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Career Outreach Opportunities for Families

*Finding your right career is about your soul. It is about your identity.
It's about connecting with where you belong.*

7 June A webinar for parents and carers giving advice on how to help your student manage career uncertainty

Wednesday 7 June, 3.30pm



The [Myfuture](#) team is delivering [this webinar](#) to help parents and carers to understand the world of careers that their kids are facing.

In this webinar, Dr Jo Gleeson from Monash University, will talk about how to work with young students who are uncertain about where they see their future, and that is most students.

[Register now](#)

May – June Department of Education Career Conversations

The Department of Education gives advice on how to talk about careers with your student.

Register for one or more of the events [HERE](#).

Career conversation events



Hear about:

- exploring university and training pathways
- career pathway information for young people with disabilities
- where to find accurate, up-to-date career pathway information
- where the jobs are
- what employers and industry are looking for.

Online

Monday 26 June

5:30 pm to 6:30 pm

[Register in Eventbrite](#)

North Metropolitan

Joondalup

Monday 29 May

6:30 pm to 8:00 pm

[Register in Eventbrite](#)

Morley

Tuesday 20 June

6:30 pm to 8:00 pm

[Register in Eventbrite](#)

11 June WAAPA Weekend workshops

Sensational Strings with the Darlington Quartet for Year 10, 11 and 12 string students



Book Now for 11 June 10am – 5pm

The legendary Darlington Quartet leads string students in an inspirational day of string chamber music. You'll play wonderful chamber works, learn lots as you explore musicianship, sound, phrasing and rhythm, play in a chamber orchestra, and have fun making new string friends. The day concludes with an exciting performance for parents at 4.00pm.

Cost: Free. [Bookings are essential](#)

18 June WAAPA Weekend Workshop Percussion Pandemonium - Year 10, 11 and 12



Book Now for Sunday 18 June 1pm – 5pm

Come and join us at WAAPA for **Percussion Pandemonium** – a free afternoon of fun, music, drums and supercharged percussion!

Led by Genevieve Wilkins, Tim White and Defying Gravity, WAAPA's percussion teachers and students work with you in fun hands-on workshops exploring ensemble playing, percussion technique, rhythm games, improvisation and world music.

Venue: Richard Gill Auditorium and Handa Percussion Studio

Cost: Free. [Bookings are essential](#).

16 July WAAPA Free Jazz Workshops - for students 12 years old and over



Book Now for 16 July 2.00pm – 3.30pm

The world-class staff from WAAPA's Jazz department will be running free instrumental and vocal workshops for aspiring young musicians.

This is a unique opportunity to learn from some of the country's finest jazz performers and educators, whilst getting a glimpse into life at WAAPA.

Instruments

- Piano – Tom O'Halloran
- Voice – Victoria Newton
- Bass – Nick Abbey
- Brass – Jeremy Greig
- Saxophone – Jamie Oehlers
- Guitar – Freddie Grigson
- Drums – Chris Tarr

Please arrive at 1:45pm for registration in building 1 foyer

Workshops 2.00pm – 3.00pm – Multiple rooms

Parents can attend a concert from 3.00pm – 3:30pm in the Geoff Gibbs Theatre

Cost: Free. [Bookings are essential.](#)

22 – 23 July WAAPA ACE your WACE 2.0



Dates: Saturday 22 and Sunday 23 July

Boost your confidence and turbocharge your WACE performance exam or audition!

You'll perform one of your exam/audition pieces in a fun workshop setting – and WAAPA's classical music lecturers will give you advice and strategies for enhancing your performance.

Cost: Free. [Bookings are essential.](#)

Jobs for the future – Fastest growing jobs

The fastest growing jobs are:

Job	Examples
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<p>AI and machine learning</p>  <p>Eleven of the fastest-growing jobs are in IT</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tech jobs like coding • Gathering and analyzing data to make business decisions
<p>Sustainability specialists</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Urban planning and landscaping • Designing and building homes that use less energy
<p>Business intelligence analyst</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Managers who use data to make business decisions.
<p>Information Security Specialists</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Developing secure IT systems and coding to ensure data security is still growing.
<p>The employers of the biggest number of people are education, agriculture and digital commerce. Growth in those sectors continues.</p>	

From [Future of Jobs Report 2023](#)

[Watch this video](#) for more information.

University Opportunities

24 May ECU Year 10 Parent Information Evening

Joondalup Campus 6-7.30pm

If you don't know what subjects to pick next year or you just want to find out about uni and the courses we offer, this is a great opportunity to have a chat with our friendly Future Student Engagement Team!

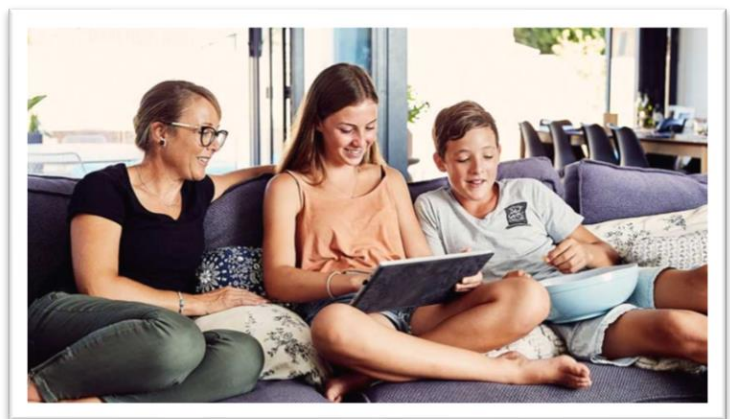
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29 May Info Session: Undergraduate Pathways to Medicine at Notre Dame University

Notre Dame is thrilled to announce new pathways to the postgraduate Doctor of Medicine degree for school leavers who aspire to become doctors and leading health professionals.

Via this priority pathway, places in the postgraduate medicine degree are reserved for the top performing graduates of our Bachelor of Biomedical Science.

We invite you to join us for an online information session on Monday 29 May 2023 at 5pm. Register [HERE](#).

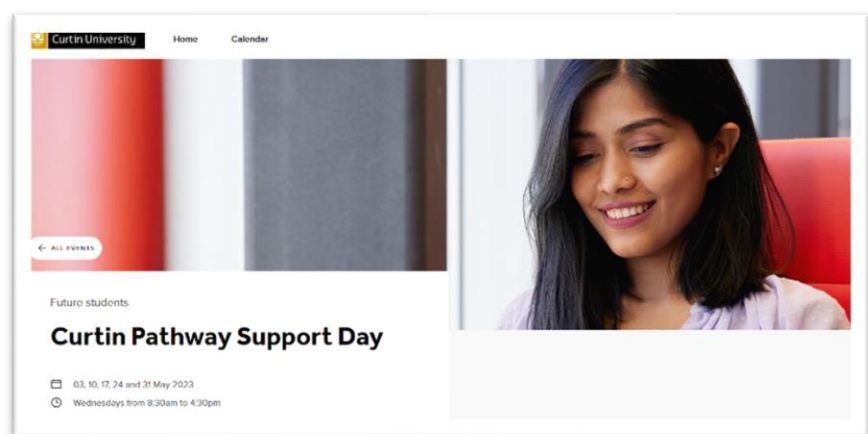
31 May UCAT ANZ 2023 (Medicine) Late booking deadline

Students who have yet to register for the UCAT test which is a part of the application process for Medicine at Curtin or for a place in an Assured Pathway to Medicine at UWA, can still apply by 31 May, for a late fee. You can book [HERE](#).

31 May Curtin Pathway Support

Thinking about applying to uni but have a few questions about the various pathways on offer?

Come down to Curtin Connect to chat with one of our Future Student Advisors about your pathway options, including ATAR entry, Portfolio entry, enabling pathways, and more!



