Industries with Good Job Prospects...

Top 5 Hottest Industries

The most recent SEEK Job Growth Report has revealed insights into the areas that will be most affected by recruitment shortages, with workers in education, healthcare, building trades and Information and Communication Technologies (ICT) set to benefit most.

Key takeaways from the SEEK Job Growth Report:

- 16 of 19 Australian industries are predicted to see job increases to November 2018
- Shortages are particularly evident for trades
- New generation approaches to technology are driving demand for workers with niche skills across many industries

1. Education and Training

The rate of population growth within Australia is higher now than it was for the Baby Boomers, putting pressure on Australia’s education system and driving demand for additional teachers across multiple disciplines. This growth, combined with an influx of parents striving to set their children up for academic success, is also impacting the tutoring industry in a positive manner.

2. Healthcare and Medical

The demand for healthcare and medical workers is being boosted across the country as a result of the ageing population and advanced medical treatment technologies.

3. Building Trades

It’s a great time to be in the building trades, with the construction industry expected to grow 8 per cent by November 2018. Building trades jobs are in demand across the country (and not just in urban areas), while technicians and trade workers make up more than half of the industry.

4. Information and Communication Technology (ICT)

ICT professionals play a vital role across almost every industry in Australia as technology becomes more integral to every facet of our lives. As an enabler of productivity and innovation in the economy, ICT is unmatched with an increased need for more specialist skills.

5. Design and Architecture

Demand for architects rocketed in 2014, making the profession one of the most sought after in Australia. The recovering economy continues to stimulate a building boom which is boosting the need for these skills.

Businesses are also moving towards more sophisticated online environments, growing demand for ‘new’ careers such as digital designers.

Source: SEEK Learning

1. Industry Projections 2018 (Dept of Employment)
2. Occupation Projections 2018 (Dept of Employment)
UMAT 2015

UMAT is the Undergraduate Medical and Health Sciences Admission Test. Some Universities require the UMAT to be successfully completed as part of the application process for a place in various Medical and/or Health Sciences degree courses. The list on the right hand side of the poster below lists the courses that require a UMAT result. For more information about the UMAT, there is an information booklet available on the UMAT website at http://umat.acer.edu.au
Defence Force information

The following Information Sessions will be held at Defence Force Recruiting, 528 Hunter St Newcastle

- Thursday 5th February 6pm – Women in Defence
- Thursday 12th February 6pm – Tri Service Trades
- Wednesday 18th February 6pm – Health

US College and University Fair

Students interested in studying in the USA can meet admissions officers from a variety of institutions at a US College and University Fair. The fair is at SCEGGS Redlands in Mosman from 6 to 8pm on **Monday 16 February**.

Students, parents and careers advisers can learn about:

- admissions policies
- types of programs available
- the application process
- testing
- how decisions are made.

Presentations include:

- admissions process and essay writing
- choosing a US university
- the benefits of community college
- trends in admissions
- summer programs
- financing your US education.

Register via [http://www.trybooking.com/GUFB](http://www.trybooking.com/GUFB)

The NSW HSC is a highly respected credential and is recognised by educational institutions around the world. There are currently more than 1500 Australian students enrolled in undergraduate courses at US colleges and universities.
Women in Science Symposium

Australian National Maritime Museum March 6th 2015

Girls are born problem solvers and, more than ever, they want to make a difference in their world, making them natural scientists and innovators. It's up to us to harness their talent and energy with hands-on experiences, real-world role models and a focus on the possibilities that science can make in their lives and the lives of others". – Eileen Sweeney, 2008

"We live in a society exquisitely dependent on science and technology, in which hardly anyone knows anything about science and technology." – Carl Sagan, Scientist and Astronomer (1934-1996)

With the current research indicating a trend for young female students to opt out of science in the senior secondary years, the Australian National Maritime Museum in conjunction with the University of New South Wales is hosting a Women in Science Symposium to encourage high school girls to look beyond the lab coats and see the possibilities for scientific careers. The Symposium will also play host to the Sydney launch of UNSW’s Science 50:50 program with panelists from industry meeting together to discuss internships, mentoring pathways, networks and competitions for women in science.

Science 50:50 is a program that aims to inspire young women to pursue degrees and careers in science and technology so they can succeed in an innovation-driven future. Science 50:50 makes the simple point – since half the population is female, why not half the scientists and technologists? By informing and engaging young women with the power of science and technology to solve complex problems and transform lives, and by introducing them to Australian scientists and innovators who are doing just that, Science 50:50 can help recalibrate the gender balance.

