



# We are here to help!

Did you know, Southbank Institute's Student Services team offers many services for all of our students. You can contact the Student Service team by visiting the Student Services Centre, Level 1, C Block, or you can call 3244 5095 or email [studentsupport.services@southbank.edu.au](mailto:studentsupport.services@southbank.edu.au) for appointments.

## Counselling

- Career planning and decision making
- Advice on pathways to further study
- Study skills assistance
- Short-term individual counselling
- Advice and referral to other services
- Cross-cultural counselling



Chris Warren



Suzanne Ketcheson

## AccessAbility Services

for students with a disability

- Study assistance, consultation and advice
- Assistive technology solutions
- Liaison with teachers

Ph. 3244 5095, Brandon Taylor



Brandon Taylor

## International Student Support

Assistance and referrals for:

- Living in Brisbane
- Accommodation, transport and banking
- Cultural adjustment and homesickness
- Overseas Student Health Cover

Ph. 3244 5095, Nikky Trivunovic



Nikky Trivunovic

## Employment

Southbank CAREERHUB

- Register online via Southbank Institute's website
- Use Careerhub to build your resume
- Read the job ads online
- Apply direct to the employer
- Use the service for 12 months after graduating

Go to [southbank.edu.au](http://southbank.edu.au), click the green Careerhub icon.

Ph. 3244 5095, Mike Mastello



Mike Mastello

If you are interested in submitting a story or a photo, or if you want to advertise an event, or even if you just want to provide some feedback on Student Scoop, email: [corporate.communications@southbank.edu.au](mailto:corporate.communications@southbank.edu.au)

Ph. 3244 5095, Linda McElrea, Chris Warren, Suzanne Ketcheson, Jill Longworth

# Student Scoop Newsletter

Issue One, 2011

## New student printing services now open



The new Green Print Centre is now open on Southbank Institute's campus. Conveniently located on the Educational Pathway in the ground floor of F Block, Southbank Green Print Centre uses the latest technology to offer student friendly prices and exclusive deals on a full range of services including:

- printing
- copying
- laminating
- binding
- scanning

In addition to having the print centre on campus, the Southbank Green Print Centre also offers Southbank Institute students their very own online store at [southbankgreenprint.com.au](http://southbankgreenprint.com.au). Simply log on from any internet connected computer, upload and pay for your print job and collect it from the print shop when you're next on campus.

Be sure to register at [southbankgreenprint.com.au](http://southbankgreenprint.com.au) to use the online service:

**Username** Your Southbank Institute Student ID

**Password** Create this when you register

The online store accepts Mastercard, Visa or PayPal and the campus store accepts Mastercard, Visa, EFTPOS or cash.

Phone 07 3244 6477

Email [support@southbankgreenprint.com.au](mailto:support@southbankgreenprint.com.au)  
Open 8am – 5pm Weekdays

*Students should be aware that with the introduction of the Southbank Green Print Centre on campus, the library is no longer offering bulk printing or binding services.*

## Key Dates Coming Up

26–27 March Reinvent your Career Expo  
Brisbane Exhibition and Convention Centre



# Back to the Books!

With Semester One now in full-swing, Southbank Institute welcomes you! If you want to brush up on your study skills, why not join the FREE: Study Skills Seminar Series.

Join us for this innovative four part seminar series designed to provide Southbank Institute students with simple strategies to organise your study, write better assignments, better prepare for exams and the confidence to achieve better results. The series covers topics–

## Time Management

Learn valuable strategies to help you plan study time for a busy life.

**Date** Tuesday 22 February, 2011  
**Where** B Block Auditorium  
**Time** 11:30 to 12:00 or 12:15 to 12:45

## Understanding the Question

How to confidently answer all types of assessment tasks.

**Date** Tuesday 8 March, 2011  
**Where** B Block Auditorium  
**Time** 11:30 to 12:00 or 12:15 to 12:45

## Referencing and other writing skills

Gain an understanding of referencing and writing skills to help you achieve higher grades for written assignments.

**Date** Tuesday 29 March, 2011  
**Where** B Block Auditorium  
**Time** 11:30 to 12:00 or 12:15 to 12:45

## Preparing for Exams

Learn simple strategies to better prepare for exams and gain the confidence to achieve better results.

**Date** Tuesday 17 May, 2011  
**Where** B Block Auditorium  
**Time** 11:30 to 12:00 or 12:15 to 12:45

You can attend one or all the seminars in the series. **All welcome. No booking needed.**

For further information please contact the Learning Centre or to arrange a personal consultation with our learning support teachers please contact us during office hours Monday to Friday 9:00am – 4:00pm.

**Learning Centre**  
Phone 07 3244 5645  
Email [enquiry@southbank.edu.au](mailto:enquiry@southbank.edu.au)

# Eating Out at Southbank Institute



## Bistro

For affordable café style dining, why not try the Bistro at D Block.

Dine in or takeaway lunch specials all under \$10.

Open Monday to Thursday, 11.30am-1.30pm.

## Restaurant

For special meals at amazing prices, head to the Southbank Institute training restaurant, Level 2, C Block. Open for lunch and dinner five days a week, Monday to Friday.

