

Careers Newsletter

Career in Event Planning



The Good Universities Guide indicates that an event planner or event coordinator plans and organises special events, including parties, wedding receptions, product launches, banquets, sporting events, meetings, conferences, and conventions.

Successful event planners –

- enjoy working with people
- good organisational and time management skills
- have every attention to detail
- good interpersonal and supervisory skills
- good communication skills
- neat personal appearance
- comfortable working with computers
- able to negotiate, delegate and work under pressure

Depending on the size of the establishment, events coordinators may work independently or as part of a team. They often work irregular hours, and on weekends and public holidays.

Learn more at [Good Universities Guide - Events](#).

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“In attempts to improve your character, know what is in your power and what is beyond it”

(Francis Thompson)



Medical Specialty Factsheets

NSW Health has compiled an extensive list of extremely useful fact sheets to assist students in making more informed career choices about the many careers in the health industry, and to ensure their career plans not only fulfil their personal aspirations but also align with the needs of the industry.

Students keen on finding out more about what the job is about, whether or not there is a shortage, etc. are encouraged to browse the following link on [NSW Health - Medical Career Planning](#).

Note: Although developed in NSW, these resources are highly valuable for students in any state interested in learning more about careers in health.



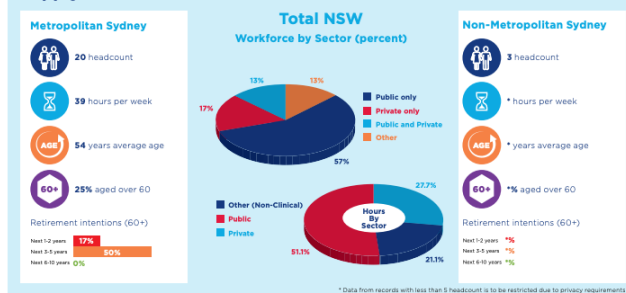
The Workforce

A Chemical Pathologist is involved in detecting changes in a wide range of substances in blood and body fluids (electrolytes, enzymes and proteins) in association with many diseases. The Royal College of Pathologists of Australasia (RCPA) is accredited by the Australian Medical Council (AMC) to deliver pathology training.

Workforce Characteristics in 2015



Supply and Distribution



Trainees

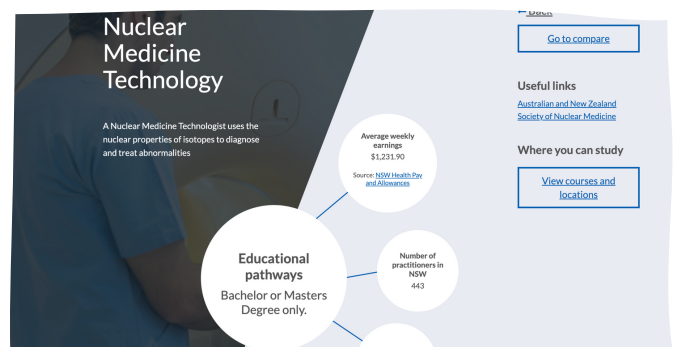


Data sourced: The National Health Workforce Dataset - Australian Government Department of Health; The Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency (AHPRA); The Medical Education and Training in Australia Report (MET).

Map My Health Career

Map My Health Career is a resource for high school students to discover careers in allied health. Students can compare professions, find training locations, and watch career insight videos from qualified clinicians talking about their day to day experiences.

Students keen on finding out more about allied health opportunities, what the job is about and what a typical day at work looks like are encouraged to view [Map My Health Career](#).



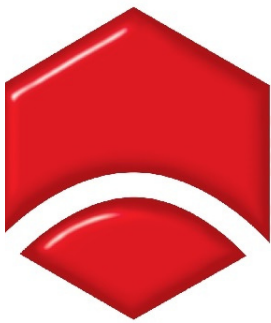
Engineers Australia is the trusted voice of the engineering profession, which is committed to creating solutions to make the world a better place.

When students are doing their research about studying engineering at university, it is useful to pay attention to which courses are accredited by Engineers Australia.

