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Creating Communities of Interest/Practice for Educators

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

Thank you for your participation. We hope you find the virtual showcase beneficial and take away some new ideas and connections to enhance your learning and teaching experience. We would also like to give thanks to all the teams and individuals who have contributed their time, energy and support to the success of this showcase.

WELCOME

Professor Mark Hoffman, *Deputy Vice Chancellor (Academic)*



I have been very excited to see how the Educator Network has been growing its capacity and influence across the University since its inception in 2018. It provides a source of community and support for educators who are tasked increasingly with making significant changes to their practices in delivering education for the next generation of learners.

The Life Ready Graduates initiative is at the core of the University's Looking Ahead Strategy 2025 and tEN will play a key role as we seek to modernise our curriculum, develop and implement new and enhanced education delivery through technology, and bring in learning vehicles such as work-integrated learning.

Our education is first and foremost focussed on our students and their needs. Supporting our students requires us furthermore to support our educators. tEN provides a means to share best practice, offer people safe spaces to test ideas or explore innovation and ensures quality improvements in education will be realised.

VIRTUAL SHOWCASE PROGRAM

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12:00 - 12:15	ARRIVAL and WELCOME Acknowledgement to Country <i>Professor Mark Jones and Professor Catharine Coleborne</i>
12:15 - 1:05	Keynote Conversation EXPLORING COMMUNITIES OF PRACTICE <i>Associate Professor Jacquie McDonald, University of Southern Queensland</i> Live Chat / Q&A
1:05 - 1:25	Defining Communities of Praxis <i>Professor Penny Jane Burke</i>
1:25 - 1:30	Set the Scene for Breakouts / Grab a Coffee <i>Professor Catharine Coleborne</i>
1:30 - 1:45	Interactive Discussion Breakouts <i>Facilitators: Dr Liam Phelan, Professor Steven Weller, Dr Rachel Buchanan, Professor Erica James, Tina Crawford</i>
1:45 - 1:50	Interactive Discussion Outcomes
1:50 - 2:00	Wrap Up