Day game, the MATHSOC and Interfaculty Sports Day and also the development of a program with Football United to allow refugee school students into integrate into society. Hence, I have already demonstrated an ability to engage other Arc clubs and students and thus believe I can work with Arc to further enrich student life.



Andrew Shim

I'm a 3rd year university student, and I believe that due to my wide experiences in clubs & societies, I'm the best choice! During 2012-2013, I've been an Executive for five clubs: Co-President for Oxfam UNSW, Arc Delegate for PokéSoc, Arc Delegate for SAV'D, Memberships Officer for MedSoc, and Arc Delegate for the UN Society. Between these clubs are a range of interests. Moreover, I was Founder of three other Arc Clubs. I was also the Wellbeing Head for MedRevue 2013 and DonatLife Project Officer at the Hub. The above experiences paired with my passion for student life on campus makes me the perfect candidate to represent the views of every type of club at the SDC. I believe in more accountability for Arc by increasing the SDC's transparency, more affordability for Clubs' hire of venues, and more advocacy for Societies on the Arc Board level. If you have any questions, I'd be happy to sit down with you!



Anna Fernon

I am a second year medical student and a resident at New College. I am president of LifeChoice UNSW, the secretary for Springboard Education and the second year representative for MedSoc. I currently sit on the medicine faculty phase one committee. This year I was a convener of MedCamp and an editor of Umbilical, a magazine for first year medicine students. In 2012, I was the first year representative for MedSoc and attended the AMSA convention in Perth. As a member of the Student Development Committee, I hope to make it easier for clubs to access Arc benefits and help to make student life better.



Teleri Moore

I have seen and been a part of the value that clubs and societies provide to the university and more importantly, it's students. I want to support this continuing growth and build on the amazing work that clubs and societies already do. My main aim is to make it easier for clubs and societies to function through Arc. Through my position as an Arc Student Development Officer I have built an extensive skill base and knowledge about how Arc runs and the processes and policies in place to help, support and enhance clubs and societies. I have identified areas that I want to improve to make funding and gaining affiliation easier. I'm a current member of Psychology Society and have been President of Phillip Baxter College, President of The Kensington College Society and Secretary of the Inter- Residential Committee. Through SDC I believe I can make a positive difference to your club or society.



Jack Power

Jack Power is a first-year Media (PR) student and exec of the Labor Club. Having thrown himself into Uni life, Jack wants to put the Power back in club and society hands, with speedier administration, more amazing grant and funding opportunities, and a flexible approach to student life. Jack appreciates that Clubs and Societies at UNSW are some of the most diverse in New South Wales, and this requires a SDC willing to understand problems and go the extra mile.



Brendan Byron

Brendan Byron is a third-year Media (Comms) student. He's been active in student life since the beginning of his degree. This year, he was involved in the Arts Society as a General Executive, the SRC as Councillor, and President of the Doctor Who Society, which he co-founded. Brendan loves student life, and is going to ensure that clubs get more funding, Arc Delegates get less paperwork, and the SDC continues to serve, develop, and support the best student community in Australia.



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Noel Kwon

I am passionate about social justice and community development and believe I have the experience to accurately understand the workings of club societies, student programs and arc initiatives and represent your interests:

- 2010-11 Sydney Model United Nations Conference
- 2010-11 Asia Pacific Model United Nations Conference - Director
- 2011 MUNIS Event- MUNIS Competition - Facilitator
- 2011 Global Model United Nations Conference (Incheon)
- 2012 Harvard World Model United Nations Conference (Vancouver)
- 2010 Habitat for Humanity global village - Australian Government's Recognition Award 2011
- 2010 Walama Muru community development project
- UNSW Amnesty International Society
- 2010-2011 UNSW Amnesty International Society - IT Coordinator
- UNSW Law Society 20-2013 Law Society - Ashurst Beginners and intermediate Mooting Competition
- Competitor and Judge
- UNSW Debating Society
- 2011 Australian British Parliamentary Debating Championships
- 2011 Sydmini
- UNSW Taekwondo Society - 2011 Australian University Games - Bronze Medallist