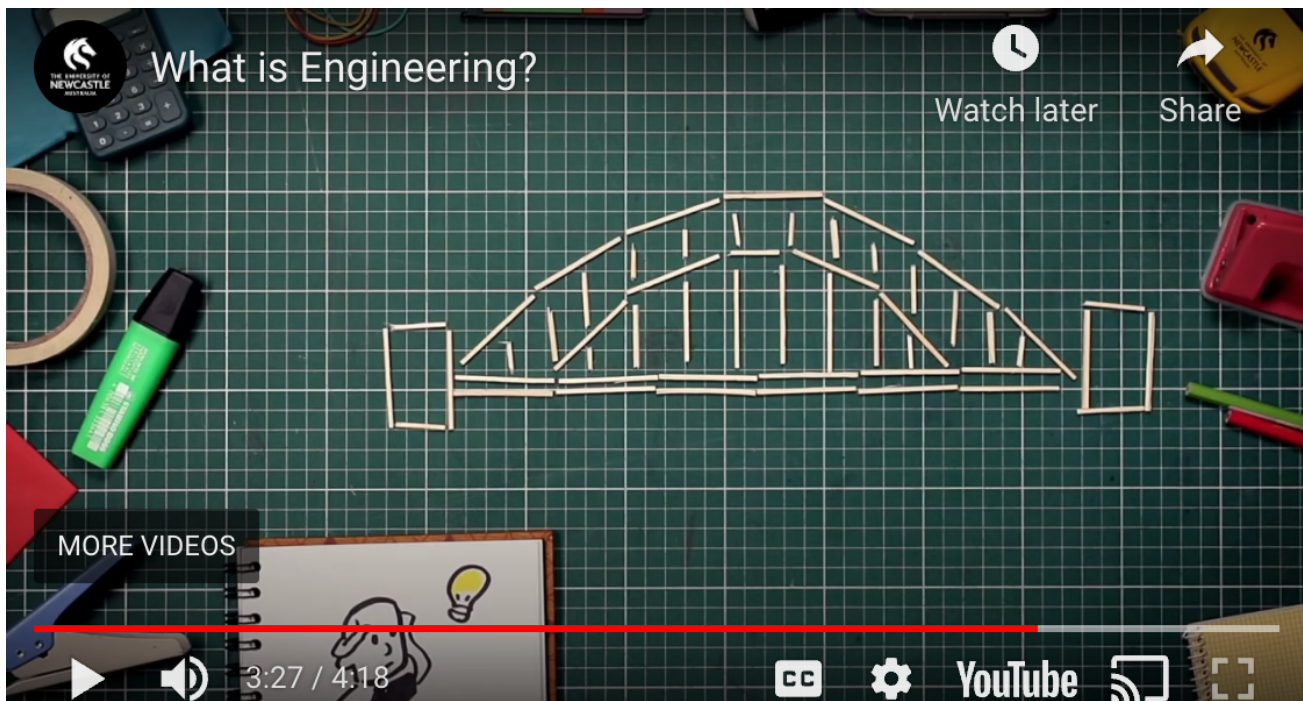
Completing an accredited course means that graduates of that course are eligible for to become members of Engineers Australia.

Engineers Australia also provides access to a suite of useful resources for secondary students:

- Check out the different [disciplines within engineering here](#)
- Discover a directory of STEM learning activities through the [STARportal here](#)
- Learn about the [future of engineering here](#)



ENGINEERS
AUSTRALIA



What does a career in economics actually look like? Whether you're interested in government, private enterprise or social sciences, the world of economics is as vast as it is inspiring.

The University of Queensland has a useful online resource for students interested in economics. Students are encouraged to visit [Economics Explored](#) and watch a couple of interesting YouTube clips and also read through some Q & A.

Students can even get a taste of tertiary economics with [UQ's short courses](#) in economic fundamentals so you can understand how economics relates to everyday life.

