

WTFL Talent Boost 2018

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Last name	First name	Function	Company
Appo	Rhonda	Indigenous Program Manager	Queensland Tourism Industry Council (QTIC)
Archibald	Rob		Fun over Fifty
Balfe	Karen	University Account Manager	Virgin Australia
Barker	Jimmy	Hotels and Resorts	Mantra Hotels
Blanchfield	Abbey	Marketing	Airtrain Citylink Ltd
Barth	Martin	President & CEO	World Tourism Forum Lucerne
Bowles	Leonie	Associate Lecturer	University of Queensland
Brennan	Toni		Fun over Fifty
Buksh	Ruqaiyah		Queensland Tourism Industry Council (QTIC)
Chao	Wenchi	Accommodation Division	Queensland Hotel Association
Chui	Caleb	Honours Student	University of Queensland
Cocolas	Nicole	PhD Student	University of Queensland
Coddington	Leanne	CEO	Tourism and Events Queensland
Cornelius	Tricia		Accor Hotels
Cupples	Kate	Events Coordinator	University of Queensland
Dale	Linden	Communications Officer	Queensland Tourism Industry Council (QTIC)
Demeter	Csilla	Academic Tutor	University of Queensland
Dominguez Rodriguez	Elizabeth Sara	Post Graduate Student and Tutor	University of Queensland
Driml	Sally	Lecturer in Tourism Management	University of Queensland
Drury	Julie	Teacher	Sunnybank State High School
Dudok	Rachel	Young Tourism Leader	Aviation Australia
Fang	Yao	Honours Graduate	University of Queensland
Fowke	Arele	Human Resources Officer	Marriot Hotels
Fox	Jason	Founder & Head	The Cleverness
Gagrat	Vizak	Lecturer	James Cook University Brisbane
Garbutt	Erin	Teacher	Sunnybank State High School

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Golubovskaya	Maria	PhD Candidate	University of Queensland
Goodchild	Suzanne	Hybrid	The Henderson Gallery
Gray	Emily		University of Queensland
Grimwade	Marc	Photographer	
Gschwind	Daniel	Chief Executive	Queensland Tourism Industry Council (QTIC)
Green	Ronda	Proprietor	Araucaria Ecotours
Haggie	Kerrienne	Tourism Manager	Sunshine Coast Council
Hamilton	Glenda	VET Coordinator	St Aidan's AGS
Heizmann	Fiona	Young Talent & General Manager	Walkabout Creek Adventures
Henderson	Robert	Hybrid	The Henderson Gallery
Hewitt	Jack	Manager	Sidekicker
Hill	Judy	Accommodation Division Manager	Queensland Hotel Association
Holder	Afiya	PhD Student, Teaching and Research Assistant	University of Queensland
Hughes	Demetri	Managing Director & CEO	1Up Communications
Humphries	Adam		Virgin Australia
Hunkeler Brown	Bernadette	Consul General	Consulate General of Switzerland (Sydney)
Illich	Brad	Young Tourism Leader	
James	Cathy	Director	Outpost Events
Jayaram	Satish	Professor, Principal, Director	Institute of Hotel Management Aurangabad
Jiang	Yawei	PhD Student	University of Queensland
Kearney	Tracy	CEO	Prestige Service Training
King	Yasmin	CEO	SkillsIQ
Klestov	Lara	Talent Boost Assistant Coordinator	University of Queensland
Kovacevic	Marli	Learning and Development Manager	Queensland Performing Arts Centre
Krishna	Ramesh	Education	Queensford College
Larke	Pete	People & Culture	The Travel Corporation