We're here to run you through your options, give you tailored advice and discuss what your journey to Curtin could look like. Bring your questions along and we look forward to seeing you there. Get details [HERE](#).

1 June Curtin Year 9 – 12 Information Evening

Join us for our upcoming Year 9 to 12 Information Evening to learn more about

- Learn about early offers – what they are and how they can help your child
- Explore the variety of entry pathways to suit every background and situation
- Discover our scholarships, including those that consider extracurricular activities your child has undertaken during high school
- Gain insights from Curtin students about their learning experience, support

Online and in person. 5.30 – 8pm. Register [HERE](#).

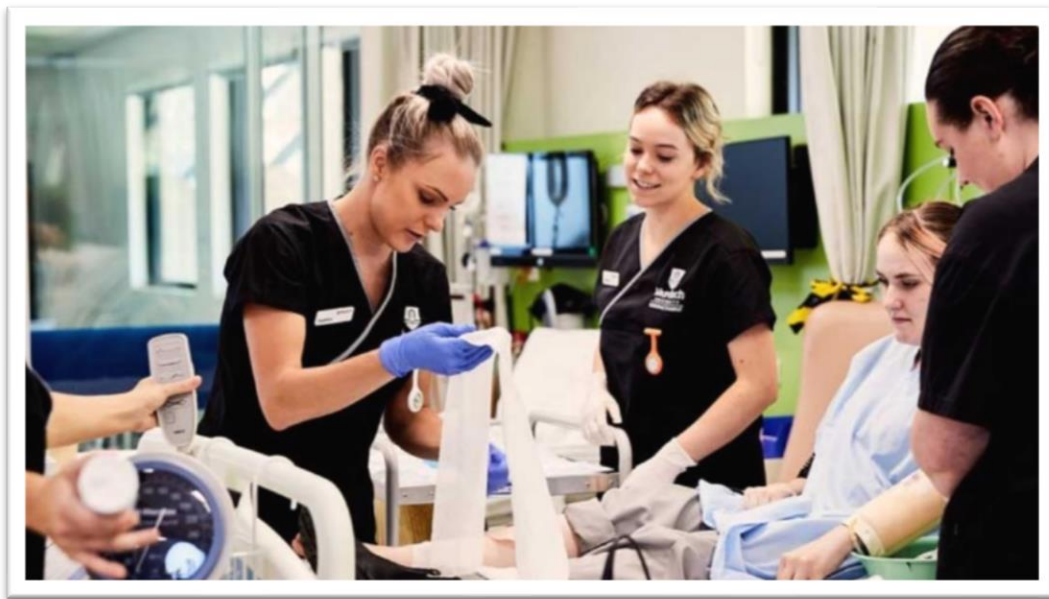
8 June ECU Year 11 and 12's Engineering Showcase

Find out why you should study engineering at ECU by attending this Engineering Showcase at the Joondalup campus.

4.30 – 6.30pm. Find details and book [HERE](#).

8 June Murdoch University Mandurah Campus Open Night

4.30 – 8pm



Join us at Murdoch University's Mandurah Campus and discover our enabling pathways into university bachelor degrees or explore your future career in Nursing.

Talk to Murdoch staff about the different pathway options available at our Rockingham and Mandurah campuses.

This event is a great opportunity for the community, TLC110, OnTrack and FlexiTrack students, to discover Nursing at Murdoch University.

Find more details and register [HERE](#).

10 June UWA Personal Development Workshop for entry into Medicine and Dentistry

9am – 2pm Registrations close 4 June



Who should attend this event?

- Year 12 students interested in studying Medicine or Dentistry at UWA in 2024 from Broadway UWA or regional high schools who have booked their [UCAT ANZ test prior to registering your attendance.](#)

Find details and register [HERE](#).

5 July UWA Years 10, 11 and 12 On Campus Experience

Why attend this event?

- Take a tour of UWA's campus including an optional tour of College Row (residential college accommodation).
- Hear about our courses and entry pathways
- Learn about work integrated learning and how you can get career-ready at UWA
- Meet some of our expert lecturers, current students and staff, including some of our student clubs and societies

Find details and register [HERE](#).



Curtin Scholarships 2024

ATAR Achievement Scholarships

(This one is fairly easy to achieve.)

Application forms are not required, **students apply by selecting an eligible Curtin course through TISC as their first preference.**

The scholarship will reward applicants who achieve an ATAR 3 points higher than their predicted ATAR, based on year 11 studies, and who want to pursue study at Curtin University.

Find details [HERE](#).

Curtin Principal's Recommendation

The Curtin Principal's Recommendation Award has been developed by Curtin University to encourage and support students who have chosen to study at Curtin University.

Each West Australian high school principal can nominate two students for this award.

Students can be nominated on any of the below criteria:

- Academic merit; or
- Showing most improvement during their high school studies; or
- Potential to achieve at university; or
- Adverse personal circumstances; or
- Financial difficulties

Find details [HERE](#).

Business and Law Top Excellence Scholarship

The Business and Law Top Excellence Scholarship has been developed by Curtin University to reward and assist academically talented student(s) who receive the top ATAR within the Faculty of Business and Law.

Application forms are not required, students apply by selecting a Business and Law undergraduate degree through TISC as their first preference.

Charles Watson Top Excellence Scholarship for Health Sciences

Application forms are not required, students apply by selecting an eligible health sciences undergraduate degree through TISC as their first preference.

Find details [HERE](#).

Curtin Excellence Scholarships

You will automatically be awarded the [Curtin Excellence Scholarship](#) if you're a domestic year 12 student, graduate with an ATAR of 96+*, have an eligible Curtin course as your first preference and accept our main round offer:

- If your ATAR is 96 – 96.99, you'll receive a one-year scholarship valued at \$5,000.
- If your ATAR is 97 or higher, you'll receive a three-year scholarship valued at \$15,000.

Humanities Top Excellence Scholarship

The Humanities Top Excellence Scholarship has been developed by Curtin University to reward and assist academically talented student(s) who receive the top ATAR within the Faculty of Humanities.

Application forms are not required, students apply by selecting a humanities undergraduate degree through TISC as their first preference.

Find details [HERE](#).

John de Laeter Top Excellence Scholarship for Science and Engineering

The John de Laeter Top Excellence Scholarship has been developed by Curtin University to reward and assist academically talented student(s) who receive the top ATAR within the Faculty of Science and Engineering.

Application forms are not required, students apply by selecting a science or engineering undergraduate degree through TISC as their first preference.

Find details [HERE](#).

Women in Engineering Top Excellence Scholarship

The Women in Engineering Top Excellence Scholarship has been developed by Curtin University to reward and assist academically talented female student(s) who receive the top ATAR in an Engineering degree within the Faculty of Science and Engineering.

Application forms are not required, students apply by selecting an engineering undergraduate degree through TISC as their first preference.

Find details [HERE](#).

Curtin provides advice on [Applying for a scholarship](#)

Training Opportunities

12 June Global Footprints Scholarship Applications Close

The [Global Footprints Scholarship](#) is open to school based apprentices and trainees.

You need to be able to demonstrate your commitment to sustainability and passion for your work.



This might be tricky for school students, but if you have been a volunteer doing sustainability work and are passionate about it, you could qualify. Remember, many scholarships have few applicants.

Check it out [HERE](#).

19 June SEDA Perth Wildcats Information Session

SEDA College is an independent secondary school for students in Years 11 & 12 who want a career in sport. It has industry connections with top teams in:

• Basketball	• Cricket
• Football	• Netball
• Soccer	• Tennis

These connections support students studying a Diploma of Sport or a Diploma of Business.

Find out more at the Perth Wildcats Sport Program information session.

