

2021 OELLEN Projects

TRADE CAREERS FOR YOU

Continuing our work in developing a network of partners to address the need of raising aspirations of young women to look at non-traditional trades and STEM, the Trade Career For You webinar in was held Novemeber 2021.

YOUTH CAREER EXPO

The 2021 Youth Career Expo 2021 took place in March at the Central Ringwood Community Centre. 110 attendees benefited from the expertise of career professionals, employers and young apprentices across various presentations and conversations

PRACTICE INTERVIEWS

Recognising a gap in local students preparation for entering the workforce, OELLEN facilitated multiple practice interviews. 10 schools engaged in this program resulting in over 26 sessions benefiting over 400 students. One student even credited their successful interview the following day to the feedback they received!

EMPLOYABILITY SKILLS SESSIONS

OELLEN staff delivered incursions to VCAL year 11 and 12 students about employability skills, industries of need and general tips on how to prepare for the workforce

JOBS FOR YOUTH

.Jobs for Youth is one of the Eastern Metropolitan Partnerships initiatives to improve the transition from secondary school to meaningful training and employment for the region's young people. OELLEN has committed to Create 50 jobs for young people in the region by connecting young people with potential employers

YARRA VALLEY TOURISM ENTERPRISE SCHOLARSHIP

OELLEN and Yarra Ranges Tourism developed a program with local business in Yarra Ranges LGA to reconnect young people with pathways and local employment opportunities in tourism and hospitality. Eight young locals are currently engaged in this program, rotating across four diverse tourism industry placements and achieving a Cert 4 in Tourism

NATIONAL CAREERS WEEK INDUSTRY TALKS

'Daily online Industry Talks' held during National Careers Week in partnership with BHI Skills & Jobs Centre, Gateway LLEN and OELLEN. Students had the opportunity to develop careers insight into a number of occupations and sectors and gain a sense of the workplace by directly engaging with industries that have been identified as priority industry sectors.

ACTIVE VOLUNTEERING PILOT

The Active Volunteering program saw 26 students from 2 schools participate in a Cert2 in Active Volunteering while gaining insights into the world of work and the power of volunteering. Partners in this initiative were BHI, CIRE First Impressions and Yarra Valley Railway