**Monday nights** – Eat like a king at our all you eat buffet \$20 – roasts, curries, pasta, seafood, salad and desserts all made fresh on premises care of our international cookery students. 6pm onwards.

**Wednesday nights** – Mid week pub-style specials – bring your student card for a free softdrink! Steaks, fish, pasta, chicken parmigiana. 6pm onwards.

## What's happening in Brisbane?

As a student at Southbank Institute you're in the heart of Brisbane's biggest entertainment precinct – South Bank. But if you're looking to explore what our city has to offer, make sure you visit ourbrিসbane.com for the very latest on what's happening in Brisbane.

With 15,000 events listed a year, the ourbrিসbane.com events calendar is buzzing all year round. You can find everything from low cost or free events to world-tour concerts, local live music, quirky shows, exhibitions and film festivals.

Whether you're into food, entertainment or discovering new places, ourbrিসbane.com is your local guide to what's on, eating out and things to do in Brisbane.



Go to [www.ourbrিসbane.com](http://www.ourbrিসbane.com) and follow us on Facebook and Twitter for the very latest on what's happening in Brisbane.



## Brisbane Welcomes International Students 2011

Saturday 5 March 2011, King George Square, 11am – 4pm

Get all the insider info on life in Brisbane at the Brisbane Welcomes International Students event – the one-stop-shop for students starting life in Brisbane.

In one day you can gather all the information you need from over 40 exhibitors from accommodation, employment and entertainment, to banking, transport and things to see and do.

With heaps of prizes on the day, Brisbane bands, student food deals at nearby Groove Train and over 3,000 students attending from across the globe, this is an introduction to Brisbane not to be missed!

Register to attend, show up on the day and you're in with a chance to win\* a \$500 Commonwealth Bank Travel Money Card visit [studybrিসbane.com.au/BWIS](http://studybrিসbane.com.au/BWIS)



## Did you know

If you need to discuss your Overseas Student Health Cover (OSHC) account or make claims, representatives are on campus at the International Services office once a week to assist you.

**WorldCare** – Wednesday 9:30am-12:30am

**Medibank** – Thursday 11:00am –2:00pm

## It's time to get fit! At Southbank Institute Health and Wellness Clinic

With our fully-equipped gym, group fitness classes and personal training you could benefit from a healthier lifestyle. Southbank's Health and Wellness Clinic has all the up-to-date equipment you'd expect in a modern gym, along with weight training and stretch areas you can get the most from every visit. We're fully air conditioned for the comfort of our members and lockers are available. Our change rooms have individual shower and change cubicles for added privacy.



## Our services

- Fitness assessment included with membership
- Personal fitness programs designed to suit your goals and current fitness level
- One-on-one personal training is available
- Sports-specific program design to target the areas you need
- Nutritional advice
- Regular group fitness classes are available to all members.
- All our services are provided by professional staff or fitness students under their guidance.

## Membership

You can sign up for a membership period that suits you – our 12 month membership is great value, however you can come and work out on a casual basis if you prefer.

## Educational staff and students

(From the Southbank precinct, including Southbank Institute of Technology, Canberra University, Qld College of Art and Qld Conservatorium)

■ Casual	\$ 7.00
■ 10 visit pass	\$ 70.00
■ 3 months	\$ 92.50
■ 6 month	\$ 165.00
■ 12 months	\$ 290.00

# Love your Library!

Entries in the "What I love about libraries" competition for Library Lovers Day on February 14 provided an interesting mix of favourite things that our students like about libraries. Voucher prizes from the Green Print Centre were a great hit with the prize winners!



## Did you know

The library is open 58 hours per week?

Monday, Tuesday	8am-8pm
Wednesday, Thursday	8am-7pm
Friday	8am-5pm
Saturday	12pm-3pm

## Explore the Library Website

[www.southbank.edu.au/library](http://www.southbank.edu.au/library)

Not sure where to start to find the right information for your study? Visit the library website and locate "Explore a Room", a customised search tool on the main catalogue page. Here you'll find many resources chosen by your Liaison Librarian to suit your program.

Firstly, select your Faculty, and then choose your course area from the list.

Use it to find books, journals, DVDs, electronic databases and more to help you with your assignments.

For assistance with any queries, please see the Librarians at the Help Desk on Level 4 of the library.



## FREE Wireless for Southbank Students

Southbank Institute is live with WIRELESS internet access across campus for all students and staff.

You can use your very own personal laptop or mobile device to access the internet and education network on campus at Southbank Institute.

Follow these three easy steps to connect to the internet using wireless:

- 1) Connect to the Open\_WisBIT wireless network enter the network key openwisbit
- 2) Open your internet browser and follow the prompts
- 3) Enter your user name as follows:

**Username** yourstudentnumber@student.sbit.tafe

**Password** yourpassword

Look out for more details on the Student News section of Southbank Institute's website, [southbank.edu.au](http://southbank.edu.au).

If you require assistance to access wireless, please speak to your friendly Library staff or contact Student Services during business hours on 13 72 48.