When: Monday 19 June 6:30pm

Where: Bendat Basketball Centre

Register [HERE](#)

21 June SEDA Fremantle Dockers Information Session

Sport, Business & Leadership Program

When: Wednesday 21 st June 2023 at 6:30pm

Where: Cockburn ARC

Register [HERE](#)

To find out more about course and course costs contact liamt@sedagroup.com.au or ring 0447 149 508 with any enquiries, and direct students to seda.edu.au/programs.

Register now for McMahon's Apprenticeships and Traineeships



McMahon's is one of the biggest and most highly rated employers of apprentices.

They offer apprenticeships for:

Auto Electricians

Boilermakers

HD Fitters

Register your interest in a McMahon's apprenticeship [HERE](#).

Register for Apprenticeship Alerts

Woodside and several employers of apprentices in the mining industry advertise and have their training managed through [Programmed](#). You can register for apprenticeship alerts [HERE](#).

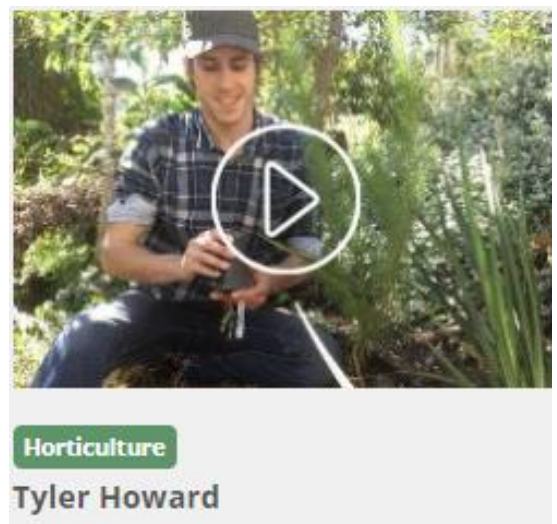


You can also register on [SEEK](#).

Horticulture Career Site

Kickstart your career in gardening!

Need a little inspiration? Not sure where to start? We've got a list of common questions and a load of videos from people who've taken their first steps. When you're ready for more and want to find a job that's right for you, click on the links below to find places to study, a variety of careers, professional organisations and a heap of opportunities.



For more information go [HERE](#).

Traineeship Guide published

The logo for the Traineeship Guide, featuring a stylized 'T' and 'G' in a blue and green color scheme.

TRAINEESHIP GUIDE

What is a Traineeship?

Traineeships combine training with paid work. Traineeships are ideal for school leavers, people re-entering the workforce, people wishing to change careers, mature-age students and secondary school students.

Traineeships vary between one to two years and on successful completion, the trainee will attain a nationally recognised qualification.

Traineeships are offered across a broad range of industries and a full list of those appropriate to Community Services, Health and Education are available on the CSWA website.

This is a handy guide to traineeships put out by the [Community Skills Training Council](#) which oversees traineeships in health, education and community services industries. You can get a copy [HERE](#).

Senior School Opportunities

June 9 Years 10 – 12 Black Swan Theatre Workshops

Black Swan Theatre is running a 2 day access to the theatre workshop using the play [Things I know to be True](#) as the case study. Students do workshops, participate in discussions, theatre tours and tickets to the play on the final day of the workshop.

Find details [HERE](#).



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Year 12 Opportunities

30 May UWA Fogarty Scholarship applications close

The [UWA Fogarty Foundation Scholarship Program](#) is one of Australia's premier scholarship programs. It is a joint venture between the Fogarty Foundation and the University of Western Australia, investing in the future leaders of Western Australia. There are 10 scholarships on offer for Year 12 high school students from WA.

Each scholarship is valued at \$10,000 per annum. [Applications close on 30 May 2023](#)

31 May Urgent Late Applications for UCAT Close

Students who aspire to apply for medicine in 2023 need to get a great score on the [University Clinical Admissions Test](#). These tests are done in July.

Late applications are accepted until 9:59 pm (WA time) on 31 May.

Get your late applications in now at [UCAT ANZ website](#). A late fee of \$185 applies.

11 June Qantas Female and Indigenous Scholarship applications close

The Qantas Group Pilot Academy Scholarship Program aims to provide equity-based grants to support diversity. Over the coming five years, 50 scholarships are on offer.

Applications are open and being accepted for Academy courses from now until 2028 from females or First Nations People.

For more information, read our [FAQs](#), or email [Diversity and Inclusion](#). Find information [HERE](#).



3 July Curtin Year 12 ATAR Accounting and Finance Conference

9am – 1.30 pm

We're excited to invite all year 12 ATAR Accounting and Finance students to our upcoming revision session. This event is designed to help you prepare for your exams with insider tips and strategies from industry experts.

Join us for an engaging and informative day filled with extended answer techniques, interactive sessions, and a chance to network with peers. Plus, you'll get to enjoy a delicious morning tea, merchandise, and free parking included in the ticket price (\$20). Find out more and get tickets [HERE](#).

4 July Curtin Economics Conference

Get ready for the ultimate ATAR economics conference designed to elevate your revision game and prepare you for success! We're bringing together industry leaders to share their expert insights and knowledge with you.

With a line-up of inspiring speakers, including renowned economist Paul Bloxham (Chief Economist HSBC and Curtin alumni) and special guest Steven Kemp (author of your textbook), you'll be immersed in a world of economic theory and real-world application.

Find details and get tickets [HERE](#).

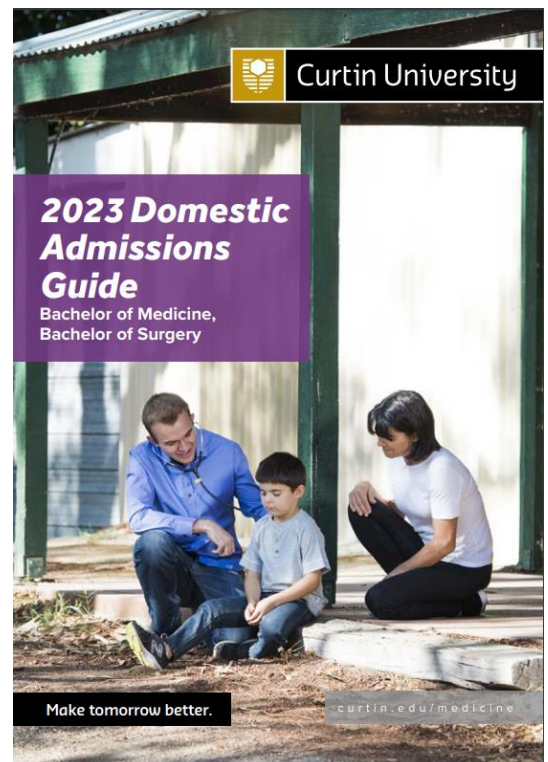


Bachelor of Medicine/Bachelor of Surgery (MBBS) Admissions Guide

Curtin advises to use the 2023 [MBBS Admissions Guide](#) as the guide for 2024.

It includes information about the course, key dates and admission criteria.

Curtin has clear and easy to find information about getting into medicine on its [website](#).



Applications Open for Insurance Scholarships for Certificate, Diploma, Degree or Traineeship

The [Real Futures Grant](#) is a \$5,000 grant awarded to a student studying for a certificate, diploma, degree or traineeship in one of the following fields:

- Healthcare,
- Medicine,
- Business, or
- Finance.

Applicants must write an essay saying why they want to work in their selected field and what difference they hope to make.

You can apply [HERE](#).

Ag CareerStart Scholarships

The AgCareerStart Scholarships open on 14 August.

Successful applicants will be placed with a host farmer on a Gap Year paid work placement.



Check out [this participants experience](#).

Register for Scholarship Alerts

Go to the [Good Universities Guide](#) and register your preferences for scholarship alerts so that you find out as new scholarships are announced.

