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We acknowledge and pay respect to the Traditional Owners of the lands upon which our campuses and clubs are situated

Cover: Tyrone Bean, a Kabi-Kabi and Bindal man, wearing the Indigenous football jumper

CHAIRMAN'S REPORT



It is with great pleasure that I am able to present the 2017 Annual Report as Chairman of the Board.

The report celebrates the many achievements of our student athletes, sporting teams and clubs, and captures the impressive and growing range of programs and facilities available to students and staff at the University.

The Board and staff will continue to engage the University community in addressing the future challenges and opportunities that build on our solid foundation with a particular focus on an outstanding campus experience, student leadership and developing a greater sense of esprit de corps.

Finally, I would like to thank my fellow Board members, the Melbourne University Sport (MU Sport) staff, our dedicated band of volunteers and coaches for their fantastic efforts in 2017, while expressing my appreciation for the continued support of the University senior management group.

I hope that you find the report both informative and entertaining.

Professor James Angus AO FAA
Chairman MU Sport Board

DIRECTOR'S REPORT



It was another great year for MU Sport in 2017, illustrated by the many highlights contained in this report, but also a year in which we needed to confront a range of challenges.

I would like to acknowledge the many people and organisations that have been critical to this success and also thank them for assisting us in addressing the many challenges that we have faced:

- The team managers, coaches and volunteers who support our student athletes and teams at regional and national sporting competitions
- The office bearers, coaches and volunteers across all our clubs for their extraordinary dedication and passion
- The sporting alumni who generously support the clubs and students
- The Blues Advisory Committee and the Scholarships Committee for their diligence and commitment

- Colleagues across the University including the residential colleges for their ongoing collaboration
- Our many partners, contractors and suppliers who support our operations
- The Executive Director of Engagement, Mr Adrian Collette, and the broader Engagement Portfolio, and the University Senior Executive for their continued support
- Our colleagues at Australian University Sport and sporting bodies at universities across the country for sharing our sense of purpose

Finally, I would like to acknowledge the fantastic staff at MU Sport and members of the Board, in particular our chairman Professor James Angus.

Timothy Lee
Director of Sport

MELBOURNE UNIVERSITY SPORT

Melbourne University
Sports Precinct,
Parkville Campus



Melbourne University Sport (MU Sport) is a Department of the University, reporting to the MU Sport Board, and providing high-level policy, business and financial advice on the development and management of sport and recreation at the University.

MU Sport manages the fitness, sports and recreation facilities, programs and activities of the University, working closely with all stakeholders and external strategic partners to deliver sport and physical recreation opportunities to the University community. It does this in accordance with strategic and operational plans.

MU Sport is responsible for:

- The development of campus and off-campus facilities, and for managing all University sporting facilities, in particular the Sports Precinct, the Ski Lodge at Mount Buller and the Boat House on the Yarra River
- Provision of fitness and recreation services and programs including fitness assessments, personal training, group recreational club activity, short courses, and trips and tours
- Provision of sporting opportunities -including supporting teams and individual students to compete in regional, national and international

student competitions, such as the Australian University Games, - the strategic development and operations of the competitive sporting clubs, professional management and promotion of lunchtime and college sport competitions, and support for elite-level student-athletes

- Supporting student recruitment activity and alumni engagement with University sport programs.
- Representing the University on matters pertaining to sport and physical recreation to local, state and federal government, Australian University Sport (AUS), sporting bodies and related professional organisations

THE JOURNEY TO A STRATEGIC PLAN FOR SPORT - TOWARDS 2021

The journey to develop a new Strategic Plan for Sport commenced several years ago with the Board and staff of MU Sport determined to ensure that all stakeholders had the opportunity to contribute to the vision for the future. Workshops were conducted with MU Sport Board, management and staff, and presentations to Club Forums and a range of opportunities were provided for students and stakeholders to contribute directly to the review.

The development of the plan was delayed while a major review of club governance was undertaken by the University in response to several major incidents involving clubs and club members. This resulted in a review of the management of the risks associated with sporting activity to ensure the safety of participants and the good conduct of student athletes, teams, clubs and officials, which has had significant impact on the governance and management of sporting clubs and programs at the University.

In 2017, a discussion paper was distributed for feedback outlining strategies for sport to support the provision of an outstanding student experience aligned with the University's Strategic Plan, Growing Esteem, and to build on the fantastic foundation that sport has established at the University.

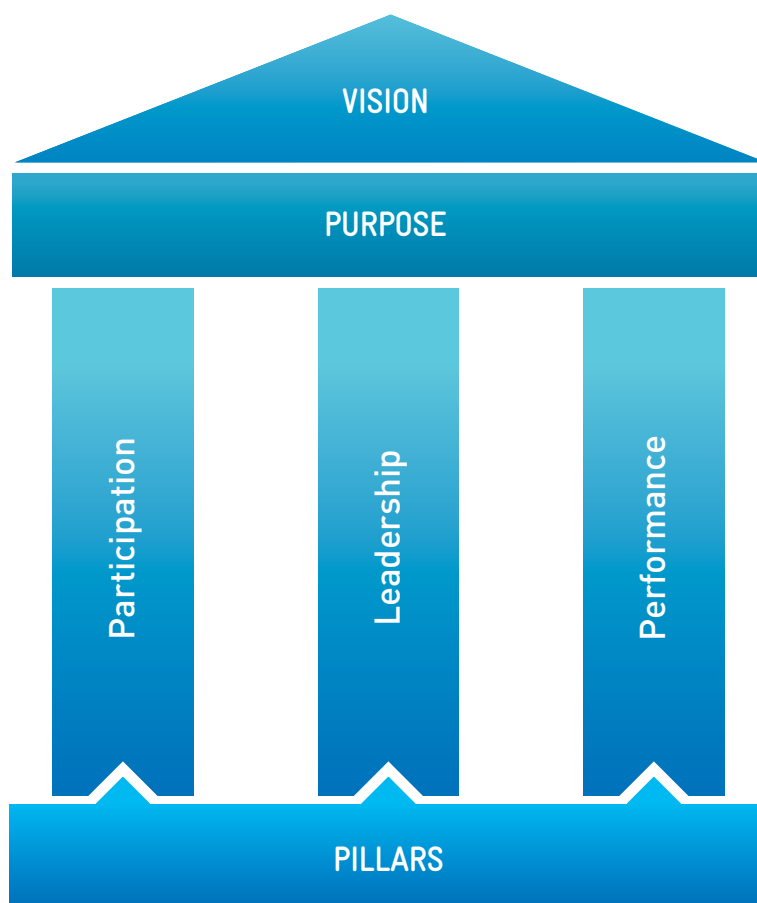
The discussion paper captured the significant progress made under the previous strategic plan, structured around the pillars of participation and performance which had provided the framework to guide planning and for measuring success.

The paper proposed including leadership as a pillar, demonstrated in programs such as Raise the Bar, to replace the performance pillar. However, in response to the feedback from clubs and the Board, the performance pillar was retained. A workshop was conducted with representatives of the various stakeholders in late 2017 to confirm the final Vision and Pillars for endorsement by the Board and presentation to the University.

Timothy Lee
Director of Sport

VISION FOR SPORT

Sport Matters – it Inspires, Connects and Leads.



Participation

Objective: That students and staff are engaging in regular physical activity in quality programs and facilities.

Goal: By 2021, 70 per cent of the student population are engaged in regular physical activity at the University.

Leadership

Objective: That students, staff and alumni demonstrate leadership and active citizenship.

Goal: By 2021, the majority of sport volunteers and student athletes are involved in programs that raise the aspirations of young people and provide leadership on important community issues.

Performance

Objective: That student athletes, teams and club compete successfully at the highest level.

Goal: By 2021, our best student athletes, teams and clubs are competing successfully in dynamic sporting events that engage our students, staff and alumni.

The Melbourne University Women's
Football Team wearing rainbow
jumpers in support of the Gay? That's
OK initiative

WATER SAFETY PROGRAM LAUNCHED
TO TEACH STUDENTS TO SWIM

GO8 UNIVERSITY FOOTBALL LEAGUE EXPANDED

ACTIVE CAMPUS AND INDIGENOUS PROGRAMS
BREAK THROUGH STUDENT ISOLATION

HIGHLIGHTS

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Water Safety Program Makes a Splash

The inaugural Water Safety Program (WSP) was launched in Semester 1, filling a gap in the student experience for international students. The student-only, no-cost program provided specialised aquatic education for those who feel unsafe around water, or who have never learnt to swim.

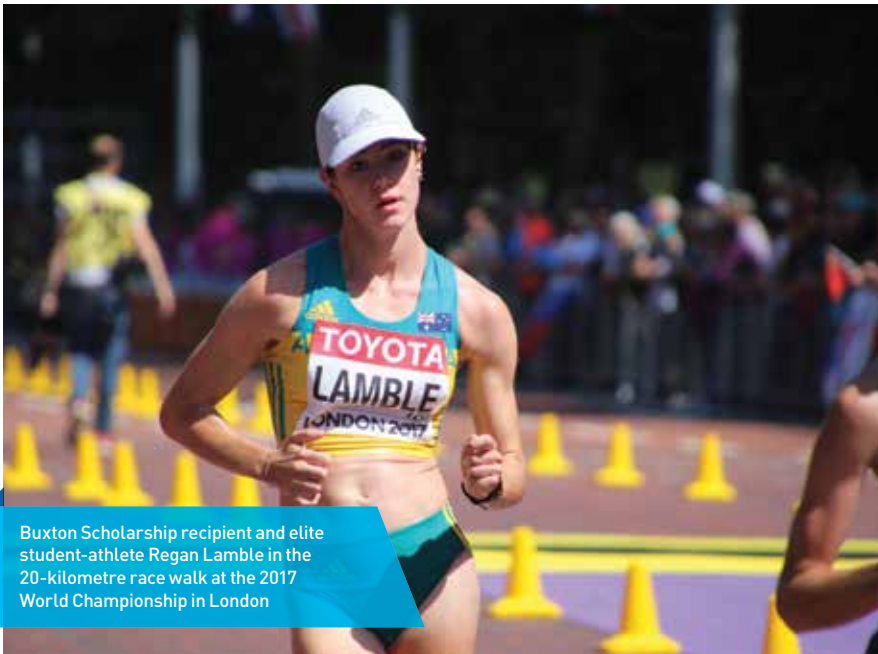
After a successful pilot program involving more than 100 students, the program expanded significantly in Semester 2 to nearly 800 students – predominately international female students. The eight-week program included learn-to-swim classes with a qualified student swimming instructor, ongoing access to the pool and water safety sessions conducted by Life Saving Victoria both on campus and at a local beach. The WSP was developed by MU Sport in partnership with Life Saving Victoria, Propulsion Aquatic, UMSU International, Global Mobility and Students@Work and received funding through a grant of the Student Services and Amenities Fee. For more information on the WSP, see p20.



Water Safety Program participants learning to stay safe on the beach



The Water Safety Program participants and instructors



Buxton Scholarship recipient and elite student-athlete Regan Lamble in the 20-kilometre race walk at the 2017 World Championship in London

Andrew and Geraldine Buxton Athletics Scholarship Awarded to Regan Lamble

The Andrew and Geraldine Buxton Athletics Scholarship was awarded to race walker Regan Lamble (Graduate Diploma in Arts), marking another successful year for the student-athlete after competing at the Rio Olympic Games in 2016.

The elite athlete bursary of \$10,000 plus additional in-kind support was established by Andrew and Geraldine Buxton. The Scholarship assists aspiring student-athletes to simultaneously pursue their world-class academic and sporting dreams at Australia's number-one ranked university. Andrew Buxton, a former student and athlete at the University himself, knows about the struggles young athletes can face and with his generous benefaction aids outstanding individuals such as Regan Lamble to reach their potential. Lamble used the support to complete her Graduate Diploma in Arts during a year in which she represented Australia at London's IAAF World Championships.

Sport is Important to Students

The second Student Wellbeing Survey measured the level of student participation in, and attitudes towards, regular physical activity and its impacts on student experience.

The survey found that 56 per cent of University students participated in sporting activities at least once a week. Regardless of their level of participation, four out of every five students believe that sport programs and facilities are important, a slight increase from 2015. Active students are more likely to be more satisfied with their experience at the University, and they are also more engaged in university life. Among inactive students, 85 per cent noted they would participate in sporting, recreational and fitness activities if possible. The survey was sent to 33,718 students and achieved an outstanding completion rate of 17 per cent.



The Men's Australian Rules Football team competing in the Go8 league

University Football League Competition Extended

The University's Men's Australian Rules Football team defeated Australian National University as part of the recently established Group of Eight (Go8) Football League.

The Aussie Rules team additionally played against the University of Adelaide and hosted

its first ever match against the University of Sydney on the University Oval. The match on the was held in April and attracted a large audience of students and alumni, with the free BBQ, pretzels, and marching band contributing to the excellent atmosphere.

Sport and Social Inclusion

The Melbourne University Women's Football Club (MUWFC) was the first female Australian Rules Football team to play in a match as part of the Gay? That's OK initiative.

The MUWFC, with support of MU Sport, took the Victorian Football League (VFL)

Grand Final rematch against the Darebin Falcons to Hamilton in regional Victoria to spread the Gay? That's OK message. Both teams wore specially designed Pride Jumpers. Hamilton is the birth place of Charles Beaton, who founded the initiative in support of his twin brother Lachlan, a University alumnus and Uni Blacks player.

Gay? That's OK uses sport to campaign for same-sex rights and tolerance, and encourages young people to feel more comfortable with their sexuality. It was the second match to support the initiative; the Uni Blacks hosted the initial game against Collegians on the University Oval in 2015.



The Melbourne University Women's Football Club and Darebin Falcons wearing rainbow colours to the Gay? That's OK match

Uni Blacks Celebrate Indigenous Round

The Melbourne University Blacks Football Club (Uni Blacks), played the first ever Indigenous Round game in the Victorian Amateur Football Association (VAFA), celebrating Indigenous culture, respect and community to provide a safe space for Indigenous education.

Tyrone Bean (Master of Teaching), a Kabi-Kabi and Bindal man and Uni Blacks player, turned a negative experience of being racially vilified during a match, into an Indigenous jumper worn by the Uni Blacks. Bean designed the jumper together with Alex Kerr, a future elder of the Wurundjeri Tribe of the Kulin nations, adding several Indigenous motifs. The blue V on the Uni Blacks jumper was replaced by a blue Bunjil, the totem of the Wurundjeri people, overlooking everything else on the jumper. A meeting ground representing the University and Club was

placed at the centre of the jumper, through which a path marking the Yarra River flows. Different paths lead to the meeting place representing each player's journey to the Uni Blacks, while large dots indicated the challenges they had to overcome. Bean's spirit's journey, indicated by red and yellow circles, starts at the stomach of a brolga, the totem of the Bindal people. The spirit stops in the centre of the meeting place as part of the Club's community, which has supported him after the negative incident. The Indigenous Round took place in May on University Oval against the St Kevin's Old Boys Football Club creating awareness of Indigenous culture, issues and education. The Blacks celebrated Indigenous culture with a welcome smoking ceremony by Wurundjeri Elder Aunty Di and a traditional dance performed by a University student and his family.



Tyrone Bean, a Kabi-Kabi and Bindal man and Melbourne University Blacks player

Raising the Bar for Young Indigenous Athletes

The University, in partnership with Athletics Australia, hosted the third Raise the Bar Academy (RTBA), a program to raise the aspirations of young people from Indigenous communities.

The five-day summer camp took place in late January on the University's Parkville Campus and was attended by 35 Indigenous

secondary school students and talented athletes from across the country, many from remote communities. RTBA aims to demonstrate to the aspiring athletes a pathway into higher education, by showing them that they can engage in an education system through Athletics. Activities included athletics clinics and leadership activities mentored by some of the University's

student-athletes. Participants were also invited to presentations and tours by the Science Faculty, Melbourne School of Design and the Melbourne Institute for Indigenous Development (Murrup Barak). The program experienced some early success with many of the participants continuing to higher education and three undertaking study at the University.



The 2017 Raise the Bar Academy students and mentors

Active Campus and Indigenous Sport Programs Launch

MU Sport launched its Active Campus and Indigenous Sport Programs to break through the isolation of rural, international and Indigenous students by engaging them in sporting, recreational and fitness activities and so enhancing their student experience.

Both programs received funding by a grant from the Student Services and Amenities Fee (SSAF) and enabled students, who have

previously not had the same level of opportunities, to get involved in various activities. Regular activities of the Active Campus program at Shepparton, Dookie and VCA campuses included free yoga classes, social sporting competitions, and group fitness classes. Additionally, international students at the Parkville Campus were offered activities such as social volleyball, futsal and badminton competitions as well as an AFL clinic.

The program offers these activities at low or no cost to the students. The Indigenous Sport Program additionally focused on community engagement. Indigenous students were provided with leadership opportunities to develop their employability skills. To develop a culturally appropriate program, MU Sport co-operated with the Melbourne Institute for Indigenous Development (Murrup Barak). For more information on the programs, see p20.



The Melbourne University Soccer Club Men's State 3 team playing Sunbury United Football Club during the anniversary celebrations

Melbourne University Soccer Club Celebrates 70th Anniversary

The Melbourne University Soccer Club (MUSC) celebrated its 70th anniversary with State League matches on the University Oval and a reunion cocktail party in the Ernie Cropley Pavilion.

In front of more than 350 spectators, MUSC kicked off their celebrations with Men's and Women's State League matches on the University Oval against Ballarat Eureka Strikers and Sunbury United Football Club. The matches were the first Football Federation Victoria (FFV) league matches to be played on the iconic oval. They were followed by a cocktail party with guest speakers including FFV President Kimon Taliadoros, University and Club alumnus from 1952 David Lea, one of the first Women's Soccer team players Maria Berry, and Club veteran Michael Metcalfe.

University Athletes Represent Australia in World University Games

Nine University student-athletes were selected to represent Australia in the International University Sport Federation (FISU) World University Games in Taipei.

Below is the list of the University athletes:

ATHLETE	COURSE	DISCIPLINE	EVENT	RESULTS
Tristan Robinson	Master of Engineering	Athletics	Relay 4x400m	4th
Hayley Baker	Bachelor of Arts	Swimming	Relay 4x100m	4th
			100m Backstroke	14th
			50m Backstroke	15th
Elizabeth Hedding	Bachelor of Commerce	Athletics	Relay 4x100m	5th
Isaac Hockey	Bachelor of Biomedicine	Athletics	1500m	6th
Stella Radford	Bachelor of Science	Athletics	Steeplechase 3000m	13th
Joseph Baldwin	Bachelor of Commerce	Athletics	High Jump	14th
Kathryn Brooks	Bachelor of Science	Athletics	Javelin	15th
Adam Pyke	Bachelor of Science Alumnus	Athletics	1500m	29th
Sophia Dong (competing for New Zealand)	Bachelor of Commerce	Table Tennis	Women's Team	17th
			Women's Doubles	33rd
			Women's Singles	65th



(L-R) David Miller, the Honourable John Howard OM AC, Bradman Scholarship recipient Andrew Young, and Maurice Newman

Andrew Young Receives Prestigious Cricket Scholarship from the Bradman Foundation

The Sir Donald Bradman Scholarship was awarded to University student-athlete Andrew Young (Bachelor of Arts), a batsman for the Melbourne University Cricket Club (MUCC) and writer of sports opinion articles.

The scholarship offers recipients financial support of \$15,000 paid over a three-year period to assist with the costs associated with juggling study and cricket club commitments.

The scholarship is open to all undergraduate students at Australian universities who are participating in a cricket club and plan on doing so for the duration of their studies.

Blues and Sports Awards Recognise 150 Student-Athletes

The University Blues and Sports Awards announced in November celebrated the end of another successful sporting year, with 150 student-athletes recognised for their achievements and contributions in 2017.

Blues awards were presented to 96 students in recognition of their performances representing the University at the Australian University Games and Championships, while 54 students received International Representation certificates for representing their country at an international sport event.

Alice Arch (Bachelor of Science Honours) was awarded the Outstanding Sporting Achievement of the Year after winning a World Rowing Championship Silver medal, marking her meteoric rise in the rowing world.

For more information on student-athlete performance and recognition, see p28.



Student-athlete Alice Arch receives the award for "Outstanding Sporting Achievement of the Year" for her excellent performance in the Rowing World Championship

Australian Boat Race Returns to the Yarra

Hundreds of spectators watched the iconic Australian Boat Race (ABR) against the University of Sydney from the banks of the Yarra River in October.

Home advantage counted for little, with the University of Sydney taking victory in both the Men's and Women's Australian Boat Races. The Women's Eight from Ormond College were the sole victor from the University in the college race against Sydney's Wesley College.

The ABR is based on the famous boat race between Oxford and Cambridge. The on-water rivalry between the two sandstone universities stretches back to 1860 when they first raced against one another on the Yarra River.



The University's Men's Eight Rowing Team competing at the Australian Boat Race


University Blues Win Fifth Consecutive National Title

The Women's Volleyball Team University Blues (Uni Blues) finished 2017 in style by winning the Australian Volleyball League (AVL) national title with a dominant display over the WA Pearls.

The win was the Uni Blues' fifth consecutive AVL national title, defeating their Western Australian opponents in straight sets (25:19, 25:16, 25:15) at the Melbourne Sports and Aquatic Centre in December. The Blues won through to the gold medal match after defeating the Sydney Amazons in the Semi Final, also in straight sets (25:22, 25:21, 25:15). Capping off the remarkable season, Master of Management student-athlete Xi Xi was named the Women's AVL Best Receiver, Uni Blues Captain Hannah Martin was awarded Best Hitter, and Sophie Payne Best Setter.



The University Blues' fifth consecutive Australian Volleyball League Championship

A group of students, mostly young women, are sitting on wooden bleachers at a sports event. They are cheering enthusiastically, with several holding up blue inflatable sticks that say 'THE UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE'. One woman in the foreground is wearing a pink and white striped shirt and has her arms raised in excitement. Another woman next to her is wearing a blue denim jacket and glasses. In the bottom right, a man is also cheering with his mouth open. The background shows more students and the structure of the stadium.

Students cheering on the
Men's Australian Rules Football team
at a Go8 University Football league
game against the University of Sydney

385,403 TOTAL STUDENT VISITS

62,000 GROUP FITNESS PARTICIPANTS

487,852 FITNESS VISITS

PARTICIPATION

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In 2017, there were 912,089 participation opportunities for sport, fitness or recreational activity offered to students, alumni, staff and community members. Almost 50 per cent of students are regular users of the sport, recreation and instructional facilities and programs.

COLLEGE SPORT

College Sport provides opportunities for the students to living in the University’s affiliated colleges to compete for their college across a range of sporting competitions, some dating back more than 130 years.

St. Hilda’s College was victorious in the Tickner Cup trophy, which was last won by the college in 2015. Ormond College finished with six Championships, with seven of the 11 participating colleges winning a title across the year.

- Ormond College won both Female and Male First VIII Division Rowing events
- Newman College won their first Men’s competition since 2015 in Basketball
- Ormond College winning both racquet sport competitions in Table Tennis and Tennis
- Trinity, Ormond and St. Hilda’s College awarded equal first for the Holmes Shield

St. Hilda’s College was awarded the Tickner Cup for overall first place, weighted relative to the number of college residents. Ormond College reclaimed for the third year in a row the Cowan Cup for men’s points, while Trinity, Ormond and St. Hilda’s were awarded equal first for the Holmes Shield for overall women’s points.

