



News for people participating in the 2012 National ICT Careers Week
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National ICT Careers Week 2012 News

Getting Interest in ICT Study & Work

One of the key messages that we are pushing with this year's National ICT Careers Week is that ICT is a truly global career and that for young people, their ICT study and work can take them around the world.

ICT jobs can be found all over the world, both with international companies and with Australian companies trading globally. People with Australian ICT qualifications are well regarded by overseas employers and can easily find employment.

Working overseas is a great way to travel, meet people, sample new cultures, experience different lifestyles and be paid for it. Overseas work can boost their careers when they return to Australia. Many Australian ICT employers like to hire people with overseas work experience because they demonstrate initiative, drive and versatility and often bring important new skills and ideas to their roles.

CIO Champion Supports the Cause of Getting More Young People into ICT

Westpac CIO, Clive Whincup is a strong supporter of our intentions to encourage more interest in ICT careers and study. Clive has volunteered to be the Champion of National ICT Careers Week and is participating in a number of the activities associated with it, including the NSW launch when this was announced.

This Year's Events & Activities

We are impressed with the range and variety of events and activities that are being presented as part of this year's Careers Week. Please have a look at the listings on the website. Don't forget to use the National ICT Careers Week Facebook page to help market the events and activities to young people and their friends. Just search Facebook using 'National ICT Careers Week'.

A number of organisations have registered, but have not listed their event or activity. Please list your proposed event/activity to market your events.

Next Teleconference Before National ICT Careers Week

Tuesday 17 July 2012 at 1300 DEST. We will email the dial-in separately.

Contact for information and to give comments and suggestions
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Thank you for your interest in National ICT Careers Week,
Penny Coulter, Chair, National ICT Careers Week Steering Committee

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