



Program

Wednesday 22 November

CONFERENCE FACILITATOR

Tony Mackay

Executive Director

Incorporated Association of Registered Teachers of Victoria

12noon Registration

1.00pm **Industry Tours (optional)**

Rethinking Careers in the Graphic Arts and Printing Industry

EPIC Industry Training Board

Sports and Recreation

– From Participation to Vocation

Arts and Recreation Training Victoria

Hospitality VET Program –

The Grand Hyatt Hotel

William Angliss Institute of TAFE

Employment Opportunities in the

Automotive Industry

Automotive Training Australia

Impact Creativity Centre – Student

Multimedia Centre

Eumemmering Secondary College, Hallam

Multimedia Community and Cultural

Sectors

Fraynetwork Multimedia

5.30pm **Opening Address**

The Hon Dr David Kemp, MP

Minister for Education, Training and Youth Affairs



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DAVID KEMP, MP
Federal Minister for Education,
Training and Youth Affairs



THE HON LYNNE KOSKY, MP
Minister for Post-Compulsory
Education, Training and Employment

Vocational Education and Training: Kick Starting Your Career

Moira Scollay

Chief Executive Officer

Australian National Training Authority

6.45pm

Welcome Reception

The Hon Minister Lynne Kosky, MP

Minister for Post-Compulsory Education and Training, Vic

7.45pm

Evening at Leisure/Hosted dinners

Thursday 23 November

8.00am **Registration, Displays and Coffee**

9.00am **Welcome to Wurundgeri Land**

Joy Murphy

Wurundgeri Elder

9.10am

Welcome

Peter Allen

Secretary

Department of Education, Employment and Training, Vic

9.25am

VET in Schools: The Long Prospect

Ken Boston

Managing Director of TAFE NSW and Director-General of Education and Training

9.50am

Engaging Today's Youth: Strategies and Skills

Mark McCrindle

Consultant and Speaker on Youth Issues

10.30am

Morning Tea and Displays

11.00am

Concurrent Sessions – Group A

12noon	Attracting and Retaining Youth in the IT&T Industry Brenda Garrard – Forster Manager, Competence and Career Services People and Organisation Ericsson Australia Pty Ltd	Dr John Spierings Research Strategist Dusseldorp Skills Forum
12.40pm	Lunch and Displays	10.00am Concurrent Sessions – Group C
1.30pm	Concurrent Sessions – Group B	10.45am Morning Tea and Displays
2.30pm	Meeting Industry Needs – Case Studies <i>Furnishing Industry</i> Ian Nicholson Executive Officer, Victorian Furnishing Industry Training Board Inc <i>Automotive and Retail Industry</i> Michael Witham, Manager National Business Strategy, NRMA <i>Forestry Industry</i> Carlean Alexander National Coordinator, School to Work Transition FAFPESC National Industry Training Board <i>VETLOTE</i> Connie Cartelli, LOTE Coordinator St Monica’s College, Epping	11.15am Meeting Student Needs – Case Studies Jennifer Hodson Regional Executive Officer South West Sydney Industry Education Partnership Jane Kearney English Coordinator Collingwood College Linda Farrington Director Launceston Student Workshop Glenda Fisher Education Officer Catholic Education Office
3.30pm	Afternoon Tea and Displays	12.15pm Concurrent Sessions – Group D
4.00pm	Vocational Learning: The Links to Career Development Col McCowan Head, Careers and Employment Queensland University of Technology	1.00pm Lunch
5.00pm	Day concludes	2.20pm Energising Schools – Adapting to Changing Needs Alan Coman Principal Stella Maris College, Manly, NSW Avril Salter Principal Whittlesea Secondary College, Vic
7.00pm	Gala Dinner: Regent Theatre <i>Proudly sponsored by DEET</i> Music by Northland Secondary College <i>Spirits</i> Paul Jennings, Comedian	2.20pm Building on Research: Policy Implications Assoc Professor Richard Teese Director, Educational Outcomes Research Unit The University of Melbourne
		3.00pm Unions: Partnerships in Education and Training Sharan Burrow President ACTU
Friday 24 November		
9.00am	Student Pathways Captain David Eldridge Territorial Headquarters Salvation Army	3.25pm Next Steps Tony Mackay Executive Director Incorporated Association of Registered Teachers of Victoria
9.40am	The Future of Community Partnerships: Creating a Framework of Support for Young Australians	3.45pm Conference close