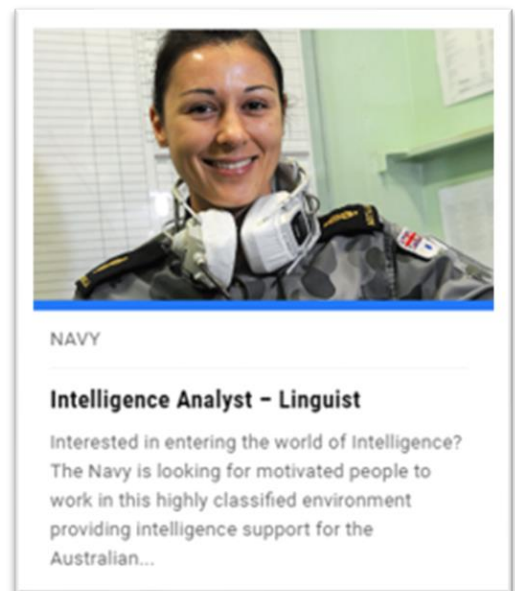


Become an IT expert in the Navy

If you are interested in a career in IT, consider going into the navy. There aren't many places where IT systems are more vital and advanced.

Defence force systems are the best. They have to be. People's lives are at risk.

If you are interested in doing a computing degree check out opportunities in the navy [HERE](#).



Projects Abroad

These projects give young people opportunities to grow and learn as they experience other countries. There are lots of different projects. A new one is a Diving and Marine Conservation project in Thailand for 15 – 18-year-olds.



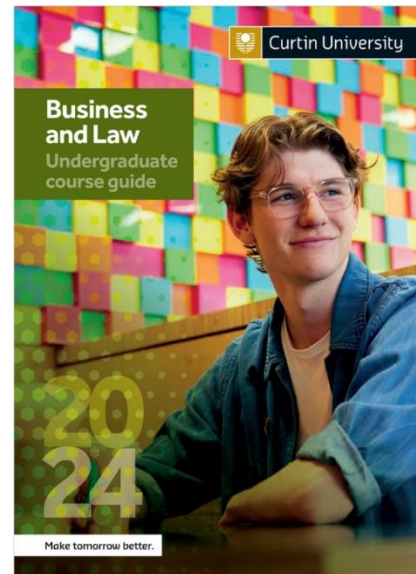
Check it out [HERE](#).

You need to pay to be a volunteer. You can check all of the different projects [HERE](#).

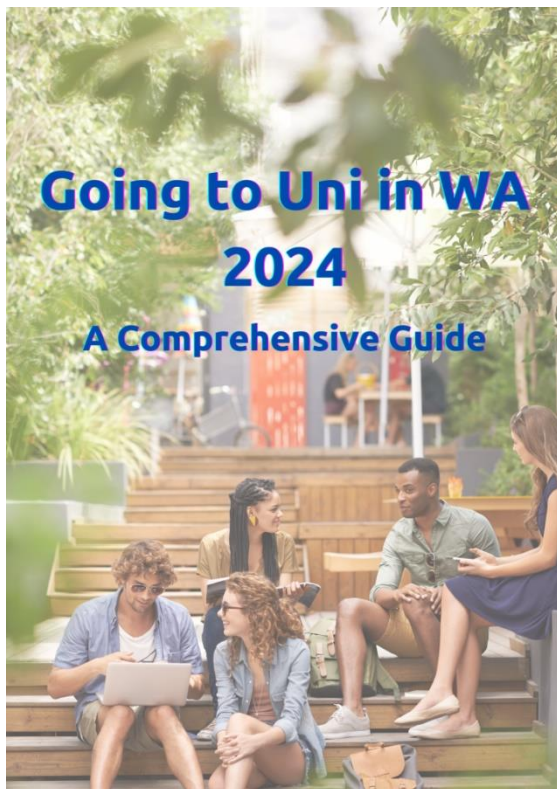
Links to Curtin Guides for 2024

Curtin's 2024 Course Guides are now available online:

- [Business and Law Guide](#)
- [Humanities Guide](#)
- [Engineering Guide](#)
- [Science Guide](#)
- [Health Sciences Guide](#)
- [Undergraduate Guide](#)



Going to Uni in WA in 2024



This is a booklet I have put together that collates information about universities in Western Australia.




It is designed to help you to decide which uni to go to, what course to do and where to get help to score top results and qualify for scholarships.

You can get it [HERE](#).

ATAR Revision Programs

Curtin University is offering scholarships for students who achieve 3 points over their anticipated ATAR.

Book in for ATAR revision courses run during the mid year break.

Organisation	Details
	<p>ECU free revision sessions are delivered on campus and online in September.</p> <p>Up until 2022, these programs were just for STEM subjects. There was significant demand for ECU to provide a broader range of courses.</p>
	<p>Master Mind Australia will be running online courses and face to face courses at Guildford Grammar School, Christ Church Grammar School and Methodist Ladies' College, Hale School, Ashdale Senior College and Quinn's Baptist College.</p>
	<p>Academic Task Force has added a new online service to their extensive range of support. They employ specialist teachers who work with students showing them how to apply what they have learnt at school, how to prepare for their exams and how to maximise their exam performance.</p> <p>Rossmoyne SHS - Churchlands SHS- Perth Modern School</p>



ATARget ATAR Revision, ATAR Exam Preparation and Study Skills programs focus on strengthening students' understanding of subjects, boosting classroom confidence and improving examination performance.



[WACE+](#) ATAR Revision, ATAR Exam Preparation and Study Skills programs focus on strengthening students' understanding of subjects, boosting classroom confidence and improving examination performance.



[TEE Consultants](#) deliver intensive courses for year 12 students seeking university. Courses are run at UWA and Murdoch.



[Academic Associates](#) conducts courses in most WACE subjects. [See the latest timetable.](#)
Venues: UWA and Notre Dame University



[InTuition Education Support](#) delivers small group classes in most WACE classes, exam preparation and study skills.



[Revise Online](#) Those who prefer to revise by themselves or those who live in rural and remote areas may like Revise Online. You can find their range of services [HERE](#).



INDIVIDUAL TUTORS

Many semi-retired teachers continue to tutor in their specialty subject.

These teachers have a lifetime of knowledge of their subject, what examiners are looking for and tips for success.

Ask at your school front office to see if they know anyone you can contact.



Curtin is running an [Economics](#) Conference and a [Finance and Accounting](#) Conference for ATAR students

Year 11 Opportunities

Curtin Girls + Engineering Tomorrow

Applications are open for Year 11 girls who wish to participate in an intensive out of schools course for 10 sessions, run each fortnight over two school terms. Each session includes a maths tutoring component and an engineering exposure component.

Contact [Aleesha Davis](#) to find out more.

Applications Open for 2024 National Youth Science Forum

Applications close 31 July



The NYSF program is a 10 day science camp run in Canberra and Brisbane in January for students going into Year 12 who are interested in science, technology, engineering and maths.

The program provides participants with outstanding STEM experiences, opportunities to see a range of careers and you will meet students who could be colleagues throughout your career.

West Australian applicants are encouraged to contact their local Rotary group as Rotary supports this program where possible. You can find out about scholarships [HERE](#).

You can find out about the program [HERE](#).

Year 7 – 10 Opportunities

It takes a Spark! STEM Conference

The It Takes a Spark! Conference is on in September. Find details [HERE](#).

This is students at last year's conference. They are playing a Potato Pirates game that taught them about computational thinking and programming in a frenetic way



You get to talk to

experts from universities, TAFE's and industry about future STEM possibilities.

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Year 10 Subject Selections for University 2026

If you're in Year 10, the TISC University Admission 2026 (available end Term 2/early Term 3) will help you choose your senior secondary courses, so that you can meet university entry requirements.

