



### Career Advisers Message

#### Excitement in the air

What an exciting time of the year it is! As the decision making process for many of you draws to a climax, your options are growing and growing. Check this issue out closely as it is packed with goodies!

### Career Hotspot...Federal Police Officer

Police officers working for the Australian Federal Police (AFP) are responsible for policing federal law in all states and territories, and for community policing in the ACT and Australia's external territories. The AFP, with its headquarters located in Canberra, is Australia's international law enforcement and policing agency. It is the chief source of advice to the Australian Government on policing issues, enforces Commonwealth criminal law and protects Commonwealth and national interests.

#### Personal Requirements:

- of sound character
- at least 18 years of age
- a full, unrestricted manual vehicle drivers licence
- able to satisfy medical and fitness requirements
- Australian citizenship.



#### Recruitment Process

To get the best of the best, the selection process is one of the most comprehensive and competitive in Australia.

This rigorous process is designed to ensure applicants meet our entry requirements and have a high potential for successfully meeting the challenges and demands of a role with the AFP.

Meeting the [minimum requirements](#) to proceed through the recruitment gateways.

### Employment Opportunities:

The AFP is a progressive law enforcement agency which provides varied opportunities to expand and develop your career.

Acting Superintendent, Kelly Connolly is available to speak to you via phone to discuss any questions you may have regarding the role of a protective service officer. Phone number: (02) 6131 5286

For more information please visit:

AFP (02) 6131 5555 8am-4pm

E.. [afprecruitment@afp.gov.au](mailto:afprecruitment@afp.gov.au)

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## Jobs of the future

### Intelligence Analysts



Intelligence analysts evaluate information from a variety of classified and unclassified sources. This information is often incomplete, contradictory and can vary widely in terms of reliability. Depending on their background and qualifications, an intelligence analyst may examine a diverse set of countries, issues (such as terrorism) and cultures.

**skillsOne™ tv**

Hundreds of Videos About Getting A Trade or Skill

SkillsOne works with Industry, Educators, Government and TAFE to engage and promote the extensive career opportunities and pathways in traditional trades and emerging skills areas ranging from automotive, construction & mining; through to hairdressing, healthcare and horticulture.

SkillsOne is dedicated to embracing and reflecting the diversity, quality and opportunities within the skills community. It is reputable, contemporary and proven as a respected resource for career advisors, parents and students. The primary aim has been to create a skills community. Inherently, online content includes the key elements of lifestyle, career opportunities, positive attitudes and job satisfaction reflected through individuals sharing their experiences, skills, stories and wisdom.

To search for videos about jobs that you may be interested in please visit:  
[www.skillsone.com.au](http://www.skillsone.com.au)



**AURIZON** Apprenticeships & Traineeships

Aurizon has four major product lines for customers: [Network](#), [Coal](#), [Iron Ore](#) and [Freight](#). The Operations business also provides a range of specialist services in rail design, engineering, construction, management and maintenance, and offers large-scale supply chain solutions to a diverse range of customers.

Aurizon's Apprentices and Trainees program is designed to help grow our business through youth employment and ongoing partnerships with education providers.



The program is a combination of structured on-the-job training and in-class learning and we encourage our apprentices to excel in their chosen trade, where safety, security and the environment is everybody's responsibility.

#### Current Apprenticeship Vacancies include:

- **Electrical Tradesperson**

As an apprentice Electrician you will be installing, repairing and maintaining electrical components, wiring systems and circuits for locomotives, signalling systems and industrial applications.

- **Telecommunications Tradesperson**

As an apprentice Electronic Tradesperson you will fault-find, repair and install all equipment relating to radio communications, fibre optics and telephone networks.

- **Heavy Fabrication (Boilermaker)**

As an apprentice Boilermaker you will be working with heavy gauge steels, manufacturing and repairing parts for Aurizon wagons and locomotives.

- **Mechanical and Diesel Fitter and/or Turner**

As an apprentice Fitter or Diesel Fitter you will be involved in installing, repairing and overhauling various types of diesel engines and hydraulic and pneumatic systems required on rolling stock and track maintenance machines and plant such as brakes, doors, and air compressors.

- **Surface Trimmer**

As an apprentice Surface Trimmer you will be repairing surfaces and spray painting, stencilling and applying decals to wagons and locomotives.