The free symposium for high school girls will be presented at the Australian National Maritime Museum on Friday 6th March beginning at 11.00am. For our onsite audience please book through our Booking Officer on 9298 3655 or bookings@anmm.gov.au. Can’t get here? To celebrate the museum will be offering a FREE VIDEO CONFERENCE of the 11.30am session and 1.30 pm session register with DARTconnections http://www.dartconnections.org.au

Who: Targeting female stage 5/6 students and university students

When: Friday 6th March 11.00 am for onsite students 11.30 am and 1.30 pm for the video conference sessions

Structure of day

10.00 am Early tours of tour of ANMM Wharf 7 precinct/ conservation lab and meet ANMM conservator/staff.

10.45 am students begin arriving at the museum.

11.15 am General introduction to the day in the Theatre

11.30 am for presentation/ video conference with panel scientists, discussion chaired by Veena Sahajwalla Associate Dean UNSW Science Director for Sustainable Materials

12.30 pm lunch break/ tour of ANMM Wharf 7 precinct/ conservation lab and meet ANMM conservator/staff.

1:30 pm -1:45 pm: Keynote address

1:45 pm -2:30 pm: Industry talks CSIRO, IBM, Cochlear, Woolworths, Arrium, Brickworks, Australian Museum Research Institute, Global Product Stewardship Council.

2:30 pm - 3:00 pm: Q&A and panel discussion hosted by Prof. Veena Sahajwalla

3.00pm Industry meet and greet

BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL

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General News

**Australian College of Applied Psychology (ACAP) Information Evening** Australian College of Applied Psychology (ACAP) Information Evening, Wednesday 18 March at 6:00pm. Come along to ACAP’s Information night and find out more about our VET, Bachelor, Honours, Graduate Diploma and Masters programs. Meet our academic team and take a tour of the campus; ACAP staff will be on hand to answer your questions. Level 5, 11 York St Sydney. RSVP at [http://www.acap.edu.au](http://www.acap.edu.au).

**Wesley Institute is becoming Excelsia College** Wesley Institute applications still open– Applications for Wesley Institute remain open till 2nd February in Drama and Music courses. Online application available at [www.wi.edu.au/apply](http://www.wi.edu.au/apply). To find out more call 9819 8810 or visit [http://www.dramaatwesley.info](http://www.dramaatwesley.info) or [http://www.musicatwesley.info](http://www.musicatwesley.info)

**ICMS Bachelor of Hospitality Management video** The ICMS Bachelor of Hospitality Management is a three-year degree delivered in partnership with the world-renowned Cesar Ritz Colleges, Switzerland. As part of the degree, students must complete up to 9 months of practical industry training. To view the video about our degree, visit [www.icms.edu.au/hospitality](http://www.icms.edu.au/hospitality)

**Whitehouse Institute of Design Open House** Whitehouse Institute of Design will hold its 2015 Open House on Friday 19 June and Saturday 20 June 2015. For bookings and information email: [enquiries@whitehouse-design.edu.au](mailto:enquiries@whitehouse-design.edu.au)

**Open Day - Blue Mountains International Hotel Management School** 21 February 2015 10am-2pm 1 Chambers Road Leura, NSW. This February our Leura Campus will be open to the public and is the best time to see us in action! RSVP requested to [joshua.suli@bluemountains.edu.au](mailto:joshua.suli@bluemountains.edu.au) Buffet lunch provided. Please contact us if you would like any further material

**Free Public Lecture: Sydney Science Forum - A game of homes: How honeybees choose a nest.** Presented by Associate Professor Mary Myerscough, School of Mathematics and Statistics. How mathematical thinking helps us understand collective behaviour in insects, and in turn computing, robotics and other animal groups, including humans. 5.45pm-6.45pm. Eastern Ave Auditorium, University of Sydney. Hands on activities follow the lecture. RSVP: [http://Sydney.edu.au/science/outreach/events](http://Sydney.edu.au/science/outreach/events)

**Free Women and Science Symposium** The Maritime Museum and UNSW are co-hosting a free, interactive symposium to encourage high school girls to look into scientific careers. Industry representatives from CSIRO, IBM, and Cochlear will also be attending. For information or to book, please contact the Maritime Museum Booking Office on [bookings@anmm.go.au](mailto:bookings@anmm.go.au)

**Traineeships in Agriculture and related areas - across NSW** Subsidised traineeships available in various regions of NSW under Smart & Skilled program in Agriculture and related disciplines at Certificate III and IV level. All course material online. Pathways into Diploma, Advanced Diploma and University. For more information, go to [http://www.ruralbiztraining.com.au](http://www.ruralbiztraining.com.au) or call Melinda Barton on 02 6884 8812

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