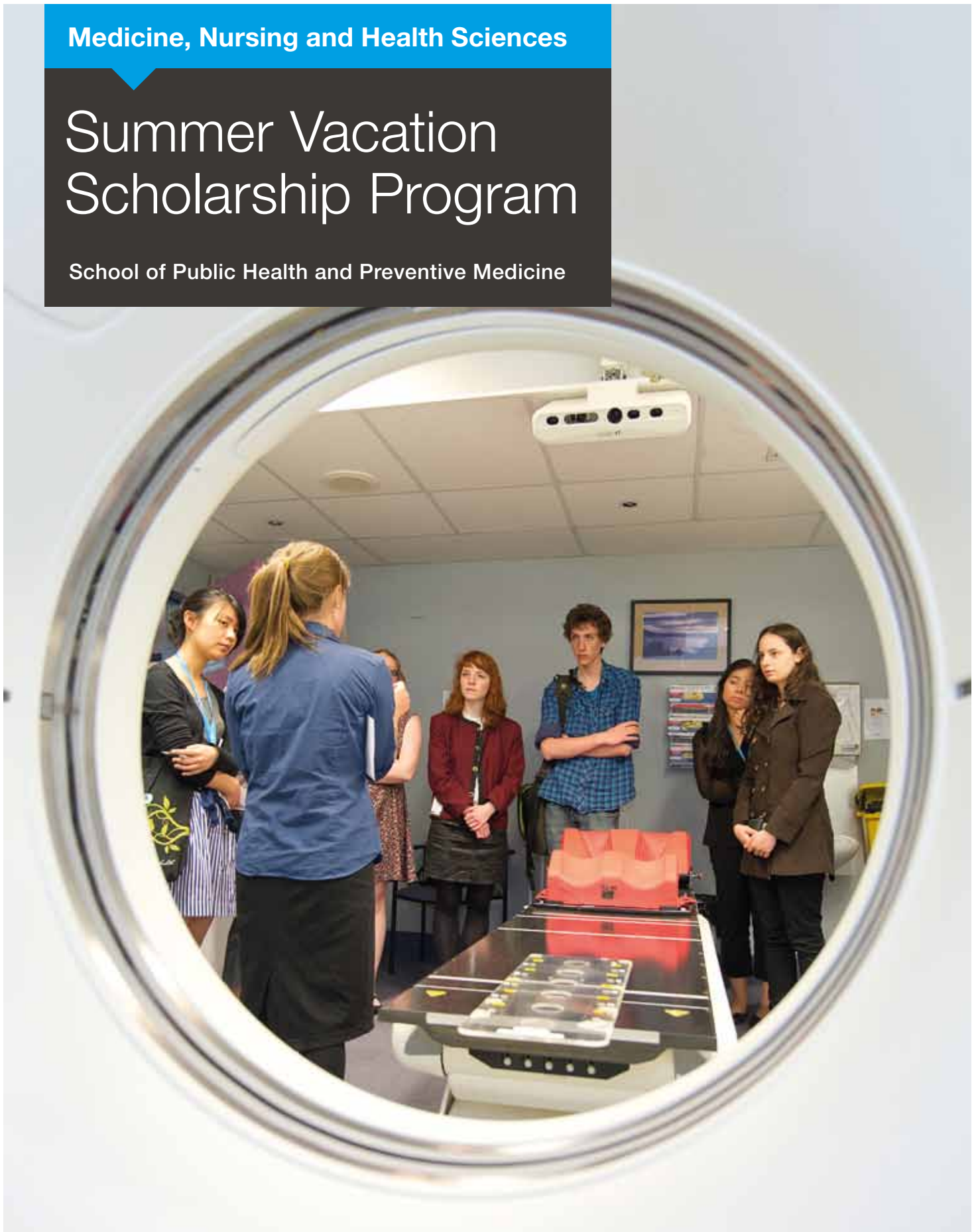




Medicine, Nursing and Health Sciences

Summer Vacation Scholarship Program

School of Public Health and Preventive Medicine



SPHPM Summer Vacation Scholarship Program

The SPHPM Summer Vacation Scholarship Program supports the education of promising tertiary students by providing them with a means to engage and gain experience in research during the University summer vacation period.

About the Program

The SPHPM Summer Vacation Scholarship Program aims to provide students with practical experiences in applied clinical and public health research. Our aim is to give them insight into future opportunities in the area of research with an incentive to pursue higher studies and a career in research or academia.



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Our Commitment to You

“We want to provide you with the advantage you will need to thrive in the career of your choice, through our teaching, our support and our links to some of the world’s most exciting researchers and employers”

Professor John McNeil
Head of School

The 2011 Program

In 2011, 17 students carried out Vacation projects.

There students projects were in the areas of:

- Clinical epidemiology;
- Patient safety;
- Rheumatology;
- Intensive care;
- Transfusion research;
- Obesity research;
- Women's Health; and
- Prevention Science.

These students had the opportunity to visit the William Buckland Radiotherapy Centre, The Intensive Care Unit and the Emergency Department of the Alfred hospital.



Want to see what research is all about? Check out the student videos at:
www.med.monash.edu/sphpm/summer-vacation-program/presentations.html

Congratulations to Luke Dawson; awarded the 2011/2012 SPHPM Summer Vacation Scholarship Top Student. Luke did his research project in the field of musculoskeletal epidemiology and was supervised by Professor Flavia Cicuttini. Luke was the recipient of a \$100 gift voucher and Australian Epidemiology Association annual membership.



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