Sam Diamant

Hey all! My name is Sam Diamant and I'm a first-year Engineering/Commerce student. I am passionate about the work that the SDC does to enrich student life at UNSW, and I hope to contribute by providing a strong and fresh voice for all Business, Engineering and Political clubs and societies on campus. I have gained a broad understanding of how faculty-based societies operate through my involvement as a member of CREATE, MechSoc, BSoc and EngSoc, and I am aware of the challenges faced by political clubs through my experience as a member of the Freedom Club. I have experience liaising with a wide range of organisations, and ensuring that issues and concerns are brought to the attention of relevant stakeholders, as the current Chair of the NSW Cadet Advisory Council of the AAC Youth Organisation. I'm a strong advocate for community volunteer work, and enjoy volunteering for organisations, such as Vinnies. 0437 949 217 or sam.diamant@me.com



Xavier Walker

Greetings fellow students! My name is Xavier, and I am a 1st year currently studying a combined B. Commerce/B. Economics. As a candidate for the SDC in 2013, I bring a wide variety of business-related skills and experiences, focus, and a determination to work with elected Representatives to deliver on the issues which are important to you. I have extensive practice in the operational aspects of student societies, and I am currently sitting as the Treasurer of the Freedom Club. At the age of 14, I built and operated my first business where I learnt the importance of strong client relations. This interpersonal know-how, coupled with my enthusiasm for adventurous thinking, my strong commitment to building constructive business relationships, and my desire to implement positive changes by working closely with colleagues, stands me in good stead to deliver on your demands. My motto is simple: I get the job done.



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•BLOG HIGH DISTINCTION



FORTYDAYSOFDATING.COM

Forty Days of Dating follows Jessica and Timothy, two good friends who are both designers, living in New York and single. As an experiment, they decided to date each other for forty days.

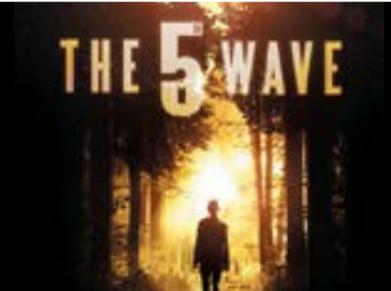
Though you're probably thinking that this was a veiled attempt for one of them to seduce or admit their love for the other, the reality is very far from that excellent screenplay idea. Tim and Jessie must see each other every day for forty days as they try to figure out where their romantic lives are going wrong. The results are mixed; funny, sad, thought-provoking but always entertaining.

There is a post for every day, and in each post, they both respond to the same eight questions. With such a formulaic structure, you could expect it to grow dull. But as they journey through this wacky activity, they deal with some very real issues: work deadlines, health issues, friends who insist that they make out everywhere and always to prove it's real and, of course, how they navigate turning a platonic relationship into a sexual one.

Like a combined journal, their responses are laid out side by side, filled in with pictures and videos that make good use of their design backgrounds. With this unique layout, you are able to see the little differences of opinion and perspective on the same events, the same people, and each other. This blog gives you what you wish you had through every relationship; hindsight. These ordinary people lay themselves bare and it is nothing short of touching.

Tina Giannoulis

•BOOK CREDIT



THE 5TH WAVE Rick Yancey

"After the 1st wave, only darkness remains. After the 2nd, only the lucky escape. And after the 3rd, only the unlucky survive. After the 4th wave, only one rule applies: trust no one."

While an alien mothership orbits around Earth, the planet holds its breath. Do they come in peace? When nothing happens after a few weeks, the residents of Earth begin to resume their lives in the shadow of the mothership. Then, the first wave hits and half a million are dead. These are definitely not the cute green aliens of the movies. The Others, as they are known, aren't here to make friends. The second wave kills off millions and three months later, four billion people are dead.