College Sport continued to provide 8088 game opportunities for residents to participate in throughout the year, with many sporting finals (including Netball, Hockey and Football), carnivals and the rowing regatta on the Yarra River drawing vocal crowds to cheer on their respective teams.



Queen’s college and St Hilda’s college competing in Men’s soccer

2017 College Sport Champions

SPORT	MEN’S CHAMPION	WOMEN’S CHAMPION
Athletics	Ormond College	St. Hilda’s College
Basketball	Newman College	Queen’s College
Cricket - First XI	Queen’s College	-
Cricket - Second XI	University College	-
Football - First XVII	Queen’s College	-
Football - Second XVII	St. Mary’s College	-
Football - Women	-	Trinity College
Hockey	Ormond College	St. Hilda’s College
Netball - First VII	-	St. Hilda’s College
Netball - Second VII	-	Trinity College
Rowing - First VIII	Ormond College	Ormond College
Rowing - Second VIII	Ormond College	St. Mary’s College
Soccer	St. Hilda’s College	Queen’s College
Softball		Ormond College
Swimming	Queen’s College	St. Hilda’s College
Table Tennis - Mixed	Ormond College	Ormond College
Tennis - Mixed	Ormond College	Ormond College
Student Athlete of the Year	Will Horsfall (Queen’s College)	Iffy Donnellan (Trinity College)

2017 College Sport Points Table

PLACE	TICKNER CUP OVERALL PLACE (WEIGHTING)	WEIGHTING	COWAN CUP MEN'S PLACE (POINTS)	POINTS	HOLMES SHIELD WOMEN'S PLACE (POINTS)	POINTS
1st	St. Hilda's	2.31	Ormond	330	Trinity	295
2nd	Queen's	1.67	Queen's	255	Ormond	295
3rd	Trinity	1.63	St. Hilda's	165	St. Hilda's	295
4th	Ormond	1.29	Trinity	155	Queen's	215
5th	St. Mary's	0.78	Newman	130	Newman	55
6th	University College	0.71	University College	110	St. Mary's	50
7th	Newman	0.69	St. Mary's	80	Whitley	25
8th	Whitley	0.45	Whitley	15	International House	10
9th	International House	0.09	International House	10	University College	0
10th	Kendall Hall	0.07	Kendall Hall	5	Kendall Hall	0
11th	Janet Clarke Hall	0.00	Janet Clarke Hall	0	Janet Clarke Hall	0

Note: Tickner Cup weighting is calculated according to the number of total points per college/population per college.

CAMPUS SPORT

Campus Sport provides opportunities for students and staff to compete socially in a fun, lunchtime sporting program.

Competitions were held in both Semester 1 and Semester 2. Again, the most popular sports were Men's and Mixed Futsal, and Mixed Netball.

Overall, the competition enjoyed an increase on 2016 participation numbers, reaching 9690 opportunities, an increase from 7654 in 2016.

Futsal and Netball continued to be the most popular sports, with eight separate competitions taking place across the year with approximately 985 weekly participants in both semesters. Mixed Basketball was run for the first time in Semester 1.



Campus Sport Futsal teams competing in the final

2017 Campus Sport Champions

SPORT	SEMESTER 1	SEMESTER 2
Mixed Basketball	World Blass	
Men's Futsal (Tuesday)	The Lonely Liams	How I Met Your Mata
Mixed Futsal	Ladies' Man	Ladies' Man
Mixed Netball (Tuesday)	Pope's Army	MD Connect
Mixed Netball (Wednesday)	Golden Oldies	1995-96 Chicago Bulls

COMMUNITY SPORT

Community Sport offers social sporting competitions for participants from both the University and wider community in after-hours and weekend competitions.

Tin Alley Netball was played throughout Semester 1 and Semester 2 on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights. The competition was significantly expanded with adding 26 teams into an outdoor competition on three nights a week. The Semester 1 Mixed Netball competition involved 45 teams; with a further 36 teams taking part in Semester 2 - the largest Tin Alley Netball competition ever in terms of entries and participants.



2017 Tin Alley Sport Champions

SPORT	SEMESTER 1	SEMESTER 2
Mixed Netball - Blue	Cunning Stunts	Prince of Ball-air
Mixed Netball - Green	Mixed Netball	Close Enough
Mixed Netball - Red	Prince of Ball-air	Melbourne Uni Corns
Mixed Netball - White	Annapollocksteriods	The Meme Team
Mixed Netball Outdoor (Wednesday)	Melbourne Uni Corns	Supa Stars
Mixed Netball Outdoor (Tuesday)	Teamo Supremo	

CASUAL FACILITY VISITS

Students, staff and the community use sporting facilities on a casual basis. The facilities include Tennis, Squash, Badminton, Basketball, Netball and Volleyball courts, as well as an Athletics track and synthetic Hockey pitch.

Participation across our venue hire facilities grew by 8 per cent, with the continued success of student programs, such as Quick Hit for Squash, Tennis and Badminton, and the introduction of the Female Student Tennis Program.

SKI LODGE

The University of Melbourne Ski Lodge is in the heart of the Mount Buller alpine village. The lodge is available for students, staff, alumni and community members.

Conditions for the 2017 snow season were an improvement on 2016; the season was extended due to the large snow dumps late in the season. Implementation of reduced rates through the "September Special" increased occupancy late in the season. This led to a 12 per cent increase in patronage at the Ski Lodge compared to 2016. Continued improvement in staff training and of booking systems resulted in satisfaction levels, rising from 92 per cent to 100 per cent.



FITNESS SERVICES

A range of fitness opportunities are provided for students, staff-alumni and the community across three sites: the Nona Lee Sports Centre, the Beaurepaire Centre and Lincoln Square Fitness. Fitness Services include aquatics, strength and fitness gyms, and group fitness programs. MU Sport has capped student membership fees and reduced casual rates since 2015 for University of Melbourne students.

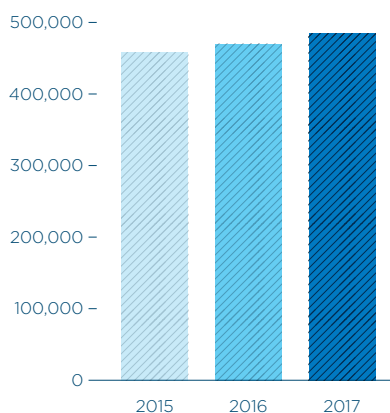
Since 2013, there has been a 35 per cent increase in total visits, and a 52 per cent increase in student visits.

During the peak period of the academic year, students accounted for more than 80 per cent of patrons, with staff and alumni accounting for 15 per cent. Community members made up the balance.

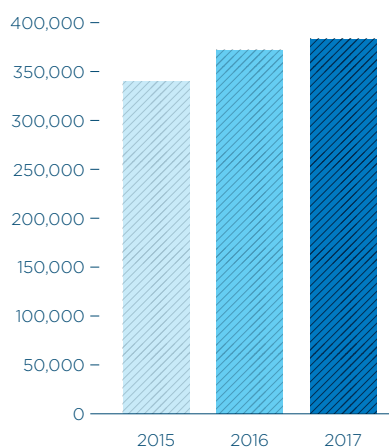
A major contributor to the growth in participation in 2017 was the successful implementation of the Water Safety Program. This program accounted for an additional 900 new students attending our facilities.

Overall, the distribution of patrons reflects a growth in student participation, while staff-alumni and community participation has remained stable.

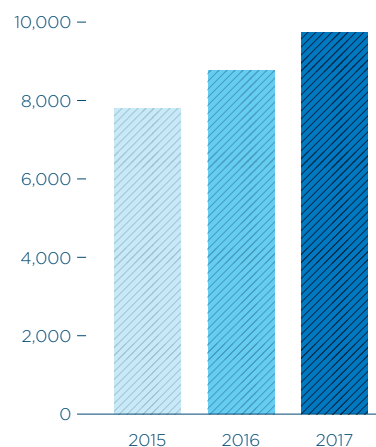
Total Fitness Visits



Total Student Visits



Unique Student Fitness Patrons



Fitness

The Beaurepaire Centre and Lincoln Square Fitness Centre have a broad range of strength and fitness equipment, with staff on hand to provide training programs and guidance for all users.

Equipment ranges from electronic cardio equipment to pin loaded and free weights strength equipment, as well as a variety of equipment used for functional fitness, such as kettle bells, TRX bands, rings and straps.

In February, MU Sport invested \$120,000 to install new Hoist Fitness pin loaded strength equipment in the Trophy Hall Gym area, providing patrons with an additional 10 training stations. This represents a 35 per cent increase in total exercise stations over four years and assists in accommodating the increasing patron numbers. Pin loaded equipment is particularly beneficial for members at beginner level as part of their introduction into strength training. An additional Stepmill was purchased at the end of the year in response to high usage and demand.

In 2017, slightly more than 1955 new users completed an introductory session. Appointments were made for an additional 880 free monthly training programs and 630 body composition assessments.

Overall fitness participation figures increased significantly in 2017, with 487,852 total visits to the fitness facilities compared to 473,527 in 2016, representing an increase greater than 3 per cent.

Aquatics

The Beaurepaire Centre Pool, which is 25 metres long, is ideally suited to lap swimming and learn-to-swim programs for swimmers of all abilities.

Aquatics visits at the Beaurepaire Centre increased significantly to 103,665 in 2017. A boiler upgrade resulted in improved heating capabilities and consistent pool temperature across 2017, allowing the Pool to be maintained at 28.5 degrees to suit all swimmers.

Total Aquatics visits increased by 14 per cent, which can also be attributed to the year-round offer to students to use the Pool at no charge between 9am and 11am, and the success of the Water Safety Program.



The Beaurepaire Centre Pool

Group Fitness

The Group Fitness program consists of a variety of exercise classes set to music and led by qualified fitness professionals.

Our Group Fitness classes cater for all levels of fitness and include Les Mills pre-choreographed classes such as BODYPUMP®, BODYATTACK®, BODYSTEP®, GRIT™, RPM™, SPRINT™ and BODYBALANCE® alongside classes as diverse as ZUMBA®, Yoga and Pilates.

The Group Fitness Program maintained consistent participation numbers for classes at all venues for a total of 62,000

visits. Increases in class participation numbers at the Sports Centre were offset by a reduction of numbers at Lincoln Square Fitness and in the FastFit classes held at the Beaurepaire Centre.

In early April, new Group Fitness Cycling programs from Les Mills were launched. The Cycling Studio at Nona Lee Sports Centre was also reopened after renovations, and now features 26 new Body Bike Smart+ bikes. The bikes set new standards for indoor cycling allowing users to track and record progress from each class.

MU Sport continued to provide students with an opportunity to participate at 'no cost'. Up to seven free classes per week were offered for students with great success.

BODYPUMP® continues to be the most popular class on the timetable, while Yoga throughout the semester attracts consistently strong numbers.

The Lazer Room and Mind Body Studio had air-conditioning installed in February this year to assist with maintaining a safer, more comfortable workout environment during periods of hot weather.



The Beaurepaire Centre fitness facilities

WATER SAFETY PROGRAM

The Water Safety Program (WSP) is a new initiative launched by Melbourne University Sport in 2017, funded by the Student Services and Amenities Fee (SSAF). It is a free aquatics education program, primarily focused on providing University students with the awareness, knowledge and skills crucial for water safety, survival and rescue.

An eight-lesson pilot program, comprised seven 30-minute pool lessons and a beach safety education session run by Life Saving Victoria (LSV), was attended by 110 students in Semester 1.

The weekly swimming lessons were run for small groups of four to five students by a qualified swimming instructor.

Following the pilot program's success, and a waiting list of 817 students, funding was granted for full programs to be run in Semester 2, 2017 and Semester 1, 2018. The Semester 2 program included 10

45-minute swimming lessons, complemented by LSV's education and practical beach sessions at St Kilda Beach, and was offered to 800 students.

Both programs run in 2017 had outstanding participation numbers (32 per cent male and 68 per cent female) with more than 15,000 total pool visits by the WSP participants for the year.

The participants, 84 per cent of whom were international students, indicated a high level of satisfaction with both the program and their overall University experience.



Water Safety Program participants

ACTIVE CAMPUS PROGRAM

The Active Campus Program was launched in Semester 2 to provide sport, fitness and recreational opportunities for students studying at non-Parkville campuses and for the international student cohort.

The program was supported through additional Student Services and Amenities Fee (SSAF) funding to encourage students to engage with each other in a friendly and active environment.

Regional students including those at Shepparton, Dookie and other rural clinical

schools participated in local sporting competitions, competed with local sporting clubs, relaxed with free on-site yoga classes, joined local fitness centres and engaged in stand-alone social sporting events.

A number of international student groups, as well as exchange students from the University's Global Mobility program, participated in socially-focused sporting events including an Australian Rules Football clinic, as well as Badminton, Futsal and Volleyball competitions. International students also made up a large contingent of spectators at various intervarsity sporting competitions throughout the year.

INDIGENOUS SPORT PROGRAM

The Indigenous Sport Program also launched in Semester 2 in partnership with the University's Institute for Indigenous Development, Murrup Barak.

The program aimed to engage Indigenous students in sporting, fitness and recreational opportunities at the University and was funded by the Student Services and Amenities Fee (SSAF). About 300 students activated an on-campus fitness membership and/or participated in Campus, Community and/or Club Sport programs.

SPORTING CLUBS

Sporting clubs offer a range of competitive, instructional and recreational opportunities for University students, staff, alumni and the wider community.

In 2017, there were 7875 club members who engaged in 250,946 participant opportunities through training, game days, trips and tours.

More details about each club can be found from p41.

REPRESENTATIVE SPORT

Students represent the University in a range of regional, national and occasionally international sporting competitions.

In 2017, 790 student-athletes represented the University in 83 recognised intervarsity competition games, matches or races providing 4317 representative sporting opportunities.

For further details on representative sport, see p22.



2017 Clubs Day



The University's Softball team at the Australian University Games

Neerim Callope [Bachelor of Arts]
competing in Rugby 7s at the
Australian University Games

425 ELITE ATHLETES (317 STUDENT-
ATHLETES AND 108 CLUB ATHLETES)

790 STUDENT-ATHLETES REPRESENTED THE UNIVERSITY

OVERALL SECOND PLACE AT THE
AUSTRALIAN UNIVERSITY GAMES

PERFORMANCE

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REPRESENTATIVE SPORT

Student-athletes are selected to represent the University at sporting competitions including the Varsity Challenge, Southern University Games, Australian University Games and Australian University Championships.

Australian University Games

The Australian University Games (AUG) is a multi-sport event held each year and involving most Australian universities. The Overall University Champion title is awarded to the University that wins the most competitions or national championships at the AUG. The University of Melbourne has been declared the Overall National Champion five times since 2005 with the most recent in 2013.

The AUG returned to the Gold Coast for the first time since 2015 and was held from 23-29

September. It was a tightly fought Games, with 19 universities winning at least one National Championships. The University of Melbourne team exceeded its efforts of 2016, winning seven National Championships, and securing a second place on the overall Games tally, one behind first-time overall Games Winners University of Technology Sydney.

The University finished in second place, ahead of Go8 rivals University of Queensland (5th), Monash University (5th) and University of Sydney (6th).

National Championships were won by University of Melbourne teams in Women's Badminton, Women's Cycling, Men's and Women's Fencing, Men's Surfing and Men's and Women's Table Tennis.

The University teams also brought home four silver medals at the games (Men's Badminton, Women's Football, Men's Hockey, and Women's Surfing) and five bronze medals, with another three teams securing top four finishes.



The victorious athletes at the Australian University Games

Australian University Championships and other Intervarsity Events

The Australian University Championships are separate from the University Games and are held as specialty events that require a particular environment, such as snow.

Championships are similar to University Games but are held at different times of the year depending on the sport and its unique requirements. Currently, these sports include Distance Running, League of Legends, Orienteering, Snow Sports and Triathlon.

The University won the 2017 National Championship in Women's Orienteering. Siblings Ian Lawford (Masters of Engineering)

and Belinda Lawford (Doctor of Philosophy candidate) both finished with Gold medals in the Men's and Women's Orienteering Championship, respectively. With an additional Silver medal, secured by Lanita Steer (Bachelor of Agriculture) in the Women's Competition, the University reclaimed the overall Orienteering Champions title.

The slopes of Thredbo, NSW, hosted Snow University Games in August, where the University Men's team finished 4th of 20 teams and the Women's team 7th of 17. Outstanding individual efforts included Jackson Comben (Master of Engineering)

winning two gold medals in Moguls and in the Men's Cross-Country Relay team, and Brooke Dunleavy (Bachelor of Arts) taking home a silver and two bronze medals.

Other Australian University Championship results are highlighted in the table opposite. These Championship results, combined with our Australian University Games results, lifted the University into second place in the Australian University Sport Overall Championships, accounting for all national championships across the year.

Southern University Games

The Southern University Games (SUG) were held in Geelong, from 2-6 July.

A small cohort of 11 teams with 86 student-athletes travelled to Geelong to represent the University at the 2017 regional games.

Silver medals were won by Men's 3x3 Basketball, Men's Cross-Country, Women's Futsal and Women's Volleyball, whilst Women's Netball, Men's Ultimate Mixed and Volleyball brought home a bronze.

Varsity Challenge

The traditional rivalry between Melbourne and Monash University reached a new level with head-to-head sporting competitions played in 15 sports over four days on both campuses.

Melbourne narrowly finished runners-up 8-7 with several matches decided by the narrowest of margins. New additions to the Varsity Challenge in 2017 included Badminton and Table Tennis.



Australian Rules Football Varsity Match against the University of Sydney

Representative Sport Results

TEAM	EVENT	LOCATION	RESULT	TEAM MANAGER	COACH
Athletics - Men	AUG	Gold Coast	8th [24]	Tristan Robinson	Terry Reade
Athletics - Women	AUG	Gold Coast	4th [26]	Stella Radford	Terry Reade
Australian Rules Football - Men	Go8 v Adelaide	Melbourne	Runners-up		John Kanis
Australian Rules Football - Men	Go8 v ANU	Canberra	Champions		John Kanis
Australian Rules Football - Men	Go8 v Sydney	Melbourne	Runners-up		John Kanis
Badminton - Men	AUG	Gold Coast	2nd [17]	Ashwant Gobinathan	Ross Smith
Badminton - Men	VC	Melbourne	Runners-up	Ashwant Gobinathan	Ross Smith
Badminton - Women	AUG	Gold Coast	1st [11]	Ashwant Gobinathan	Ross Smith
Badminton - Women	VC	Melbourne	Champions	Ashwant Gobinathan	Ross Smith
Baseball - Open	AUG	Gold Coast	5th [9]	Hiroshi Narasaki	Tyson Foreman
Basketball - Men	AUG	Gold Coast	9th [18]	Dominic Kumosz	Grantley Bernard
Basketball 3x3 - Men	SUG	Geelong	2nd [4]	Dominic Kumosz	
Basketball - Men	VC	Monash	Runners-up	Dominic Kumosz	Brendan Parnell
Basketball - Women	AUG	Gold Coast	12th [18]	Sasha Marmilic	Sam Fileccia
Basketball 3x3 - Women	SUG	Geelong	4th [4]	Sasha Marmilic	
Basketball - Women	VC	Monash	Runners-up	Sasha Marmilic	Brendan Parnell
Beach Volleyball - Mixed	AUG	Gold Coast	8th [24]	Michael Milanese	
Cross Country - Men	SUG	Geelong	2nd [6]	Samuel Toll	
Cross Country - Women	SUG	Geelong	5th [7]	Samuel Toll	
Cycling - Men	AUG	Gold Coast	Equal 6th [12]	John Prince	
Cycling - Women	AUG	Gold Coast	1st [9]	John Prince	
Distance Running - Men	AUC	Melbourne	1st [42]		
Distance Running - Women	AUC	Melbourne	4th [42]		
Fencing - Men	AUG	Gold Coast	1st [9]	Lucas Webber	
Fencing - Women	AUG	Gold Coast	1st [11]	Leah Tausan	
Football - Men	AUG	Gold Coast	3rd [20]	Dorian Sorace	Tom Mullumby
Football - Men	WEUFT	Beijing, China	Equal 5th [12]	Iain Scott	Tom Mullumby
Football - Men	VC	Monash	Champions		Tom Mullumby
Football - Women	AUG	Gold Coast	2nd [14]	Ebru Efe	Vince Battiato
Football - Women	VC	Monash	Champions		
Futsal - Men	AUG	Gold Coast	6th [17]	Eu Kin Lim	Menas Antachew
Futsal - Men	Swanston St Stoush	RMIT	Champions	Eu Kin Lim	
Futsal - Women	SUG	Geelong	2nd [4]	Rebecca Tran	Mehran Shafiei
Hockey - Men	AUG	Gold Coast	2nd [14]	Zane Hutter	James Stewart
Hockey - Men	VC	Melbourne	Champions	Zane Hutter	
Hockey - Women	AUG	Gold Coast	10th [16]	Alice Matson	Siobhan Moran
Hockey - Women	VC	Melbourne	Runners-up	Alice Matson	
Judo - Men	AUG	Gold Coast	Equal 11th [15]	Christian Smith	

Representative Sport Results (cont'd)

TEAM	EVENT	LOCATION	RESULT	TEAM MANAGER	COACH
Kendo - Open	AUG	Gold Coast	3rd [6]	Yaya Bonggotgetsakul	Kwangyul Jeong
Kendo - Women	AUG	Gold Coast	Equal 4th [6]	Yaya Bonggotgetsakul	Kwangyul Jeong
League of Legends	AUC	Online	Equal 6th [25]		
Netball - Women	AUG	Gold Coast	12th [19]	Tess Grimmond	Christopher Cameron
Netball - Women	SUG	Geelong	3rd [10]	Zanthe Burke	Christopher Cameron
Netball - Mixed	AUG	Gold Coast	14th [20]	Tess Grimmond	Christopher Cameron
Netball - Mixed	SUG	Geelong	5th [12]	Zanthe Burke	Christopher Cameron
Orienteering - Men	AUC	Canberra, ACT	4th [8]		
Orienteering - Women	AUC	Canberra, ACT	1st [5]		
Rowing - Men	AUG	Gold Coast	3rd [19]	Sarah Ben-David	Franz Imfeld
Rowing - Men's Coxed Eight	ABR	Melbourne	Runners-up		Franz Imfeld
Rowing - Women	AUG	Gold Coast	3rd [15]	Sarah Ben-David	Franz Imfeld
Rowing - Women's Coxed Eight	ABR	Melbourne	Runners-up		
Rugby Union 7s - Men	AUG	Gold Coast	13th [15]	Ian Jones	Tyronne Mitchell
Sailing	AUG	Gold Coast	5th [7]	Thomas Klemens	
Sailing	ITUR	Qingdao, China	Equal 2nd [20]	Thomas Klemens	
Snow Sports - Men	AUC	Thredbo, NSW	4th [20]	Brooke Dunleavy	
Snow Sports - Women	AUC	Thredbo, NSW	7th [17]	Brooke Dunleavy	
Softball	AUG	Gold Coast	5th [10]	Tegan Haering	Jell Radford
Squash - Men	AUG	Gold Coast	7th [7]	Nicholas Evagora	
Surfing - Men	AUG	Gold Coast	1st [12]	Kerrod Moller-Neilsen	
Surfing - Women	AUG	Gold Coast	2nd [8]	Kerrod Moller-Neilsen	
Swimming - Men	AUG	Gold Coast	11th [15]	Sam Williamson	
Swimming - Women	AUG	Gold Coast	11th [17]	Sam Williamson	
T20 Cricket - Men	VC	Melbourne	Runners-up		
Table Tennis - Men	AUG	Gold Coast	1st [9]	Steven Phan	
Table Tennis - Men	VC	Monash	Runners-up	David Pham	
Table Tennis - Women	AUG	Gold Coast	1st [5]	Steven Phan	
Table Tennis - Women	VC	Monash	Runners-up	David Pham	
Taekwondo - Men	AUG	Gold Coast	9th [17]	Xiuwen Peng	Tuan Le Truong
Taekwondo - Women	AUG	Gold Coast	4th [13]	Xiuwen Peng	Tuan Le Truong
Tennis - Men	AUG	Gold Coast	7th [22]	Charlie Godber	Syed Junaid Hossain
Tennis - Women	AUG	Gold Coast	9th [11]	Rasita Vinay	Syed Junaid Hossain
Touch Football - Men	AUG	Gold Coast	8th [14]	Lincoln Stanley	Joshua Hogan
Touch Football - Women	AUG	Gold Coast	7th [10]	Lincoln Stanley	
Touch Football - Mixed	VC	Melbourne	Champions	Lincoln Stanley	
Triathlon - Men	AUC	Mordialloc, Vic	9th [23]		
Triathlon - Women	AUC	Mordialloc, Vic	16th [23]		

Representative Sport Results (cont'd)

TEAM	EVENT	LOCATION	RESULT	TEAM MANAGER	COACH
Ultimate Frisbee - Men	AUG	Gold Coast	5th (14)	Mark Lee	Victor Pupko
Ultimate Frisbee - Mixed	SUG	Geelong	3rd (16)	Kuan Yen Lo	Victor Pupko
Ultimate Frisbee - Mixed	VC	Monash	Runners-up	Mark Lee	
Volleyball - Men	AUG	Gold Coast	5th (12)	Anthony Williams	Patrick Kirley
Volleyball - Men	SUG	Geelong	3rd (6)	Anthony Williams	James Walsh
Volleyball - Men	VC	Melbourne	Champions	Anthony Williams	Patrick Kirley
Volleyball - Women	AUG	Gold Coast	3rd (9)	Alana Guerin	Emilie Lim
Volleyball - Women	SUG	Geelong	2nd (7)	Alana Guerin	Patrick Vo
Volleyball - Women	VC	Melbourne	Champions	Alana Guerin	Patrick Vo
Water Polo - Men	AUG	Gold Coast	6th (13)	Lachie Rath	Linden Denholm
Water Polo - Women	AUG	Gold Coast	10th (13)	Kate Walker	Linden Denholm

Notes: The bracketed number represents the number of competing universities (combining both Division 1 and 2 teams where multiple divisions); AUG represents the Australian University Games; AUC represents the Australian University Championships; SUG represents the Southern University Games; VC represents the Varsity Challenge; ABR represents the Australian Boat Race; ITUR represents the International Top University Regatta; WEUFT represents the World Elite University Football Tournament



The Men's and Women's Badminton teams at the Varsity Challenge against Monash



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BLUES AND SPORTS AWARDS

The University awards Blues to student-athletes for outstanding sporting performance at the Australian University Games and Championships.