For more information please visit:

<https://www.aurizon.com.au/careers/apprentices-and-trainees>



### Skillsroad Work Readiness Course

Have you completed the Skillsroad Work Readiness Course?

#### Course Details

This course is designed to prepare young adults for the workforce. The Work Readiness Course is an interactive, assessment based short course that once completed will equip young adults with the skills to be 'work ready'.

If you're ready to apply for your first job, but aren't sure if you have key work readiness skills that employers demand? The interactive Skillsroad [Work Readiness Course](#) can assess your abilities in key work competencies including:

- Communication
- Prioritisation
- Interview skills
- Personal branding
- Teamwork
- Conflict management
- Performance and feedback.



Each module offers feedback to improve performance until competency is achieved. Once the course is complete you will receive a certificate you can add to your resume to demonstrate your commitment to excellence!

Take a look at the site for information on:

- Career Quiz
- Explore Careers
- Resume Builder
- What Job would suit you?
- Apply for Jobs

For more information please visit:

[www.skillsroad.com.au](http://www.skillsroad.com.au)



### Electrical Apprenticeships Available for 2017!



#### Are you interested in becoming an apprentice electrician in the electro-technology industry?

NECA Group Training is a company founded by the National Electrical & Communications Association, NSW Chapter, to promote the employment of people into the trades. NECA Group Training employs and indentures apprentices who sign a Training Contract. These apprentices have an initial three month probationary period to ensure both parties satisfied with the employment arrangement.

Electrotechnology is an exciting and increasingly diverse industry including installation and repair of lights, power, air conditioning, refrigeration, fire protection, security alarm systems and data/telecommunications systems.

The entry requirements for an Electrotechnology apprenticeship include:

- A person aged 15 years or over
- To have completed at least year 10
- Ability to work at heights, in confined spaces and around moving machinery
- Ability to distinguish between colours
- Have a good grasp of English and mathematics
- Personal attributes including, positive attitude, interest in the Electrotechnology industry as a career, good presentation, honest and reliable.



This work is performed in a variety of environments ranging from domestic to commercial, industrial and resource projects. As a consequence, the industry requires keen apprentices to work in a very exciting and challenging career.

If you are interested in a career in the electrotechnology industry please contact us on [apprentice@necagt.com.au](mailto:apprentice@necagt.com.au) or call on (02) 9744 2754.

<http://www.necagt.com.au/apprentices/careers-in-electrotechnology/>

# AFTT ACADEMY OF FILM THEATRE & TELEVISION

**Come along to the AFTT September Campus Open Day and learn how to build your creative future in Film, Theatre and Television.**

Experience Australia's most exciting creative arts academy, where taking risks is expected, pushing boundaries is encouraged, and collaboration is key.

If you're searching for information about a career in Film, Acting, Musical Theatre or Stage Management then come along to Open Day September and see what courses are on offer for February 2017.

You'll be able to soak up the culture, learn about the best way to finance your studies, sit in on a live stunt show, meet our tutors and speak to current students about their experiences. Find out why AFTT is now Australia's most contemporary fully immersive arts academy.

**When: Saturday 17 September**  
**Time: 9.30am – 2.30 pm**  
**Where: 41 Holt Street Surry Hills**

[CLICK HERE TO REGISTER](#)

For more information please visit: [www.aftt.com.au](http://www.aftt.com.au)



## DISCLAIMER

We remind you of the necessity to confirm details with each institution, particularly if the information is additional to that provided in the UAC guide.



## Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Alternative Entry Program

The Western Sydney University is committed to providing higher education pathways for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students. Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islanders who do not have an HSC or other qualification, or who have an ATAR lower than required for their chosen course, can apply to study at Western Sydney University through the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students Alternative Entry program.

### Applications

Applications will be accepted throughout the year for intakes, with assessment workshops scheduled in November 2016 and January 2017.



