



The OMBS newsletter



From the Principal, Andrea Freeman

Welcome to the Term 3 instalment of our Newsletter - the last term for this cohort of students and we can (finally) sigh a breath of relief that we have made it through an entire year of on-site teaching!

Given the frequency of universities being mentioned in the press for not implementing face to face teaching for the large part of this year, I am so proud to say that our timetable has operated as normal.

We have even introduced on-site events back into the calendar and our wonderful graduation planning is full steam ahead!

We have lots to do but even more to look forward to this term!

Andrea Freeman
Principal

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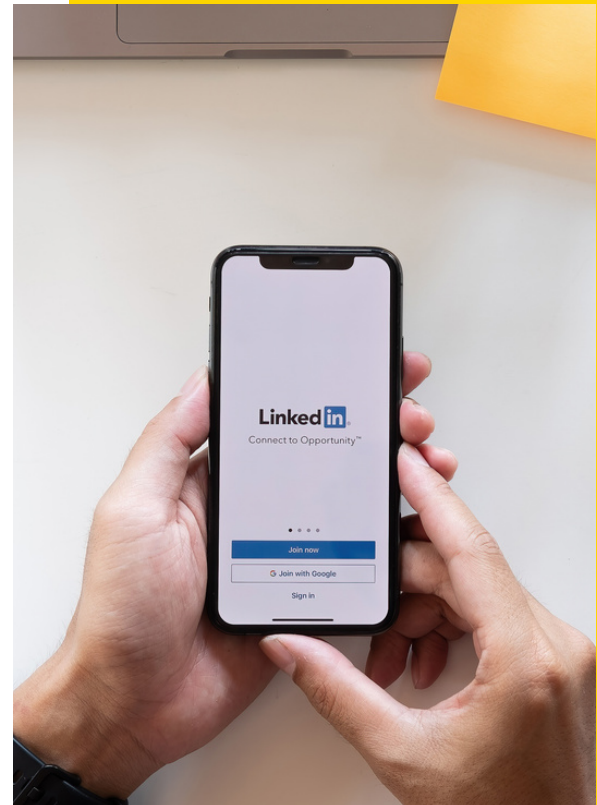
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The world of LinkedIn unlocked

As a job focused course, the students have to begin developing their networking skills while we have them. Term 3 really hones in on nurturing this part of their business brain.

A dedicated LinkedIn lesson provides the students with the profile set-up and insights to optimising the apps potential for their upcoming job searches.

Exciting stuff, eh!



Want to work down under?

Sun, sand, and sea is appealing to everyone, and we know our ambitious students are no exception.

With a long-standing relationship with Australian Recruitment agency, EST10, our students get the opportunity to connect and speak to Australian based agents if they feel a move 'down under' is on the cards for them and their careers.

The Sydney job market is notoriously competitive, so we want to give our graduates as much support and opportunity as possible, so these connections are vital for them.

To pique interest we discuss some of the pros and cons to this giant leap.

[Read the blog.](#)

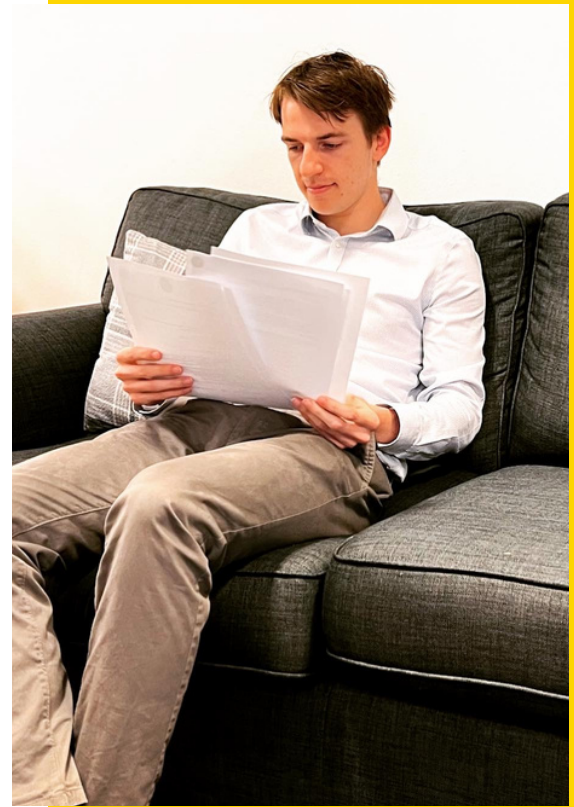
Mock Interviews & Work Experience

Employers want to see what our students can do and whether they have already “been thrown in the deep end” during the course, their mock interviews and work experience week helps them gain an insight into their strengths and skills.

The week long work placement our students undertake is a very important part of the course. It gives them an insight into the world of work, the different roles within a business and the pace and responsibilities expected. They will begin to see whether they would like to work in that particular role in that sector; each year some students are offered a permanent job based on this week.

We work very closely with well-respected boutique recruitment agencies in London and Oxford who start working with our students at the beginning of the course. They give advice about the job-market, interviews, job searching and arrange the work experience week. Having interviewed each of our students they carefully match them up with their clients who are more than willing to offer our students an opportunity to shine.

We are also launching our first Recruitment Fair, where our students will be able to sign up with multiple London agencies!



Past Student Day

Past student day is a fantastic opportunity for graduates to return to Oxford and share their experiences with our current students since leaving OMBS.

This term, we welcomed back 12 OMBS graduates some of whom are now fully established in their careers and some who only graduated 12-months ago and who are still navigating the big city of London.

As a team, we nurture individual skill sets and our aim is that every OMBS graduate understands their own strengths, weaknesses and how to use these to their advantage at all times and through networking, this skill is strengthened.

Why its so great to be a student at OMBS and in OXford

We sit down with our two students Fred and Millie, to discuss why they decided to study a 12-month business course in the heart of the famous university city of Oxford, instead of heading to university to study an undergraduate degree for 3 years. A must listen to any student who is on the fence about their next steps with Higher Education.

Watch the video below to find out more!







Dates

FOR THE DIARY

Term 3

- ▶ 16-26 May 2022 - Mock Interviews
- ▶ 17 May 2022 - Working in Sydney, Australia Talk
- ▶ 23 May 2022 - Past Student Day
- ▶ 31 May 2022 - Open Day
- ▶ 13-17 June 2022 - Work Experience
- ▶ 22 June 2022 - Recruitment Fair
- ▶ 4 July 2022 - Speakers Day
- ▶ 6 July 2022 - Graduation

The Professional Business Diploma

We are currently interviewing for our 3-term, intensive Professional Business Diploma, and spaces for September are being rapidly filled. Want to find out how you can join the fun? See the course content linked below!

[Course](#)

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Without OMBS I wouldn't currently be coming home from the best day at work from my dream job, I cannot extend my thanks enough to you and all the staff.

JEMIMA BURGESS-THOMAS
OMBS 2021 GRADUATE

Oxford Media & Business School offers a 12-month Professional Business Diploma for ambitious students who want to start their career within 3 terms rather than 3 years. For students who are looking for a practical and positive Gap Year in Oxford and for university graduates who want to add these skills to their academic qualification.

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