As *The Others* systemically attempt to wipe out the human race, no one is safe. Cassie Sullivan and her family travel to a military base when it soon becomes apparent that you can't trust anyone. The Others have disguised themselves as humans and are travelling the world killing the survivors. Main character Cassie meets mysterious Evan Walker and has no choice but to trust him, even if she's not sure she should. Cassie will need Evan's help if she's to have any chance of reuniting with her little brother. Love triangles, a fight for survival, action, explosions, and with an alien invasion thrown in, *The Fifth Wave* is the latest YA 'must read' in the vein of *The Hunger Games* and *Twilight*. Author Rick Yancey is intending the series to be a trilogy and the movie rights have already been acquired, so watch this space!

Rosie Taprell

If you'd like to check this book out for yourself, the UNSW Bookshop is offering you 20% off if you mention this review.



Maya Ivanovic

•FILM CREDIT



WE'RE THE MILLERS

For a movie I was expecting to loathe, *We're the Millers* caught me off guard.

Don't get me wrong, it's definitely not going to go down in the history books; it was cliché, crass and far from perfect. But its lightheartedness and ludicrous plot was very amusing.

After a robbery leaves him in debt to his supplier, small-time pot dealer David (Jason Sudeikis) must turn to smuggling. Tasked with transporting a 'smidge' of marijuana into the U.S. from Mexico, David assembles the bogus 'Miller' family to dupe the authorities – a sardonic stripper (Jennifer Aniston) as his faux wife, and a teenage gutter punk (Emma Roberts) and his dweeby neighbour (Will Poulter) as his children.

Although the witty one-liners are few and far in between, there are still plenty of laughs (and shudders) to be had with many 'is this actually happening?!' moments. Some other things to look forward to include a corrupt cop that tries to solicit oral sex from the family, a full frontal shot of a grossly inflamed spider bite and, of course, Aniston's high publicised striptease.

By the end of it, the farce embraces some old fashioned family values as we come to see that, deep down, all these misfits really wanted was a family of their own. Real corny stuff.

Clocking in at almost two hours, *We're the Millers* certainly could have done with a bit of trimming. It's a trip you'll probably only take once, but hey, you will be entertained.

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•BLOG DISTINCTION



ELYSIUM Starring: Matt Damon

A science fiction allegory of refugee acceptance and the wealth gap between first and third world, *Elysium's* plot and characters are well grounded in the dystopic setting.

Max Da Costa (Matt Damon) is a blue collar worker dosed with enough radiation to kill him in five days. The buildings of Earth are worn, collapsing hulks, and the population casts its eyes skywards towards the titular Elysium space station where the rich lounge the days away and cure all diseases with technology. Max resolves to gain access to Elysium (and consequently, its 'Med-pods') by aiding smuggler Spider (Wagner Moura) in hijacking the memories of Elysium's CEO by plugging their brains together. In doing so, Max becomes inadvertently involved in a political scandal spearheaded by Secretary of Defence Jessica Delacourt (Jodie Foster) to take over Elysium.

Delacourt dispatches the mesmerising Kruger (Sharlto Copley) to retrieve the memories back. The action sequences that follow are well shot and fast paced, and with excellent special effects. The characters react with their own motivations within the bounds of a racing plot, and it never feels as if any of them are superfluous or used as mere plot devices. The sets are gigantic, contrasting the glossy green of Elysium and the dusty brown of Earth. Embedded at the core of *Elysium* is the struggle for survival, an empathy for the helpless, and the vendetta between adversaries. All in all, *Elysium* is a very, very solid action film.

Owen Chow



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So you think
you want
my job?

Millie Rogers, Marketing and Promotions Coordinator at EMI

Tell us about how you scored the gig with EMI. How much work was involved?

It all started off with a promotions internship at Universal Music in Perth. I always made sure I was on time, did coffee runs, did extra work at night when I could, and asked a bucket load questions to get the most out of my experience. Eight months later, I made the move over to Sydney. It was such a satisfying feeling working so hard for something and finally getting there.

What is an average day like for you?

Some days I'll be organising a Katy Perry listening session for her new album and meeting her managers. Other days I'll be labelling CDs and doing mail outs. What I love about my job is how varied it is, and no matter what artist you're working on, every day is completely different.

Do people have common misconceptions about what you do?