SCHOOL TO WORK



THE TEAM

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THE FIGURES

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SWL Placements

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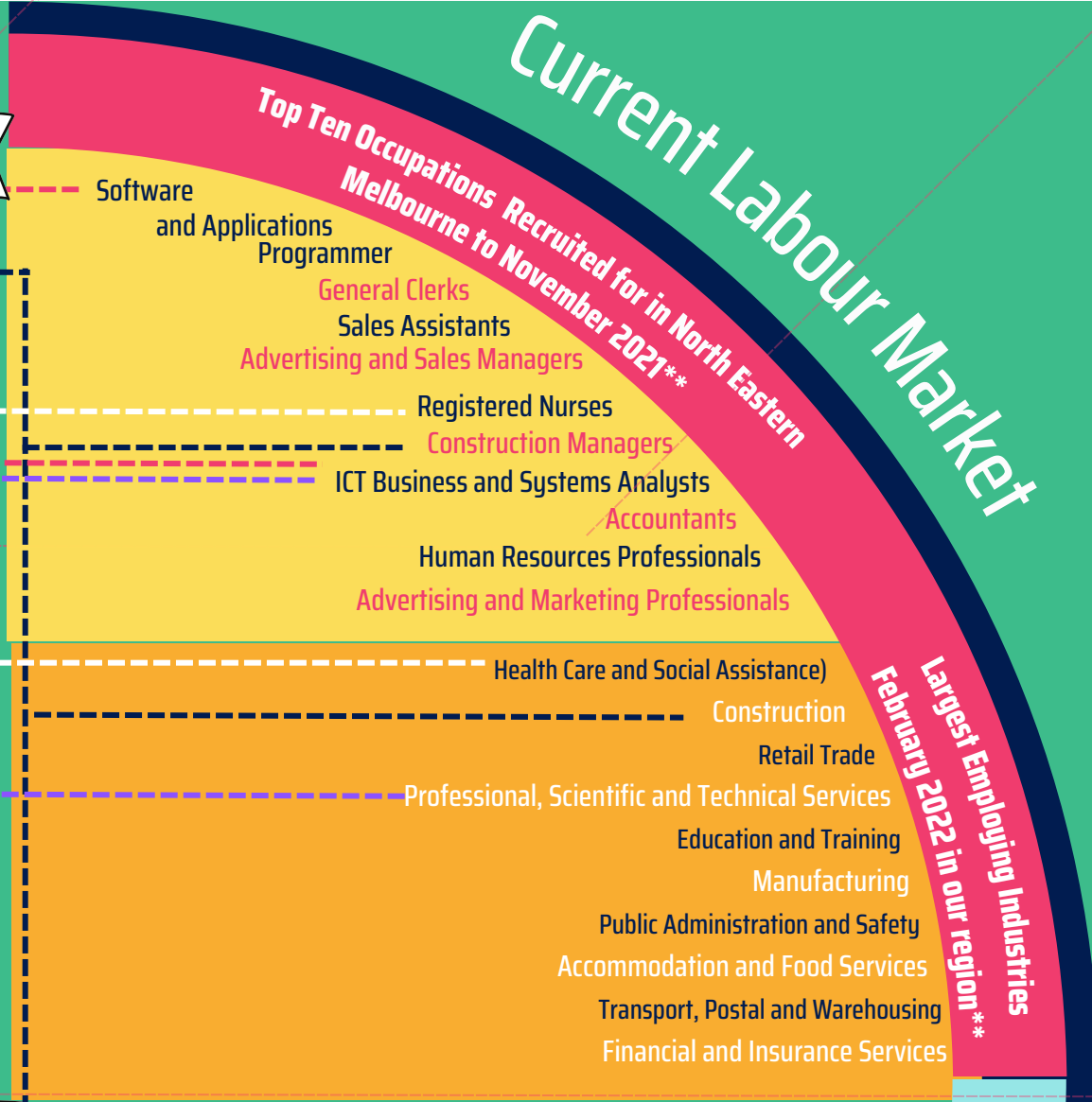
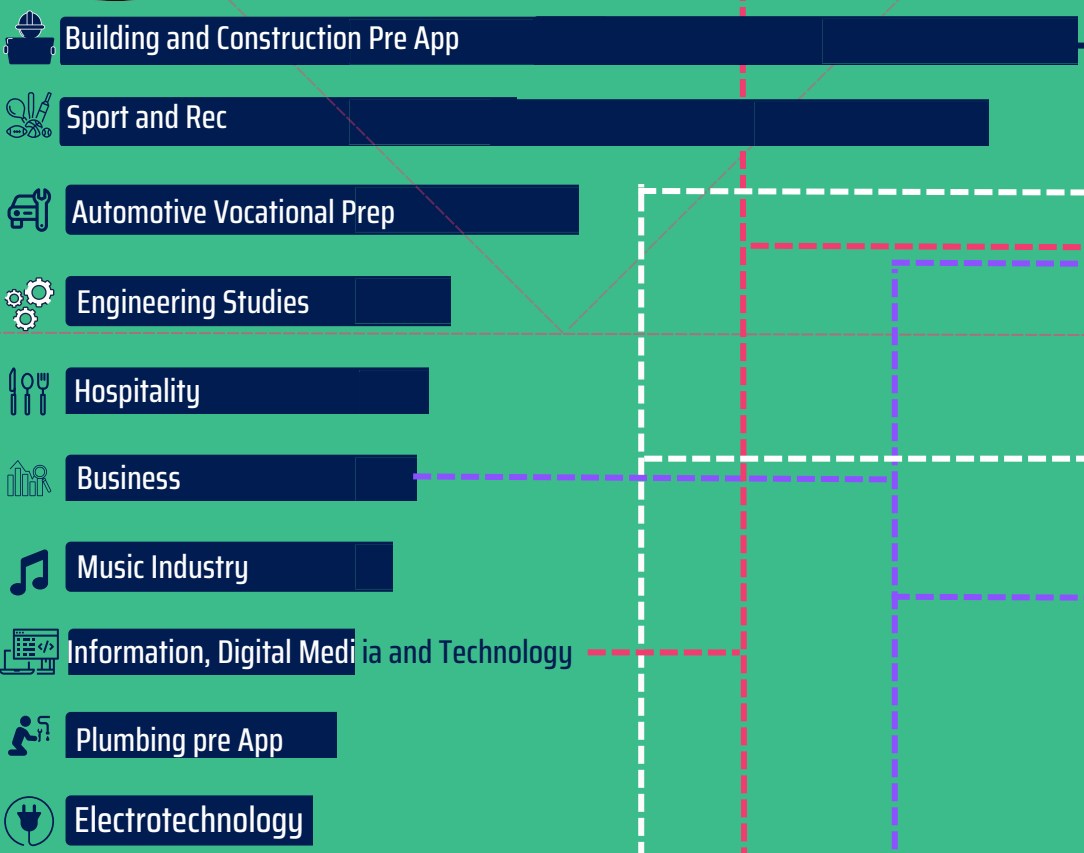
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Employer
Engagement
Activities, up
200% on 2020

