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ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS

VCE Results 2017

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE CLASS OF 2017

The VCE results of the Class of 2017 are merely a snapshot of these boys' journey at Trinity – throughout their time with us they have become accomplished actors, debaters, musicians, and sportsmen. They have led, encouraged, supported and contributed in ways that cannot be measured, and we are confident that they leave us ready to become leaders who will serve their communities with integrity, humility and courage.

Our dedicated and highly qualified teaching staff go above and beyond for our boys. They work tirelessly to ensure each boy is supported to achieve his personal best, and has every opportunity to pursue his preferred pathway after school. They are dilligent, intelligent and devoted educators who develop magnificent rapport with the boys, and contribute greatly to their individual and combined successes. Mr Fred Brown-Greaves and Mrs Susan Hill are particularly deserving of our praise and gratitude for the integral role they played as the Heads of Year 12.

We are immensely proud of the achievements of all of the Class of 2017. We look forward to them maintaining and growing their connection with us as they embark on the next stage of their lives.

RESULTS IN SUMMARY

Fourteen boys scored an ATAR of 99 or better, placing them in the top 1% of students in the country:

Anand Bharadwaj (Year 11) – 99.95
David Lin – 99.90
Zachary Tuttle – 99.90
Charlie Dixon – 99.75
Jack Petereit – 99.75
Jonathan Vu – 99.55
Benjamin Logan – 99.50
David Youings – 99.50
Rishabh Mishra – 99.40
Andrew Bithavas – 99.15
Luke Hill-Smith – 99.15
Jack Polis – 99.10
Nicholas Galbraith – 99.05
Jim Chen – 99.00

Outstanding results came across an impressive breadth of subjects. Trinity boys benefit from our Coordinate Program, run in partnership with Ruyton Girls' School, which enables them to access an extensive selection of VCE and VET subjects.

24.3% of all study scores were above 40, and a total of 10 perfect scores of 50 were achieved by the following boys:

Peter Gavralas – Business Management
Jack Carroll – Business Management
Victor Yan – Business Management
Anand Bharadwaj – English
David Lin – English
Jack Petereit – English
David Lin – Further Mathematics
Charlie Dixon – Product Design and Technology
Luke Hill-Smith – Drama (taught at Ruyton)
Jack Polis – History Revolutions

OUR TOP STUDENTS

2017 high achievers (L-R) David Lin, Anand Bharadwaj and Zachary Tuttle pictured with Headmaster, Dr Michael Davies

ANAND BHARADWAJ (YEAR 11) - ATAR OF 99.95

By any measure, Anand is an exceptional student. He commenced his Trinity education in 2011 in Year 5, and was a World Youth Scrabble Champion at age 11. He is a highly gifted writer, public speaker and debater, and was part of the School's victorious Year 11 Debaters' Association of Victoria B Grade team.

He has been a strong supporter of the School's outreach programs, and regularly spends his Friday afternoons participating in the African Reading Club – an outreach program assisting new migrants to build literacy skills. In Term 4, Anand was invited to attend the Australian Informatics Olympiad Committee School of Excellence at Burgmann College in Canberra. He has won Gold Medals in mathematics and informatics competitions and Olympiads at the national level, and he was reserve member of the Australian Informatics Team.

Anand undertook his first Unit 3 and 4 VCE Study of Mathematical Methods in Year 8. In Year 9, he completed Specialist Mathematics, and last year he achieved perfect scores in both Biology and French; in the latter he was awarded the VCE Premier's Prize in April this year, recognising him as one of the top performing students in the State. In 2017, Anand was awarded the J.D. Levick Prize for Physics, as well as a Prize for Distinctions and Merits.

DAVID LIN (YEAR 12) - ATAR OF 99.90

David commenced his schooling at Trinity as a Year 9 student in 2014. During his time at the School, he has been involved in a broad array of cocurricular activities, including being a member of the tennis and basketball teams, as well as Cross Country running. He was also a member of the premiership winning Athletics Team in his first year at the School.

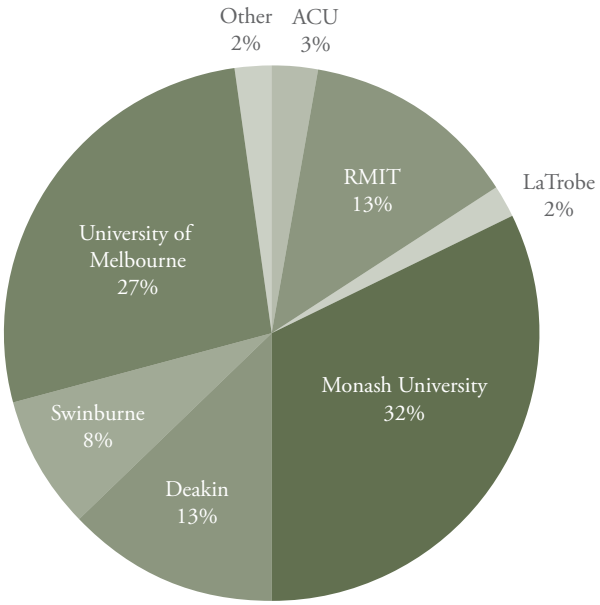
In 2017, David was awarded the J.K. Merritt Prize for Dux of Mathematics and Science, as well as a Prize for Distinctions and Merits - a most impressive achievement in such a short period.