Check the undergraduate admissions information that applies to the year in which you'll be commencing your university study.

- The Curtin [Year 10 Guide](#) may be useful when making your decisions.
- The University Admissions Centre gives [this advice to students in NSW](#).



RRR Opportunities

25 May ECU South West Teacher Education Info Session (Online)

Our online information sessions introduce you to our teacher education courses and the excellent support services you can expect as a student. We'll cover admission pathways, how to apply, fees and scholarships and flexible study options like online or part-time.

Find out more and register [HERE](#).

29 May South West Information Evening

Find out everything you need to know about studying undergraduate or postgraduate courses at ECU South West. You will also find out information on entry pathways, scholarships and support services and have the chance to speak to our friendly Future Student Engagements team.

Find out more and register [HERE](#).

Career Conversations – Advice on how to help your student to make career decisions

This series of Career Conversations is available online starting in April, before going to regional centres.

Online events

From 5:30 pm to 6:30 pm.

- [26 June 2023](#)

Goldfields <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 8 June, Esperance• 13 June, Kalgoorlie	Kimberley <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 2 May, Broome• 8 August, Kununurra
Mid West <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 22 May, Geraldton• 27 July, Carnarvon	Pilbara <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 21 June, Karratha• 22 June, Hedland• 25 July, Newman• 10 August, Tom Price
South West <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 27 March, Busselton• 28 March, Bunbury• 8 May, Albany	Wheatbelt <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 25 May, Northam• 31 May, Narrogin

21 June UWA Online Regional Student Information Webinar

Got questions about your journey to UWA as a regional student? Join us at our upcoming online information session on Wednesday 21 June to find out more about courses and pathways, our Broadway UWA scheme, support services and accommodation, and have an opportunity for Q&A with UWA staff.

This event will be live-streamed.

Register [HERE](#).

Ageing and Disability Job Ready Program: Bunbury

An Ageing and Disability Program has just started in Bunbury. If you would like to register for a future program, you can complete a registration form [HERE](#).
communityskills@cswa.org.au.

Community Support Skillset included first aid - FREE IN '23



The [Community Support Skillset skillset](#) is designed to provide both new and existing community services and workers with the knowledge and skills to provide care and support to individuals in a community setting.

For more details go [HERE](#).

City Beach Residential College for Gifted Students

If your student is a candidate for a Gifted and Talented Selective Entry program at one of Perth's best secondary schools, you might like to check out the support and accommodation provided at [City Beach Residential College](#).

Students from regional areas board at the College.



Take a virtual tour of the College and check out the opportunities and support that is provided via [this site](#).

Regional Public Sector Traineeships

Applications open all year.

The 'Public sector traineeships in Government (Public Administration)' – will give you the opportunity to work in a regional WA public sector agency full time for 12 months or part time for 18 months while earning a trainee wage. On successful completion of the traineeship, you will attain a nationally recognised qualification of a *Certificate II, III or IV in Government (Public Administration)*. For more information go [HERE](#).

Public sector traineeship program



Public Sector Commission Public sector trainee - regional

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Opportunities

27 May – 3 June National Reconciliation Week - Be a Voice for Generations

Reconciliation Week is a perfect time to lobby for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people to have the power make life and death decisions about their lives.

Having a voice to parliament is a vital step in improving the life expectancy of Aboriginal people across Australia.



Having a voice will help to put in place support so that kids don't slip into a path that leads to incarceration.

We need to listen to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people who know what the problems are and who are best placed to identify solutions for their communities.

You can find the Reconciliation Week Home Page [HERE](#).

9 – 15 July Curtin Indigenous Australian Engineering School

Week long residential school



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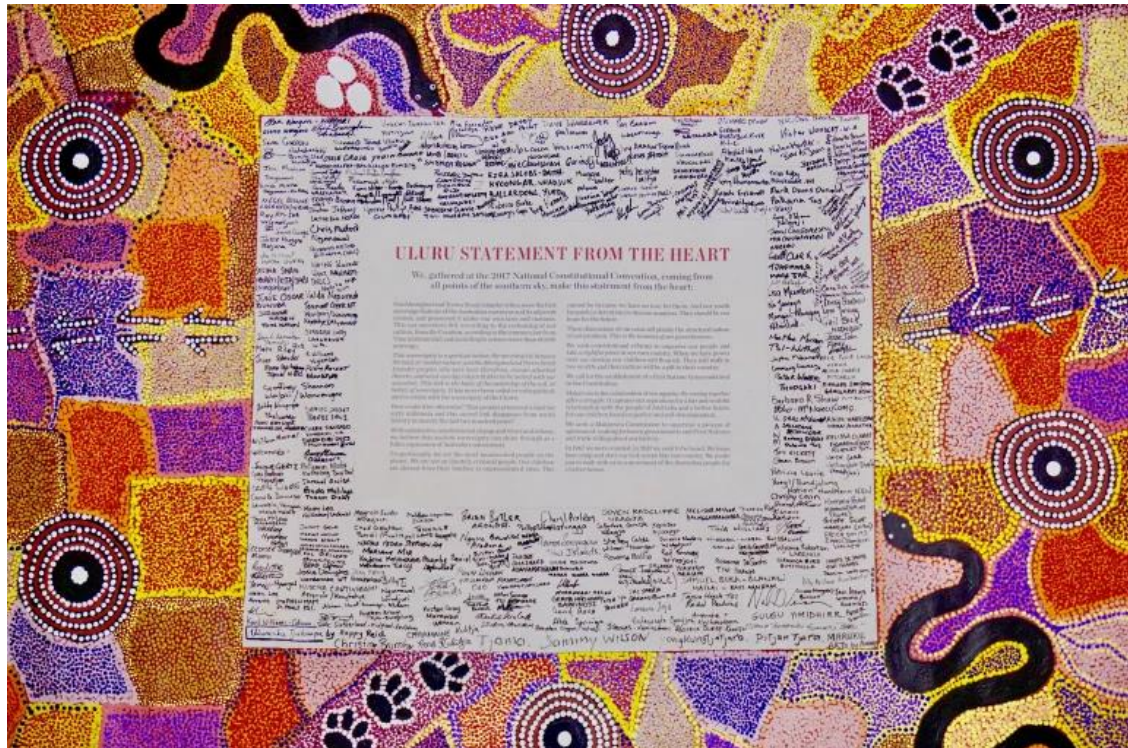
Indigenous Australian Engineering School (IAES) is a week-long residential camp introducing students to engineering studies and careers. Students will do site visits, meet industry representatives and participate in educational activities. The program targets Indigenous students in Year 9, 10, 11 and 12 with an interest and aptitude towards engineering, science and mathematics.

For more information go [HERE](#).

[Email Tim Keely to find out more](#)

Have you read the Uluru Statement from the Heart yet?

The [Uluru Statement from the Heart](#) is the invitation for Australians to establish a First Nations Voice in the constitution.



The Statement is powerful and moving and beautifully written. Read it [HERE](#).

The referendum on [The Voice](#) is a matter of life and death. It aims to put decision making with those who are impacted.

Indigenous Pre-Medicine and Health Sciences Enabling Course

Are you interested in pursuing a career in medicine or health sciences? The Indigenous Pre-Medicine and Health Sciences Enabling course will prepare you for entry into most health sciences courses.

Check out the video [HERE](#).

Find more information [HERE](#).



Services for Aboriginal people enhanced across WA's 19 Jobs and Skills Centres

Jobs and Skills Centres (JSCs) services include specialist services for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people. This service has recently been enhanced through an \$8.14 million funding boost.

If you need information or support with any job or career related matters for Aboriginal students, contact [your local Jobs and Skills Centre](#).



Students with Disability Opportunities

2024 Curtin Students

If you have a disability and plan to go to Curtin in 2023, register with Curtin's AccessABILITY Unit so that staff are aware that you will be attending and of any specific services they need to provide to ensure your best opportunity to succeed. You can find details [HERE](#).



