



International Services – December 2010/January 2011

International Student Support Unit News

Important UTAS Dates

24 December- 3 January
University Closed

January 7th, 2011
Deferred and supplementary
exam results released

February 14th-18th, 2011
Orientation Week for New
Students in Sem. 1- Launceston

February 15th-18th, 2011
Orientation Week for New
Students in Sem. 1- Hobart

February 21st, 2011
Semester 1 begins

University Closed for the Holidays

The University and International Services will close Friday, December 24th at 12pm. We will reopen at 9am on Tuesday, January 4th.

If you have an EMERGENCY during this time, please contact UTAS Security at 6226 7600 (Hobart) or 6324 3336 (Launceston). All non-urgent matters should wait until the office reopens.

VOLUNTEERS Needed for Semester 1 Orientation 2011

Would you like to volunteer to help in orientation at the beginning of next year? If you are interested, and you plan to be in Tasmania from Monday, February 7th, 2011, then register your interest by email to ISA.Hobart@utas.edu.au (Hobart students) or ISA.Ltn@utas.edu.au (Launceston students). Please include your name and student ID in all correspondence. We will be in touch with more details.

Renew Your Medibank Private OSHC

The Australian Government has recently changed OSHC rules. Please renew your OSHC for the full length of your Student Visa. For more information, logon onto [Medibank Private's website](http://www.medibankprivate.com.au), or contact ISSU.

EXCLUSIONS

The faculty reviews your academic progress at the end of the semester. If you have been excluded, please make an appointment with an International Student Advisor to discuss your options. Call 6226 2706 or email ISA.Hobart@utas.edu.au (Hobart students) or 6324 3503 or email ISA.Ltn@utas.edu.au (Launceston students).

If you wish to appeal your exclusion, the deadline is 20 working days from the date you receive your exclusion notice. Please refer to the email from International Compliance for the exact date.

Congratulations to Recent Graduates!

Alumni: You will become a part of the UTAS alumni network, with more than 40,000 UTAS graduates from around the world. Update your details and stay connected: [Alumni & Friends of UTAS](http://www.utas.edu.au/alumni)

Returning Home: If you are returning to your home country and have concerns about readjusting, please email or make an appointment with an international student advisor. We can give advice on how to prepare for your departure and what to expect. Contact an International Student Adviser at ISA.Hobart@utas.edu.au or ISA.Ltn@utas.edu.au.

Check out these fun events around Tasmania!

- The Taste Festival: 28 Dec.-3 Jan. <http://www.tastefestival.com.au/> Hobart Waterfront
- Moorilla Hobart International Tennis: 7-15 January, Domain Tennis Centre, Hobart <http://www.hobartinternational.com.au/>
- Cygnet Folk Festival: 14-16 January <http://www.cygnetfolkfestival.org/>
- Festivale: 11-13 February, City Park, Launceston <http://www.festivale.com.au/>

Update Address

If you have moved or will be returning to your home country for the break, please update your change of address online through the eStudentCentre.

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