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Lawson	Josh	Business Development Manager	Hospitality Staff Solutions
Lew	Yvonne		Queensford
Lewis	Julie		Albany Creek State High School
Li	Yifang	Online Travel Agent	HarkHark Pty Ltd
Li	April	QTIC Mentor Program	Queensland Tourism Industry Council (QTIC)
Lord	Jessica	Apprentice Chef	Novotel Brisbane
Lutvey	Amanda		Emporium Hotels
Macionis	Niki	Senior Lecturer	University of Queensland
Mair	Judith	Associate Professor	University of Queensland
Martins	Antje	PhD Candidate, Associate Lecturer	University of Queensland
McAlister	Jeffrey	Deputy Director General	Department Innovation, Tourism Industry Development and Commonwealth Games
McComb	Emma	General Manager International	National College of Vocational Education
Merzeo	Bryon	Tourism Consultant	Deloitte
Miles	Eliane	Social Researcher & Trends Analyst	Research McCrindle
Miller	Sarah	Human Resources Manager	Marriot Hotels
Minchinton	Joanna	Employment Relations	Queensland Hotels Association
Moody	Kathryn	Workforce Development Manager	Queensland Tourism Industry Council (QTIC)
Mulcahy	Richard	Adjunct Professor	
Newman	Mark	Tourism Operator	Riverlife Pty Ltd
OBrien	Gayle	General Manager, Tourism Policy & Industry Engagement	Department Innovation, Tourism Industry Development and Commonwealth Games
Oksanen	Jayde	Human Resource Manager	Paradise Resort Gold Coast
Oren	Olivier	Tutor & Research Assistant	University of Queensland
Orning	John	General Manager	Best Western Plus Lake Kawana Hotel
Ovnic	Julija	Lecturer	James Cook University Brisbane
Payer	Hannah	Young Tourism Leader	The Tourism Group
Pham	Wendy	Young Talent	University of Queensland

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Phelan	Kelly	Senior Lecturer	University of Queensland
Pratt	Marlene	Lecturer in Hospitality	Griffith University
Rastegar	Raymond	Associate Lecturer	University of Queensland
Riches	Graeme	People & Culture Leader	The Travel Corporation
Ritchie	Brent	Professor	University of Queensland
Ronen-Hearn	Amanda	Office of Hon Kate Jones	Queensland Government
Roberts	Tahlia	General Manager	Riverlife
Robinson	Richard	Research Development Fellow	University of Queensland
Ruhanen	Lisa	Associate Professor	University of Queensland
Ryland	Jeremy	Managing Director	GJR Pty Ltd
Savoff	Peter	General Manager	Emporium Hotels (Anthony John Group)
SHah	Chaitali		Queensford College
Shannon	Elizabeth	Principal Program Officer	Department Innovation, Tourism Industry Development and Commonwealth Games
Sharpe	John	Owner/Founder	Riverlife
Sibley	Andrew	Vice President Australian Culinary Federation	Caterscape Aust Pty Ltd
Sinclair	Andrew	Director	Tourism Partners
Solnet	David	Associate Professor	University of Queensland
Sommer	Jan	Regional Tourism Organisation	Brisbane Marketing
Stephenson	Paul	CFO	Dickson Wohlsen Pty Ltd
Taylor	Kylie	Production Manager	Seven Network
Thomson	Sue	Casual Academic	University of Queensland
Tranby	William	Young Tourism Leader	
Turner	James	Growth	Sidekicker
Vincent	Jaye	QTIC Mentor Program	Gladstone Area Promotion and Development Limited
Wahlheim	Mac	Young Tourism Leader	
Walters	Gabrielle	Host & Event Organizer	University of Queensland

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Wang	Yuanyi	Post Graduate Student and Tutor	University of Queensland
Ward	Liz	Online training and support	Tourism Tribe
Ware	Aleesha	QTIC Mentor Program	Tourism and Events Queensland
Watter	Melissa	Director	Sequel PR
Whitford	Michelle	Associate Professor	Griffith University
Wintle	Fabienne	Chief Digital Office	Tourism Tribe
Wittwer	Reto	Chairman of the Advisory Board	World Tourism Forum Lucerne
Ye	Isabella	PhD Student and Tutor	University of Queensland
Yiannakis	Pericles	QTIC Mentor Program	Sofitel Brisbane Central
Yong	Kun Hing		University of Queensland
Yu	Nanyi Nicole	Post Graduate Student and Tutor	University of Queensland
Zhang	Sijia	Hospitality Student	University of Queensland