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UniAdvice’s new structure is now in place and detailed contact information for all staff, including the new region-specific Admissions Teams, is available at the International Representatives’ Website: [http://www.uow.edu.au/prospective/international/agent/service.html](http://www.uow.edu.au/prospective/international/agent/service.html). Please don’t hesitate to contact us with your enquiries.

STUDENTS ARRIVING ON TIME AT THE COMMENCEMENT OF SEMESTER

All agents are requested to impress upon commencing students the importance of arriving at the university or the college before the start of classes for the semester. Students who miss the start of a course miss valuable information which could influence their study success. There have recently been particular problems with students commencing late in the Senior Secondary, Foundation Studies and Diploma programs at Wollongong University College.

UPDATES TO ADVANCED STANDING ARRANGEMENTS

There have been a number of updates to UOW advanced standing arrangements with international institutions. These include new advanced standing arrangements and/or expansion of existing arrangements with institutions in the following countries: China; Hong Kong; India; Indonesia; Singapore; Malaysia; Pakistan. Full details of all current advanced standing arrangements are available at the Credit Transfer website: [http://www.uow.edu.au/prospective/international/credit/index.html](http://www.uow.edu.au/prospective/international/credit/index.html)

UOW ACADEMIC STAFF WIN CARRICK AWARDS FOR OUTSTANDING CONTRIBUTIONS TO STUDENT LEARNING

Nine UOW academics were amongst the winners of the prestigious Citations for Outstanding Contributions to Student Learning. The awards were made by the national body for Teaching and Learning in Higher Education, the Carrick Institute. This is the first year that these awards have been made. UOW's success in the awards highlights again the University's excellence in teaching and learning, putting it within the top six Australian universities in this area. UOW academics from both the Wollongong Campus and UOW Dubai received awards, some for the leadership that they have shown in their field, and others for teaching innovations and ensuring quality learning for students.

UOW STUDENTS CHOSEN TO PARTICIPATE IN BIOTECHNOLOGY FORUM IN CHINA

Three PhD students from the University of Wollongong are among the five students chosen from Australia to travel to China this month to participate in the 2nd International Students Forum in Biotechnology. The Forum will take place at the Graduate University of the Chinese Academy of Sciences (GUCAS) and will feature over 70 students and scientists from around the world including Japan, China and America.


If there are other staff members in your agency who would like to receive this update, please advise Kaye Osborn on [kaye@uow.edu.au](mailto:kaye@uow.edu.au)