The sporting achievements of 2017 were celebrated in late November with a presentation and reception in the Kathleen Fitzpatrick Theatre, Arts West, on the Parkville campus. Full Blues were awarded to 40 student-athletes, with another 56 Half Blues awarded. The keynote speaker for the evening was Dr Damien Angus (Honours Physiology, MBA), a 13-time Blues recipient in Cross Country, Cycling, Duathlon, Marathon and Triathlon. Dr Angus spoke of his fond memories representing the University, the significance of receiving a Blue, and how sport has continued to be a part of his life after graduation. He also encouraged those in attendance to continue participating in sport and advocated for a healthy lifestyle.

Rowing contributed the largest number of Blues with 11 while Football and Athletics were close behind with 10 awards respectively.

Ebru Efe (Doctor of Physiotherapy) from Women's Football was acknowledged as the University Sport Team Manager of the Year, for her drive to succeed, event-time team management and professionalism. Ross Smith was named University Sport Coach of the Year for his expertise and support mentoring the Badminton teams to gold (Women) and silver (Men) medals.

Men's Table Tennis was the University Sport Team of the Year for its surprising National Championship at the Australian University Games after a come-from-behind upset victory over UNSW to win the gold medal.

As undefeated number one seed, Green and Gold recipient, Team Manager and

Captain of Men's Badminton, Ashwant Gobinathan (Doctor of Medicine) was named the Male Athlete of the Year. Cyclist Ruby Roseman-Gannon (Bachelor of Science) was awarded Female Athlete of the Year for her three individual gold medals and one silver medal in leading the Women's Cycling team to a National Championship.

World Rowing Championship silver medallist Alice Arch (Bachelor of Science, Honours) was announced as the winner of the Outstanding Sporting Achievement of the Year for her medal in the Women's Lightweight Quad Scull at the World Rowing Championships in Sarasota-Bradenton, USA. Alice's first appearance in Green and Gold was at the World Cup III event where the same crew won a gold medal. She also stroked the University's Women's Eight+ in the 2017 Australian Boat Race.



Sport Award recipients recognised for their outstanding performances

Blues Awards by Sport

SPORT	BLUES RECEIVED
Rowing	11
Football	10 (8 full)
Athletics	10 (6 full)
Hockey	8 (3 full)
Badminton	7 (3 full)
Table Tennis	7 (3 full)

University Sport Team Manager of the Year
Ebru Efe (Football - Women)

University Sport Coach of the Year
Ross Smith (Badminton)

University Sport Team of the Year
Men's Table Tennis

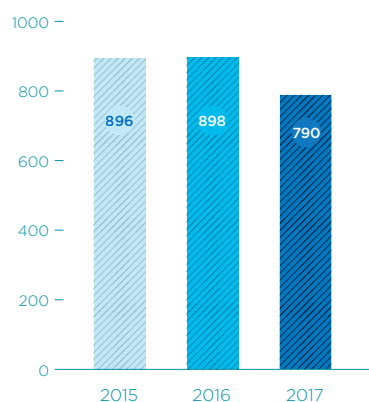
University Sport Male Athlete of the Year
Ashwant Gobinathan (Badminton)

University Sport Female Athlete of the Year
Ruby Roseman-Gannon (Cycling)

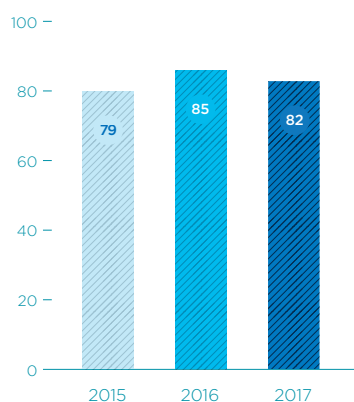
Outstanding Sporting Achievement of the Year
Alice Arch (Rowing)

REPRESENTATIVE SPORT BY THE NUMBERS

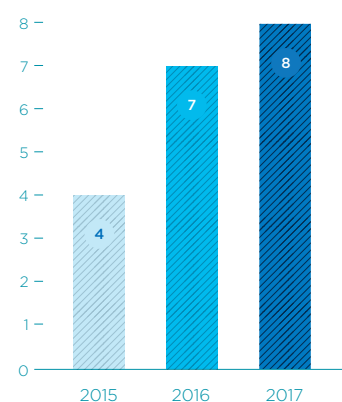
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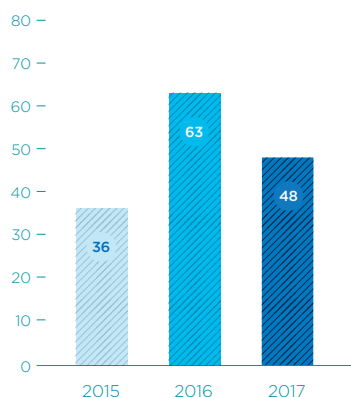
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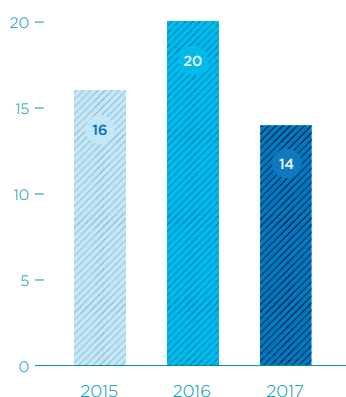
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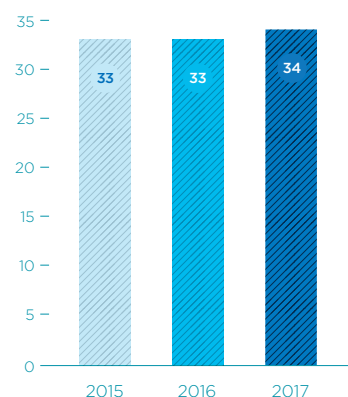
Individual Medals³



Team/Crew Medals³



Green and Gold Recipients^{3,4}



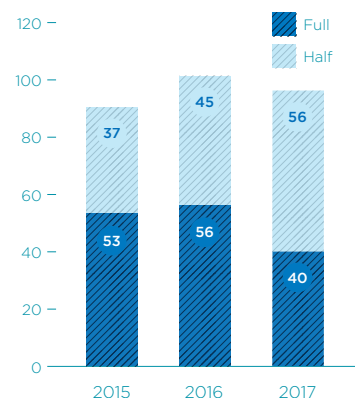
Australian University Games - Overall



Australian University Sport - Overall



Sporting Blues Awarded





Zane Hutter (Bachelor of Science) competing at the Australian University Games

¹ Representatives include student-athletes, team managers and coaches of teams competing at Australian University Sport regional and national competitions, Varsity Challenge and other intervarsity competitions

² Sporting competitions refer to the number of team competitions entered by the University of Melbourne at Australian University Sport regional and national competitions, Varsity Challenge and other intervarsity competitions

³ Australian University Championships Won, Individual Medals, Team/Crew Medals and Green and Gold Recipients refer to Australian University Sport national competitions only

⁴ Green and Gold awards are All-Star teams selected from competing teams at Australian University Sport national competitions

Note: Representative data includes 18 competitors only for the 2017 Australian University Championship - Distance Running

ELITE ATHLETE PROGRAM

The Elite Athlete Program (EAP) supports student-athletes enrolled at the University.

The EAP supported 317 student-athletes in 2017; an additional 108 non-student club members received in-kind support.

A highlight of 2017 was the performances of Regan Lambie (Athletics - Graduate

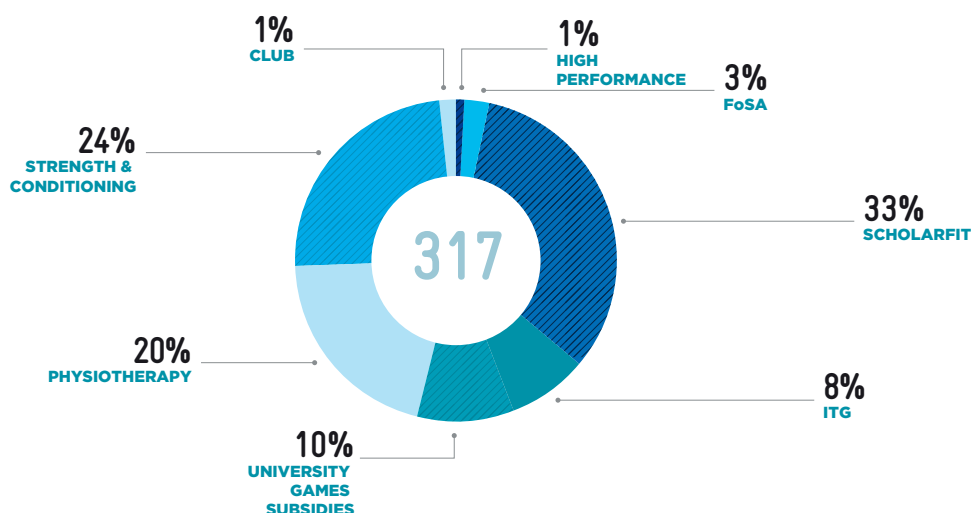
Diploma in Arts), Edward Fitzgerald (Fencing - Bachelor of Science), Lucas Webber (Fencing - Master of Arts), and Belinda Lawford (Orienteering - Doctor of Philosophy) at their respective World Championships. All performed with distinction in their respective events.

In addition to these achievements, Alice Arch (Rowing - Bachelor of Science) and

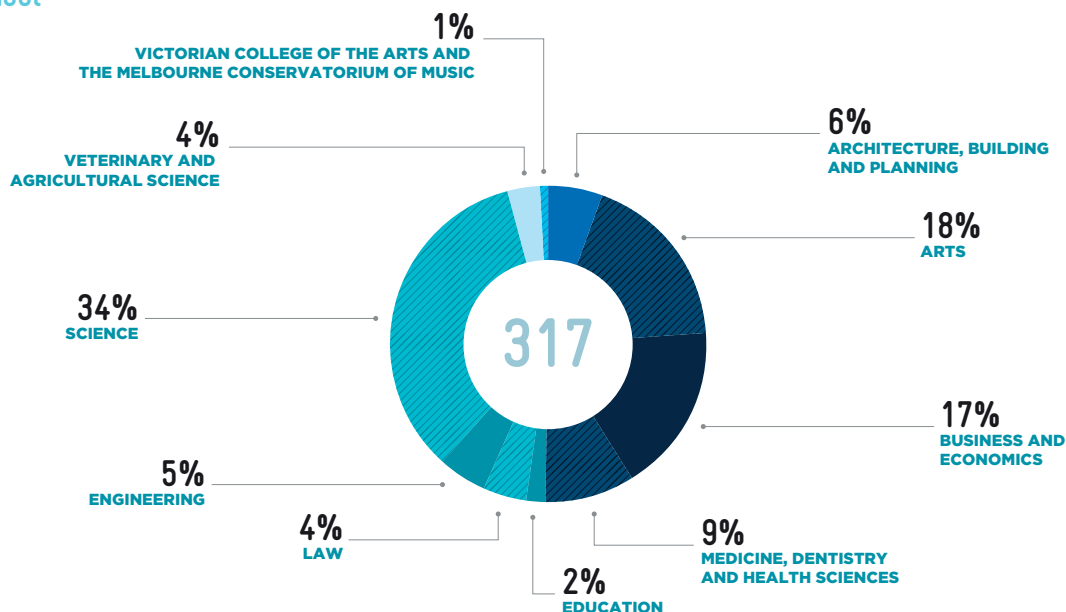
Laura Barden (Hockey - Bachelor of Science) were chosen as part of their Senior National squads.

In late September, Arch put the finishing touches on her outstanding year by winning a silver medal as part of Australia's Lightweight Quad Scull crew at the Rowing World Championships in Florida.

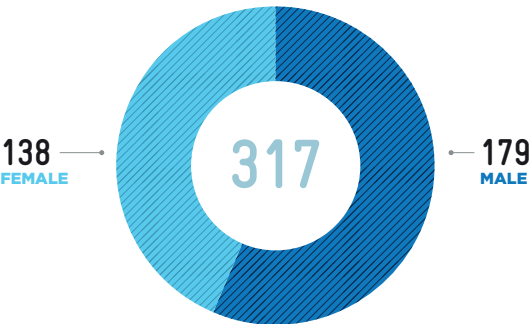
Elite Athlete Student Support by Type



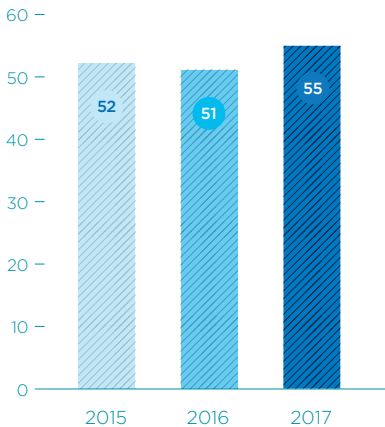
Elite Athlete Students by Faculty/School



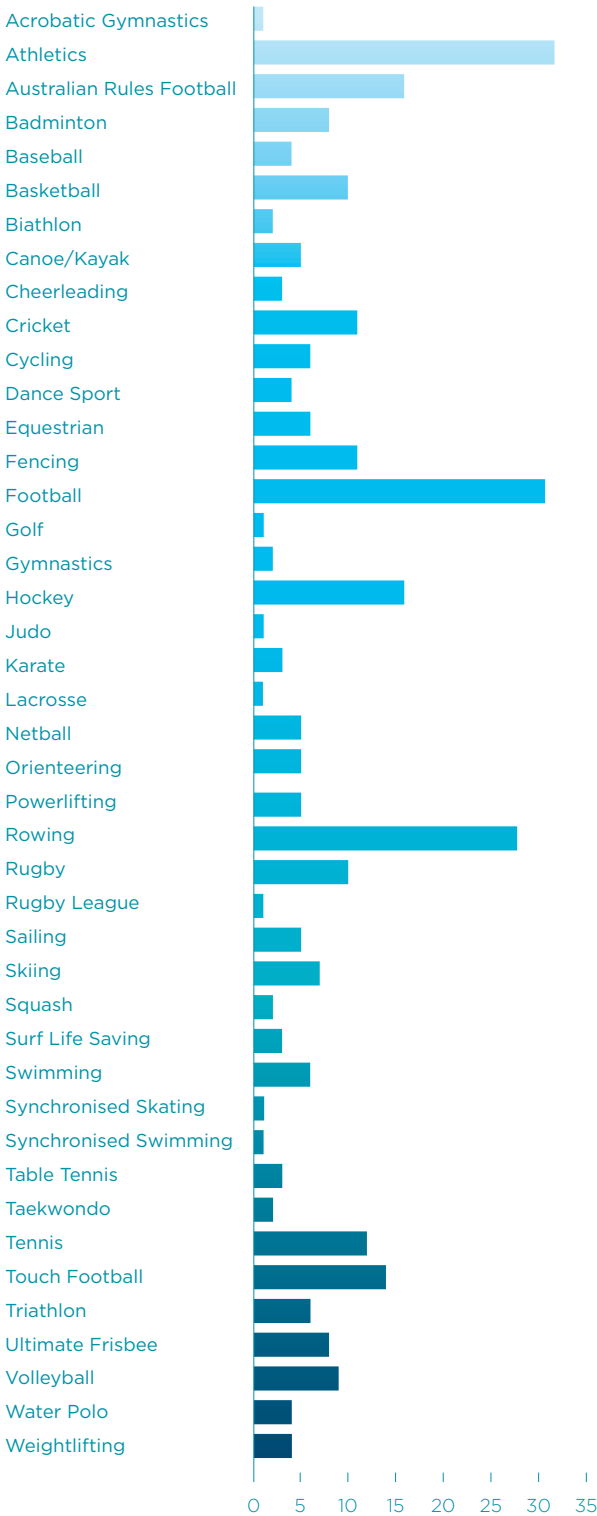
Elite Athlete Student Support by Gender



Total Number of National Representatives by Year



Elite Athlete Student by Sport



OUTSTANDING INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

LEGEND

High Performance Scholarships

High Performance scholarships (valued up to \$10,000) are generally awarded to the University's elite student-athletes who have been senior, national representatives in Olympic, Commonwealth and/or International University Sports Federation (FISU) sports. Support includes a cash bursary, free physiotherapy with EAP partner Elite Academy Sports Medicine and specialised strength and conditioning coaching and programming.

The sport-specific Andrew and Geraldine Buxton Athletics Scholarship (valued at \$15,000) is the University's most prestigious High Performance scholarship.

Friends of the Sports Association Scholarships

Friends of the Sports Association scholarships (valued up to \$9000) are awarded to national age level and/or state level representatives who are also members of affiliated Melbourne University sporting clubs (and may also include non-members where a sport is not represented by an affiliated club). Support includes a cash bursary, free physiotherapy with EAP partner Elite Academy Sports Medicine and specialised strength and conditioning coaching and programming.

Club Scholarship

Club Scholarships are awarded on behalf of University sporting clubs to student-athletes who compete at the highest level of club competition. These scholarships range from club fee waivers up to \$2500 cash bursaries. This support facilitates the growth of student athlete participation in Melbourne University sporting clubs.

Full Blues

A Full Blue can be awarded for outstanding individual performance or contribution to the success of a University representative sporting team at an endorsed intervarsity competition.

Half Blues

A Half Blue can be awarded to a sportsman or sportswoman whose performance has been very close to outstanding whilst representing a University team.

International Representatives

Students-athletes are recognised for their selection to represent Australia (unless otherwise noted) in an international sporting event.

