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# Why is an Internship so Important while Studying?

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We are dedicated to ensuring that you receive a world-class education and gain skills that you can immediately implement in the workforce.



## World-Class Australia Accredited Education

Our vocational programs and higher education degrees are registered and accredited by the Australian Government. We have programs that are also recognized under three international engineering accords.



## Engineering Specialists

EIT is one of the only institutes in the world specializing in Engineering. We deliver professional certificates, diplomas, advanced diplomas, undergraduate and graduate certificates, bachelor's and master's degrees, and a Doctor of Engineering.



## Industry Experienced Lecturers

Our lecturers are highly experienced engineers and subject specialists with applied knowledge. The technologies employed by EIT, both online and on-campus, enable us to source our lecturers from a large, global pool of expertise.



## Industry Oriented Programs

Our programs are designed by industry experts, ensuring you graduate with cutting-edge skills that are valued by employers. Our program content remains current with rapidly changing technology and industry developments.



## Unique Delivery Model

We deliver our programs via a unique methodology that makes use of live and interactive webinars, an international pool of expert lecturers, dedicated learning support officers, and state-of-the-art technologies such as hands-on workshops, remote laboratories, and simulation software.

# Work Integrated Learning

At EIT, we commit to providing all our on-campus students, from July 2021 intake\*, 240 hours of work integrated learning at no extra cost\*. This equates to a 6-week full-time internship or equivalent in part-time hours.



Learn more: <https://www.eit.edu.au/why-eit/work-integrated-learning/>

*\*Conditions Apply*

# Work Integrated Learning

- Your internship may be physical, virtual or a hybrid placement (a combination of an in-company placement and virtual placement).
- It will provide an outstanding opportunity to gain Australian experience in a professional organization relevant to your field of engineering and will improve your employability post completion of your degree.
- The duration of your degree is not affected.



Outcome.Life empowers our students with good employability outcomes.

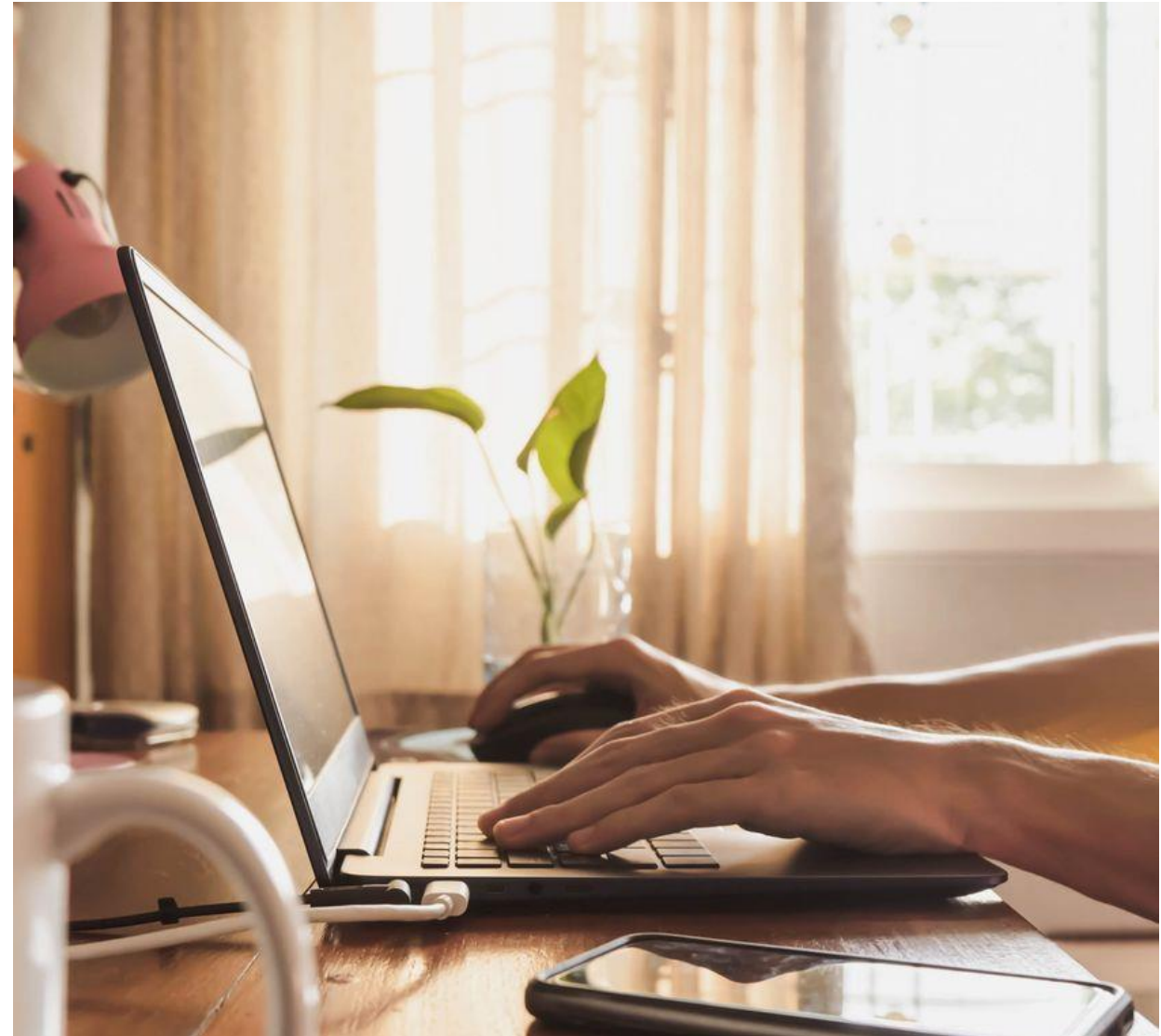
They will:

