Careers Corner Weekly

Events 18th March to 31st March



Thursday 21 March 2024

Defence Careers Australia - Air Force Careers Information Session

Reach new heights in a career with the Air Force.

You can work with advanced technology as you support the Air Force across a broad range of operations in Australia and overseas.

Time: 06:00 PM - 08:00 PM

Location: Online and Perth ADF Careers Centre

Click here for Details and Registration

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Murdoch University - Open Day

Explore your future at Murdoch University Open Day!

Open Day is the perfect opportunity to explore your future and hear more about what we offer our students.

Time: 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM Location: See link below Click here for registration

Curtin University - Open Day

Discover where a Curtin degree can take you.

Get your questions answered
Explore our courses, pathways and scholarships
Learn why Curtin is WA's top public university for
graduate employment
Get to know the Perth campus, our world-class
facilities and accommodation

Time: 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM Location: Curtin Perth Click here for registration

Defence Careers Australia Information Sessions

Date	Event	Description	Details
Tuesday 26 March 2024	Health Careers Information Session	Optimise your potential in a challenging and rewarding Health role and experience job variety and satisfaction while contributing to humanitarian, combat and disaster-relief operations.	Time: 06:00 PM - 08:00 PM Location: Online and Perth ADF Careers Centre Click here for registration
Tuesday 26 March 2024	Perth: Army Reserve Information Session	Add an exciting and rewarding extra dimension to your life by joining the Army Reserve.	Time: 07:30 PM - 09:30 PM Location: Irwin Barracks Click here for registration
Wednesday 27 March 2024	Perth: ADFA Careers Information Session	Start your career with a fully paid world-class UNSW degree at ADFA. You'll receive military training, plus earn a salary while you study. And when you graduate, you'll walk straight into a job – HELP debt-free.	Time: 06:00 PM - 08:00 PM Location: Perth ADF Careers Centre Click here for registration



March 8 2024 is International Women's Day

International Women's Day (IWD) provides a key moment to celebrate the achievements of women in the workplace and shine a light on the employers supporting them.

Increasingly, organisations worldwide provide progressive policies, practices, benefits and support mechanisms so women's careers can thrive - and these workplaces offer appealing job opportunities. Plus, celebrating the work of women inspires further women to achieve their full potential.

<u>Prime Employers for Women</u> must continuously meet 10 criteria to maintain a deep focus on Diversity, Equity and Inclusion (DEI) all year round.

Where Women Work is a female-focused careers platform and an International Women's Day collaboration, showcasing Prime Employers for Women. While it's UK based, many companies are international, so offer Australian women like you, inspiring career opportunities.

Check it out to see who makes their top 50 list!



What is the Gender Pay Gap?

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The gender pay gap is a widely used, internationally recognised measure for gender equality that shows the difference between what men and women get paid.

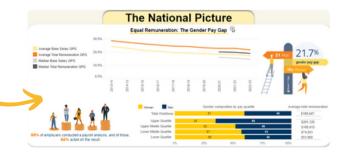
The Workplace Gender Equality Agency (<u>WGEA</u>) is an Australian Government statutory agency to promote and improve workplace gender equality. For the fist time, it has published the gender pay gaps for nearly 5,000 Australian employers, to speed up progress to close the gender pay gap.

You can visit the <u>WGEA News Room</u> to learn more about what's being done to close the gender pay gap, and view interactive statistics and infographics using the <u>WGEA Data Explorer</u>.

What are the statistics?

The results show that of median gender pay gaps:

- **30%** of employers have a gap between the target range of -5% and +5%.
- 62% over 5% and in favour of men.
- 8% are less than -5% and in favour of women.
- **50%** of all included employers have a gap of over 9.1%.







The Future Health Leaders Program is designed to inspire female high school students to enter a career in health and medical research, innovation and life sciences.

The Program brings together a group of twelve young women, chosen from around Australia, for a single day session at Australian National University in Canberra to:

 Showcase the diversity of career pathways across health and medical research with a focus on engaging with female leaders in their respective fields.

- Inspire a passion in entering a career in health and medical research.
- Create connections and opportunities to engage beyond the single session with several virtual sessions, mentoring participants on topics relevant to their future studies.

The program is now open for applications from Australian students in Year 11 who identify as female. Applications will be open until 5 April 2024, with the day in Canberra scheduled for Term 3 (exact date to be confirmed).

APPLICATIONS FOR 2024 PROGRAM NOW OPEN!



UWA Open Day



Seek Wisdom



By registering to attend, you will enter the draw for the chance to win a MacBook Air, Beats Studio Buds and a \$200 gift card for THE ICONIC.

Plus, there are five hand-picked student packs filled with uni life essentials up for grabs! For more information and to register <u>click here</u>.

UWA Open Day is coming! Sunday 17 March 2024 from 10am to 3pm

Discover how you can achieve your study and career goals at The University of Western Australia. Explore the campus and talk to students, academics and graduates to find out more about what life is like studying at UWA. or See last year's highlights below.





Get involved in these extra-curricular challenges and competitions to pursue your passions, build your skills, and develop your portfolio. All are free (unless otherwise stated), and many offer amazing prizes!

What Matters Writing Competition

Respond to the simple question 'what matters?. Express your views on any matter you care about. Entries can be fiction, nonfiction, poetry or prose of up to 600 words.

- Open to: students in Years 5 to 12
- Dates: now 17 May 2024



Sleek Geeks Science Eureka Prize

Communicate a scientific concept in a way that is accessible and entertaining so the public can 'learn something without even noticing'. The 2024 theme is 'Energy'.

- Open to: Primary & Secondary students
- Dates: now 12 April 2024



<u>Little Stories Big Ideas Writing Competition</u>

What is your Addiction? In 100 words or less (not including title), write your story incorporating the theme 'Addiction', then fill out the entry form and you're in!

- Open to: Year 7 12 students
- Dates: now 29 March 2024



The Rubbish Film Festival Competition

Harness the potential of your mobile device to create a film of up to 60 seconds, with a dedicated focus on the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

- Open to: Year 10 -12 students
- Dates: now 19 April 2024