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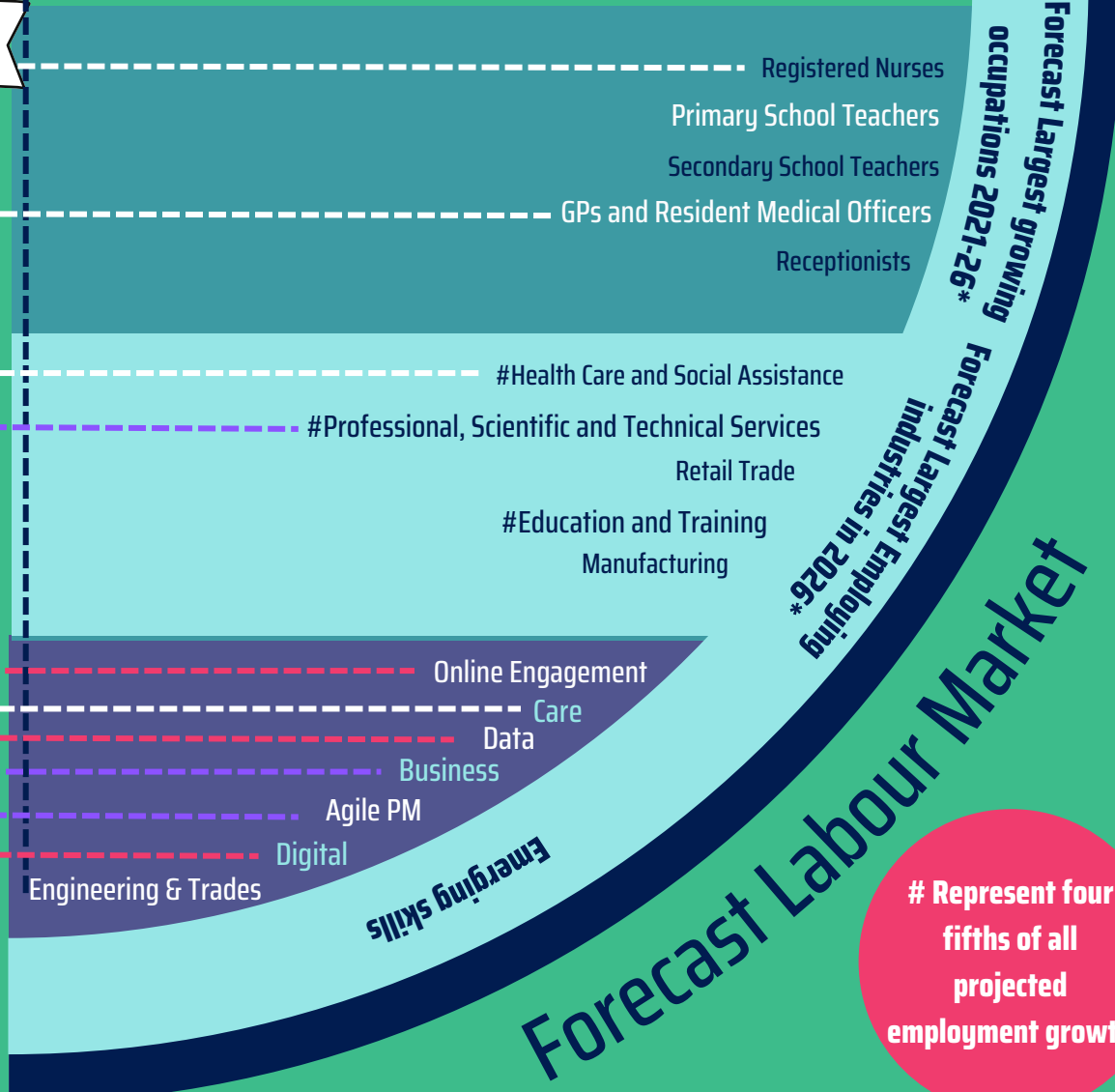
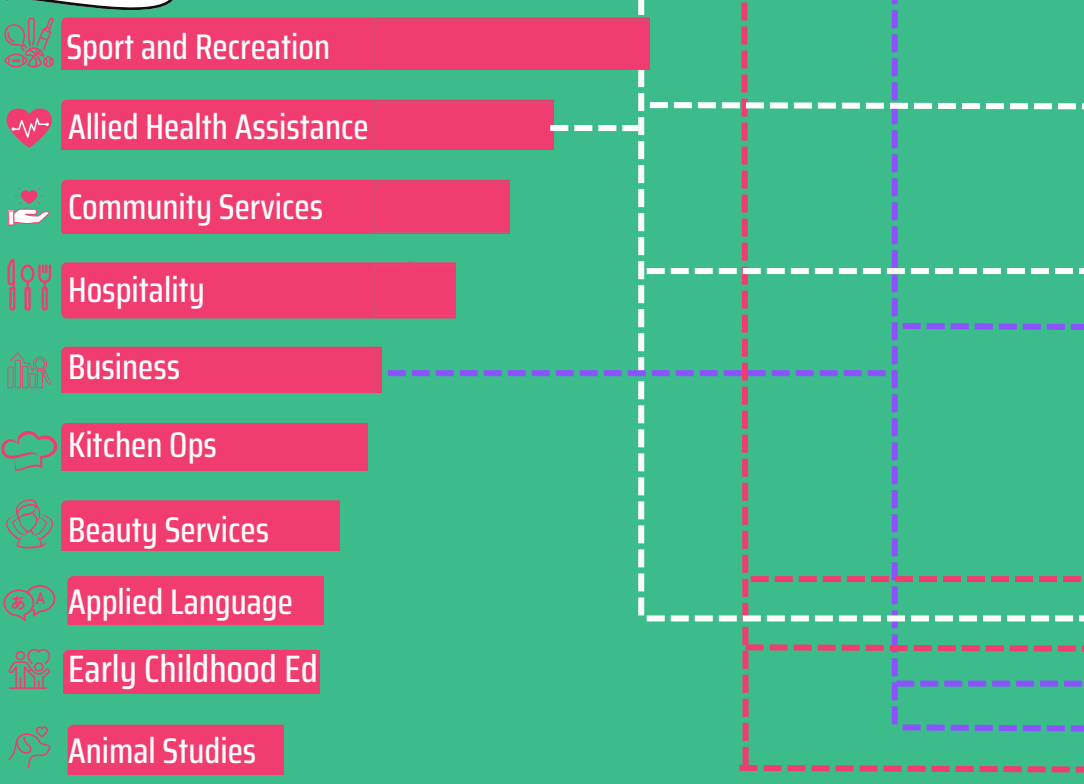
Online
Events

ARE WE ALIGNED TO WHERE THE JOBS ARE?

Top Ten VET Enrolments for males in the Outer East 2021



Top Ten VET Enrolments for females in the Outer East 2021



Represent four fifths of all projected employment growth

*Metro Jobs and Training Needs Report 2022 - Department of Education and Training

**industry-profile-north-eastern-melbourne.pdf (labourmarketinsights.gov.au)

***NSC annual report 2020-2021 -