

Worlds of opportunity

“Platform to make industry connections and networking”

Step up with CareerLounge, the community that connects you to entry-level employment and education. Get a professional edge, get inspired, get industry insight and get on careerlounge.com.au. Join students, graduates, employees and employers in industry discussion and network to find your next job, course or international opportunity. Time spent on CareerLounge, the social business network with learning, earning and networking opportunities, is time spent navigating your own path towards successful career based decision-making.

CareerLounge was established in Melbourne in 2008, following founder John Collins' frustration at having made uninformed educational decisions following his graduation from high school. Realising there was scope to create a community where students could access information and engage in professional networking, the CareerLounge concept was born to close the gap between industry, education and employment.

Employers come to CareerLounge on the search for fresh talent – and that might well be you. Whether you are looking for casual, volunteer, part time, fulltime or postgraduate work, CareerLounge caters to your work preferences throughout the various stages of your studies and beyond. CareerLounge is the platform to make industry connections and develop your networking skills.

Whether you know what industry you wish to enter or you're considering a change, CareerLounge provides the overview you need. CareerLounge uses an industry specific framework. A village represents each industry. They currently have 39

villages and you can join as many as you like. Consider a village to be a collaborative space where members, employers and educational institutions can all engage and connect. Interviews with professionals, tips and course information are posted in different villages, making sure you have the tools to make informed decisions. Everyone can post articles on CareerLounge and make comments. This industry forum will allow you to ask employers questions and get the answers in a non-intimidating space for students. The following are examples of industries that have villages in CareerLounge: arts, life sciences, design, tourism, international, transport & logistics, fashion, retail and hospitality.

CareerLounge works with a number of industry leaders to bring members employment opportunities and industry advice. CareerLounge's current sponsors include: Victorian Government Department of Business & Innovation, Australian Retail Association, Hills Holdings, Sportsgirl, Australian Tourism Export Council, Transport and Logistics Industry Skills Council, Mummu Sport, EY, IDP Education: IELTS, Blakes Feast, Pacific Brands, Peter Rowland Catering, Australia Post, Helix digital, CSIRO, Stoffers, The Poodle, Aspen Medical, MBAV, CBUS, Epic ITB, IBSA, Circadian Technologies, RP Data, BioMelbourne Network and more.

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