- › ensure you are work ready
- › provide continuous support throughout your internship
- › develop your skills



# How will an internship benefit you?

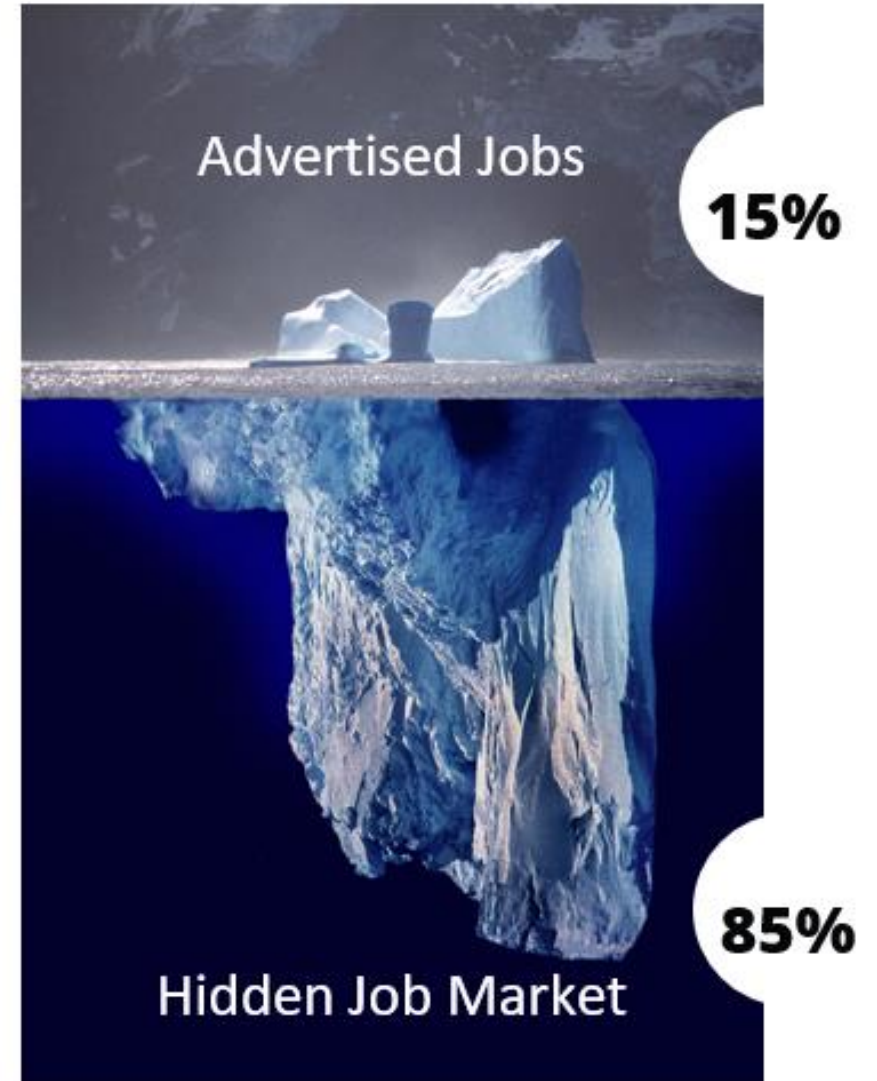
- › Beat the competition
- › Build your professional network
- › Gain industry experience
- › Convert your academic knowledge into industry skills
- › Learn Australian workplace culture
- › Improve your resume
- › Beat the competition