The thing that bugs me most is when people say, 'Oh my god, you're so lucky to have your job.' They think it came to me on a golden platter. My friend once said to me, 'If you're that good, we'll already know about you.' It's a harsh industry to be in, but it's the harshness that makes it so amazing.

What part of the job do you love the most?

It's cliché, but I love sharing music and getting an artist in front of someone who's never heard of them before. I also love the challenges and learning new things everyday. Hearing new music first, watching out for industry trends and waking up working in an industry that you admire and have always wanted to work in...it's pretty special.

How about the downsides?

Seeing an artist fail. Having hoped in someone, or something, and it just not working out. Also, long hours play a big part in this job, and having to sacrifice certain things can be a bit of a downside.

What's the coolest thing you've done so far?

The coolest would have to be attending Katy Perry's listening session for her upcoming album.

What advice would you give to people aspiring to get into the music industry?

Make sure you love music and know what your dream is... Do an internship, and then do another. Network and talk to people who might be able to help you get to where you want to be. Be prepared to work hard, be determined, ask questions and learn. Most of all, don't lose sight of your dream and enjoy the journey to get there.

Every fortnight, *Blitz* is getting one awesome peep to dish the dirt on finding a career that makes others totes jelly!

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sudoku

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Find as many words as you can in the square. Each word must be at least four letters long and include the middle letter, plurals allowed. Each letter can only be used once. Good Luck.



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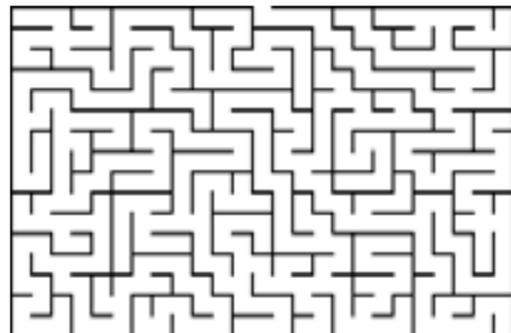
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1. How many teaspoons are there in a cup?
2. Which capital city was once known as Byzantium?
3. On which part of the house would you find 'flashing'?
4. What does an electroencephalogram show?
5. Who was the first person to receive an artificial heart implant?

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UNSW International Student Video Competition

Do you love film? Do you have something to say about your UNSW experience? Submissions for the UNSW International Student video comp are now open! To enter, create a 1-3 minute long film about your experience at UNSW. The winning video will be featured on the UNSW International website, and used for promotional purposes.

- First prize: \$1,500
- Second prize: \$1,000
- Third prize: \$500

Head to yourunsw.com to enter.

Yellow Shirt 2014 Applications Now Open!

Are you hoping the adventure didn't end at O-Week 2013: The Quest Begins? Get excited! Applications to be a Yellow Shirt for 2014 are now open at www.oweeek.info. Being a Yellow Shirt is a great way to meet new, diverse people in the UNSW community, build on skills and have a lot of fun. Don't wait, apply now!

Apply at oweeek.info

Debating Society



Since the beginning of humanity, peeps have been arguing about just about everything. While 'I know you are, but what am I?' and 'Your face!' have become staple tools in my comeback repertoire, luckily there are some folks about who know how to have a good old-fashioned intellectual throwdown. Blitz chatted to DebSoc President Justin Chan about the fine art of debating.

Can you give me a rundown of what DebSoc is all about?

DebSoc is the bastard child of intelligence and partying. We teach our members how to debate and compete at tournaments, but also put on a good party and subsidise travel around Australia and the world.

What kind of things do you debate?

Everything! Politics, religion, economics, social policy, law and order, war, philosophy, and international relations! Debating focuses more on persuasive logic and presentation as opposed to expert knowledge.

Who should get involved with the society?

Anyone who is the least bit interested in what's happening in the world or wants to develop critical thinking and public speaking skills. There's a myth that you have to be a law student or have had high school experience, but we have members who are completely inexperienced or don't debate at all and just want to party - most of our events are just for them!

How can people join?

