

TAFE NSW

Head of SkillsPoint Supply Chain and eCommerce

Location: Dubbo

THE OPPORTUNITY

TAFE NSW's purpose is to skill the workforce of the future. It is Australia's leading provider of vocational education and training with over 500,000 annual enrolments and a proud history of setting the benchmark for quality service. As the NSW public provider, it supports the NSW Government's priority to grow skills for the economy and jobs of tomorrow. Critically, TAFE NSW plays a vital role in providing vocational education in rural and regional NSW, and job training pathways for the most vulnerable in the community.

SkillsPoints are the intersection 'point' where Australia's largest education provider - TAFE NSW - and business and industry come together to provide Australians with the skills employers need for the jobs of today and the careers of the future. SkillsPoints will equip Australians with the skills and training needed to respond to the opportunities provided by high-growth and emerging industry sectors as well as existing employer needs. There are nine SkillsPoints headquarters planned across NSW, six of them in regional areas.

Engaging with key industry sectors, each SkillsPoint Headquarter (HQ) will engage with industry to provide commercially focussed and customised educational products and will manage a coherent grouping of training packages and higher education courses e.g. Supply Chain. SkillsPoints will transform the way TAFE NSW courses are designed and developed by introducing contemporary, industry relevant, bespoke ways of learning, ensuring that blended educational opportunities stimulate the best outcomes for students and their employers.

This leadership role will inspire a team of educators and industry experts to bring innovative thinking and design directly from industry to the creation and delivery of courses offered to the students and workforce of the future. This SkillsPoint group works across the following sectors:

- Retail and Supply Chain
- Vehicle service and repair
- Road, rail and maritime transport, distribution and logistics
- Aviation
- Floristry
- Digital and online business

KEY ACCOUNTABILITIES

Lead and manage a team of between 8 to 15 employees, to harness their diverse technical knowledge and disciplinary expertise in creation and delivery of future focused learning products.

- Lead the establishment and management of the SkillsPoint HQ through working with industry, business, employers and employees to ensure design, processes and frameworks are in place.
- Lead and undertake best practice applied research and provide strategic and policy advice, analysis and operational support to effectively inform SkillsPoints operations, processes and issue resolution.
- Strategically engage with key industry sector and community representatives and organisations to obtain and use insights that will enable SkillsPoints to design and develop a range of industry relevant learning products and services.

THE SKILLS / EXPERIENCE

Expressions of interest are sought from senior education or training leaders with proven experience managing innovation and transformation, across a business unit, where influencing and negotiating with multiple stakeholders is essential. Some of the skills you will require to be successful are:

- Tertiary qualification at degree level or above.
- Demonstrated relevant high level expertise, knowledge and experience in a discipline area aligned to this appropriate SkillsPoint.
- Demonstrated effective high-level leadership and experience in education and training.
- High level capability and experience in engaging industry and community stakeholders to influence strategic and operational educational outcomes.
- Demonstrated capacity and experience to lead innovation and change in the development of products and services to meet customer, industry and community needs.

HOW TO APPLY

Please forward your resume and brief cover letter, outlining your interest and suitability for the role, to **Vanessa Sack: vstack@oceansgroup.com.au**. Should you require additional information prior to making an application please call Vanessa on: **02 9037 1852**.

Applications close: 11:59pm, on 23rd July 2017

Please note: The successful candidate will need to undertake background checks and criminal record checks.

NOTE: Only candidates that meet TAFE NSW criteria will be short listed and contacted. Thank-you for your understanding of the commercial constraints of the process.