FACULTY AND SCHOOL KEY

ABP - Faculty of Architecture, Building and Planning

CAP - Community Access Program

MDHS - Faculty of Medicine, Dentistry and Health Sciences

VAS - Faculty of Veterinary and Agricultural Sciences

ARTS - Faculty of Arts

EDU - Melbourne Graduate School of Education

MSE - Melbourne School of Engineering

VCA - Victorian College of the Arts and the Melbourne Conservatorium of Music

B & E - Faculty of Business and Economics

LAW - Melbourne Law School

SCI - Faculty of Science



The 2017 Blues and Sports Awards recipients

JACK ABBOTT**Faculty:** ABP**Sport:** Sailing

Sailing - International Games

**ZACHARIAH AHMAD****Faculty:** ARTS**Sport:** Football**ROBERT ANDERSON****Faculty:** ARTS**Sport:** Hockey**ALICE ARCH****Faculty:** SCI**Sport:** Rowing

Rowing - World Championships

**HAYLEY BAKER****Faculty:** ARTS**Sport:** Swimming

Swimming - World University Games

**JOSEPH BALDWIN****Faculty:** B & E**Sport:** Athletics

Athletics - World University Games

**LAURA BARDEN****Faculty:** SCI**Sport:** Hockey

Hockey - World League Semi Finals

**SARAH BEN-DAVID****Faculty:** B & E**Sport:** Rowing**MARLAYNA BERNSTEN****Faculty:** B & E**Sport:** Athletics**SARAH BILLINGS****Faculty:** ABP**Sport:** Athletics

Athletics - World University Games

**CATRIONA BISSETT****Faculty:** ABP**Sport:** Athletics**AMY BONGETTI****Faculty:** MDHS**Sport:** Karate

Karate - World Junior Championships

**JOSH BOOTH****Faculty:** MDHS**Sport:** Rowing**XENIA BROOKES****Faculty:** SCI**Sport:** Netball**KATHRYN BROOKS****Faculty:** SCI**Sport:** Athletics

Athletics - World University Games

**RODNEY BROWN****Faculty:** B & E**Sport:** Dance Sport

Dancesport - International Championships

**ALANA BUTLER****Faculty:** MDHS**Sport:** Hockey**JOEL CAIN****Faculty:** ARTS**Sport:** Rowing**STEFAN CARDAMONE****Faculty:** SCI**Sport:** Football**LAURA CAYZER****Faculty:** ABP**Sport:** Netball**KEY**

Full Blues

High Performance Scholarships

Half Blues

Friends of the Sports Association Scholarships

Club Scholarship

International Representatives

EMMA CHILTON**Faculty:** SCI**Sport:** Cycling**ZIJING CHU****Faculty:** ABP**Sport:** Dragon Boating

Dragon Boating - World Nations U24 Championships



PATRICE CIALDELLA

Faculty: ARTS
Sport: Rowing

**NICOLETTE CICCARELLI**

Faculty: ABP
Sport: Football

**EDMUND COLEMAN**

Faculty: ARTS
Sport: Rowing

**BEN COLLINS**

Faculty: ARTS
Sport: Rugby
 Rugby Young Achievers
 Award Recipient

JACKSON COMBEN

Faculty: ABP
Sport: Skiing - Alpine

**ROBERT CORDEN-MCKINLEY**

Faculty: VAS
Sport: Rowing

**DANIELLE CROSSWELL**

Faculty: SCI
Sport: Touch

**JOSHUA DE BELL**

Faculty: ARTS
Sport: Ultimate Frisbee

**MORGAN DE MAN**

Faculty: ARTS
Sport: Hockey

**MEEZAAN DICKINSON**

Faculty: SCI
Sport: Karate
 Karate - World Junior
 Championships

**SOPHIA DONG**

Faculty: B & E
Sport: Table Tennis
 Table Tennis - World University
 Games

**ANNA DONLAN**

Faculty: VAS
Sport: Volleyball

**MORGAN DOTY**

Faculty: ABP
Sport: Baseball
 Baseball - International Tour

**BRIGIT DOYLE**

Faculty: SCI
Sport: Canoe Polo
 Canoe Polo - Oceania
 Championships

**JESSE DUNCAN**

Faculty: SCI
Sport: Hockey

**BROOKE DUNLEAVY**

Faculty: ARTS
Sport: Skiing - Alpine & Freestyle

**JOHN-JOHN DUPONT**

Faculty: B & E
Sport: Hockey

**AMITTY EDGEWORTH**

Faculty: SCI
Sport: Touch

**EBRU EFE**

Faculty: SCI
Sport: Football

**CARL EISELEN**

Faculty: MDHS
Sport: Rowing

**EDWARD FITZGERALD**

Faculty: SCI
Sport: Fencing
 Fencing - World Championships

**IMOGEN FITZGERALD**

Faculty: SCI
Sport: Fencing
 Fencing - Oceania Championships

**JEREMY FLANAGAN**

Faculty: SCI
Sport: Skiing - Biathlon
 Biathlon - World University
 Games

**MATTHEW FOSTER**

Faculty: B & E
Sport: Fencing
 Fencing - World Cup



ANTONIA GAUSACHS**Faculty:** ARTS**Sport:** Water Polo**LIAM GIBSON****Faculty:** SCI**Sport:** Volleyball**ASHWANT GOBINATHAN****Faculty:** MDHS**Sport:** Badminton

Badminton - Oceania Championships

**ANTON GRIMUS****Faculty:** MSE**Sport:** Skiing - Freestyle

Freestyle Skiing - World Cup events

**EMMA GROSS****Faculty:** SCI**Sport:** Football**CLAUDIA GUELI****Faculty:** ARTS**Sport:** Skiing - Moguls

Moguls Skiing - World Cup events

**ALANA GUERIN****Faculty:** SCI**Sport:** Volleyball**MOHAMMED HABIB****Faculty:** SCI**Sport:** Football**NICHOLAS HALLAM****Faculty:** B & E**Sport:** Water Polo

Water Polo - World Junior Championships

**GEORGIA HANSEN****Faculty:** B & E**Sport:** Athletics**JACKSON HARRISON****Faculty:** EDU**Sport:** Rowing**ISAAC HAYES****Faculty:** SCI**Sport:** Fencing

Fencing - Oceania Championships

**TIMOTHY HEATHCOTE****Faculty:** LAW**Sport:** Touch**ELIZABETH HEDDING****Faculty:** B & E**Sport:** Athletics

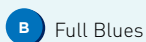
Athletics - World University Games

**ISAAC HOCKEY****Faculty:** MDHS**Sport:** Athletics

Athletics - World University Games

**ZANE HUTTER****Faculty:** SCI**Sport:** Hockey**ZOE HUNT****Faculty:** SCI**Sport:** Athletics**FINNIAN HUZZEY****Faculty:** SCI**Sport:** Football**SHAWN INGLE****Faculty:** B & E**Sport:** Rugby

Peter Hone Scholarship Recipient

ILONA JAKAB VON SZENGELICE**Faculty:** MDHS**Sport:** Football**KEY**

Full Blues



High Performance Scholarships



Half Blues



Friends of the Sports Association Scholarships



Club Scholarship



International Representatives

NICHOLAS JOVANOVSKI**Faculty:** B & E**Sport:** Tennis

Tennis - International Futures events

**LEE YEN KHOO****Faculty:** MDHS**Sport:** Badminton

MITCHELL KHOO**Faculty:** MSE**Sport:** Ultimate Frisbee**THOMAS KLEMENS****Faculty:** B & E**Sport:** Sailing**DOMINIC KUMOSZ****Faculty:** ABP**Sport:** Basketball**REGAN LAMBLE****Faculty:** ARTS**Sport:** AthleticsAthletics - World Championships
and Buxton Athletics Scholarship
Recipient**HARRISON LANG****Faculty:** ABP**Sport:** Hockey**BELINDA LAWFORD****Faculty:** ARTS**Sport:** OrienteeringOrienteering - World
Championships**IAN LAWFORD****Faculty:** MSE**Sport:** OrienteeringOrienteering - Oceania
Championships**CHENG JUN LEE****Faculty:** B & E**Sport:** Badminton**ELIZA LENNON****Faculty:** ARTS**Sport:** CheerleadingCheerleading - World
Championships**JOYCE LEUNG****Faculty:** ABP**Sport:** Badminton**YIWEN LI****Faculty:** SCI**Sport:** Table Tennis**JASPER MACCUSPIE****Faculty:** ARTS**Sport:** Fencing

Fencing - Oceania Championships

**ZHIYUAN MAO****Faculty:** ABP**Sport:** Badminton**ALICE MATSON****Faculty:** SCI**Sport:** Hockey**INDIA MCKENZIE****Faculty:** ABP**Sport:** Rowing**LUKAS MICHEL****Faculty:** MSE**Sport:** GolfGolf - International University
Championship**CYRUS MONK****Faculty:** SCI**Sport:** Cycling**NICHOLAS MONTGOMERY****Faculty:** LAW**Sport:** Skiing - Cross-CountryCross Country Skiing - Nordic
World Championships**ISABELLE NAPIER****Faculty:** ABP**Sport:** Athletics**HIROSHI NARASAKI****Faculty:** VAS**Sport:** Baseball**STEFAN NIGRO****Faculty:** ABP**Sport:** FootballFootball - Asian U23
Championship Qualifiers**HUU DUC THANG NGUYEN****Faculty:** SCI**Sport:** Kendo**JONTY O'CALLAGHAN****Faculty:** ARTS**Sport:** Skiing - AlpineAlpine Skiing - IPC World Cup
events**JAMIE OGILVIE-LEE****Faculty:** LAW**Sport:** Water Polo

HANNAH PAMMENT

Faculty: SCI
Sport: Powerlifting
 Powerlifting - World Championships

**EMILY PATTEN**

Faculty: ARTS
Sport: Fencing
 Fencing - Asian U23 Championships

**MARCUS PETERS**

Faculty: VCA
Sport: Volleyball

**STEVEN PHAN**

Faculty: MDHS
Sport: Table Tennis

**ALEXANDRA PRENTICE**

Faculty: MDHS
Sport: Ultimate Frisbee
 Ultimate Frisbee - World Championships

**STELLA RADFORD**

Faculty: SCI
Sport: Athletics
 Athletics - World University Games

**REBECCA RADNY**

Faculty: ARTS
Sport: Equestrian
 Equestrian - World Junior Championships

**JOEL RIMES**

Faculty: ARTS
Sport: Basketball

**ANNA RINDFLEISH**

Faculty: MDHS
Sport: Volleyball



Stella Radford (Bachelor of Science) competing at the Australian University Championships in Sydney

TRISTAN ROBINSON

Faculty: MSE
Sport: Athletics
 Athletics - World University Games

**RUBY ROSEMAN-GANNON**

Faculty: SCI
Sport: Cycling

**LINCOLN SALIWONCZYK**

Faculty: ARTS
Sport: Rugby
 Peter Hone Scholarship Recipient

REBECCA SCHAFER

Faculty: SCI
Sport: Softball

**MATTHEW SCOTT**

Faculty: SCI
Sport: Athletics

**ARIF SHAHRUM**

Faculty: SCI
Sport: Powerlifting
 Powerlifting - Oceania Junior Championships

**MAX SHEATS**

Faculty: B & E
Sport: Water Polo

**KEY**

Full Blues



High Performance Scholarships



Half Blues



Friends of the Sports Association Scholarships



Club Scholarship



International Representatives

ENOCH SHEN

Faculty: MDHS
Sport: Baseball

**YANG SHEN**

Faculty: B & E
Sport: Table Tennis



JIALI SHU

Faculty: B & E
Sport: Badminton

**THOMAS SINCLAIR**

Faculty: ARTS
Sport: Hockey

**BRYDIE SIRYJ**

Faculty: ARTS
Sport: Football

**ISAAC SMITH**

Faculty: SCI
Sport: Rowing

**ELIZA SOLLY**

Faculty: ARTS
Sport: Sailing
Sailing - World Championships

**ASHA STEER**

Faculty: ABP
Sport: Orienteering
Orienteering - World Junior Championships

**LANITA STEER**

Faculty: ABP
Sport: Orienteering
Orienteering - Oceania Championships

**MATILDA STEVENSON**

Faculty: SCI
Sport: Canoeing
Canoeing - World U23 Championships

**JAMES STORY**

Faculty: ARTS
Sport: Netball

**GEORGIA SULLIVAN**

Faculty: SCI
Sport: Ultimate Frisbee
Ultimate - International U24 Cup

**ELLA SWAN**

Faculty: VAS
Sport: Surfing

**WILLIAM TAGGART**

Faculty: SCI
Sport: Basketball

**HAYLEY TAN**

Faculty: VCA
Sport: Ultimate Frisbee
Ultimate - International U24 Cup

**LEAH TAUSAN**

Faculty: ABP
Sport: Fencing
Fencing - Asian U23 Championships

**RHYS THOMAS**

Faculty: ARTS
Sport: Table Tennis

**RIA THOMPSON**

Faculty: SCI
Sport: Rowing

**HAI TRAN**

Faculty: MDHS
Sport: Taekwondo

**DEBORAH TSAI**

Faculty: LAW
Sport: Synchronised Swimming

**JONATHAN VAKIRITZIS**

Faculty: B & E
Sport: Football

**MATILDA VIDLER**

Faculty: B & E
Sport: Triathlon
Triathlon - World Age Championships

**ED WALMSLEY**

Faculty: VAS
Sport: Rowing

**KEXIN WANG**

Faculty: SCI
Sport: Table Tennis

**PHOEBE WARDLAW**

Faculty: ARTS
Sport: Dance Sport
Dancesport - Asian International Open

**LILLIAN WARDLEWORTH**

Faculty: ARTS
Sport: Volleyball



LUCAS WEBBER**Faculty:** ARTS**Sport:** Fencing

Fencing - World Championships

**ANTHONY WILLIAMS****Faculty:** B & E**Sport:** Volleyball**SARAH WINCH****Faculty:** EDU**Sport:** Netball**LOCHLAN WISE****Faculty:** ABP**Sport:** Ultimate Frisbee

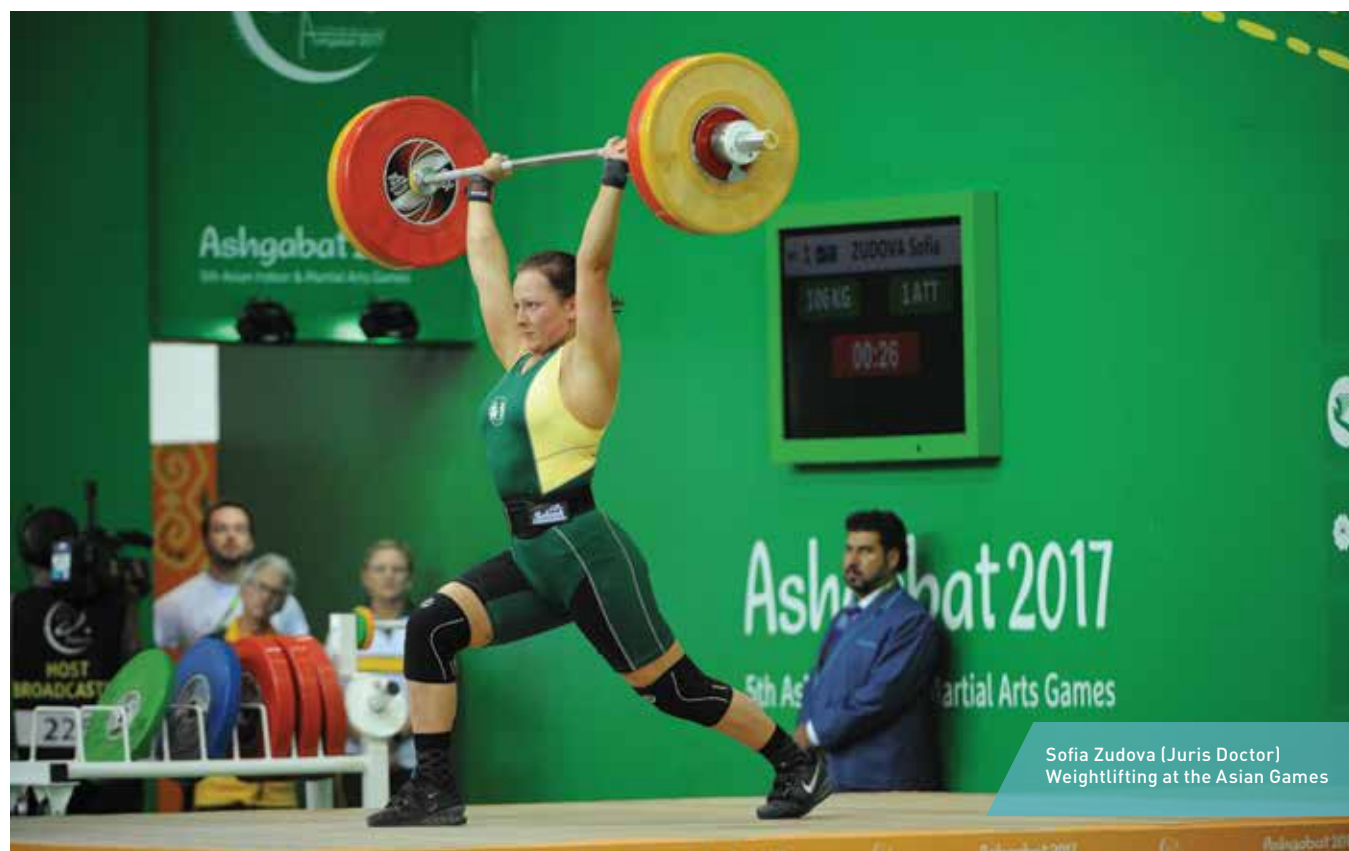
Ultimate Frisbee - World Games

**XIWEN SAMANTHA WONG****Faculty:** B & E**Sport:** Table Tennis**OSCAR WOOKEY****Faculty:** SCI**Sport:** Hockey**ALICE WU****Faculty:** B & E**Sport:** Badminton**XI XI****Faculty:** B & E**Sport:** Volleyball**CLAYTON YOUNG****Faculty:** ARTS**Sport:** Dance Sport

Dancesport - Asian International Open

**THOMAS ZEITLHOFFER****Faculty:** ABP**Sport:** Futsal**SOFIA ZUDOVA****Faculty:** LAW**Sport:** Weightlifting

Weightlifting - Asian Games



Sofia Zudova (Juris Doctor)
Weightlifting at the Asian Games

Keiko Takahashi (Faculty of Arts)
competing in the Water Polo
Victoria Women's State League 2

250,946 PARTICIPANT OPPORTUNITIES

7875 CLUB MEMBERS

42 SPORTING CLUBS

CLUBS

CLUBS

The University of Melbourne's sporting clubs provide sporting, instructional and recreational opportunities for students, staff, alumni and the greater University community. There are currently 42 affiliated clubs with a total of 7875 active members, offering more than 250,946 participant opportunities in 2017. These participant opportunities include competitions at local, state and national level (see p23 for details).

COMPETITIVE

Athletics

Established 1890

The Melbourne University Athletics Club (MUAC) is one of the oldest sporting clubs in Australia.

MUAC had a banner year, winning the Division 1 AV Shield title for the first time in 10 years and competed strongly for top division premierships across summer and winter. Regan Lamble performed admirably at the World Championship in the 20-kilometre walk, three MUAC athletes

competed at the Oceania Championships and a cohort of seven University of Melbourne athletes represented Australia well at World University Games. Lisa Weightman finished the London Marathon with the third-fastest time ever achieved by an Australian female athlete MUAC took home six medals at the Australian Championships, a recent high. The club retains the largest cohort of open-age athletes in Victoria and continues to thrive.

President
Hamish Beaumont

Secretary
David McDonald

Treasurer
Tim Hui

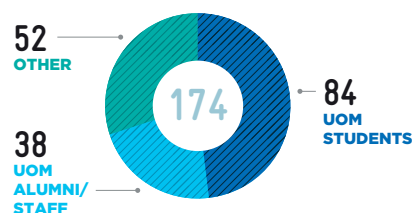
Senior Coaches
Sandro Bissetto
Tony Brain
Warren Hill
Dion Houtman
Manfred
Lewandowski
Terry Reade

Club Team Performance

SEASON	DIVISION	RESULT
AV Shield 16/17	Division 1 Women	Premiers
AV Shield 16/17	Division 1 Men	4th
XCR17	Premier Men	2nd
XCR17	Premier Women	7th
XCR17	U20 Women	Premiers

Note: AV Shield 16/17 represents the 2016/17 Track and Field season competition; XCR17 represents the 2017 Cross Country season.

Club Membership Participation Data



National Representation

MEMBER NAME	CHAMPIONSHIP	DISCIPLINE	RESULT
Stella Radford	29th Summer World University Games	3000m Steeplechase	Final, 13th
Isaac Hockey	29th Summer World University Games	1500m	Final, 6th
Joseph Balwdin	29th Summer World University Games	High Jump	Heat, 2.10m
Regan Lamble	IAAF World Championships	20km Race Walk	22nd

Athletics (cont'd)

Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	CHAMPIONSHIP	DISCIPLINE	ACHIEVEMENT
Lisa Weightman	London Marathon	Women's	5th
Sarah Billings	95th AAC	U20 800m	1st
Sarah Billings, Email Lawson	95th AAC	Open 4x400m	2nd
Joel Baden	95th AAC	Open High Jump	1st
Jarod Pageot	95th AAC	Open Decathlon	3rd
Stella Radford	95th AAC	Open Steeplechase	2nd
Linda Leverton	95th AAC	Open Triple Jump	3rd

Note: 95th AAC represents the 95th Australian Athletics Championships



Badminton

Established 1956

The Badminton Club offers high-performance and social opportunities for all badminton enthusiasts within the University community.

Throughout the year the Badminton Club continued its partnership with Badminton Victoria to support the Casual Badminton (Casminton) Program with the aim to encourage engagement and club participation from casual badminton players. The Badminton Club's representative squad and its associated Club Athlete Support

Scheme (CASS) were also prioritised with increased effort to improve the training quality and competition outcome following a renewal phase in 2016. In 2018, the Badminton Club will initiate greater association with MU Sport and its scholarship recipients. This will provide a unified and sustainable pathway for student athletes to represent the Club and the University with increased competitive edge, as part of the strategic positioning of the Club.

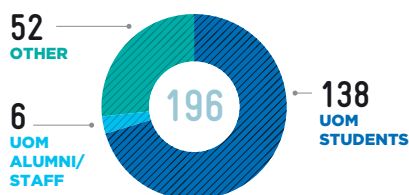
President
Nicholas Yee

Vice-President
Apisith
Ngampravatdee

Secretary
Jason Tang
Dannel Yeo

Treasurer
Peejade Cheng

Club Membership Participation Data



Club Team Performance

COMPETITION	LEAGUE	DIVISION	RESULT
Gosen Teams Invitational	Badminton Victoria	Men's Open	3rd
Gosen Teams Invitational	Badminton Victoria	Women's Open	4th
Gosen Teams Invitational	Badminton Victoria	Mixed Graded - Plate	2nd

National Representation

MEMBER NAME	CHAMPIONSHIP	DISCIPLINE	RESULT
Ashwant Gobinathan	Sudirman Cup World Championship	Mixed Doubles	15th
Ashwant Gobinathan	CASA DEL SOLE Noumea International 2017	Men's Singles	1st

Baseball

Established 1926

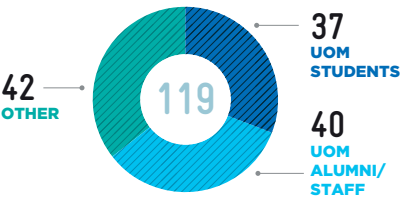
The Baseball Club is open to students, alumni and friends of the University, with Men's teams playing in the Melbourne Winter Baseball League and Women's in the Dandenong Baseball Association competition.

The Baseball Club is the largest and most competitive university baseball club in the state, with both men's and women's teams representing the University in winter competitions at all levels. Although this year saw the Club's top teams losing in a heartbreaking finals series, the Club is continuing to grow through the addition of another men's team and consistent improvement in overall results across the club.

- President**
Tom Andronas
- Secretary**
Keiran Warnock
- Vice-President**
Matt Donoghue
Robbie Higginson
Stephen Winship
- Treasurer**
Rod Martinich
- Senior Coach**
Gary Bitmead



Club Membership Participation Data



Club Team Performance

LEAGUE	DIVISION	RESULT
Melbourne Winter Baseball League	B Grade	3rd
Dandenong Baseball Association	Women's	4th

Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	CHAMPIONSHIP	DIVISION	ACHIEVEMENT
Gary Mills	MWBL	B Grade 2	League MVP
Abbey Kelly	National Championship	Women's	1st

Note: MVP refers to Most Valuable Player

Basketball

Established 1954

With a first-class home court and training facilities, the University Basketball Club offers teams for men and women of all playing standards, including teams in the Big V Basketball League.

MUBC Big V teams are showing a strong return to form with the Division 1 Men back into the playoff race after a strong season. The Division 2 Women were once again competing for a championship. Coupled with the vibrant domestic showing, MUBC continues to consolidate and provide solid basketball results, unique among independent clubs that have no youth programs from which to develop talent.

President
Amanda Douglass

Vice-President
Will Burrell

Secretary
Nicholas White

Treasurer
Jason Kotchoff

Senior Coach - Men
Grantley Bernard

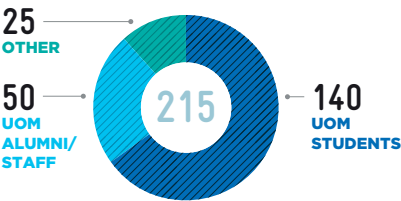
Senior Coach - Women
Sam Fileccia



Club Team Performance

LEAGUE	DIVISION	RESULT
Big V	Division 1 Men	1st round playoffs
Big V	Division 2 Women	Championship Runners-up
MMBL	Premier Women	Outside playoffs
CYMS	Senior Men	Championship Runners-up
CYMS	Senior Women	Champions

Club Membership Participation Data



Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	LEAGUE	DIVISION	ACHIEVEMENT
Liam Norton	Big V	Division 1 Men	Team MVP
Kylie Turnley	Big V	Division 2 Women	Team MVP

Note: Big V is the State League; MMBL is the Melbourne Metropolitan Basketball League; CYMS is the Christian Young Men's Society

Boat

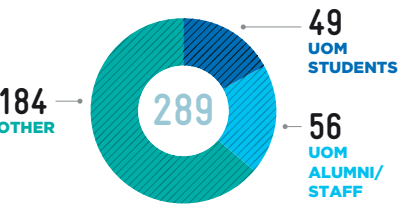
Established 1859

The Melbourne University Boat Club (MUBC) is recognised internationally as one of the world’s leading rowing clubs.