# Why is it difficult to get employed in Australia?

The hidden job market comprises positions that are not advertised in traditional print or online sources. Such jobs are increasingly becoming available only via networking and word-of-mouth.

- *Career Success Australia*





# Teach yourself the latest software



# Nikhil's story

- › Originally from India and moved to Perth, Western Australia to study with EIT.
- › A graduate of EIT's Bachelor of Science (Mechanical Engineering) degree.
- › Through Outcome.Life's placement services, interned at SpaceDsign.
- › Within the internship experience; completed a project on the recycling of the concrete rail sleepers which was based in Pilbara.

**"I chose engineering because I am very keen to study the different machines and designs. And engineering is a very innovative field to work and learn in."**





# Internships: A doorway to the hidden job market

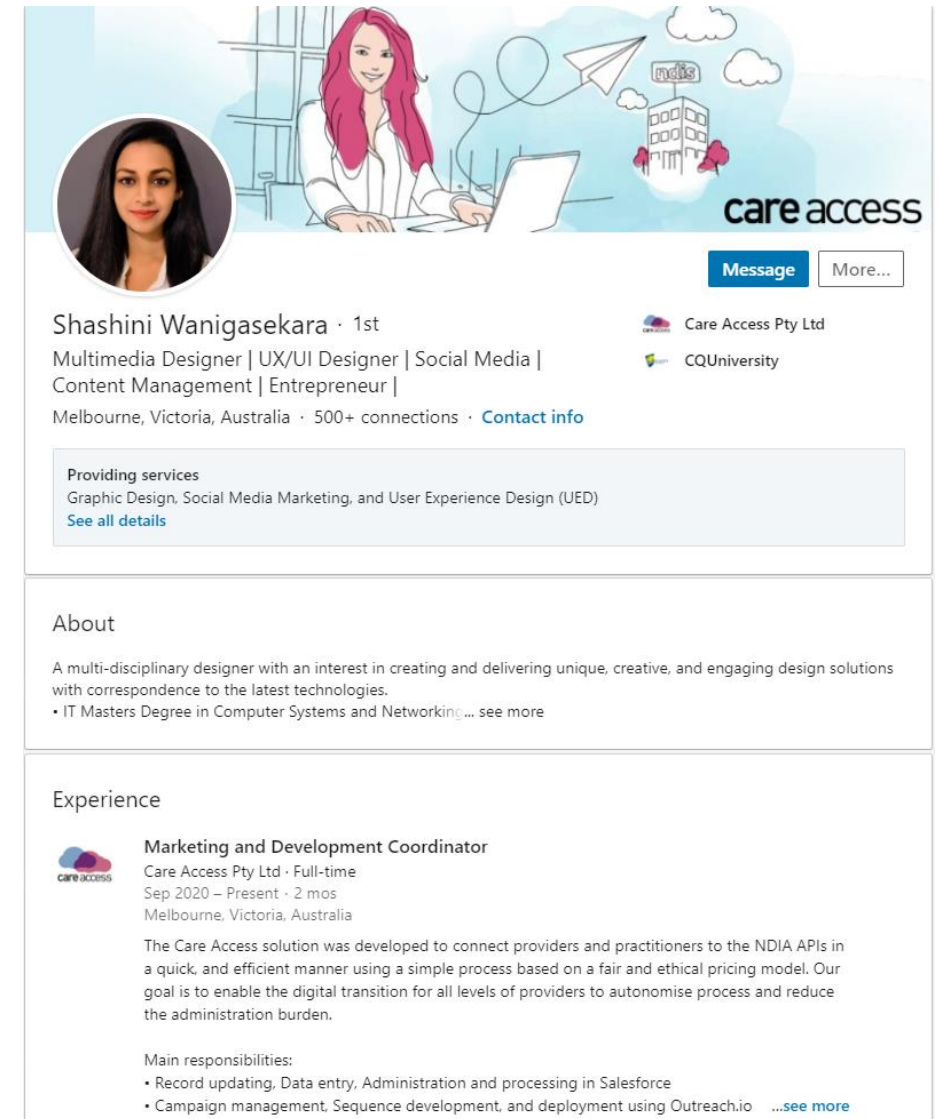


# Your Internship

- › Have the right insurance
- › Watch out for suspicious offers
- › Make sure your internship is compliant with the law



- › Your connections are your legitimacy
- › Get significant connections
- › A professional profile picture
- › 300+ connections by graduation
- › Always personalize connection invitations



The screenshot shows a LinkedIn profile for Shashini Wanigasekara. The profile picture is a circular portrait of a woman with dark hair. The background banner features an illustration of a woman with pink hair working at a laptop, with a paper airplane and a building labeled 'care access' in the background. The profile name is 'Shashini Wanigasekara · 1st'. Below the name are the titles 'Multimedia Designer | UX/UI Designer | Social Media | Content Management | Entrepreneur |' and the location 'Melbourne, Victoria, Australia · 500+ connections · [Contact info](#)'. To the right of the name are two logos: 'Care Access Pty Ltd' and 'CQUniversity'. Below the name and titles is a section titled 'Providing services' with the text 'Graphic Design, Social Media Marketing, and User Experience Design (UED)' and a link '[See all details](#)'. Below this is an 'About' section with the text 'A multi-disciplinary designer with an interest in creating and delivering unique, creative, and engaging design solutions with correspondence to the latest technologies.' and a bullet point '• IT Masters Degree in Computer Systems and Networking... see more'. Below the 'About' section is an 'Experience' section with the title 'Marketing and Development Coordinator' and the company logo 'care access'. The text below the title reads 'Care Access Pty Ltd · Full-time', 'Sep 2020 – Present · 2 mos', and 'Melbourne, Victoria, Australia'. The description of the role states: 'The Care Access solution was developed to connect providers and practitioners to the NDIA APIs in a quick, and efficient manner using a simple process based on a fair and ethical pricing model. Our goal is to enable the digital transition for all levels of providers to autonomise process and reduce the administration burden.' Below the description are the 'Main responsibilities:' listed as '• Record updating, Data entry, Administration and processing in Salesforce' and '• Campaign management, Sequence development, and deployment using Outreach.io ...see more'.

# An Internship with EIT



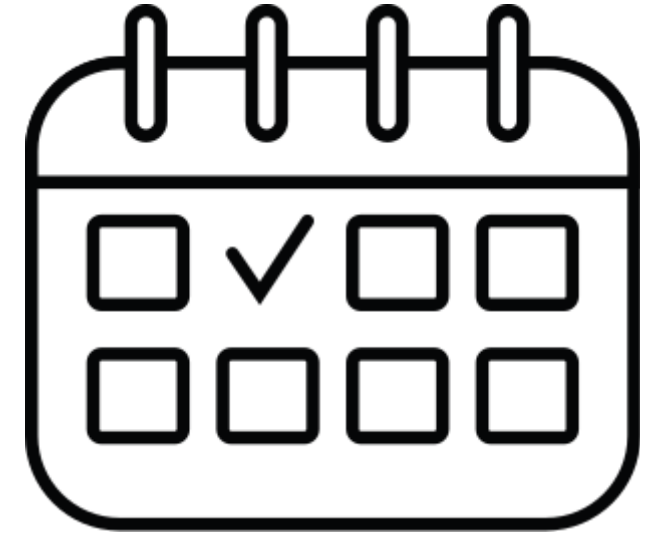
Real Work Experience



Professional Network



Supervision



3 days/week for 12 weeks

# Q&A





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