Genius Armoury Cyber Security for Autistic Students

[Genius Armoury](#) offers a range of courses to help introduce neurodiverse individuals to cybersecurity, exploring some of the fundamentals of coding, threats, and exploits, networking, and more. Available to anyone and free to complete, modules only take around 30 minutes to complete.

Successful completion of the program may provide eligibility to those located in Western Australia for enrol in a Bachelor of Science course in Cybersecurity at Curtin without an eligible ATAR, through the Portfolio entry system. Find details [HERE](#).



International Student Opportunities

4 July ECU International Student information session

Join this online information session and ask questions of experts.

6 – 7.30 PM Find more details and register [HERE](#)

Study Perth

[Study Perth](#) provides support to students who intend to study at school, VET or uni in Perth and to those international students who are already here. You can subscribe to their newsletter [HERE](#).



\$1,500 International Student ELICOS Bursary

The Western Australian Government's International Student ELICOS Bursary provides eligible international students with a one-off support payment of \$1,500 towards their ELICOS course fees, when studying in Western Australia.

Find details [HERE](#).

Employment outcomes for international Vocational Education and Training (VET) Students

In mid-2022, 83.0% of international onshore VET students were employed after training, up 7.5 percentage points from the same period in 2021. A total of 81.3% were employed in Australia, which was 8.5 percentage points higher than in the previous year.

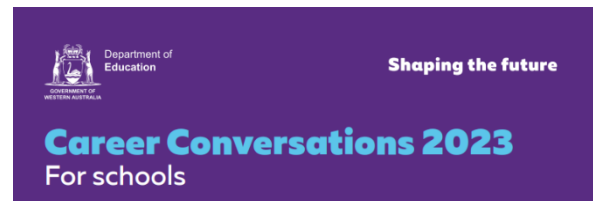
Overall, 73.0% of international onshore VET qualification completers had an improved employment status after training, an increase of 8.9 percentage points from 2021. You can read the report [HERE](#).

Section 2
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Events

Career Conversations for Teachers

I am not sure if AISWA and CEWA teachers are invited to these. I can't find a registration link on the public Department of Education site. For information contact



Online All www.education.wa.edu.au/contact Tuesday 27 June 2:30 pm to 3:30 pm Goldfields Monday 31 July 2:30 pm to 3:30 pm	Pilbara Monday 19 June 2:30 pm to 3:30 pm Email: pilbara.ero@education.wa.edu.au Southwest Tuesday 6 June 2:30 pm to 3:30 pm Email: southwest.ero@education.wa.edu.au Wheatbelt Wednesday 24 May 2:30 pm to 3:30 pm Email: wheatbelt.ero@education.wa.edu.au
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30 May WA E-Forum: Community of Practice

Ty Jones from Geraldton leads another of our great discussions. This time he has identified the topic. ***If There are Lots of Jobs, Why Can't I Get One? A Discussion on Employment Perception.***

You can join this free catchup and discussion [HERE](#).

30 May myfuture Insights: Managing career uncertainty and anxiety: the power of career conversations

Tuesday 30 May, 11:00am

Career uncertainty has been defined as the inability, as a teenager, to articulate a career ambition or occupational expectation for adult life.

In this webinar, Dr Jo Gleeson (Monash University), lead author of the latest myfuture *Insights* paper 'Managing career uncertainty and anxiety: the power of career conversations', will talk about the findings of her research in this area, and share a questionnaire that can help young people to become more aware of their feelings associated with career decision making.

[Register now](#)

31 May How We as Career Practitioners can use Chat GPT



Sector: All Practitioners

Topic: How We as Career Practitioners Can Use ChatGPT

Facilitators: Dr Kathleen Franklyn, Dr Cassandra Colvin & Rebecca Herbertson

Date: Wednesday, 31 May
Time: 6pm - 7pm (AEST)
Cost: Free | **CPD Points:** 1 Hour

Register at www.cdaa.org.au

Career Conversations
Wednesday, 31 May

cdaa
Career Development Association Australia

Widening Networks | Sharing ideas | Ethical practice | Diversity | Supporting connectivity | Information & resources management

Register [HERE](#)

8 June Professor Peter Shergold AC | Setting future expectations: the importance of career guidance in schools

Thursday 8 June, 4:00pm
(AEST)

Three years ago in June 2020,
'Looking into the future:

Report of the review of senior
secondary pathways into work,
further education and training',
one of eight national policy

initiatives under the National School Reform Agreement, was released. The significance and impact of this report cannot be understated. It has been a major catalyst for reshaping and reforming our national education landscape.



Join us for this informative webinar, as Professor Peter Shergold shares his insights on the progress made over the past three years and the potential development still to be achieved.

[Register now](#)

14 June Career Industry Breakfast



Join us at this great catchup which is on at Dome in **EAST** Vic Park each month.

Register [HERE](#).

15 June Enhancing the status of VET: Practical strategies for schools

Thursday 15 June, 6:30pm (AEST)

Given the key role VET plays in addressing national skills shortages, it's time to embrace VET and understand the many benefits and opportunities that it offers young people, such as facilitating strong school-to-work transition, and pathways to employment.

This informative webinar will use evidence-based data and research to provide you with an understanding of current labour force demands and the advantages of students following VET pathways. Join Joy de Leo from NCVER and Prof. Stephen Billet from Griffith University, to deepen your understanding of VET, and obtain practical strategies for increasing student interest in VET and shifting preconceived or outdated perceptions of VET in your wider school community.

[Register now](#)

21 June Norther Suburbs breakfast meetup.



The Vic Park meeting has been going for about 5 years and lots of people asked for one to be run north of the river.

Well, Karen Kerlin and Cema Santos have now organised one. Please support their

efforts by coming along to the breakfast.

You can register [HERE](#).

Opportunities and Resources - General

Women's Leadership Scholarship- Up to \$5000

Teaching is a great pathway to many different careers.

A [Women & Leadership Australia scholarship](#) will help you to develop your skills and it would look great on your CV.

Applications close 9 June.

Check out the opportunity [HERE](#).

MODULES

Supporting Leadership Performance
Effective Interpersonal Communication and Feedback
Emotional Interlligence and Conflict
Career and Professional Growth
Elements of a Successful Team
Presence and Presentation Skills
Leading in Times of Change

Myfuture is even better now

It seems as if [myFuture](#) is re-emerging as the government's #1 hub for career information across the board.

Myfuture began as a collaboration of all Australian jurisdictions but seemed to lose its way a few years ago. Now it's back.

[Check it out](#). You will save yourself a lot of time scanning different sites.

Interactive Hydrogen Awareness for High School Students

One of my current gurus, [Saul Griffin](#), says that hydrogen will need to be part of the world's renewable energy solution, despite it needing electricity to produce.

You can increase your awareness of how hydrogen is produced through a program being offered by MPA Skills. Find out more [HERE](#).

VET

SkillsOne TV has hundreds of trade and technical skills videos



This is a free TV channel that collates hundreds of videos about jobs and careers in Australia.

To find out more about job choices. [SkillsOne TV](#)

STEM

16 June Applications close Inspiring WA STEM Grants

Inspiring WA is offering grants to fund STEM events and initiatives to be held from July 2023 – January 2024.

Inspiring Western Australia's goal is to increase STEM engagement amongst underrepresented groups in STEM (Regional, Women & girls and First Nations communities). As such, events which work with, or engage, these groups will be highly regarded.

STEM grants will be available to organisations to run STEM based events and initiatives in Western Australia. For more information go [HERE](#).