This year saw the appointment of a General Manager and Specialist Coaches with a developed division of responsibilities allowing improved club management and performance. Major events include State, National and International representation including MUBC branded crews. Other events included the Inter-collegiate, Australian Boat race, University Games and Rowing Victoria managed regattas. Club members raced in more than 40 regattas during the past season.

President Christian Ryan	Treasurer David England
Vice-President Minnie Cade	Head Coach Franz Imfeld
Secretary Greg Longden	General Manager Prue Ottey

Club Membership Participation Data



Club Team Performance

REGATTA	DIVISION	OVERALL RESULT
Interstate Regatta	Various	Represented Victoria
Australian Championships	Various	Multiple Gold, Silver, Bronze
Australian Masters	Various	Multiple Gold, Silver, Bronze
Head of Charles, Boston	Masters Eight	Gold
China Trip	Youth Eight	Silver
Germany Regattas	Masters Eight	Gold
World Masters	Various	Multiple Gold
Royal Henley	Men’s Pair	2nd
Royal Henley	Women’s Quadruple	2nd
Saltwater Regatta	Quads	Gold
Head of the Goulburn	Various	Gold
Melbourne Head	Various	Multiple Gold

National Representation

MEMBER NAME	REGATTA	DISCIPLINE	RESULT
Lucy Stephan	World Champs	Women’s Four	Gold
Alice Arch	World Champs	Lightweight Women’s Four Sculls	Silver
Simon Keenan	World Champs	Men’s Eight	8th
Elise Frenetic	U23 Worlds	Women’s Four	8th

Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	REPRESENTATIVE BODY	DISCIPLINE	ACHIEVEMENT
Josh Booth	Royal Henley	Men’s Two	2nd
Kim Brennan	Royal Henley	Women’s Four	Semi-final
Jordan Smith	Interstate Regatta	Men’s Single Sculls	6th

Cheerleading

Established 2011

Cheerleading is one of the newest Melbourne University affiliated clubs, and competes nationally in cheer, dance and pom competitions.

This year the Cheerleading Club focused on growing dance teams, increasing the number of teams from two to five. The Club's Open Allstar Pom dance team, MU Heat, won a bid to the Cheer & Dance Worlds to be held in Orlando next April.

President

Selena Chong

Secretary

Lauren Pfeiffer

Vice-President

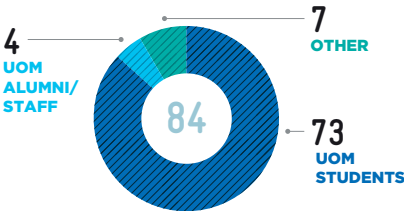
Belinda Weiss

Treasurer

Yuma Mochizuki



Club Membership Participation Data



Club Team Performance

LEAGUE	DIVISION	RESULT
AASCF Nationals	University Open Hip Hop	2nd
AASCF Nationals	University Open Pom	4th
AASCF Nationals	University Premier Lyrical	3rd
AASCF Nationals	University Premier Pom	4th
Asia Pacific Grand Internationals	Open Pom	1st
Scholastic Nationals	Level 3/4 Cheerleading	2nd
Spring Carnival	University Premier Jazz	Grand Champion
AASCF States	University Open Hip Hop	1st

Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	REPRESENTATIVE BODY	DIVISION	ACHIEVEMENT
Matthew Paxman	Scholastic Nationals	University Premier	Best Male Tumbler

Note: AASCF represents the Australian All Start Cheerleading Federation and is the national organisation

Cricket

Established 1856

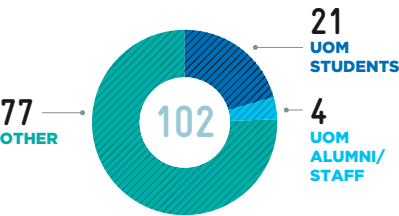
The Melbourne University Cricket Club (MUCC) has a long history of competing at the top levels of Victorian Cricket.

The 2016/17 season was mixed for MUCC. Three of the four premier grade sides made it into finals. The 2nd, 3rd and 4th XIs all played the first week of finals but unfortunately did not progress. A season highlight was the 3rd XI winning the White Ball final in January against a strong Monash Tigers side. Individual mentions go to Fawad Ahmed, a member of the Victorian Bushrangers Sheffield Shield winning team for a third year running, as well as continuing his involvement in the Sydney Thunder Big Bash team. Additionally, Andrew Young (Bachelor of Journalism at the University of Melbourne) was awarded the Sir Donald Bradman Scholarship. The national scholarship is awarded to one female and one male student each year.

- President**
Derek Bennett
- Treasurer**
Arthur Nitsopoulos
- Vice-President**
Nic Brian
- Head Coach**
Hugh Van Cuylenburg
- General Manager**
Jean-Luke Desmarais



Club Membership Participation Data



Club Team Performance

LEAGUE	DIVISION	RESULT
Premier Cricket	First XI	13th
Premier Cricket	Third XI	2nd
MCC Club XI Competition	First XI	5th

Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	COMPETITION	DIVISION/TEAM	ACHIEVEMENT
Andrew Young	Premier Cricket	First XI	Sir Donald Bradman Scholarship

Cycling

Established 2005

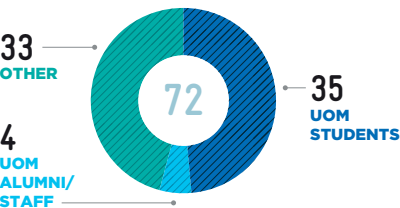
The Melbourne University Cycling Club (MUcyc) accommodates all levels of cycling, from social occasions to international competitions.

This year has been a positive one for MUcyc. MUcyc riders have had podium finishes at the national road cycling championships, and had two riders compete in UCI and international road races. Our athletes have participated in national road series and Victorian Road series events, at the U23, Elite and Masters levels. The club staged a championship road race for MUcyc members and a road race for Northern Combine which was well attended despite inclement weather. MUcyc continues to introduce recreational riders to competitive cycling, and welcomes all riders, from social to athletes competing at the international level.

In 2018, the Club will be focusing on facilitating social riders to become competitive road racing riders, particularly on fostering women's participation.

- President**
Ross Mueller
- Secretary**
Katherine Scarlett
- Vice-President**
Matt Irons
- Treasurer**
John Prince

Club Membership Participation Data



Club Team Performance

LEAGUE	DIVISION	RESULTS
Victorian Road Series	Men's Team Time Trial	4th

National Representation

MEMBER NAME	CHAMPIONSHIP	DISCIPLINE	RESULT
Sean Lake	Oceania Road Championships	Elite Road Race & Individual Time Trial	1st
Cyrus Monk	Oceania Road Championships	Under 23 Individual Time Trial	3rd
Cyrus Monk	Victorian Road Series	Elite Men Overall	1st

Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	CHAMPIONSHIP	DISCIPLINE	ACHIEVEMENT
David Randall	Elite Men Club Road Race Championships	Men's Club Road Race	Champion
Adrian MacGregor	Masters Men Club Road Race Championships	Masters Club Road Race	Champion
Kate Scarlett	Elite Women Club Road Race Championships	Women's Club Road Race	Champion

Fencing

Established 1946

The University Fencing Club, is one of Victoria's oldest fencing clubs, and one of the most prestigious in the country.

The Fencing Club had a highly successful year with a large retention of members from previous years, as well as an increase of the number of new members. The two introductory courses conducted continued to be extremely popular, exposing new people to the sport of fencing. The Club's goal of encouraging more members to participate at all levels of competition saw a focus on competitive training techniques and making club-branded merchandise available to members. This fostered a stronger club identity which will continue to be developed in the coming year.

President

Alex Leung

Treasurer

Kim Luong

Vice-President

Ap Panecki

Head Instructor

Chris Jones

Secretary

Rachel Yam



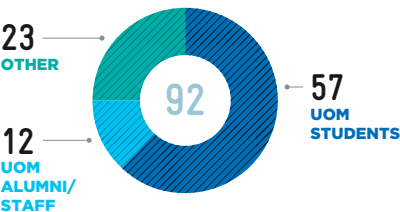
National Representation

MEMBER NAME	COMPETITION	DISCIPLINE	RESULT
Dianna Gu	World Championships	Epee	104th
Dianna Gu	Oceania Championships	Epee	3rd
Isaac Hayes	Oceania Championships	Epee	2nd
Lucas Webber	World Championships	Foil	96th
Simon Summerfield	Oceania Championships	Epee	29th
Jasper MacCuspie	Oceania Championships	Foil	6th
Emily Patten	Junior World Championships	Epee	28th
Emily Patten	Asian Championships	Epee	28th
Matt Foster	Junior World Championships	Foil	42nd
Edward Fitzgerald	World Championships	Foil	93rd

Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	COMPETITION	DISCIPLINE	RESULT
Isaac Hayes	Australian Ranking	Epee	4th
Simon Summerfield	Australian Ranking	Epee	20th
Lucas Webber	Australian Ranking	Foil	2nd
Edward Fitzgerald	Australian Ranking	Foil	3rd
Matt Foster	Australian Ranking	Foil	6th
Jasper MacCuspie	Australian Ranking	Foil	17th
David Chachs	Australian Ranking	Foil	43rd
Emily Patten	Australian Ranking	Epee	3rd
Dianna Gu	Australian Ranking	Epee	6th
Lach Tausan	Australian Ranking	Epee	10th
Mara Chachs	Australian Ranking	Foil	26th
Mara Chachs	Australian Ranking Veterans 40+	Foil	1st

Club Membership Participation Data



Football

Established 1859

The Melbourne University Football Club (MUFC) is a flagship University sporting club, fielding teams from elite to social level through its three great squads: University Blacks, University Blues and the Women's Football Club.

This year was again significant for MUFC. In the senior grade, Blues were Preliminary Finalists in the Premier division of the Victorian Amateur Football Association (VAFA) while the Women were Semi-Finalists in the Victorian Football League Women's (VFLW). Five players were selected in the VFLW Team of the Year, while eight players plus the coach were selected in the VAFA Premier Team of the Year. The Club produced the winner and runners-up of the Premier division Best & Fairest Award.

The three squads of the MUFC proudly represent the University remaining happy, vibrant, well organised, serious and solvent with a high standard of play; high rates of player participation; dedicated officials, managers and coaches; and a strong sense of achievement, leadership, contribution and the social contract.



MUFC President
Andrew Donald

Blacks

President
Nick Carah

Secretary
Scott Myers

Treasurer
Andrew Torney

Head Coach
Cameron Roberts

Blues

President
Chris Reid

Secretary
David Phefley

Treasurer
Bernie Angel

Head Coach
Quinton Gleeson

Womens

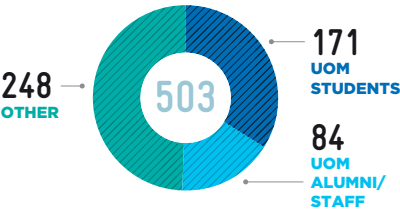
President
Laura Kane

Vice-President
Ashley Bye

Secretary
Leah Caluzzi

Senior Coach
Scott Gowans

Club Membership Participation Data



Club Team Performance

TEAM	LEAGUE	DIVISION	RESULT
Blacks - Seniors	VAFA	Premier	9th
Blues - Seniors	VAFA	Premier	Preliminary Finalist
Blues - Reserves	VAFA	Premier Reserves	Preliminary Finalist
Blacks - U19	VAFA	U19 Premier Section	8th
Blues - U19	VAFA	U19 Premier Section	6th
Women	VFL W	Premier	Semi-Finalist

Football (cont'd)

Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	TEAM/LEAGUE	DIVISION	ACHIEVEMENT
Matthew Blair	VAFA U19	U19 Representative Match - VCFL	Representative Match Selection
Jack Sheridan	VAFA U19	VCFL	Representative Match Selection
Bede Mahon	VAFA	Premier	Winner - Woodrow Medal (Competition Best & Fairest)
Gabriella Pound	VFLW		Team of the Year
Nicola Stevens	VFLW		Team of the Year
Kaitlyn Ashmore	VFLW		Team of the Year
Emma Kearney	VFLW		Team of the Year
Ellie Blackburn	VFLW		Team of the Year
James Walker	VAFA	Premier	Team of the Year - Coach
Ross Young	VAFA	Premier	Runners-up - Woodrow Medal (Competition Best & Fairest)
Jeremy Taylor	VAFA	Premier	Team of the Year
Connor Lappin	VAFA	Premier	Team of the Year
Kieran Harper	VAFA	Premier	Team of the Year
Tim Geappen	VAFA	Premier	Team of the Year
Hugh Curnow	VAFA	Premier	Team of the Year
Lochie Dornauf	VAFA	Premier	Team of the Year

Note: VAFA represents the Victorian Amateur Football Association; VFLW represents the Victorian Football League Women's competition; VCFL represents the Victorian Country Football League

Futsal

Established 2007

The Futsal Club provides and facilitates Futsal competitions and teams for University students and staff.

The Club's social competition continues to be one of the most popular social competitions at University level, with nearly 200 participants.

The Men's team continues to compete for promotion, jumping four places from sixth in the previous season to finishing runners-up in the most recently completed season, and currently sitting in third place in the current competition. In a historic moment, the men's team was granted the honour of training inside the University's facilities, with continual strong numbers at training.

President
Kerry Hwang

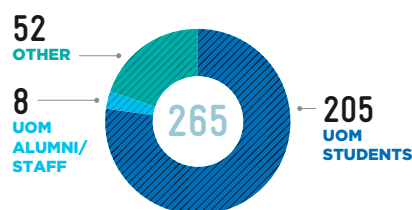
Secretary
Rebecca Tran

Vice-President
Tracey Tran

Club Team Performance

TEAM	COMPETITION	RESULT
Futsal Oz	Men's State League 1 Spring/Summer	3rd

Club Membership Participation Data



Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	TEAM / LEAGUE	DIVISION	ACHIEVEMENT
Thomas Zeitlhofer	MU Men's	State League 1	Golden Boot

Note: Futsal Oz is the provider of Series Futsal Victoria, the most competitive state league

Gridiron

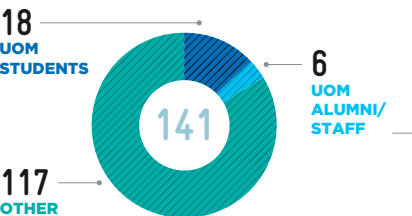
Established 2011

The Gridiron Club competes in Gridiron Victoria's First Division, offering opportunities for men and women of wide-ranging experience.

The Women's team (Chargers) made the championship game for the second year running, but unfortunately fell short once again. The Men's team (Royals) made the championship game for the first time in Division 1, but were also on the losing end. The Club also undertook a major rebranding mid-year, with all teams to be now called the Royals.

- President**
Robert Smith
- Treasurer**
Courtney Farley
- Secretary**
Nancy Tutakiau

Club Membership Participation Data



Club Team Performance

TEAM NAME	LEAGUE	DIVISION	RESULT
Royals	Gridiron Victoria	Division 1	2nd
Chargers	Gridiron Victoria	Women	2nd

National Representation

MEMBER NAME	EVENT	RESULT
Isabella Paholek	IFAF Women's World Championships	6th

Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	INSTITUTION	DIVISION	ACHIEVEMENT
Nuni Talanoa	Chargers/GV	Women	Offensive line MVP
Silei Poluleuligaga	Chargers/GV	Women	Defensive line MVP
Tesia Sulu Fuamatu	Chargers/GV	Women	All Victorian Running Back
Phuong Pham	Chargers/GV	Women	All Victorian Wide Receiver
Nuni Talanoa	Chargers/GV	Women	All Victorian Left Tackle
Rosie Trego	Chargers/GV	Women	All Victorian Free Safety
Sabine Wagner	Chargers/GV	Women	All Victorian Kicker
Demontrez Simington	Royals/GV	Division 1	Offensive MVP
Kieran Turner	Royals/GV	Division 1	Rookie of the Year
Demontrez Simington	Royals/GV	Division 1	All Victorian Tight End
Divine Schwenke	Royals/GV	Division 1	All Victorian Defensive End
Aaron McNaughton	Royals/GV	Division 1	All Victorian Punter
Dylan Letoga	Royals/GV	Division 1	All Victorian Kicker



Hockey

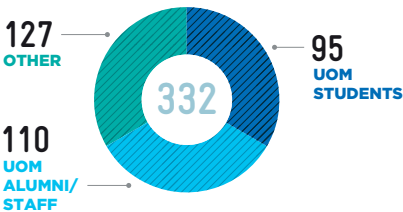
Established 1907

The Melbourne University Hockey Club (MUHC) fields Men's and Women's teams in Hockey Victoria competitions - ranging from elite to beginner - for competitive, social and casual participants.

This year was noteworthy as it was the first time since 2004 that MUHC had teams in both the men's and women's top grades, and the first time since the late '90s that both teams will stay there. It was pleasing, in particular, to see significant improvement from the Men's Premier League in their second year up, only just missing out on finals, whilst both Reserves teams also had solid results, showing good signs for the Club's depth. Overall the season was one of consolidation and continued growth off the work that the Club has been undertaking over the past few years.

- President**
 James Stewart
- Treasurer**
 Tim Luscombe
- Vice-President**
 Eleanor McLeod
- Director of Hockey**
 Phil Burrows
- Secretary**
 Jackson Matthews

Club Membership Participation Data



Club Team Performance

LEAGUE	DIVISION	RESULT
Hockey Victoria	Men's Premier League	10th
Hockey Victoria	Women's Premier League	15th
Hockey Victoria	Women's Pennant C	Premiers
Hockey Victoria	Men's Metro A North/West	Runners-up
Hockey Victoria	Men's Masters 35+A	Runners-up
Hockey Victoria	Men's Masters 45+C Central/North	3rd

National Representation

MEMBER NAME	COMPETITION	ROLE
James Stewart	Melbourne 4-Nations Tournament & Bendigo Test Matches (International Festival of Hockey)	Technical Official

Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	REPRESENTATIVE BODY	DIVISION	ACHIEVEMENT
Oscar Wookey	Hockey Victoria	Men's Premier League	Fin McNab Award (MVP)
Oscar Wookey	Hockey Australia	Australian Hockey League	Northern Territory Representative Player
Jesse Duncan	Hockey Australia	Under 21 National Championships	Tasmania Representative Player

Lacrosse

Established 1883

The Melbourne University Lacrosse Club (MULAX) is one of the oldest in the world and competes at various levels of competition in Victoria.

MULAX has continued its trend towards high performance success in 2017. The combined A-grade Women's team with the Eltham Lacrosse Club made it to the Grand Final this year, but was unfortunately beaten in the match. The Division 1 Men's team achieved a finals berth for the first time in

close to a decade. The Division 2 Men's and B-grade Women's teams continued their developmental role within the Club's program, offering both an entry point for new players, and a suitable development and feeder into the higher performance teams. The appointment of Megan Moser as a women's coach, and the assistant coaching role provided by Millie Caddy and Lizzie Crouch has provided more direction and structure to the women's lacrosse program.

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Jake Allan

Secretary
Richard Lai

Vice-President
Claire Brady

Treasurer
Josip Milovac

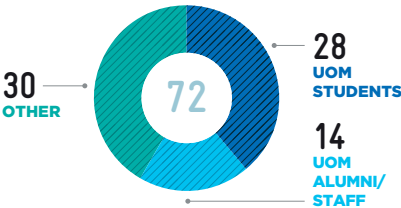
Club Team Performance

LEAGUE	DIVISION	RESULT
Lacrosse Victoria	Men's Division 1	4th
Lacrosse Victoria	Women's A Grade	2nd

Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	TEAM	DIVISION	ACHIEVEMENT
Floyd Baragwanath	Melbourne University Men	Division 1	Best Player
Millie Caddy	Melbourne University Women	Division A	Best Player
Cindy Lee	Melbourne University Women	Division B	Best Player
James Phillips	Melbourne University Men	Division 3	Best Player
Nathan Hunter-Gerber	U15 Northern Warriors Coach	Lacrosse Victoria	4th

Club Membership Participation Data



Netball

Established 1990

The Melbourne University Netball Club (MUNC) enjoyed significant success in 2017.

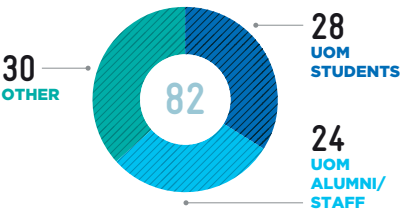
Lightning, now in its third year with Melbourne University, continues to grow and strengthen, providing wonderful opportunities for players and coaches to develop their skills and progress through the state and national high-performance pathways. The Club successfully recruited Karen Worland, renowned national and international coach, to the role of Director of Coaching this year. Throughout the season the Club experienced some tight match ups with their Victorian Netball League (VNL) opponents, but was able to win more VNL matches than in any other year, enabling teams to contest the VNL finals. The Club is now very highly regarded, with eight players receiving state talent identification and nine receiving national identification.



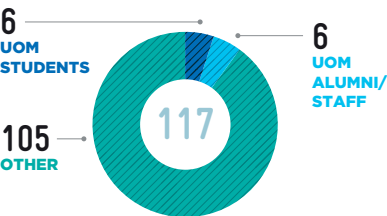
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Club Membership Participation Data

Melbourne University Netball Club



Melbourne University Lightning



Melbourne University Netball Club

President
Zanthe Burke

Vice-President
Ursula Van Dyk

Secretary
Megan Kelly

Treasurer
Brooke Ward

Melbourne University Lightning

President
Lindy Murphy

Vice-President
Dean Gould

Club Administrators
Mel Laird
Andrew Esh

Finance Manager
Amanda Lethlean

Senior Coach
Elissa Kent

Club Team Performance

LEAGUE	DIVISION	RESULT
VNL	Championship	Runners-up
VNL	Division 1	8th
VNL	U19	3rd
Premier Open Autumn	Division 1	9th
Premier Open Spring	Division 1	11th

National Representation

MEMBER NAME	TEAM	RESULT
Jordan Cransberg	U19 Australian Squad	Training squad
Gabrielle Coffey	U17 Australian Squad	Training squad

Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	TEAM	COMPETITION	RESULT
Fiona Themann	Adelaide Thunderbirds	Suncorp Super Netball League	8th
Mikaela Vaughan	Sydney Swifts	Suncorp Super Netball League	6th
Shannon England	Perth Fever	Suncorp Super Netball League	7th
Jordan Cransberg	Victoria	U19 National Championships	1st
Gabrielle Coffey	Northern Territory	U17 National Championships	7th
Amelia Brock	Victorian Fury	Australian Netball League	Runners-up
Heather Oliver	VNL	Championship	VNL Team of the Year
Elle Bennetts	VNL	Championship	VNL Team of the Year
Danielle Stewart	VNL	Championship	VNL Team of the Year
Gabby Sinclair	VNL	Championship	VNL Team of the Year
Zoe Cransberg	VNL	U19	VNL Team of the Year
Jordan Cransberg	VNL	U19	VNL Team of the Year
Jordan Cransberg	VNL	U19	MVP
Zoe Cransberg	VNL	U19	MVP Runners-up

Note: VNL represents the Victorian Netball League

Quidditch

Established 2017

This year the Melbourne Unicorns were able to field two teams, which participated in the Victoria Cup along with teams from Monash and La Trobe universities and a number of community teams.

