

22 JUL 2012: Featuring Careers Night, Vampire Cup, Travel Grant Scheme Applications, MedSoc Love 5

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From the President's Desk

Hello Meddies!

I hope you are rugging up in your UWSMS Hoodies to keep you warm as you return to uni/hospital following a **well-deserved break**.

We hope you enjoyed our post-exam celebrations, including **Scrubs Crawl** and the **First Year Post-Exam Celebration**. You can never have enough of a good thing, so the events will keep coming this semester: [MedRevue](#), [Careers Night](#), Red Party and the Leadership Development Seminar.

And what's that I hear? Whispers of new events? Stay tuned to future eMUWSes and the [website](#) to find out.

TGS applications for Session 2 have now opened. These will close on **21 August 2012**. For more information, click [here](#).

To the fourth years who have departed for rural clinical schools, we hope you are settling in well. To fifth years who have returned, welcome back - and to fifth years in general, congratulations on finishing your barriers!

This semester is shaping up to be every bit as educational, entertaining and exciting as the last. Sink your teeth into every delicious morsel our [calendar](#) offers. As always, any questions or comments can find me at president@uwsms.org.

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A Careers Night to Remember

Curious about where you might go after university at the start? At the end of your final year and need some guidance about future pathways? Then come to [Careers Night](#), without a doubt **the most informative event** of this year's calendar. As always, there'll be experienced advice, and **free pizza and a prize giveaway!**

- **When:** Monday 30 July at 5:40 pm.
- **Where:** Small Lecture Theatre, School of Medicine, Campbelltown.
- **Who:** There will be **Professor Annemarie Hennessy**, as well as speakers from the following colleges.
 - Physicians.
 - Surgeons.

- o General Practitioners.
- o Intensivists.
- o Psychiatrists.
- o Obstetricians and Gynaecologists.
- o Anaesthetics.
- o Ophthalmologists.
- o Radiologists.
- o And a **panel of UWS Graduate Interns** taking all your questions!

For more information, RSVP to the [Facebook](#) event, or contact me via [email](#) for any other questions. See you there!

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Bring Vamp Home!

Give the most valuable gift you can give and bring the [Vampire Cup](#) home. It's time again for the **AMSA National Blood Drive** (running until **31 August 2012**), and we need you all to help out the **Australian Red Cross Blood Service** provide [life-saving blood, platelets and plasma](#). In the time of great [shortage](#), our Med School can bleed generously.

For a small School like ours, we have always punched above our weight, **winning the Vampire Cup** in 2010. Last year we came second (a fantastic achievement) but this year we're going to show what we're made of and **Bring Vamp Home**.

Find out how easy it can be to donate you blood, platelets and plasma at our [Facebook event](#). This year will also feature an inter-school competition between Blacktown and Campbelltown Clinical Schools (although no matter where you are, you can still give as part of UWS Medicine!) And while you're at it, why don't you consider signing up to the **Australian Bone Marrow Donor Registry** as [well](#)?

Get Amongst It!

Mitchel Waters AMSA Representative 2012

Travel Scholarships

Want money? Want to make yourself more employable? A better doctor? Well UWSMS wants that for you!

If you attended or are planning to attend an academic, leadership and/or development conference in Australia or anywhere else between 1 July - 31 December 2012, you may be entitled to up to a **\$500 UWSMS Travel Scholarship!** Applications close **Tuesday 21 August 2012**.

These scholarships are handed out on a merit basis, so all you have to do is head over to uwsms.org, click the '[Travel Grants](#)' icon on the left, and check out the application rules (Travel Grants Scheme Policy) and submit 'Travel Scholarship Application Form'.

Furthermore, if you have secured registration for the **Global Health Conference (GHC) 2012** apply for the UWSMS Travel Assistance Grants and you will **get a slice of \$750** to help with registration expenses! Applications close on the Sunday 2 September 2012.

Submissions (as well as any questions) are to be sent to tgs@uwsms.org.

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SAV'D and MSJA

SAV'D (Student Ambassadors and Volunteers for Organ Donation) is a new national organisation, run by med students and junior doctors, that aims to encourage medical students and young adults to promote awareness about organ donation in the community. They will be hosting their **first inaugural event** on **Wednesday 1 August** at 6 pm at Royal Prince Alfred Hospital, Camperdown. For more information, see their [Facebook](#) page or contact SAV'D via [email](#).

The **MSJA** (Medical Student Journal of Australia) is currently seeking **new submissions** - this is your opportunity to publish your news, insights, opinions and research in a peer-reviewed journal. Submissions for the next edition closes **Wednesday 1 August**, so find out more about [submission guidelines](#) from their website, and make your name be heard.

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Spreading the MedSoc Love 5

Announcing something **awesome!** Want to win something cool? Want to win **every time eMUWS is out?** In every edition of our eMUWS this year, we will be giving you the chance to win something awesome (a mystery prize)!

- Our last competition was all about **UWSMS Memes**. The most popular meme (with nearly 220 Likes) was by **Artiene Tatian** from second year! He wins a **Therapeutic Guidelines** Book, and a **16 GB** super-cool USB in the shape of a Lego Surgeon!
- Our other winner (selected randomly from all memes) is **Albert Kim** (from Year 3). He wins a **pocket Robbins and Cotran's Pathologic Basis of Disease**.

Congratulations to **both** of you for making our lives a bit more bearable during the exam period - email sponsorship@uwsms.org to claim your prize.

For this current eMUWS edition, simply head to our [Facebook page](#). Make the **Bring Vamp Home banner your cover picture** (and for those who do not have the new timeline, simply **post it on your wall**). **Tagging UWSMS is essential** so that we can keep track of those who participate!

The name of the mystery prize winner will be published in our next eMUWS, together with a whole, brand new chance to win something! Good luck!

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