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Kylie Stevenson
and Andrew Keniry**

Melbourne
Cambridge Australia Trust
The scholarships they have won will allow them to continue their studies at

Cambridge University in the UK next year. Clockwise from the left: Nick Owens, Joanne Wallis, Anita Coles, Maurice Chiodo, Olivia Meehan, and Kylie Stevenson. Please note Andrew Keniry has already left and is in Cambridge, he received his undergraduate science degree from Melbourne University with a further diploma from LaTrobe University.



Adam Arkapaw

VCA
Berlin Film Festival
Graduated last year, his film *Catch Fish* will screen at the Munich International Festival of Film Schools in November.



Jake Chapman
Kangan Batman

The Kangan Batman TAFE team, lead by driver Jake Chapman are officially the

Victorian Formula Ford State Champions, taking out the motor racing championship race at Philip Island in September.



Kicking on in Japan

A Victoria University student will realise a dream of visiting the birthplace of a traditional Japanese martial arts form after he was selected for a study-tour to Japan.

Twenty-five year-old Luke Kane, is a third-year Bachelor of Exercise Science and Human Movement student at the University's Footscray Park Campus.

He will spend a month from mid-November learning about Japanese schools, temples, companies, and society as one of eight Australians to be selected for a Mitsui Education Foundation trip.

But Kane also plans to fit in a visit to a traditional dojo to practise Kyokushin karate, a Tokyo-based form of martial arts deeply rooted in respect and humility that he has trained in almost daily for five years.

"My only experience

with Japan is through my karate, and it will be amazing to see it first-hand."

Kane said the activity is very popular in Japan and some other parts of the world, but is not that well known in Australia.

"Everything in Kyokushin is done in the Japanese language, so I will have a little head-start with the language."

The annual study-tour offers eight rigorously selected Australian university students an all-expense paid trip to Japan to broaden their tertiary education, as well as to develop knowledge and friendships between the two countries.

"Being able to experience another culture in a way that will allow me to see all parts of the society will be invaluable in any future study I may do in the area of sociology," Kane said. □



Daniel Agdag

VCA
Berlin Film Festival
As well as the Munich International Festival of Film Schools, his short animation *Paper City Architects* has screened at this year's St. Kilda Film Festival and the Sydney Film Festival.



Chisholm
Packaging design awards

Thirteen Chisholm students won awards for packaging

design in the Australia-wide 2007 Southern Cross Package Awards, including two golds, three silvers, two bronzes and six commendations.



Belle Bassin

VCA
Wallara Travelling Scholarship
Third year art drawing student, she intends to use the \$10,000 scholarship to travel to Egypt and Jordan to further her interest in paganism. She will then spend three months in Bologna, Italy.

James Read & George Poupos

Chisholm
Golden Chef's Hat
The two man team winning bronze at State level in the Nestle Golden Chef's Hat competition. James Read was also part of a four person team (including Jasmin Bacalla, Mark Watson, and Kym Bendle) taking silver at the VICTAFE Cookery Competition.

Andy Bull

Brit TAFE
National Tertiary Art Prize
Won the Sculpture category for his entry 'Dog'

Katie Bryce

La Trobe
National Tertiary Art Prize
Won the People's Choice category for her entry 'Shield'

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