The Club was also able to send a team to the Midwinter Tournament in Newcastle in July, where it finished second to the Sydney City Serpents. The Club participated in the Nationals on the first weekend in December

competing with teams from NSW, ACT, QLD, SA, as well as other Victorian teams.

Rugby

Established 1909

The Rugby Football Club is a Premier-grade Club that fields several teams, from high-performance levels to social grades across the Victorian Rugby Union competitions.

The Club had a successful year, winning the Colts Premiership and narrowly losing the Women's Grand Final after the game was called off with several minutes remaining due to a serious injury. The Club has increased its student participation and engagement shown through the growth of the Colts Program; there are now two Colts teams. Women's participation has also grown with a Women's and a Women's Youth Team

now competing. The Club statistics do not reflect this accurately as the women were primarily registered with the Club's partner Club Northern. This is being addressed in 2018. The Club's Premier side had a solid year and after finishing the first round in second position, injuries caused them to miss the playoffs by one point. With the majority of the Club's players in their teens or early 20s and with the focus on the Colts Program, the Club is set for sustainable success in the years ahead. The Club is currently focused on recruiting a high-profile Head Coach and is well advanced to achieve this.

President
Sean O'Donnell

Vice-President (Commercial)
Peter Cusack

Vice-President (Rugby)
Nick Derera

Secretary
David Loads

Treasurer
Rick Gerner

Director of Rugby Operations
Ian Jones

General Manager
Jason Jones

Club Team Performance

LEAGUE	DIVISION	RESULT
Victorian Rugby Union	Premier	5th
Victorian Rugby Union	Colts	1st
Victorian Rugby Union	Women's	2nd

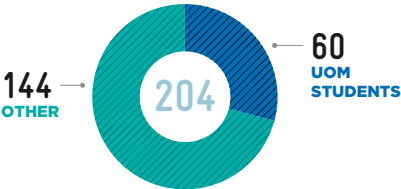
National Representation

MEMBER NAME	CHAMPIONSHIP	DISCIPLINE	RESULT
Rob Leota	IRB World Rugby Championships	U20	6th

Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	TEAM	COMPETITION	RESULT
Mikey Tavita	Premier 1	Dewar Shield	100 First Grade Games

Club Membership Participation Data



Soccer

Established 1947

The Melbourne University Soccer Club (MUSC) welcomes players of all skill levels and fields numerous teams in Victorian competitions.

This year has been positive for MUSC, with interest continuing to grow. Despite adding a sixth women's team this year, which raised the membership to nearly 400 players across 19 teams, the Club still had to turn away several hundred footballers it could not accommodate. The Club secured three championships this year with a few more teams coming close to glory. Women's State 1 Seniors won the league for the first time in many years and are now the number one ranked Women's team in Victorian State League football.

Off the field, there was a significant focus on celebrating the Club's 70th anniversary. Founded in 1947, MUSC has grown to be the largest senior soccer club in Victoria. In June, MUSC played its first ever competitive FFV matches on the University Oval as part of the anniversary celebrations. A few hundred spectators were on hand throughout the day to watch the matches and 140 members, alumni and guests then celebrated with a cocktail function in the Ernie Cropley Pavilion. Also celebrating 35 years of women's football at the club, it was fantastic that many founding members of the women's division reunited at the evening function.

President

Michael Owen

Vice-President

Adrienne Heslop
Iain Scott

Secretary

Menas Antachew
Madeleine Horey

Treasurer

Lynette Dullaghan
Charlie Lopez

Club Administrator

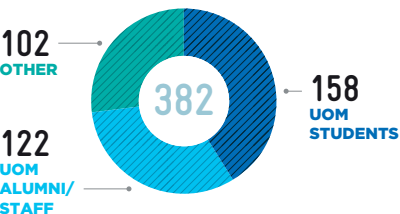
Tom Mullumby



Club Team Performance

LEAGUE	DIVISION	RESULT
FFV	Women's State League 1	1st
FFV	Women's State League 1 Reserves	2nd
FFV	Men's State League 3 NW Reserves	2nd

Club Membership Participation Data



Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	LEAGUE	DIVISION	ACHIEVEMENT
Eleina Reid	FFV	State League 1 NW	League Best and Fairest

Note: FFV is Football Federation Victoria the State Sporting Federation for Football in Victoria

Softball

Established 1961

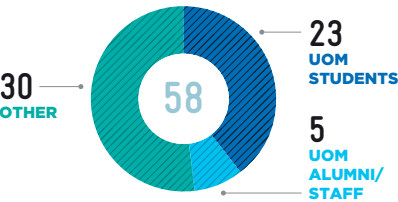
The Melbourne University Softball Club provides opportunities for players of all levels, regardless of their skill base. The Club had another successful year in 2017.

With a steady stream of interest, the Club once again fielded four teams in the Melbourne Softball Association's winter competition. As these teams were split across three divisions, the Club was able to attract players of many abilities, and develop their skill sets accordingly. This was aided by the recruitment of five new coaches. These qualified additions to the Club, alongside a new larger training venue, has allowed for extensive focus on player development resulting in greater on-field success, with two runners-up finishes and a Grand Final win this year. In addition to player development, the Club has been working with members to help them obtain a range of national accreditations, including scoring and coaching. The Club looks forward to continuing its involvement with local communities, as well as the University, and hopes to further strengthen development capacities through increasing recruitment of both players and coaches.



- President**
Molly Hoak
- Treasurer**
Claire Straw
Ashleigh Williams
- Vice-President**
Tegan Hearing
- Head Coach**
Jell Radford
- Secretary**
Amanda Shipp

Club Membership Participation Data



Club Team Performance

League	Division	Result
MSA	A	5th
MSA	A Reserve	Runners-up
MSA	B	Grand Final Winners
MSA	B	Runners-up

Note: MSA represents the Melbourne Softball Association;
SSV represents School Sport Victoria

Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

Member Name	League	Result
Bridget Genovese	MSA	Melbourne Representative Team
Laura Kirkwood	MSA	Melbourne Representative Team
Chelsea Owen-Smith	MSA	Melbourne Representative Team
Daliah Parker	MSA	Melbourne Representative Team
Claire Straw	MSA	Melbourne Representative Team
Jell Radford	MSA	Melbourne Representative Team (Coach)
Azhar Ismail	MSA	Melbourne Representative Team (Coach)
Ashleigh Williams	MSA	Melbourne Representative Team (Statistician)
Tegan Haering	SSV	School Sport Victoria (Assistant Coach)

Squash

Established 1964

The Melbourne University Squash Club (MUSC) offers players of all levels, from beginners to professionals, a chance to make new friends, play casually, or compete in local squash leagues and regional tournaments.

This year, the Squash Club again focused on developing the skills of its members. MUSC

continued its highly popular female coaching program Hits 'n' Giggles in partnership with Squash Victoria. The Club's social squash program was again popular and succeeded in introducing many new faces to the sport. The Club's teams have taken home seven pennant flags this season.

President
Lucas Bediaga

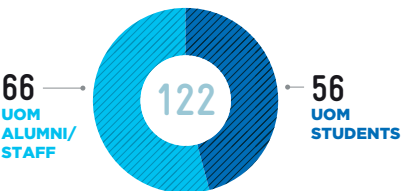
Treasurer
James Kavourakis

Vice-President
Liza Gendo

Club Team Performance

LEAGUE	DIVISION	RESULT
Open Summer	State 1	4th
Open Summer	State 2	2nd
Open Summer	State 4	2nd
Open Summer	B Reserve	3rd
Open Summer	D Reserve	1st
Women's Autumn	A Grade	2nd
Women's Autumn	B Grade	3rd
Women's Autumn	C Grade	1st
Open Autumn	State 2	3rd
Open Autumn	B Reserve	3rd
Open Autumn	C Grade	1st
Women's Spring	A Cup	3rd
Women's Spring	A Grade	1st
Women's Spring	B Grade	3rd
Women's Spring	C Grade	3rd

Club Membership Participation Data



National Representation

MEMBER NAME	TEAM	COMPETITION	RESULT
Yann Lancenon	New Caledonia	Oceania Squash Open	1st (team) 3rd (individual)

Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	COMPETITION	DIVISION	ACHIEVEMENT
Joshua Boyte	Ballarat and Districts Open	Division 1	2nd
Luke Boyce	Westerfolds Open	Division 1	3rd
Kim Chua	Vic Open	Division 3	Champion
Moui Ung	Grand Prix	Division 5	Runners-up

Swimming

Established 1928

Melbourne University Swimming Club provides opportunities for recreational and competitive swimming at a variety of levels.

During the 2016/17 season Club members competed at multiple interclub, state, and national championships with great success. These accomplishments led to new swimmers joining the Club. Community engagement has increased through a number of new programs including a women-only swimming program targeted at Muslim women, the Water Safety Program run in conjunction with MU Sport, and SWD Squad for youth with mental disabilities. Expansion of programs to include not-for-profit Club nights enabled swimmers from socio-economically disadvantaged backgrounds to gain access to the Club.

- President**
Ella Keogh
- Treasurer**
Jacob Sell
- Vice-President**
Luka Zubcic

Club Membership Participation Data

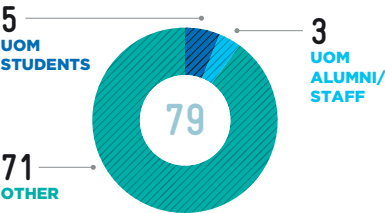


Table Tennis

Established 1954

The Melbourne University Table Tennis Club (MUTTC) provides members of the University community with the opportunity to play table tennis at social and competitive levels, as well as a welcome and encouraging space for table tennis enthusiasts of all ages and backgrounds.

The Club had focused on providing club members with increased opportunities to be involved in the competitive scene of table tennis. This year, the introduction of off-hour

Club Team Performance

LEAGUE	DIVISION	RESULT
Australian Age Championships	National	108th
Victorian Long-Course Championships	State	23rd
Australian Short-Course Championships	National	11th
Victorian Sprint Championships	State	5th

National Representation

NAME	CHAMPIONSHIP	RESULT
Jaime Lee Getson	INAS Swimming Championships	Silver and Bronze Medalist
Lushaval Stickland	World Swimming Championships	Competitor

Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	LEAGUE	DISCIPLINE	ACHIEVEMENT
Thomas Pearson	Nationals	100m Breaststroke	Champion
Adam Selwood	Pacific School Games	(17-19) 100m and 200m Breaststroke	Champion

competitive training sessions enabled members who were keen to compete to partake in focused training drills with experienced competitive players.

The Club also ran its first competition between in-house members. Competitors were given the chance to gain some valuable competition experience and students in the audience were able to experience competitive play at a high level, motivating them to become more involved in table tennis.

- President**
David Pham
- Secretary**
Daniel Ng
- Vice-President**
Steven Phan
- Treasurer**
Callan Jones

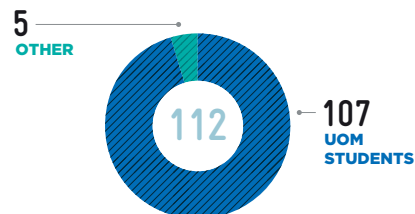
Table Tennis (cont'd)

Club Team Performance

LEAGUE	DIVISION	RESULT
VUG Men's	Division A	1st
VUG Women's	Division A	1st

Note: VUG is Victorian University Games a competition between all University based Clubs within Victoria

Club Membership Participation Data



Tennis

Established 1884

The Tennis Club is one of the largest and most active sporting clubs at the University, providing year-round tennis through internal and regional competitions.

The club experienced significant growth with total membership increasing from 251 members to 485 members. In particular, efforts to provide more playing opportunities that are attractive to University students saw an increase in student membership from 168 members to 383 - a 128 per cent growth in student membership in just one year. Another milestone was the Club's first ever Women's Grade 1 Pennant Team competing in Victorian Pennant which is the largest inter-club state competition in the country. While women are leading the way in competitive involvement, the club still has a lot of work to do in terms of female participation. The Club in conjunction with its coaching provider, BreakPoint Analysis, developed and executed a free cardio tennis program for female University students. MUTC looks forward to continuing to provide opportunities to improve female participation across all Club activities.

Club Team Performance

LEAGUE	DIVISION	RESULT
Tennis Victoria Women's Pennant	Grade 1 Section 2	8th
Tennis Victoria Women's Pennant	Grade 5 Section 2	3rd
Tennis Victoria Men's Pennant	Grade 4 Section 2	4th Grade 4 finals - 3rd
Tennis Victoria Men's Pennant	Grade 8 Section 3	3rd

President
Branka Potkonjak
Miranda Clark

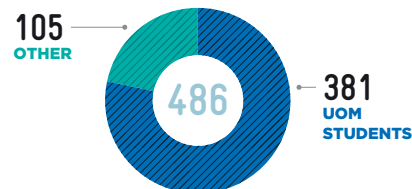
Vice President
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Treasurer
Giacomo Bell

Head Coach
Nick Gissing

Club Membership Participation Data



Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	REPRESENTATIVE BODY	DISCIPLINE	ACHIEVEMENT
Ashlea Coxhill	Tennis Victoria Pennant	Grade 4	Runners-up, Women's Grade 4 Pennant Player of the Year
Andrew Naughton	Tennis Victoria Pennant	Grade 10	Runners-up, Men's Grade 10 Pennant Player of the Year

Touch

Established 1997

The Melbourne University Touch Football Club (MUTF) is recognised as the largest club in Victoria, and provides playing opportunities at all levels, from internal social competitions through to representation in the Victorian Touch League.

For all three arms of MUTF, 2017 has been a big year. Touch UM and Melbourne University Victorian Touch (MUVT) had successful years on-field. Touch UM focused on improving its players' athletic performance and on bringing new talent into the club, earning gold and silver in several competitions throughout the year. MUVT also improved its on-field performance, with the results across the Victorian Touch League (VTL) season testament to their focus on coaching support and development. While unfortunately runners-up in three divisions, MUVT is more energised than ever to take on next season. Melbourne Touch Football (MTF) ran its first women's competition this summer, receiving much positive feedback.

- President

Jessica Roberts
- VT President

Finlay Batts
- Executive Treasurer

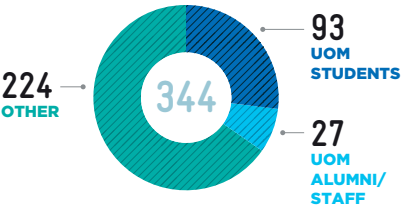
Andrew Gillies
- Touch UM President

Scott Starkey
- Technical Director

Hamish McLean
- MTF President

Tom Brown

Club Membership Participation Data



Club Team Performance

LEAGUE	DIVISION	RESULT
Sale Knockout	Division 2 Men's	2nd
Sale Knockout	Division 2 Mixed	1st
Sale Knockout	Division 2 Women's	1st
Summer Competition 16/17	Division 2 Mixed	1st, 2nd
Winter Competition: Kensington	Division 2 Men's	1st
Winter Competition: Kensington	Division 2 Mixed	1st, 3rd
VTL	Division 2 Men's	2nd
VTL	Division 2 Women's	3rd
VTL	Division 2 Men's	2nd
VTL	Division 2 Women's	2nd

National Representation

MEMBER NAME	CHAMPIONSHIP	DISCIPLINE	RESULT
Tim Glazebrook	Trans-Tasman	Australian Mixed Open	1st



Ultimate Frisbee

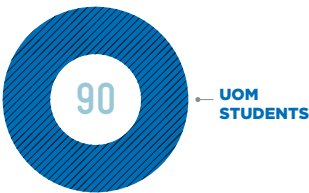
Established 1994

The Ultimate Frisbee Club provides access to training, tournaments, and leagues for all skill and experience levels in the sport. And members enjoy plenty of banter along the way.

The Club had a very successful year in 2017. It sent a developmental team and an open's team to a regional tournament. Melbourne A achieved a very satisfying medal result placing third. Melbourne B, the development team, consisted of both new and old players and improvements were seen across the board.

President	Secretary
Yik Ming Loh	Mark Lee
Vice-President	Treasurer
Kuan Yen Lo	Dale Short

Club Membership Participation Data



Club Team Performance

LEAGUE	DIVISION	RESULT
Albert Park League	Division 4	2nd

Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	COMPETITION	DISCIPLINE	ACHIEVEMENT
Joshua de Bell	U22 National Championships	Victoria Men's	5th
Hayley Tan	U22 National Championships	Victoria Mixed	4th
Alex Prentice	U22 National Championships	Victoria Women's	2nd
Georgia Sullivan	U22 National Championships	Victoria Women's	2nd

Volleyball

Established 1958

The Melbourne University Renegades Volleyball Club competes at a national and state level in the Australian Volleyball League (AVL) and Victorian Volleyball League (VVL) and provides opportunities for beginners to the sport.

The year began with two Gold medals at regional tournaments and the addition of new coaches to the Club. The Club commenced its co-operation with Albert Park Secondary College to boost its junior growth, with a number of club members taking up coaching at the program to ensure presence at the school. The Tin Alley competition grew from 15 teams at the beginning of the year to 40 teams at the end; this success is attributed to a strong social program. The Club entered nine teams in the VVL, seven of which made the finals, winning one gold and two silver medals. This year's efforts allowed several club members to realise great individual achievements, some including the continuous representation of Australia in various international championships.



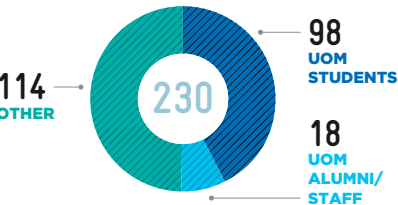
Volleyball (cont'd)

President Gus Cirillo	Men's AVL Coach Abdel Raffass
Vice-President Rosemary Bissett	Men's VVL Coach Gus Cirillo
Secretary Clare Parker	Women's AVL Coach Shannon Winzer
Treasurer Zach Bye	Women's VVL Coach Abdel Raffass

Club Team Performance

LEAGUE	DIVISION	RESULT
AVL	Women	Gold
AVL	Men	4th Southern Conference
VVL	Premier Men	Gold
VVL	Reserves Men	4th - Semi Finalist
VVL	Men Division 2	8th
VVL	Men Division 3	3rd - Semi Finalist
VVL	Premier Women	Silver
VVL	Reserves Women	Silver
VVL	Women Division 2 Blue	5th - Semi Finalist
VVL	Women Division 2 White	Preliminary Finalist
VVL	Women Division 3	5th
Regional Tournaments	Premier, Reserve, Division 1	3 x Gold

Club Membership Participation Data



National Representation

MEMBER NAME	CHAMPIONSHIP	DISCIPLINE	RESULTS
Oliver Clayton	National Youth Team	Asian Championships	7th
Alex Bye	National Youth Team	Tour - Japan	
Thomas Hodges	Australian Senior Team	World League Squad	15th
Trent O'Dea	Australian Senior Team	World League Squad	15th
Eliza Smith	Australian Senior Team	World Grand Prix Series	26th
Sophie Paine	Australian Senior Team	World Grand Prix Series; Asian Championships	26th; 10th

Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	REPRESENTATIVE BODY	DISCIPLINE	ACHIEVEMENT
Abdel Raffass	VVL	Women's Premier	League Coach of the Year
Gus Cirillo	VVL	Men's Premier	League Coach of the Year
Michael Cirillo	VVL	Men's Premier	League MVP
Michael Cirillo	VVL	Men's Premier	All Star 7-Best Setter
Liam Van Gemst	VVL	Men's Premier	Grand Final MVP
Rochelle Sision	VVL	Women's Premier	League MVP - Runners-up
Rochelle Sision	VVL	Women's Premier	All Star7-Best Libero
Sophie Paine	VVL	Women's Premier	All Star7-Best Setter
Eliza Smith	VVL	Women's Premier	All Star7-Best Blocker
Patrick Vo	VVL	Men's Reserve	League MVP - Runners-up
Amanda Lim	VVL	Women's Division 2	League MVP - Runners-up
Jenny Zhou	VVL	Women's Division 2	League MVP - Runners-up
Fraser Gibson	VVL	Men's Division 3	League MVP

Note: VVL represents the Victorian Volleyball League, AVL represents the Australian Volleyball League

Water Polo

Established 1963

The Water Polo Club has a proud reputation as fun-loving and welcoming, while striving to provide opportunities for all members to compete successfully.

During the first semester of 2017, the Club offered a 12-week introductory program providing students with a cheaper option to join the Club and train without having to commit to the Water Polo Victoria competitions.

The program ran each Saturday of Semester 1 with approximately 20 students attending the sessions each week, which included basic skill development and Round Robin games. While this program did not lead to an overall increase in club members, due some players leaving the Club, it was successful in developing the participants' skills to a level that makes them feel comfortable to enter the Water Polo Victoria competitions.

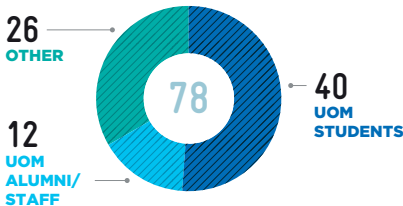
President
Matthew Keen

Vice-President
Thao Phan

Secretary
Jason Mackaway

Treasurer
Sophie Luikinga

Club Membership Participation Data



Club Team Performance

LEAGUE	DIVISION	RESULT
WPV Winter Competition	Women's State League 2	1 st
WPV Winter Competition	Women's State League 3	3 rd
WPV State Champs	Men's State League 2	5 th
WPV State Champs	Men's State League 5	3 rd

Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	REPRESENTATIVE BODY	DISCIPLINE	ACHIEVEMENT
Saskia Freytag	WPV Winter Comp	Women's State League 3	Season highest goal scorer
Antonia Gausachs	WPV Winter Comp + WPV State Champs	Women's State League 2	Most Valuable Player
Saskia Freytag	WPV Winter Comp + WPV State Champs	Women's State League 2	Most Valuable Player

Note: WPV represents Water Polo Victoria

Weightlifting and Powerlifting

Established 1950

The Melbourne University Weightlifting and Powerlifting Club (MUWPC) trains members to compete in various Australian powerlifting competitions.

MUWPC had another successful year participating in local, national and international powerlifting competitions, including the Oceania and World Championships. Both the Club's male and female teams were successful at the Open National Championships, hosted by the MUWPC at The Fitness Show in October in Melbourne. The high-achieving Yani Zhao anchored the female team, winning the

84kg class and Club President David Jame also won national title in the male 105kg class. Winning both Best Club titles once again cements MUWPC's position as Australia's premier powerlifting club.