We have a continuous eclectic line-up of events, so it's best to get on our mailing list through Facebook (facebook.com/unswdebsoc), emailing us (contact@unswdebsoc.com), or our website (unswdebsoc.com). You can also just rock up at our weekly training seminars at 6pm Monday in the Square House during session.

What has been your best experience as a member of the club so far?

Nothing beats travelling around the world with a diverse group of fun, intelligent university students. Most recently, celebrating getting into the finals of the World Championships in

Krystal Sutherland



Get Involved!

Arc Street Team



You may have seen the Arc Street Team crew running wild on campus, handing out loads of awesome freebies and spreading the good word of Arc. Blitz chatted to two members of the crew, Cecilia Pham and Joanna Chen, to find out more about the fun-seeking team.

What does the Arc Street Team get up to?

CECILIA: We try to help students make the most of their uni life. Not only do we give them freebies, but we also help to educate them about Arc.

JOANNA: We deal with everything outside of the classroom, promoting everything that uni life has to offer. The aim is to get everyone as involved as we can, and get them excited about coming to uni!

Why did you decide to become part of the Street Team crew?

CECILIA: I was more of an in-and-out (of uni) type of person...I'd come to uni for my classes and then just leave. But I saw that the Street Team people were really enthusiastic. I wanted to enjoy uni more and really get the most out of it.

JOANNA: It was definitely because I just used to come into uni for the academic side, do my study and then go. Slowly I got to know the Street Team, how busy they were promoting Arc, giving out all the freebies and food... all those kind of cool things. People told me I should really get involved with them, and that it's a great way to build friendships.

How does one become a Street Teamer?

CECILIA: Arc has a Facebook page which will send out notifications when applications are open. So when you apply you just have to promote yourself in the best way possible!

Why should other students join the Arc volunteering family?

CECILIA: Because we are awesome.

JOANNA: I think it's really rewarding, you learn so much from getting involved. And you make so many genuine friends.

CECILIA: I think it also aids you in learning a lot about uni, and life in general as well.

Simon Anicich

JOIN Arc TODAY

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BLOCKHOUSE (G6) OR arc.unsw.edu.au

RENEWING? You don't need to fill in any forms, just bring your UNSW Student ID card to Arc Reception (Blockhouse G6) to score all the awesome benefits below and loads more (PSST there is no joining fee).

EXCLUSIVE MEMBERS COMPS!



WIN 1 DOUBLE PASS TO HAPPY AS LARRY

Happy as Larry is a playful, poignant and uplifting exploration of the human condition and the elusive nature of happiness. Created by award-winning Australian choreographer Shaun Parker, this powerful performance is an intoxicating mix of ballet, break-dance, roller-skating and pulsating dance, set to a vibrant electro acoustic score by Nick Wales and Bree van Reyk. Following national and international tours including a sold out season on London's West End, *Happy as Larry* makes its way back to the Seymour stage (10 - 14 September) for one FINAL week of performances in Australia before it heads back overseas for an extended international tour.
<http://www.seymourcentre.com/events/event/happy-as-larry/>
Double Pass for Thursday 12 September @ 7:30pm

THANKS TO ICON FILM DISTRIBUTION



WIN 1 OF 5 BLU-RAYS SPRING BREAKERS

Four sexy college girls plot to fund their best spring break ever by robbing a fast-food shack. During a night of partying, the girls land themselves in jail clad only in bikinis. Infamous local gangster Alien (James Franco) bails the girls out, taking them under his wing. Together they embark on the wildest spring-break trip in history. Good girls go to heaven and bad girls go to "Spring Break".
Available to rent or buy on Blu-ray, DVD and Digital September 11

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WIN 1 OF 10 DOUBLE PASSES YOU'RE NEXT

One of the smartest and most terrifying films in years, *YOU'RE NEXT* reinvents the genre by putting a fresh twist on the home-invasion horror. This disturbing story follows the Davison family who have gathered at their secluded vacation home for a family reunion and find themselves the target of some creative and chillingly cruel killers. When the hapless victims seem trapped, an unlikely guest of the family proves to be the most talented killer of all... Starring Australia's own SHARNI VINSON, *YOU'RE NEXT* has screened at this year's Sydney Film Festival and Melbourne International Film Festival.
Only At The Movies August 29th

TO ENTER EMAIL YOUR STUDENT NUMBER TO comps@arc.unsw.edu.au WITH 'LARRY', 'SPRING BREAKERS' OR 'YOU'RE NEXT' IN THE SUBJECT LINE TO BE IN TO WIN.