To apply to Western Sydney University, The College through the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Alternative Entry Program, there are three steps:

- Step 1 - Selecting a course
- Step 2 - Confirming your Aboriginal/Torres Strait Islander status
- Step 3 - ATSI Alternative Entry Program testing and interview

For information please visit:

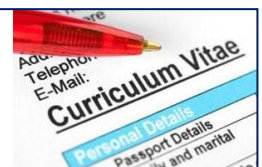
[http://www.westernsydney.edu.au/atsieducation/atsieducation/atsi\\_alternative\\_entry](http://www.westernsydney.edu.au/atsieducation/atsieducation/atsi_alternative_entry)

### Free: Over 125 sample CV's

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[HTTP://CV.MYRESUME.COM.AU/SAMPLE-CV](http://cv.myresume.com.au/sample-cv)







If you want to share your passion for dance and movement with the next generation, ACPE's Bachelor of Dance Education will prepare you for a professional career as a Teacher of these disciplines. Unlike other dance courses, this degree will allow you to develop your skills in dance, science, movement, health and education – helping you stand out from the crowd.

**When:** Saturday 15 October 2016  
**Time:** 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM (AEDT)  
**Where:** Australian College of Physical Education  
 10 Parkview Drive  
 Sydney Olympic Park

Register your interest for ACPE's upcoming Dance Audition for the 2017 intake. [Click to register your interest.](#)



ACPE is Australia's leading provider of specialist undergraduate and postgraduate degrees in the related disciplines of sport, dance, and physical education. As an independent tertiary institution, ACPE attracts individuals from around Australia and the world who wish to launch or further their careers in the sports sector and its related professions.

Attend **Open Day on Saturday 15 October 2016** to find out how the Australian College of Physical Education can help you achieve your dream career.

#### Open Days give you the opportunity to:

- Talk with academic and student support staff and learn all about the industry-focused courses.
- Find out exactly where a qualification from ACPE can take you and how you can succeed in an active industry.
- Take a tour of the state-of-the-art, purpose built campus at Sydney Olympic Park.
- Discuss course and study options with the Enrolment Advisors.
- [Saturday 15 October 2016, 10:00am-1:00pm](#)

For more information please visit: [www.acpe.edu.au](http://www.acpe.edu.au)



#### Engineering Frontiers

Engineering Frontiers is an exciting and educational two-day program that introduces high school students to Engineering and its applications.

Students will be exposed to top engineers who have a passion for what they do as well as have opportunity to experience life as a university student studying engineering. The program includes lectures on the latest developments in engineering (including civil, mechanical, electrical/electronics, robotics/mechatronics, water and environmental), demonstrations and hands on workshops in our laboratories.

Students will leave with a thorough understanding of the depth and scope of the engineering field of study and the potential career opportunities.

**When:** Tuesday 13 & Wednesday 14  
 September 2016  
**Time:** 9:00am - 3:00pm  
**Where:** Western Sydney University  
 Kingswood Campus  
 Building U  
 56 Second Ave, Kingswood  
**Cost:** \$35

Engineering Frontiers is for secondary students with a particular interest in Engineering and Technology, ideally years 9-12. Students will be streamed into year groups with year 12 students being given additional pathways information.

For more information and to register please visit:  
[www.westernsydney.edu.au/engineeringfrontiers](http://www.westernsydney.edu.au/engineeringfrontiers)

## Sydney DesignSchool

### Become a Designer for a day!

Are you considering a career in interiors? Why not visit on campus for a day of exploration and creativity. The 'Designer for a Day' workshop has been developed for students in Years 10, 11 and 12 who want to test the waters before committing to a course. This is a great opportunity to meet like-minded students, get to know the passionate Educators and get hands on building an interiors moodboard.

You'll experiment with paint colours, fabric and imagery learning how to create a well-balanced vision and sample board that reflects your personal style. The Director of Sydney Design School Amanda Grace will give a presentation detailing the career courses, life on campus and answering all your questions.

#### On the day you will

- Get creative building an interiors mood board
- Experiment with interior paint colours
- Explore our state of the art computer studios
- Attend a presentation about our career courses
- Take the opportunity to talk to our Educators

**When:** Wednesday 5 October 2016  
**Who:** Students in Years 10, 11 and 12  
**Cost:** \$99 including GST  
**Time:** 9.30am – 4pm  
**Where:** Level 2  
 40 Oxley Street, St Leonard

**For more information and to register please visit:**  
<http://sydneydesignschool.com.au/designer-for-a-day/>



## MIGAS APPRENTICES & TRAINEES

### Open Day Information Session

The MIGAS Sydney Office places Australian Apprentices, Trainees and School-based Trainees in quality positions with a focus in the [Engineering](#), [Electrical](#), [Air-conditioning & Refrigeration](#), [Automotive](#), [Hospitality](#), [Transport & Logistics](#), and [Construction](#) industries. MIGAS are a not-for-profit organisation. MIGAS single focus is in the traditional and "hard" trades' disciplines and they really know their stuff!