President
David Jame

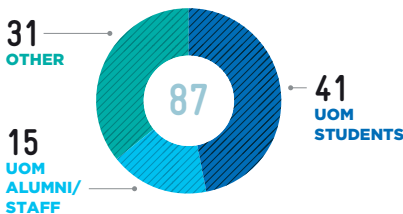
Vice-President
Robert Wilks

Secretary
Nadine Tey

Treasurer
Sam Opat

Head Coach
Robert Wilks

Club Membership Participation Data



Weightlifting and Powerlifting (cont'd)

Club Team Performance

COMPETITION	DIVISION	RESULT
2017 Australia National Open Championships	Men	1st (1 Gold, 2 Bronze)
2017 Australia National Open Championships	Women	1st (1 Gold, 1 Silver, 1 Bronze)

National Representation

MEMBER NAME	CHAMPIONSHIP	DISCIPLINE	RESULT
Victor Liu	University Powerlifting World Cup	83kg	5th
Yan-Fei Zhao	World Classic Powerlifting Championship	84kg	4th
Adam Jones	World Classic Powerlifting Championship	83kg	19th
Tony Reinmuth	World Classic Powerlifting Championship	120+kg	11th
James Dudley	Pacific Invitational	Bench Press - 93kg	4th
Matthew Crundall	Pacific Invitational	Bench Press - 105kg	Silver
Yan-Fei Zhao	Pacific Invitational	84+kg	Gold
Tony Reinmuth	Pacific Invitational	120+kg	Bronze
Megan Reed	Australia National Open Championships	72kg	Bronze
Nolene Kingi	Australia National Open Championships	84+kg	Silver
Adam Jones	Australia National Open Championships	83kg	Bronze
David Jame	Australia National Open Championships	105kg	Gold

Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	REPRESENTATIVE BODY	DISCIPLINE	ACHIEVEMENT
Gerald Yong	JPS Open	74kg	Silver
Jeremy Cheong	The Strength Fortress Open	66kg	Silver
Benjamin Marriott	The Strength Fortress Open	93kg	Bronze
Megan Reed	Melbourne Open	72kg	Gold
Ning Chien	Melbourne Open	84kg	Silver
Wing Ho	Melbourne Open	74kg	Gold
Dean Chen	Melbourne Open	93kg	Bronze
Yaan Kelly-Flanders	Melbourne Open	120kg	Gold
Emma Brisson	Strength Fortress Open II	84kg	Silver
Ziang Zhang	Strength Fortress Open II	93kg	Silver
Benjamin Marriott	Strength Fortress Open II	93kg	Bronze

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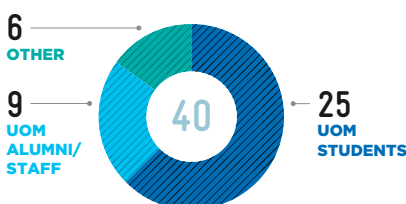
Aikido

Established 1966

The Aikido Club provides an opportunity to learn the popular modern Japanese martial art on campus.

The Club organised a cross training session with other university aikido clubs in Semester 2. The session was well attended and the Club will again participate in this event in Semester 1, 2018. It will likely be hosted by RMIT.

Club Membership Participation Data



President

Michael Shaw

Vice-President

Huy Nguyen

Secretary

Shravan Bhurtun

Treasurer

Haichao (Shannon) Wang

Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	REPRESENTATIVE BODY	DISCIPLINE	ACHIEVEMENT
Kei Murakami	Aikikai Australia	Aikikai National Winter School	Passed to 2nd dan
Shannon Wang		Grading	Passed to 4th kyu
Jason Toh		Grading	Passed to 3rd kyu
Michael Shaw		Grading	Passed to 1st kyu

Dancesport

Established 1993

The Melbourne University Dancesport Club (MUDC) offers a range of dance styles at different levels, catering for all tastes and abilities.

Club membership increased by 13.5 per cent, with higher participation across the board. The Club performed at the Hong Kong Club Ball and Festival of Nations. MUDC ran workshops at MudFest, and several outdoor social dancing sessions to promote Club engagement and visibility. The Club also ran two weeks of free classes compared to one week previously, and as a result could increase its member sign-ups. More marketing initiatives such as shirts and a Formasign improved Club visibility. The Club ran additional workshops during the year and increased the size of its committee from 13 to 20.

President

Philip Kiosoglou

Secretary

Eleanor Barry

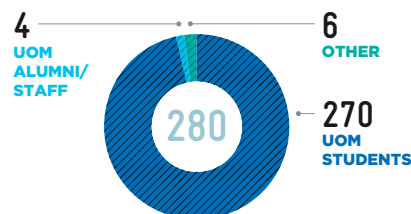
Vice-President

Luci Susanto

Treasurer

Maria Arevalo

Club Membership Participation Data



Club Team Performance

COMPETITION	STYLE	RESULT
Intervarsity Dancesport	Overall	1st
Intervarsity Dancesport	Ballroom	1st
Intervarsity Dancesport	Latin	1st
Intervarsity Dancesport	Swing	1st

Dancesport (cont'd)



Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	EVENT	DISCIPLINE	ACHIEVEMENT
Nathan Goldwaser	ADS Bendigo Dancesport Classic	Recreational Adult/Masters Open Man Latin	2nd
Nathan Goldwaser	ADS Bendigo Dancesport Classic	Recreational Adult/Masters Beginner Man Latin	1st
Siritrin Suwantevakup	ADS Bendigo Dancesport Classic	Recreational Adult/Master Open Lady Latin	2nd
Siritrin Suwantevakup	Premiere Dancesport Championship	Recreational Adult Beginner Lady Latin	3rd
Nathan Goldwaser	Tabcorp Park Dancesport Titles	Recreational Adult Beginner Man Latin	1st
Nathan Goldwaser	Tabcorp Park Dancesport Titles	Recreational Adult Beginner Man Standard	1st

Karate

Established 1968

The Melbourne University Karate Club endeavours to take a balanced approach to all the elements of karate, including self-defence, sparring, fitness, yoga, stamina and meditation.

This past season, the Club has achieved success both internally and externally. Highlights include running two highly successful camps, which provided fertile ground for Club members to grow together and develop friendships.

The Club has also taken part in several martial arts competitions, including Lion Bushido, Open Style Martial Arts Tournament (OSMAT), and International Sport Karate Association (ISKA) Victoria Open. Notably, all six competitors who participated in the Lion Bushido Tournament received trophies for their performance this year. Those who attended OSMAT and ISKA open also placed highly, winning a total of six trophies overall.

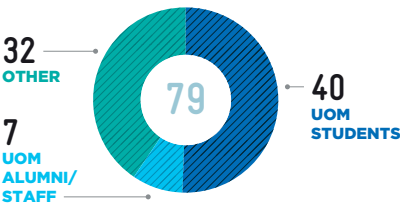
President
Anthony Nguyen

Vice-President
Pei Zhang

Secretary
Jenny Xinyue Jiang

Treasurer
Rio Susanto

Club Membership Participation Data



Kendo

Established 1989

The Kendo Club provides the University community with the opportunity to practice 'the way of the sword', one of the oldest Japanese martial arts.

2017 was a great year for the Melbourne University Kendo club. The Club continued to dominate at the Victorian Kendo Championships - coming in first in five divisions, second in five divisions, and third in three divisions out of a total of 10 divisions. Again, two Club members were awarded with the prestigious Fighting Spirit Award.

President
Cheryl Low

Vice-President
Son Nguyen

Secretary
Nicky Lieu

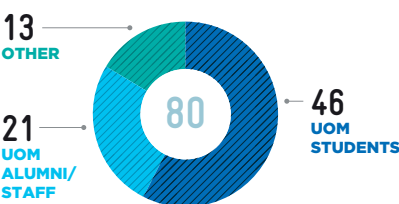
Treasurer
Victoria Chow

Head Instructor
Yakov Macak

Club Team Performance

COMPETITION	DIVISION	RESULT
VIC Kendo Championships	Men's KYU A, Men's DAN A	1st place
VIC Kendo Championships	Men's KYU B, Women's KYU A, Women's DAN A	2nd place
Namwon International Championships	Men's DAN	2nd place

Club Membership Participation Data



Kendo (cont'd)

National Representation

MEMBER NAME	CHAMPIONSHIP	RESULT
Richard T'en	Namwon International Championships	Top 8
Daniel Jeong	Gwangju Open Kendo Championships	3rd

Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	REPRESENTATIVE BODY	DISCIPLINE	ACHIEVEMENT
Bach Le	Victorian Kendo Championships	Men's KYU	1st
Nicholas Kong	Victorian Kendo Championships	Men's KYU	3rd
Nicky Lieu	Victorian Kendo Championships	Women's KYU	1st
Clio Liu	Victorian Kendo Championships	Women's KYU	2nd
Risa Watanabe	Victorian Kendo Championships	Women's KYU	3rd
Julie Tran	Victorian Kendo Championships	Women's DAN	3rd
Daniel Jeong	Victorian Kendo Championships	Men's DAN	1st
Jeffrey Khor	Australian Kendo Championships	Women's KYU	1st
Richard T'en	Australian Kendo Championships	Men's DAN	1st

Taekwondo

Established 1971

The Melbourne University Taekwondo Club offers two styles of taekwondo: Rhee and World Taekwondo Federation (WTF).

This year the Taekwondo Club experienced large growth in student membership numbers. Many Club members completed grading, advancing their discipline and technique. In addition to formal training, the Club facilitated a number of social events such as movie nights, karaoke, and museum outings to encourage a friendly club atmosphere. Over 45 members attended the annual intensive Taekwondo Training Camp at Sokil. Intervarsity cross training with all Victorian universities took place, attracting more than 150 participants. The Club held this year's Victorian Inter-University with more than 100 competitors across all universities, which was a great success for the Club and all who participated.

Rhee

President
Shene Chiou

Vice-President
Fanny Kapi

Secretary
Minh Tuan (Aaron Bui)

Treasurer
Kevin Chen

Head Instructor
Ying Lim

WTF

President
Jeremy Cao

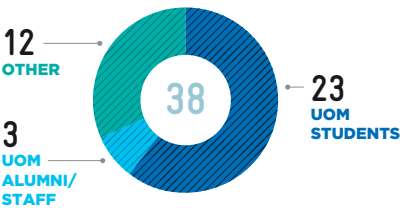
Vice-President
Jessiza Zhuang

Treasurer
Ricardo Garcis Rosas

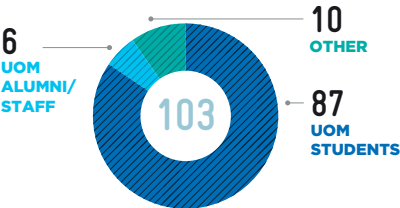
Head Instructor
Tuan Truong

Club Membership Participation Data

Rhee



WTF



Tai Chi and Wushu



The Tai Chi and Wushu Club promotes fitness, social interaction and self-development through a wide range of traditional and modern Chinese martial arts.

During the year, the Club held a winter camp for training purposes at Rosebud West. The Club also engaged with the wider community through a one-hour skills workshop for students at Cranbourne East Secondary College. In the coming year, the Club will focus on developing the skills of Club members with the aim of having greater Club representation at competitions. The Club hopes that this presence will attract more members.

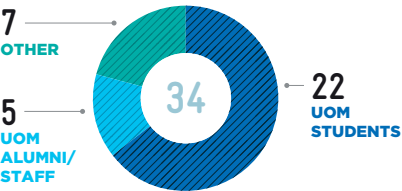
President
Charles Low

Vice-President
Rachel Lim

Secretary
Ellen Wang

Treasurer
Nathan Yan

Club Membership Participation Data



Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	REPRESENTATIVE BODY	DISCIPLINE	ACHIEVEMENT
Hui Min Soh	Wushu, Taijiquan & Qigong Festival 2017	Open Wushu Advanced Female	Overall Champion
Franklin Lau	Wushu, Taijiquan & Qigong Festival 2017	Open Wushu Advanced Male	Overall Champion

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Inline Skating

Re-affiliated 2016

The Inline Skating Club provides a variety of activities from recreational Skating to Inline Hockey.

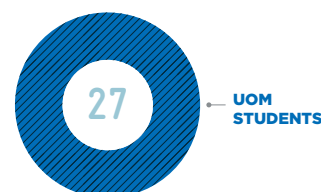
In 2017, the Club purchased a significant amount of equipment for a new activity - Inline Hockey. The Club intends to commence specific training to create casual teams for community-run street hockey leagues.

President
Keven Ren

Secretary
Kylie Huang

Treasurer
Kevin Sek

Club Membership Participation Data



Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	CHAMPIONSHIP	DISCIPLINE	RESULT
Claire Browne	World Roller Games 2017	Inline Freestyle (Classic + Battle) Senior Women's	13th
Keven Ren	World Roller Games 2017	Inline Freestyle (Classic) Senior Men's	24th

Mountaineering

Established 1944

The Melbourne University Mountaineering Club (MUMC) is about getting outdoors through a range of adventurous outdoor sports.

MUMC has fostered a culture of safety and responsibility with these key ideas being areas of focus for all members. Implementing new training programs and leadership events have helped to adapt this culture over the past few years. Additionally, an emphasis has been placed on women in the outdoors and how to ensure all members feel safe and supported.

The Club has implemented mentoring programs to help the transfer of knowledge as well as information sessions to address women's issues in the outdoors. The Club has endeavoured to build stronger relationships and increase knowledge exchange with other university outdoor clubs. MUMC hopes to remain a club where everyone has access to the same opportunities and where these opportunities are delivered safely.

President
Caitlyn Conway

Vice-President
Jack McCutchan

Secretary
Kirra Solterbeck

Treasurer
Darcey Delagnes

Mountaineering officer
Luke Frisken

Skiing officer
Gina Snelling

Walking Officer
Steven Birkett

Conservation Officer
Isabel Cornes

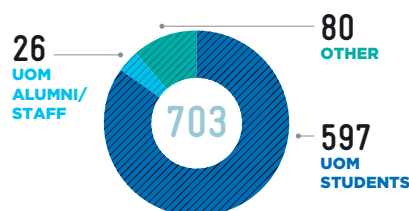
Safety officer
Daniel Andreasen-Cocker

Ropes Officer
Matt Dunwoodie

Paddling Officer
Robert Springer

Publications Officer
Anna Demold

Club Membership Participation Data



Mountaineering (cont'd)



Club Team Performance

COMPETITION	DIVISION	RESULT
Canoe polo Spring competition	Novice	1st
Snowy River Extreme Race (Whitewater kayaking)	Advanced	8th
Snowy River Extreme Race (Whitewater kayaking)	Intermediate (all Female teams)	3rd
Nigel Aylott Vic 24hr - Victorian Rogaining Championship	University	1st
Nigel Aylott Vic 24hr - Victorian Rogaining Championship	Mixed Teams	3rd
Nigel Aylott Vic 24hr - Victorian Rogaining Championship	Open	1st
12hr Don't Dilly-Dally at Dunolly Rogaine	Open Male	1st

Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	REPRESENTATIVE BODY	DISCIPLINE	ACHIEVEMENT
Alex Vent	Canoeing Victoria	Canoe polo Novice	MVP
Lingshu Liu	Canoeing Victoria	Canoe polo C Grade	MVP
Andriana Stoddart	Northwalls Indoor Climbing	Red Rock indoor climbing (open female)	Competition winner
Alastair Meehan	Victorian Rogaine Championships		1st
Kirra Solterbeck	Snowy River Extreme Race	Intermediate grade Female	2nd

Mountaineering (cont'd)

Significant Club Trips

TRIPS	TRIP DETAILS
Introductory Trip	Weekend camp to introduce new members to bushwalking, rock climbing, rogaining and kayaking at Cathedral Ranges National Park
Midnight Ascent	Annual Bushwalking Trip to the Club's Hut
Mitchell River Intervarsity	Annual trip with Monash and La Trobe mountaineering clubs
Rafting	Annual rafting trip with Monash and occasionally other universities to the Mitchell River
Pie and Slide Night	Annual Photography Competition
MUMC Rogaine	MUMC members ran this event for the Victorian Rogaining Association
Arapiles Climbing Trip	Six-day introduction to outdoor climbing
Bush Search and Rescue	Numerous searches and training weekends

Ski

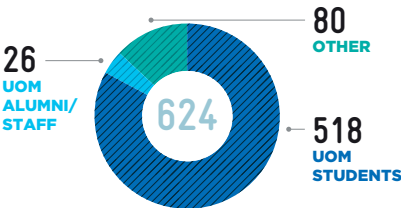
Established 1929

The Melbourne University Ski Club (MUSKI) is a fun-loving organisation that aims to get everyone having a great time on skis: from first-timers to seasoned competitors.

The 2017 ski season was the best since 1992 and the Club took full advantage of it by running a number of trips. The Club expanded its ski-hire services, resulting in the largest revenue collection by the hire facet of MUSKI. Interest and excitement in racing continued to grow, positioning the Club well for future competitions.

- President**
Phoebe Allen
- Treasurer**
Angus White
- Secretary**
Emily Bellis

Club Membership Participation Data



Club Team Performance

COMPETITION	DIVISION	RESULT
Victorian Intervarsity Snow Championships	Overall results (across all events: Giant Slalom, Super G, Skier Cross, Boarder Cross, Big Mountain)	2nd



Ski (cont'd)

Significant Club Trips

TRIP	TRIP DETAILS
Oh-Weekend Trip	New members to club/university
Buller Week	Weeklong Buller trip during break
Hotham Week	Weeklong Hotham trip during break, including lessons
Dawn 'til Dusk Day Trip	Day trip to Buller during semester
Backcountry day Trip	Day trip with MUMC to The Razorback Ridge
Buller Weekend	Friday afternoon to Sunday trip to Mt Buller during semester
Hotham Half Week	Thursday to Sunday trip to Mt Hotham during semester
Falls Half Week	Thursday to Sunday trip to Falls Creek during semester

Snowboard

Established 1994

The Melbourne University Snowboard Team (MUST) operates trips during winter to various mountains including Mt Buller and Falls Creek, as well as international trips to New Zealand.

The Club enjoyed an extremely fruitful year on and off the slopes. Having been awarded a SSAF grant, the Club was able to purchase a brand-new hire fleet. The gear was an investment in the Club's future, generating interest and giving the snow community of the University an opportunity to give the sport a go. It has also been a valuable asset to University Snow Sports with the Club offering free snowboard hire to anyone competing for the University at state or national competitions. Building upon this, MUST also successfully ran a new trip to Mt Hotham which was thoroughly enjoyed by all who attended.

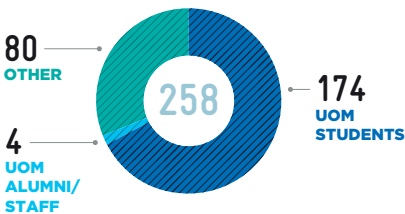


President Brooke Dunleavy	Secretary Tom Proctor
Vice-President Izzy Finn	Treasurer George Nicholas

Club Team Performance

COMPETITION	DIVISION	RESULT
Australian Snow Championships	Mixed	4th

Club Membership Participation Data



Surfriders

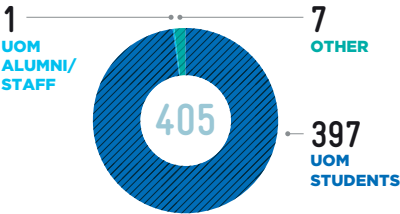
Established 1969

The Melbourne University Surfriders Club is a community of surfers that welcomes people of all skill levels, from beginners to budding competitors, with the main emphasis on having fun.

The Surfriders Club had a successful year with a solid member base that continued to grow. Six camps were held along various stretches of the Victorian coast with surfers of varying aptitude improving their skills. Numerous other surf trips and social events also kept the Surfriders Club members connected throughout the year.

- President**
Harrison Bredley
- Secretary**
Seton Jubb
- Vice-President**
Keil Haas
- Treasurer**
Jerrod Moller-Neilson

Club Membership Participation Data



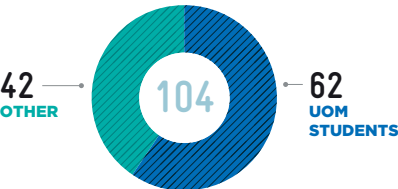
Underwater

Established 1977

The Melbourne University Underwater Club (MUUC) aims to make SCUBA diving affordable and accessible to students and the wider University community.

The Club had a successful year in 2017. Diver education remained a focus of the Club, with members completing a range of courses from introductory, to decompression, and cave diving. Club members have travelled widely, including to the fresh water sites of Mt Gambier, South Australia and the tropical waters of Indonesia. Weekly shore diving and boat diving around Port Phillip heads has been the cornerstone of Club diving.

Club Membership Participation Data



Significant Club Trips

LOCATION	DESCRIPTION
Kilsby Sinkhole Trip	Trip to Warnambool and Mt Gambier
Great Victorian Fish Count	Participation in scientific diving event
Port Phillip Bay ANZAC Weekend Trip	Weekend trip to Port Phillip Bay

Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	REPRESENTATIVE BODY	ACHIEVEMENT
Mark Thomas	Cave Divers Association of Australia	Basic Cave
Monika May	Cave Divers Association of Australia	Basic Cave
Scott Thomas	International Association of Nitrox and Technical Divers	Deep Diver

Waterski and Wakeboard

Established 1965

Coming into the 2017/18 season MUWWT seeks to continue delivering premier wakeboarding experiences to its members by providing exceptional coaching in a safe and friendly environment.

For this season the Club is striving to field a highly competitive team in the Wakeboard Victoria summer series competitions, as well as providing developmental pathways for less experienced members to achieve their competitive goals. Throughout the season the Club will continue to run major club camps, bringing a diverse range of individuals together for fun and memorable experiences in some of Victoria's most picturesque locations.

President

Geoff Creber

Secretary

Lachlan Ferguson

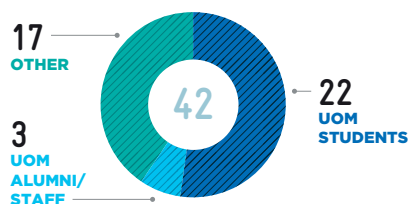
Vice-President

Gemma Cook

Treasurer

Tim Blackburn

Club Membership Participation Data



Significant Club Trips

LOCATION	DESCRIPTION
Australia Day Trip	Four-day trip over Australia Day long weekend to Goughs Bay, Lake Eildon
New Members Camp	Weekend trip to introduce new members to the Murray river in Echuca
Easter Camp	Easter long weekend/end of season camp in Deniliquin
Spring Break	Season Opening trip

Significant Senior Club and Other League Achievements

MEMBER NAME	REPRESENTATIVE BODY	DISCIPLINE	ACHIEVEMENT
Sean Taaffe	Wakeboard Nationals	Open Men	10th
Casey Hopkins	Wakeboard Victoria Season	Wake2Wake Advanced	2nd
Chris Gilbert	Wakeboard Victoria Season	Wake2Wake Advanced	4th
Tim Blackburn	State of Origin - Victoria vs South Australia	Advanced	2nd

Students enjoying a hit of tennis
on the newly refurbished courts

REFURBISHMENT OF THE ATHLETICS TRACK

RESURFACING OF THE TENNIS COURTS

FINANCIAL AND PHYSICAL RESOURCES

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FACILITIES

The University has a range of sporting facilities at the Parkville campus Sports Precinct. Other facilities include Lincoln Square Fitness, the Ski Lodge at Mount Buller, the Boat House on the Yarra River, and the mountaineering hut at Mount Feathertop.

Beaurepaire Centre



Beaurepaire Centre

The University continued to invest in sustainable energy with the retrofitting and upgrading of the internal lighting in both facilities to LEDs. Benefits of the installation include reduced energy costs and improved amenity in the facilities.

Athletics Track

Refurbishment of the Athletics Track included a high-intensity steam clean, the replacement of a significant area of the surface and new line marking, resulting in a highly improved running surface, improved aesthetics and a prolonged life for the existing surface.

Tennis Courts

Renewal of the Tennis Court involved repairing any cracks in the courts, as well as resurfacing, new line making and replacement of the existing fencing and signage. The facility is now safer, better to play on and looks significantly better.

FINANCE

Student Services and Amenities Fee

In 2012, the Student Services and Amenities Fee (SSAF) was introduced, providing \$2.28 million in funding to MU Sport.