EXCLUSIVE MEMBERS DISCOUNTS!

WHEN YOU JOIN Arc YOU GET ALL THESE AWESOME DISCOUNTS AND THEN SOME. DON'T FORGET TO SHOW YOUR Arc STICKER.



Tropical Green 2 - Lower Campus
\$5.50 for a chicken or pork roll and can of drink or bottle of Mount Franklin water. \$10 meal deals (see store for details).



Sea Life Sydney Aquarium - Darling Harbour
Buy one single adult ticket and get a second one for free. Check the Arc website to print out the voucher.



Ogalo - Randwick
10% discount.



Eastcourts Tennis - Kingsford
\$20 per hour court hire. Free racquet hire and use of tennis balls.

SEE WEBSITE FOR THE FULL LIST AND TERMS & CONDITIONS arc.unsw.edu.au/benefits

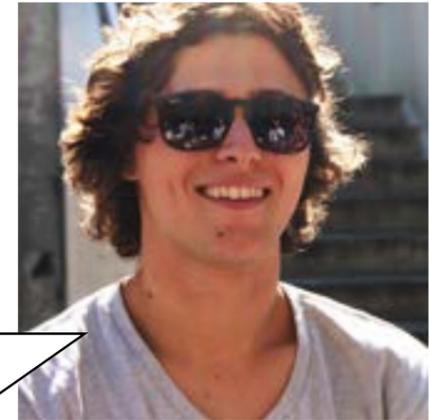
(VOXPOPS)

OLLIE
(Civil Engineering)

Worst dating experience?
Going out with my ex was kinda like dating someone I didn't want to date.

Your ideal celebrity date?
Jessica Biel. If she is dating JT she must be a pretty cool chick.

If you could have any superpower, what would it be?
Metamorphosis. That way I could be whatever I wanted to be to suit my mood.



WILL
(Civil Engineering)

Where's the best place to take a date on campus?
Yummba-good food and pretty casual.

Fave sci-fi film?
The Fifth Element. It was really groundbreaking and super different from other movies being released at the time.

E.T. or Alien?
Alien ticks all the boxes for me. Plus Sigourney Weaver is awesome in it.



ANNABELLE
(JD)

Did you have any weird hobbies as a kid?
I had a rock collection which sat in a display cabinet in my room.

Your ideal celebrity date?
Joseph Gordon-Levitt. He is super talented and good looking.

If you could have any superpower, what would it be?
People can be pretty difficult to read sometimes, so to be able to read minds would be pretty great.



DEBORAH
(International Studies)

Did you have any weird hobbies as a kid?
I would collect frogs in the garden, chat to them for a while and then set them free.

If you could have any superpower, what would it be?
The ability to time travel. I would go back and say hi to a dinosaur, teach it English and plait its scales.

Your ideal celebrity date?
Danny DeVito-his height and hair really does it for me.



BILLIE
(Journalism)

Your ideal celebrity date?
It's a tie between Harry Styles (bit of a cliché) and Matthew Goode (English and gorgeous).

If you could have any superpower, what would it be?
I love to talk so I think it would be pretty awesome to be able to speak and understand every language in the world

Did you have any weird hobbies as a kid?
I collected cicada shells and dead lizards. I kept them in a big jar in my room until my mum sadly threw them all out.



TOM
(Civil Engineering)

If you could have any superpower, what would it be?
Being able to fly would be much cheaper than paying for plane trips.

Where's the best place to take a date on campus?
The White House has a nice atmosphere and pretty sweet food.

Did you have any weird hobbies as a kid?
I used to eat paper.



TRIVIA ANSWERS: 1-48. 2. Istanbul. 3. The roof (weatherproofing). 4. Electrical activity in the brain. 5. arney Clark.