Enjoy some articles and podcasts about the everyday application of economics in solving real world problems and global issues:

[Can economics prevent animal poaching?](#)

[How does economics relate to the future of football?](#)



[Discover in-demand careers in economics](#)

Why study economics #1: you could help the transition to a greener future



The \$125m Warwick Solar Farm supplies up to 100 per cent of UQ's energy – a fantastic example of how an economically sound decision can pave the way to a greener future

Why study economics #2: you could shape the future of public policy

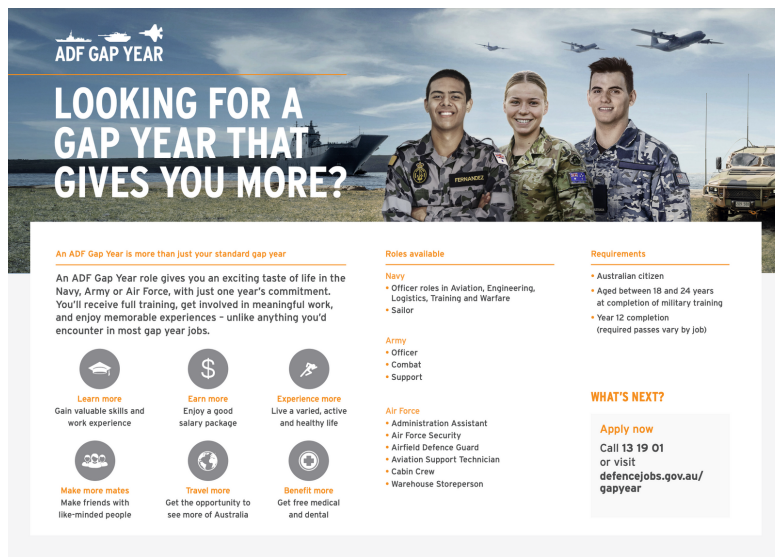


Parliament House in Canberra, where economists play a vital role in influencing political decisions

Economics explored

An online resource for high-school students interested in economics

ADF Gap Year 2023



ADF GAP YEAR

LOOKING FOR A GAP YEAR THAT GIVES YOU MORE?

An ADF Gap Year is more than just your standard gap year

An ADF Gap Year role gives you an exciting taste of life in the Navy, Army or Air Force, with just one year's commitment. You'll receive full training, get involved in meaningful work, and enjoy memorable experiences - unlike anything you'd encounter in most gap year jobs.

- Learn more**
Gain valuable skills and work experience
- Earn more**
Enjoy a good salary package
- Experience more**
Live a varied, active and healthy life
- Make more mates**
Make friends with like-minded people
- Travel more**
Get the opportunity to see more of Australia
- Benefit more**
Get free medical and dental

Roles available

Navy

- Officer roles in Aviation, Engineering, Logistics, Training and Warfare
- Sailor

Army

- Officer
- Combat
- Support

Air Force

- Administration Assistant
- Air Force Security
- Airfield Defence Guard
- Aviation Support Technician
- Cabin Crew
- Warehouse Storeperson

Requirements

- Australian citizen
- Aged between 18 and 24 years at completion of military training
- Year 12 completion (required passes vary by job)

WHAT'S NEXT?

Apply now
Call 13 19 01 or visit defencejobs.gov.au/gapyear

Students who take part in the ADF Gap Year program:

- Gain valuable skills and work experience
- Enjoy a great salary package plus free healthcare
- Live a varied, active, and healthy lifestyle
- Make friends with like-minded people
- Have the opportunity to see more of Australia



NAVY

Maritime Warfare Officer (ADF Gap Year)

Experience life and work in the Navy as an officer for just one year, shadowing the officers who control, navigate and ensure the safety of a ship.

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VIEW JOB

Virtual Information Sessions

Applications are open! Learn more and/or [apply at ADF Gap Year](#).

Students might like to participate in a GAP Year Virtual Information Session on 23 March 2022 from 6.00pm – 7.00pm, 11 April 12:30pm – 2:30pm or 26 April 6:00pm – 7:00pm.

Register [here](#).