ZACHARY TUTTLE (YEAR 12) - ATAR OF 99.90

Zachary started at Trinity in 2010 in Year 5. He is a gifted musician, a talented athlete and an exceptional scholar. He was a member of many bands, orchestras and ensembles during his time at school, as well as being heavily involved in the School's cross-age mentoring and outreach programs. Zachary achieved Triple School Colours in recognition of his breadth of involvement across the cocurricular program, and this year he was Merritt House Captain and a School Prefect.

In 2017, Zachary was awarded the R.M. Begg Prize for English, the David Orford Prize for Specialist Mathematics, the Prize for History: Revolutions, the Prize for Further Mathematics and a Prize for Distinctions and Merits - the sixth occasion he received such recognition.

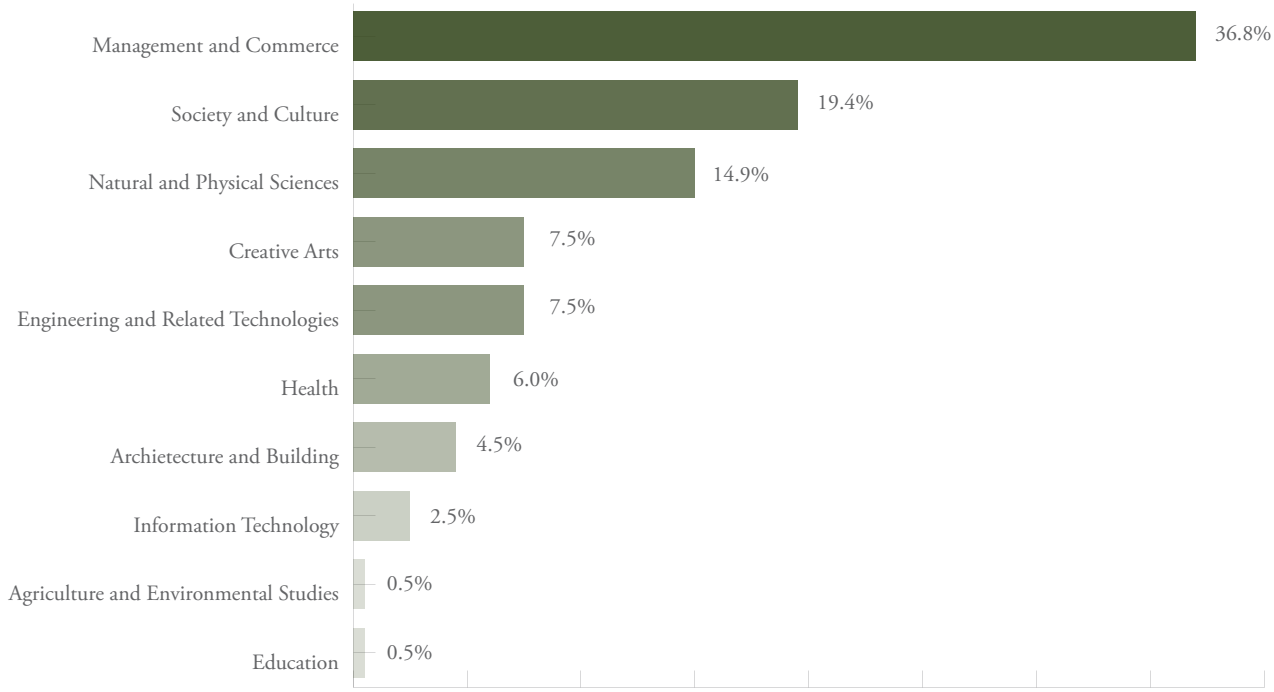
TERTIARY DESTINATIONS



Of the 2017 graduates who applied through VTAC, 96.9% received a first round offer. 98% of offers made were for university courses, with the remaining 2% from TAFEs and other independent tertiary education providers.

The availability of double degrees and an undergraduate medicine program saw Monash University retain its standing as the preferred destination for the majority of our graduates (32%). Many students also gained places at the University of Melbourne (27%), and Deakin and RMIT (both 13%). Some of our students have also received offers to study at interstate and overseas universities.

The most popular courses were from the fields of Management and Commerce (36.8%), Society and Culture (19.4%), and Natural and Physical Sciences (14.9%). Trinity students are encouraged and supported to pursue their passions and areas of interest, which is demonstrated by the diverse range of courses for which they applied and received offers - from medicine at Monash to fashion at the prestigious London College of Fashion.



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