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14 July Registration Deadline - Young ICT Explorers 2023

PROJECT DOCUMENTATION AND SUBMISSION DEADLINE 21 JULY 2023



Young ICT Explorers targets disadvantaged students in years 3 – 12 to give them equal access to engage with ICT. Students are invited to use creativity and innovation to solve real world problems.

This competition has been going for a while
Find information and ideas [HERE](#).

School Excursions to Curtin Sciences

Schools can visit Curtin Science Faculty, and experience hands on activities.

Activities readily link to the WA curriculum and aim to promote and increase awareness of science and opportunities within science. All excursions are free.
For information go [HERE](#).



Years 2 – 10 Registrations are open: UWA Emerging Engineers Competition 2023

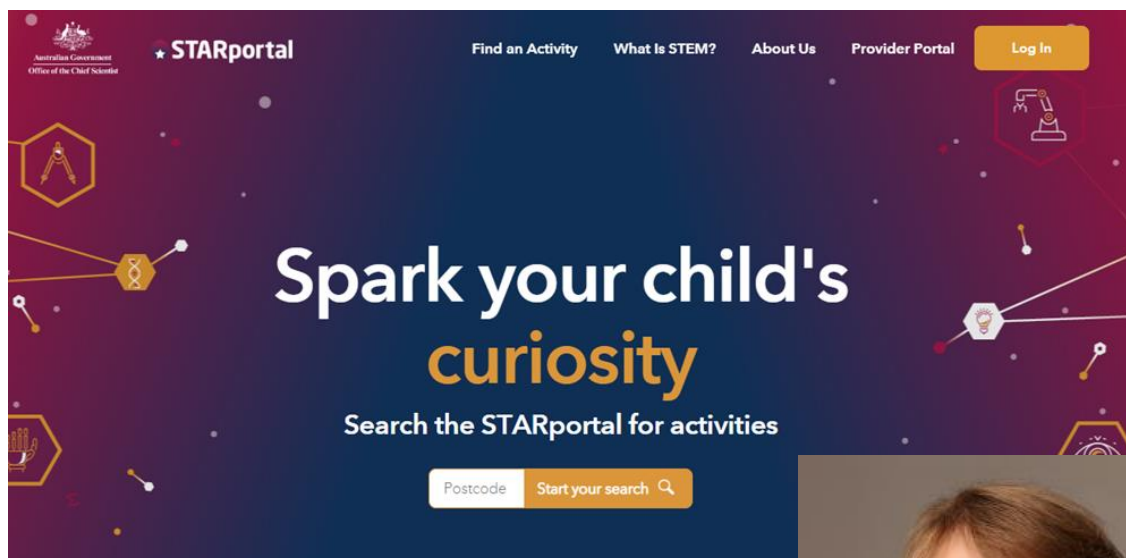
The competition is open to female and non-binary students currently enrolled in Years 2-10 in schools across Western Australia. Students will follow the engineering design process to research and develop an innovative design to address the topic of powering a low carbon footprint house in 2040.

This hands-on, problem-solving experience, will see participants develop transferable skills. Find details [HERE](#).

Get a StarPortal Account

I have recently got a StarPortal account. It is a government resource created by the Office of the Chief Scientist

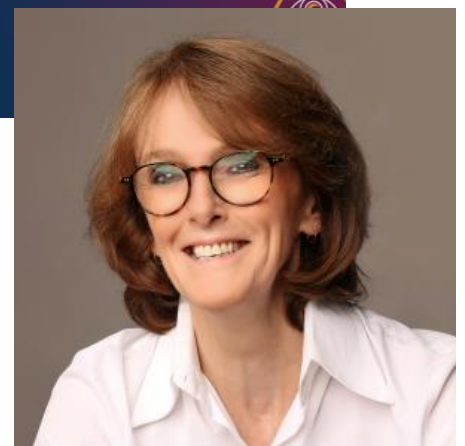
It



identifies STEM activities across Australia. You can narrow your search down to WA.

You can get an account [HERE](#).

[Dr Cathy Foley](#) is our Chief Scientist. If you ever need an amazing female role model for girls check her out [HERE](#).



5 September Big Day In



The ACS Foundation presents:

THE BIG DAY IN

The date of the 2023 Perth Big Day In has been announced. It is at Curtin this year.

Kerrie Bisario organises the event on behalf of the Australian Computer Society.

She has given early notice that this year's program will include speakers from Microsoft, Technology One, Westpac and BHP.

I've got my ticket already as she expects strong demand this year.

If you want to book early go [HERE](#).

20 September Years 7 – 10 It Takes a Spark! Conference

This is run at Peter Carnley College. It is designed by students, for students.



John Curtin College of the Arts students running a Cryptography workshop
[This is a video of last year's conference.](#)

Teachers who are interested in their school participating can find out more [HERE](#).

TechTrails

Women in Technology WA (WITWA) filmed some of Curtin's innovative researchers in STEM for their program [Techtrails Online](#).

Find out more about Techtrails [HERE](#).



Girls in STEM Toolkit

This resource provides a range of tools including lesson plans for years 5 –6. 7–8 smf 9–10. It has career resources for STEM teachers. You can find it [HERE](#).



Arts

Black Swan Theatre Student Ambassadors for 2024

Nominations open for 2024

Black Swan is committed to playing an active role in growing leadership potential of youth through our Ambassador Program.

Teachers are invited to nominate one student in Years 11–12, who is enthusiastic and who can offer a youth perspective to various aspects of our programming.

"I had so many awesome opportunities as a student ambassador and I'm really looking forward to continuing this journey as a Tertiary Ambassador." Student Ambassador 2022

Find details [HERE](#).

Year 11

Curtin Year 11 Girls in Engineering Tomorrow

The [*Girls Engineering Tomorrow*](#) program, supports year 11 girls interested in engineering. Find out more about this 10-week program, key dates, and how to apply [HERE](#).

Year 10

Kwinana Industries Council

The KIC Education Development Program is about showing high school students in the region the sorts of careers that are available in industry, and working with them in a practical sense how they might aspire to these sorts of careers.



There are programs for:

- iWomen
- iMen
- iScience
- iDiversity

For more information go [HERE](#).

Girls Engineering tomorrow Years 9 – 10 Curtin University

Express interest now in the Girls Engineering Tomorrow Forum. This is a free event for Year 9 and 10 girls with a passion for STEM. This forum will introduce students to engineering, connect them with like-minded girls, hear from women in engineering, and complete hands-on activities.

Express interest [HERE](#)

Years 7 – 9

12 June Years 7 – 9 Innovators' Tea Party

Inspire in 5

Year 7-9 students will hear a series of short 5-minute presentations from a range of mentors working in Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths (STEM).

There will be question time at the end so students can ask questions.

This event is perfect for students to hear from some of Perth's diverse industry professionals, and get advice on careers, subject selection, and post-school pathways.



Get your FREE ticket [HERE](#).

Primary School

George the Farmer for Primary Schools

These forest product resources are developed by educators. There are a number of free resources on the site but the full range of products is not free.



You can find the resources [HERE](#).

Kids Lab @ Curtin Years 4 - 7

BASF is a chemistry company. Each year it partners with Curtin to give students the opportunity to discover the world of chemistry through simple, hands on, fun experiences that highlight how chemistry plays a role in their lives.

For more information go [HERE](#).

Future You

A program that aims to challenge stereotypes in STEM and inspire an interest in STEM careers amongst children aged 8 to 12.

Find the resources [HERE](#).



20 September It Takes a Spark! Conference Years 4 – 10

Students design this conference for students. It is designed to inspire STEM ideas with entrepreneurship. The workshops are all hands on so student will experience what it is like to be part of STEM and entrepreneurship learning.

To find out more go [HERE](#).

Earthside Astronomy – School Curriculum Presentations

School Curriculum Presentations

At Earthside Astronomy we cover school curriculum outcomes focusing on what we know best... Space Science.