#### Find your future trade

MIGAS Apprentices & Trainees are driven by a single purpose - to champion Australia's skilled trade sector by connecting talented apprentices and trainees with the right jobs that will set them up for successful, rewarding, and long-lasting careers.

Attending a MIGAS Open Day is the perfect way to discover where a career in a skilled trade could take you. Come along for the whole session or just drop in to check it out or ask a question or two.

- Hear from the MIGAS team about how an apprenticeship or traineeship works and what's in it for you
- Talk to MIGAS apprentices who've "been there, done that" and learn about which trade type is right for you
- Find out about post apprenticeship career opportunities and talk to experts in each trade discipline including electrical, metal and engineering, automotive, construction and more.

#### About MIGAS

At MIGAS Apprentices & Trainees we believe working in skilled trades is a fantastic career pathway for young Australians who want a hands-on, rewarding career that gives them flexibility, freedom and a skill for life.

**When:** Saturday 10 September 2016  
**Time:** 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM  
**Where:** MIGAS Apprentices & Trainees  
 Miller College (South Western Sydney Institute of TAFE) Cnr Hoxton Park & Banks Roads Miller

**For more information please visit:**  
<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/migas-apprentices-trainees-sydney-open-day-tickets-26867746152>



### School Holiday Courses & Summer School

AFTRS run a wide variety of school holiday courses for both kids and teens throughout all of the school holidays. With a constantly evolving suite of courses in filmmaking, digital animation, stop motion, game design, screenwriting, screen acting, screen auditions and radio, you can give your kids and teens fun and creative experiences they'll never forget!

Short Courses include:

- Introduction to Game Design
- TV Presenting for Kids
- Music for Film & TV
- Teens Radio
- HSC Video Intensive
- And many more!

### AFTRS SUMMER SCHOOL Film, TV & Radio Short Courses

Learn new skills & invest in your future at the Australian Film Television and Radio School.

AFTRS Open's introductory and intermediate level film, TV and radio short courses offer practical and hands-on learning to extend your skill set. All courses are taught by industry professionals in the state-of-the-art facilities of Australia's premier film school.

This season's Summer School has been extended to run until February 2017. The new program includes our five-day favourites plus two and three week intensives. All courses are in Sydney and some include an online component.

Some of the courses being held include:

- The Three Week Film School
- The Six Week Film School
- The Six Week Doco School
- Feature Documentary Intensive
- Radio Intensive

For more information please visit:

[www.aftrs.edu.au/short-courses](http://www.aftrs.edu.au/short-courses) [open@aftrs.edu.au](mailto:open@aftrs.edu.au)  
PH. 1300 065 281



### Medical Career Planning

NSW Health is committed to ensuring that doctors and other health professionals are provided with information to assist them to make informed career choices and to ensure their career plans not only fulfil their personal aspirations but also align with service needs.

With this in mind, the following medical specialty factsheets have been developed based on extensive workforce modelling.

#### The information includes:

- Workforce characteristics (number of practitioners, average age and gender representation)
- Demand (demand for training positions, retirement intentions and additional fellows needed)
- Geographical distribution across NSW

The [Medical Workforce Factsheet User Guide](#) describes in detail the information which is provided in each of the fields in the medical specialty factsheets.

The [Medical Workforce Planning Overview](#) provides a summary of the priority for workforce planning for each of the medical specialty factsheets.

For information on more speciality areas, please visit:  
<http://www.health.nsw.gov.au/careers/Pages/career-planning.aspx>

#### Map My Health Career

Map My Health Career is a website for medical students and junior medical officers to help plan and make decisions about their medical career. Compare medical specialties, find training locations, and watch videos from specialist doctors and trainees speaking about their medical careers.

Visit [www.mapmycareer.health.nsw.gov.au](http://www.mapmycareer.health.nsw.gov.au)

