

EMBRACING COMMUNICATION AND DIVERSITY IN AUSTRALIA

Free online program

AIM:

To further develop students' communication, inclusion and diversity skills for workplace readiness.

START DATE:

Tues 10 Nov 2020

DURATION:

5 weeks, 2 sessions per week

PROGRAM CONVENOR:

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REGISTRATION ONLINE:

swi.nu/convfhad

ZOOM LINK:

swinburne.zoom.us/j/88231919782

GUEST SPEAKERS:

TBC

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES:

Study Smarter Online modules will be recommended to students accordingly, as the program progresses.

REWARDS:

Students who have participated in at least 80% of the program (i.e. 8 sessions), will be given Swinburne Participation Certificate.

Participation in the program will count towards the Diversity Certificate as part of the Emerging Leader (for more info: swi.nu/unleash). You can claim up to 10 hours (i.e. one session=1 hour).

SESSION 1:

Our strengths in a multicultural society

Tues 10 Nov 2020, 2.30–3.30pm AEDT

Aim of the session: Students identify their strengths in study/work/life and recognise the value of being bilingual/multilingual speakers.

SESSION 2:

The value of professional practices (including placements, volunteer experiences and work experiences)

Thur 12 Nov 2020, 2.30–3.30pm AEDT

Aim of the session: Students share their experiences and outline some essential communication/inclusion/diversity skills.

SESSION 3:

Cultural competence

Tues 17 Nov 2020, 2.30–3.30pm AEDT

Aim of the session: Students share their prior study/work/life experiences and identify their strengths in this domain.

SESSION 4:

Cross-cultural communication

Thur 19 Nov 2020, 2.30–3.30pm AEDT

Aim of the session: Students share their prior experiences, and outline useful strategies based on the discussion.

SESSION 5:

Inclusion: effective strategies for study, life and work

Tues 24 Nov 2020, 2.30–3.30pm AEDT

Aim of the session: Students share their prior experiences and generate some effective inclusive strategies for study/life/work.

SESSION 6:

Being effective team players

Thur 26 Nov 2020, 2.30–3.30pm AEDT

Aim of the session: Students share their understanding/prior experiences of working in teams and identify their personal attributes in a team environment.

SESSION 7:

Planning and organising

Tues 1 Dec 2020, 2.30–3.30pm AEDT

Aim of the session: Students recall their prior experiences and exchange useful strategies on planning and organising study/work/life.

SESSION 8:

Self-management and continuous learning

Thur 3 Dec 2020, 2.30–3.30pm AEDT

Aim of the session: Students identify their strengths and goals (both short-term ones and long-term ones) in self-management and continuous learning.

SESSION 9:

Initiative and problem solving

Tues 8 Dec 2020, 2.30–3.30pm AEDT

Aim of the session: Students identify their strengths and outline areas that they need to improve.

SESSION 10:

Displaying your personal attributes effectively

Thur 10 Dec 2020, 2.30–3.30pm AEDT

Aim of the session: Students identify key personal attributes in study/work/life and share their experiences.