This was, in effect, an increase of \$1 million over the 2011 provision of \$1.25 million from the University. The SSAF increased to \$3.18 million in 2017.

Over the past five years these funds have been used to:


- Reduce student membership fees and venue hire charges
- Introduce a discounted student direct debit membership option
- Open a fitness facility south of Grattan St (Lincoln Square Fitness)
- Fund new program initiatives to provide students with increased access to casual and one-off sporting and fitness opportunities at low or no cost
- Provide additional club access to MU Sport facilities at no cost
- Increase support for club coaching and management
- Provide additional support for high performance sport and elite athletes
- Develop the Oval, Pavilion and Nona Lee Sports Centre

Melbourne University Sport Foundation

The endowment of the Melbourne University Sport Foundation has grown to more than \$3 million, providing support for student participation in Hockey,

Rowing, Badminton, Australian Rules Football, Athletics, Cricket, Soccer and Mountaineering.

In 2017, the University Soccer and Cricket Clubs launched their respective Chapters of the Sports Foundation.




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FINANCE REPORT FOR 2017

	2017	2016
REVENUE		
Fees and Charges	\$7,950,273	\$6,877,513
Investment Revenue	\$36,563	\$36,026
Other Revenue	\$262,919	\$534,698
Total Revenue	\$8,249,755	\$7,448,237

LESS EXPENSE

Employee-related Expenses	\$3,966,106	\$3,301,348
Consultants, External Labour and Cleaning	\$852,639	\$674,522
Depreciation	\$152,018	\$116,968
Utilities, Repairs and Maintenance	\$1,019,573	\$1,354,840
Equipment	\$201,507	\$124,993
Other Expenses	\$1,661,321	\$1,428,867
Total Expenses	\$7,853,164	\$7,001,538

Operating Surplus/Loss	\$396,591	\$446,699
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	2017	2016
CURRENT ASSETS		
Cash	\$3,606,962	\$2,459,632
Receivables	\$74,109	\$144,638
Total Current Assets	\$3,681,071	\$2,604,270

NON-CURRENT ASSETS

Property, Plant and Equipment	\$249,076	\$225,057
Total Assets	\$3,930,147	\$2,829,327

CURRENT LIABILITIES

Trade	\$1,087,437	\$387,404
Provisions	\$152,764	\$321,880
Other	\$1,647	
Total Current Liabilities	\$1,241,848	\$709,284

NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES

Provisions	\$210,124	\$38,459
Total Liabilities	\$1,451,972	\$747,743
Net Assets	\$2,478,175	\$2,081,584

EQUITY

Reserves	\$31,567	\$31,567
Retained Surplus	\$2,446,609	\$2,050,018
Total Equity	\$2,478,175	\$2,081,584

**MORE THAN 100 PEOPLE
IN THE DONOR COMMUNITY**

225 CASUAL EMPLOYEES

150 STUDENTS EMPLOYED

20 PERMANENT STAFF

**PEOPLE,
PARTNERS
AND DONORS**

PEOPLE, PARTNERS AND DONORS

MU SPORT STAFF



Timothy Lee
Director

Alex Affleck
Operations Manager/ Fitness Services Manager

Jean-Luc Garlick
Business Manager/ General Manager

Paul Reading
Facilities Manager (From October)

P. Joy Villalino
Marketing Manager

Rod Warnecke
Sport Development Manager

Aaron McNaughton
Marketing and Events Coordinator

Alison Godlee
HR Business Partner

Andrew Walker
Club Project Coordinator (Until September)

Ange La Scala
Group Fitness Coordinator

Billy Grummet
Venue Services Officer (From November)

Brendan Chaplin
OHS Coordinator

Brendan Parnell
Elite Athlete Coordinator

Craig Bamford
Aquatics and Fitness Coordinator

Felipe Yamashita
Maintenance Officer
(From May until December)

Jake Morgan
Guest Services Officer (From November)

Jen Eslick
Venue and Event Coordinator

Julie Caundle
Director's Assistant

Kristina Ciccone
Finance Officer

Larissa Payne
Sport Participation Coordinator
(From March)

Maria Barres
Guest Services Coordinator

Nick Pappas
Maintenance Officer (Until May)

Stephanie Weaver
Project Officer

Tom Mullumby
Clubs Coordinator

Tom Lutwyche
Sport Performance Coordinator

Tony Sephton
Strength and Conditioning Head Coach

Carl Junot
Development Officer
Melbourne University Advancement Office

Sporting Club Coaches and Managers

Emma Inglis
(Until February)
General Manager
Melbourne University Cricket Club

Jean-Luke Desmarais
(From March)
Operations Manager
Melbourne University Cricket Club

Jason Jones
General Manager
Melbourne University Rugby Club

Prue Ottey
(Until October)
General Manager
Melbourne University Boat Club

Jen Matties
(From November)
General Manager
Melbourne University Boat Club

Franz Imfeld
(From June)
High Performance Coach
Melbourne University Boat Club

James Smith
(From October)
Development Coach
Melbourne University Boat Club

MU SPORT BOARD

The Melbourne University Sport Board provides high-level policy, business and financial advice to the University Council on the development and management of sport and recreation at the University.



Professor James Angus AO FAA (Chair)

James Angus is now an Honorary Professorial Fellow and Professor Emeritus in the Department of Pharmacology and Therapeutics in the Faculty of Medicine, Dentistry and Health Sciences (MDHS), University of Melbourne.

In July 2013 he completed a 10-year term as Dean of the Faculty of MDHS at the University of Melbourne. Before becoming Dean, he was Professor and Head of the Department of Pharmacology and Deputy Dean of the Faculty of MDHS. At the University of Melbourne, Professor Angus has been President of the Academic Board (2000-2001), Pro Vice-Chancellor (1999-2001) and member of University Council (1999-2001).

Professor Angus was awarded the Gottschalk Medal of the Australian Academy of Science (1984), is a Fellow of the Academy (FAA) and has been a member of its Council. In 2003 he was awarded Australia's Centenary Medal for contribution to Pharmacology and the Community.

Professor Angus was a First Vice-President of the International Union of Pharmacology (IUPHAR) and was President of the Australasian Society of Clinical and Experimental Pharmacologists and Toxicologists. From 2009-2011 he was President of Medical Deans Australia and New Zealand.

His current roles include Senior Advisor to the Minister's Health Innovation and Reform Council, Board Member of the Florey Institute of Neuroscience and Mental Health, Peter MacCallum Cancer Institute, Chair of Melbourne Genomics Health Alliance and President of the National Stroke Foundation Board.

He was appointed an officer to The Order of Australia in 2010 for distinguished service to biomedical research, particularly in the fields of pharmacology and cardiovascular disease, as a leading academic and medical educator, and as a contributor to a range of advisory boards and professional organisations both nationally and internationally.

Appointed May 2015.



Ms Kate Roffey

Kate Roffey has extensive experience within the commercial, government, sport and not-for-profit sectors, providing high-level expertise in strategic and operational planning and delivery, stakeholder management, organisational change management and political strategy.

Ms Roffey is the former CEO of the Committee for Melbourne, a high profile civic leadership role that advocated for the long-term development of greater Melbourne from an economic and liveability perspective.

Prior to joining the Committee, Ms Roffey worked with Tennis Australia managing the Melbourne Park Redevelopment and played a leadership role in developing the Masterplan vision for the redevelopment, securing \$978 million in government funding for the 12-year build, and renegotiating the commercial and operational agreements underpinning the Australian Open. As part of her role at Tennis Australia, she travelled extensively to world-leading sports and entertainment venues to gain an understanding of international best practice in facility design, city integration and organisational management.

Throughout her travels, she spent time with leading organisations such as the New York Yankees, Washington Redskins, New York Giants, Dallas Cowboys, Manchester United FC, Arsenal FC, LA Live and Madison Square Garden.

Kate is a graduate member of the Australian Institute of Company Directors and holds a number of non-executive director roles. In addition to Melbourne University Sport, Kate is a Director of the Melbourne Football Club, a member of the Victorian Ministerial Freight Advisory Committee, Chair of Enterprise Maribyrnong, and is an Ambassador for the Skin & Cancer Foundation and Berry Street.

Appointed May 2015.



Mr Grant Williams

Grant Williams is currently the General Manager of Community Football Operations at the AFL with the responsibility to work with and support the efforts of all State/Territory bodies and International affiliates. Previous to this he was the General Manager of AFL Victoria combining this role with that of AFL Head of Development.

For just over two years until 2011, Grant worked for the AFL in the Game Development department as the Development Strategy & Operations Manager in a national role that included working with all state bodies to support their plans and initiatives to grow the game as well as build the case for future investment in developing the game prior to the 2012 to 2016 media rights deal. Before this he was the AFL Victoria Project Manager responsible for the implementation of the recommendations of the AFL's Second Tier Review in Victoria and for almost four years was the General Manager of Football Operations at Carlton Football Club.

Mr Williams has worked for AFL SportsReady Ltd & the AFL Players Association (AFLPA) as the Inaugural Project Manager responsible for the establishment of a career transition program for AFL players, now known as the "Next Goal" program, which still provides practical work experience opportunities for AFL players today. For nearly 15 years Grant was in consulting engineering practices as a structural engineer, mainly in the offshore oil and gas engineering in Melbourne and overseas.

Appointed May 2015.



**Professor
Richard James**

Richard James is Pro Vice-Chancellor (Academic) and Director of the Centre for the Study of Higher Education, a leading centre for policy research in higher education.

His research program spans access and equity, the transition to university, student finances, student engagement, quality assurance and academic standards. He has published widely on the effects of social class on higher education aspirations and participation.

Professor James is a regular public commentator on higher education policy and is a member of the inaugural Higher Education Standards Panel, the national body that sets standards for the regulation of universities and other higher education providers.

In the 1970s and 1980s, Professor James represented Australia in track and field and was the Australian 100 metres sprint champion in 1980. He remains active in sport for fitness purposes.

Appointed May 2014.



**Mr Mitchell
Stephen**

Mitchell Stephen is one of the two student board members and is currently studying a Graduate Diploma in Bushfire Planning and Management at the University of Melbourne after completing a Bachelor of Science (Civil Systems) in 2015.

Mr Stephen first joined the Melbourne University Mountaineering Club in 2010 and has remained an active member, serving on the committee for 6 years, including as President. He has participated, competed and taught across a wide range of adventurous outdoor activities, his preferred pursuits being white water kayaking, skiing and mountaineering.

Since 2012 he has been involved with the Melbourne University Sports Association in a role helping to advocate for the interests of the sports clubs.

The focus areas for Mr Mitchell are to open up two-way communication channels between club members and the Board, to increase student participation in sport and to improve risk management.

Appointed July 2017.



**Mr James
Marburg**

James Marburg comes to the role as a Board member with an extensive background in the sport of rowing.

His career at the University Boat Club started in 2001, and he has been a member of national teams since 2002, competing in the past two Olympic games (London, Beijing) and winning a Silver Medal in Beijing.

Mr Marburg was also captain of the Men's Eight at varsity competitions in 2011 and 2012 and rowed at the University of Melbourne vs University of Sydney Annual Boat Race. He remains heavily involved in rowing through the University Boat Club and the Rowing Australia tribunal.

After studying law at Melbourne Mr Marburg currently works as a solicitor at King & Wood Mallesons. He previously worked in Marketing and Communications at ANZ Institutional. He has been a contributing writer to The Age and engages in public debates and discourse regarding issues in sport from an athlete's perspective.

Appointed May 2015.



Ms Alex Lawlor

Alex Lawlor is a property portfolio and development professional with extensive major projects experience in the arts, education, health and commercial sectors.

A qualified architect, Ms Lawlor has worked with Melbourne's leading design practices as well as developing projects for the public and private sectors including Federation Square, Melbourne Theatre Company, Melbourne Recital Centre, Australian Centre for Contemporary Art, as well as numerous regional development, residential, resort, office, and hospitality projects.

At the University of Melbourne, Ms Lawlor is responsible for leading the Property & Sustainability portfolio to ensure the quality of the campus experience meets the goals of the organisational strategy - identifying and enabling the critical infrastructure that supports the University's vision.

Ms Lawlor works on a range of city shaping projects - with state and local government, NGO's, and industry - to mobilise discussion, resources, and investment, that can unlock lasting outcomes. She also mentors women in the construction and development industry.

Appointed November 2017.



Ms Miranda Clark

Miranda Clark is studying a Juris Doctor degree at Melbourne Law School having completed a Bachelor of Arts and Diploma in Languages (French), also at the University of Melbourne.

Ms Clark has been actively involved in the Melbourne University sporting community throughout her studies. She is a former member of the University Netball Club and has had extensive involvement as a player and committee member of the University Tennis Club, including as Co-President for two years.

She represented the University at two Australian University Games, including as team manager for tennis in 2016. As a student Board member, Ms Clark's interests will be focused on strategic planning for sport. She is keenly interested in participation and increasing sporting opportunities for all students.

Appointed July 2017.



Mr Adrian Collette AM

Adrian Collette joined the University of Melbourne in early 2013 as Executive Director, Engagement and Partnerships before taking on his current role in early 2014.

Previously, Mr Collette was Chief Executive Officer of Opera Australia (OA) for 16 years. OA is Australia's national opera company and is also the country's largest performing arts company. Before joining Opera Australia, Mr Collette was Managing Director of Reed Books, a division of Reed Elsevier, a company at which he worked for 10 years. Adrian attended Trinity Grammar School, Kew. He holds a Bachelor of Arts with first class honours from La Trobe University and a Master of Arts from the University of Melbourne. He tutored in Literature at both La Trobe University and the University of Melbourne. Mr Collette also performed regularly as a singer with the Victoria State Opera and was a member of their Young Artist Program.

He is a Board member of the Australia Council for the Arts; a Board member of the Committee for Melbourne and a Life Member of Live Performance Australia. He was also a Member of the Victorian Council for the Arts and a Trustee of Sydney Grammar School for six years. Mr Collette became a Member in the Order of Australia for services to the Arts in 2008.

Appointed May 2014.



Mr Timothy Lee

Timothy Lee has been involved in the delivery of sporting, recreational and fitness services in the university and community sectors for 30 years, since 2009 as the Director of Sport at the University of Melbourne (MU Sport). Mr Lee was made a life member of Australian University Sport in 2016.

Mr Lee has led the repositioning of sport at the University and with his team increased student participation and sport performance, completed a major capital plan and significantly improved the financial position of the organisation. MU Sport is considered an exemplar for good governance and management and regularly hosts national and international industry visitors.

Mr Lee has been a key player in the development of national industry benchmarking and several national sporting initiatives whilst also serving on a number boards and committees with the national body, Australian University Sport, including as a Board Director from 2002 to 2012.

SPORT COMMITTEES AND ADVISORY GROUPS

Elite Athlete Advisory Group

Timothy Lee (Chair)
Dr Alice McNamara
Professor Mark Hargreaves
Professor Richard James
Michelle Livett
Rod Warnecke (Observer)
Brendan Parnell (Secretary)

Sport and Clubs Advisory Group

Rod Warnecke (Director's Nominee)
Rosemary Bissett (Volleyball Club)
Alison Campbell (Athletics Australia)
Luke Cawley (Underwater Club)*
Brooke Dunleavy (Snowboarding Club)
Viet Hoang (Kendo Club) *
Alexandra Lockie (Kiteboarding Australia)
Ben Yeo (Water Polo Club) *
Tom Mullumby (Secretary)

*Former Club Office Bearers

Blues Advisory Group

John Kanis (Australian Rules Football)
Megan Lane (Touch)
Alice McNamara (Rowing)
Terry Reade (Athletics)
Iain Scott (Football)
Tony Steele (Cricket & Squash)
Genevieve Venosta (Water Polo)
Rod Warnecke (Director's Nominee)
Tom Lutwyche (Secretary)

Sport Scholarship Committee

Bob Girdwood (Australian Rules)
Phoebe Stanley (Rowing)
James Stewart (Hockey)
Rod Warnecke (Director's Nominee)
Brendan Parnell (Secretary)

Rugby Young Achiever Award Committee

Kevin Culliver (Victorian Schools Rugby Union)
Dr Stewart Gill (Queen's College)
Rob Leota (Melbourne Rebels)
Jason Jones (Rugby Club)
Sean O'Donnell (Rugby Club)
Rod Warnecke (Director's Nominee)
Brendan Parnell (Secretary)

Inter-Collegiate Sports Council Committee and Heads of College Representatives

Connor McCormack (President - Newman)
Catherine Fist (Secretary - Whitley)
George Stewart (Treasurer - Queen's)
Robert Leach (Vice Master - Ormond)
Jacob Workman (Dean of Students - Queen's)
Larissa Payne (MU Sport)

Inter-Collegiate Sports Council Representatives

Jordy Greenham (International House)
Lauren Robinson (International House)
Joshua Healey (Janet Clarke Hall)
Mara Quash (Janet Clarke Hall)
Sean Roberts (Kendall Hall)
Tess De Speville (Newman)
Katelyn Millard (Newman)
Max Boddington (Ormond)
Emma Waldron (Ormond)
Toby Profitt (Queen's)
Julia O'Shea (Queen's)
William Monahan (St. Hilda's)
Rebecca Johns (St. Hilda's)
Nicholas Wood (St. Mary's)
Sarah Mousley (St. Mary's)
Harrison Emms (Trinity)
Holly McNaughton (Trinity)
Joe Bingley (University College)
Ellie Hodge (University College)
Nick Richardson (Whitley)
Joseph Williams (Whitley)

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HISTORY OF SPORT AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE

Sport has always held a special significance in the life of the University through the performance of our sporting clubs, teams and student-athletes, and in the vast array of sporting activities and facilities engaging students and staff. It reflects positively on the University experience.

Students have participated in informal and organised sporting and physical recreation since the formation of the University in 1853. They came together to form clubs and teams to compete in weekly or regular community competitions, with the first recorded contest being a cricket match in 1857. Our sporting clubs evolved to become some of the pre-eminent university sporting clubs in the country.

Intervarsity sport followed in 1870 and the University soon adopted the British practice of awarding sporting Blues for outstanding performance. In 1874, the land north of Tin Alley, the Sports Precinct, was provided to the University for recreational purposes, with the original Pavilion built in 1906. The Boat House was constructed on the Yarra River in 1908.

In 1904, the governance and management of sport at the University broke away from the Students Union with the establishment of the Sports and Physical Recreation Committee and the Sports Union, with the first Director of Sport appointed the same year.

Inter-collegiate sport was established in 1921 and now involves hard-fought competition between 12 residential colleges with many finals - in particular, the rowing regatta on the Yarra River - attracting colourful and vocal supporters. After the Second World War, the arrival of returned servicemen and the children of post-war migrants to the University led to new activities such as fencing, judo, badminton, basketball and soccer. Many of these activities could not be accommodated on campus and required access to sporting grounds and facilities in Princes Park and Royal Park as well as to facilities in the local community.

In 1954, the Beaurepaire Centre was built with the generous support of Olympian and former Melbourne Lord Mayor Sir Frank Beaurepaire, and the first hard surface

running track laid. The Sports Centre was developed in 1967 providing opportunities for the development of indoor sports on campus as well as weight training and general fitness programs. The development of the Ski Lodge at Mt Buller and the Mountaineering Hut at Mt Feathertop in the 1960s reflected the expanding interest in alpine sports and bushwalking.

Franz Stampfl arrived in 1955 to teach physical education and coach successfully a generation of student-athletes, many of whom represented Australia, including 1968 Olympic gold medallist Ralph Doubell. Some of Australia's most successful athletes have been students at the University and many have developed into significant community and industry leaders. Alumni include World War II hero and humanitarian Edward 'Weary' Dunlop, the first Victorian-born rugby player to represent Australia, and Olympian and Governor of Victoria John Landy, to name but two.

The stand-alone intervarsity model was replaced by the emergence of the Australian University Games (AUG) in 1995 and the University has taken out the title of Overall University Champion six times, most recently in 2013. In 2009, the tradition of head-to-head competition was revived with the Australian Boat Race (ABR), reigniting a long-standing rivalry with Sydney University that has become an important annual event on the University calendar.

A significant upgrade of the Beaurepaire Centre was completed in 2006 incorporating a refurbished pool and extensive strength and cardio training areas. This also provided for an expanded group fitness program in the Sports Centre that increased significantly the participation of female students. An additional fitness facility - Lincoln Square - was subsequently opened in 2011 to accommodate the growing campus population located south of Grattan Street.

The Boat House was extended and a function space added in 2009, while shortly after the Sports Centre was remodelled and renamed in recognition of the significant gift to Sport from Nona Lee. The new Pavilion was opened in 2014 and named in honour of long-serving head curator Ernie Cropley at the request of the

many generous benefactors who made the development possible.

In 2009, the Sports and Physical Recreation Committee was replaced by a University-appointed Board to advise the University Council on sport and recreation strategy and policy. The move reflected the increasing complexity and scale of sport, fitness and recreational activities across the University, as well as the level of professional management and oversight being provided by MU Sport. Vast numbers of student and alumni volunteers and benefactors are necessary for delivering the current broad range of club and sporting programs.

Students have traditionally contributed to the cost of participation through compulsory student fees and the payment of participation, entry or membership fees. The University funded sport directly during Voluntary Student Unionism (VSU) between 2007 and 2011, before a Student Services and Amenities Fee (SSAF) was reintroduced in 2012. Approximately 18 per cent of the total amount of SSAF collected annually is directed to support student sporting activity at the University. The funds are used to reduce the cost of student participation in fitness services and sport programs, provide direct and indirect support to sporting clubs and maintain the University Sports buildings and grounds.

The University of Melbourne has a proud tradition of providing students with quality programs and facilities that foster participation, volunteerism and community leadership, nurture sporting excellence, and support exceptional athletes. It aims to continue to build on this legacy.

For the comprehensive history of sport at the University of Melbourne see *The Ties that Bind* by June E Senyard.

Timothy Lee
Director of Sport

IN MEMORIAM

Vale Mary Dodgson 1945 - 2017



Melbourne University Cricket Club (MUCC) Member, University Blues Football Club Secretary and University Bachelor of Arts alumna and former employee Mary Dodgson passed away on June 19, 2017, after a long and brave battle with multiple myeloma.

Ms Dodgson became involved in University sport as a scorer for the MUCC and, in the late 1980s, extended her engagement in sporting activities by becoming a

timekeeper for the University Blues Football Club and for six years club secretary. Ms Dodgson's contribution as Club Secretary was of high value for the University Blues, given the club was in the process of building its administrative organisation at the time. She also represented the club as delegate to the Melbourne University Sports Association executive, and as club delegate to the Victorian Amateur Football Association.

Vale Hon Allan William McDonald AO QC 1937 - 2017



Melbourne University Athletics Club (MUAC) Patron and Law alumnus Allan William McDonald passed away on June 15, 2017. He was an outstanding athlete, playing Australian Rules Football, rowing, and setting a record in the 100 yards dash of 9.9 seconds.

The Honourable Justice Allan McDonald AO QC served as a Supreme Court Judge for 14 years from 1988 to 2002 and was appointed a Queen's Counsel in 1977. While a barrister, he was Chairman of the Council of the Victorian Amateur Athletics

Association, one of eight MUAC members to have filled the role, and President of Athletics Australia. Mr McDonald was a Life Governor of Athletics Australia and a Life Member of Athletics Victoria. He also served as MUAC's Patron for more than 30 years and was a Life Member.

In 1955, he entered Ormond College and the University of Melbourne, and graduated with a degree in law at the end of 1958. While a student, he was awarded a Full Blue in Athletics in 1957 and 1958.

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