Curriculum outlines covered include:

You can find details [HERE](#).



Brain Food in Focus

I found this Ted Talk – I think it will make you feel good about what you do

[What if the purpose of school were purpose?](#) Ross Wehner

The problem today is not stress, the problem is meaninglessness.

Bill Damon Stanford University

This Ted Talk relates to the work of career educators so much, it could have been a CDAA webinar.

Ross Wehner is a bit like [Simon Sinek](#) but more aligned to education. He argues that when students find their purpose, their performance explodes.

Wehner describes strategies which are close to strategies that we all use, and a system that we can dream of.



You can watch it [HERE](#).

The problem is not stress. The problem is meaninglessness

[Professor Bill Damon](#) Stanford University. 2011.

In the [TedTalk above](#) Ross Wehner talks about Professor Bill Damon saying

The problem is not stress. The problem is meaninglessness.

This is the best thing I have heard for a while as I have been trying to find an answer to why there is such a steep increase in demand for personal counselling.

Submissions called for “Foundation Skills more important in VET courses”

Jobs and Skills Australia (JSA) is leading the development of a new national study on adult literacy, numeracy, and digital skills. Submissions in response to the Foundation Skills Study discussion paper will inform development of a survey of Australian adults to assess their current skills levels, and a feasibility study into how best to assess the literacy, numeracy, and digital literacy levels of First Nations people. For more information, see the [JSA website](#).

Budget Information

The Food Fibre and Timber Industry Training Council has put together relevant links to training budget allocations.

.....here's where to find the budget documents along with some interesting articles focusing on different aspects of the spending.

The Federal Budget

- A media release from the [Hon Brendan O'Connor MP](#) about skills and training.
- SmartCompany provides [key budget measures for small businesses](#).
- Women's Agenda looks at the [budget impact on women](#).

- For employers, here's a focus on [employment law](#) from the Australian HR Institute.
- [Skills and Training](#) is also the focus of NCVER's budget highlights.

The Western Australian State Budget

- A media release summarising WA spending to [support jobs](#).
- And another looking at spending to drive WA's [economic diversification](#).
- For the forestry industry, [\\$36 million for the new Forest Management Plan](#) which includes 50 jobs.

In Focus Careers Facebook Page

I follow career related Facebook pages on the [In Focus Careers Facebook Page](#).

I get stuff showing up that isn't strictly career related, LIKE... Who knew members of Voyager went to South Metro TAFE??



There is also background information, like vision of Curtin's Dubai campus. It provides interesting browsing.

You can follow it [HERE](#).

Career Calendar Term 2 2023

Professional

VET

Uni

Schools

Opportunities for Families

Aboriginal

Week	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
5.	21 May	22 May	23 May	24 May Murdoch Year 9/10 information Evening and Expo Murdoch Year 11/12 information evening and expo Curtin Pathways support ECU Year 10 Parent Information Evening Career Conversations for Teachers Wheatbelt	25 May Curtin Early Officer Application Advice ECU South West Teacher Education Information Session (online) Department of Education Career Conversation for Parents Northam	26 May	27 May Reconciliation Week
6.	28 May	29 May	30 May	31 May	1 June	2 June	3 June

		ECU South West Information Evening Department of Education Career Conversation for Parents Notre Dame Medicine Info session	UWA Fogarty Scholarships Close CDAA E-Forum Online Myfuture Insights	Curtin Pathways support UCAT Late Bookings deadline Department of Education Career Conversation for Parents Narrogin CDAA Career Conversation	Curtin Year 9 – 12 Info Evening		
7.	4 June	5 June West Australia Day	6 June Career Conversations for Teachers South West	7 June MyFuture Parents webinar	8 June Murdoch Mandurah Open Evening ECU Year 11 & 12's Engineering Showcase Department of Ed Career Conversations Esperance	9 June Black Swan Theatre Workshop	10 June UWA Medicine and Dentistry PD

					Peter Shergold presentation		
8.	11 June WAAPA Darlington Quartet Qantas Indigenous Scholarships	12 June	13 June Murdoch Q&A Online Regional Career conversations Kalgoorlie	14 June CDAA Breakfast	15 June Enhancing VET in schools	16 June	17 June
9.	18 June WAAPA Percussion Class	19 June Career Conversations for Teachers Pilbara SEDA Wildcats info session	20 June Department of Education Career Conversation for Parents	21 June Get Into Resources Department of Education Career Conversation for Parents Karratha SEDA Dockers Info Session UWA Online Regional Information CDAA Norther Suburbs breakfast	22 June Get Into Resources Department of Education Career Conversation for Parents Hedland	23 June	24 June Murdoch Year 11 and 12 info

10	25 June	26 June Department of Education Career Conversation Online	27 June Career Conversations for Teachers Online	28 June	29 June	30 End of Term	1 July
Second Term Break							
Week	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	2 July ATAR Revision Programs	3 UCAT testing begins Curtin Year 12 ATAR Accounting and Finance conference	4 ECU International Info Session Curtin Year 12 ATAR Economics Conference	5 UWA On Campus Experience	6	7	8
	9 July Curtin Indigenous Engineering School	10	11	12	13	14 Deadline for Young ICT Registrations	15

Term 3 Career Calendar

Week	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1.	16 July WAAPA Jazz Workshop	17 July	18 July	19 July	20 July Notre Dame Parent Information	21 July	22 July ECU Ace your WACE music workshop
2.	23 July ECU Ace your WACE music workshop	24 July	25 July Notre Dame Early Offers Information Session Department of Education Career Conversation for Parents Hedland Newman	26 July	27 July SkillsWest Expo Career conversations Carnarvon WAAPA Arts and Cultural Management Info evening	28 July SkillsWest Expo Madalah 2024 Scholarships close	29 July SkillsWest Expo
3.	30 July	31 July Career Conversations for Teachers Goldfields National Youth Science Forum	1 August Young ICT Explorers Senior Judging starts	2 August	3 August	4 August	5 August

4.	6 August RoboCup WA Final early August	7	8 Career conversations Kununurra ECU Business and Law Info evening	9	10 August Department of Education Career Conversation for Parents Tom Price	11	12
5.	13 August	14 Murdoch Year 12 Information Online	15 WAAPA Monster Viola Concert	16	17	18	19
6.	20 August	21	22	23	24	25 Disability Connection Expo	26 Disability Connection Expo
7.	27 August	28	29	30 WAAPA Production Tour	31	1 September ACER private school scholarship applications open Young ICT Explorers junior judging	2 September
8.	3 September	4	5 Big Day In	6 FameLab Academy Finals	7	8 ECU Year 11 & 12's Engineering Showcase	9 CDAA Good Theory, Good Practice
9.	10 September	11	12	13	14	15	16

10.	17 September	18	19	20 It takes a Spark STEM Conference	21	22	23 Royal Show begins
Third Term Break							
Week	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1.	24 September	25	26	27 Year 9/10 A Day in the Life Murdoch	28 Year 9/10 A Day in the Life Murdoch	29	30 It takes a Spark Disability Education and Indigenous Fund Applications close Perth Royal Show Ends
2.	1 October	2	3	4	5	6	7

Term 4 Career Calendar

Week	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1.	8 October CDAA 2023 Conference in New Zealand in October	9	10	11	12	13	14
2.	15 October	16	17	18	19	20	21
3.	22 October	23	24	25	26	27	28
4.	29 October	30	31	1 November	2	3	4 November
5.	5 November	6	7	8	9	10	11
6.	12 November	13	14	15	16	17	18
7.	19 November	20	21	22	23	24 November Girls + Engineering Tomorrow = Forum	25
8.	26 November	27	28	29	30	1 December	2 December
9.	3 December	4	5	6	7	8	9
10.	10 December	11	12	13	14 End of school year	15	16