

Senate Standing Committee on Education Employment and Workplace Relations

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Budget Estimates 2011-2012**

Cross Portfolio

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Senator Abetz provided in writing.

Question

Board Appointments

What is the gender ratio on each board and across the portfolio? Please detail any board appointments for the FYTD.

Answer

A. Gender ratio on each board across the portfolio?

BOARD	FEMALE / MALE RATIO
2010-2011 Prime Minister's Prize for Australian History Advisory Committee	2 / 2
Accreditation Decisions Review Committee (ADRC)	7 / 1
Australian Qualifications Framework Council (AQF)	5 / 6
Australian Curriculum, Assessment and Reporting Authority (ACARA)	4 / 9
Australian Institute for Teaching and School Leadership (AITSL)	6 / 11
Australian Learning and Teaching Council Board (ALTC)	3 / 5
Australian National University Council	6 / 9
Australian Universities Quality Agency Board (AUQA)	3 / 7
Australian Youth Forum Youth Engagement Steering Committee	5 / 6
Australian-American Educational Foundation(Fulbright Commission)	3 / 2
Broadband for Education Committee (BEC)	0 / 4
Building the Education Revolution Implementation Taskforce (BERIT)	0 / 3
Central (Blacksmithing Trades) Committee	0 / 4
Central (Boilermaking Trades) Committee	0 / 6
Central (Electrical Trades) Committee	0 / 6
Central (Engineering Trades) Committee	0 / 6
Central (Sheet Metal Trades) Committee	0 / 6
Coal Mining Industry (Long Service Leave Funding) Corporation	0 / 6

BOARD	FEMALE / MALE RATIO
Commonwealth Youth Forum Planning Group	7 / 10
Contributions Review Panel	2 / 8
Critical Skills Investment Fund Advisory Board	2 / 8
Education Investment Fund Advisory Board (EIF)	4 / 4
Education Services Australia (ESA)	4 / 5
Fair Work Australia (FWA)	15 / 37
Higher Education Base Funding Review Panel	3 / 1
Indigenous Advisory Group (Indigenous Youth Leadership Program)	3 / 2
Indigenous Higher Education Advisory Council (IHEAC)	5 / 5
National Asian Languages and Studies in Schools Program Reference Group (NALSSP)	2 / 5
National Centre for Vocational Education Research Ltd (NCVER)	3 / 6
National Childcare Accreditation Council Board (NCAC)	5 / 3
National Quality Council (NQC)	6 / 8
National Reference Group (Indigenous Youth Leadership Program)	2 / 4
National VET Equity Advisory Council (NVEAC)	4 / 7
National Workplace Relations Consultative Council (formerly National Labour Consultative Council)	4 / 9
Office of the Australian Building and Construction Commissioner	0 / 1
Office of the Fair Work Ombudsman	0 / 1
Review of Funding for Schooling Panel	2 / 4
Review Panel for the Higher Education Access and Outcomes For Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander People	2 / 2
Safe Work Australia (SWA)	4 / 11
Safety, Rehabilitation and Compensation Commission (SRCC)	5 / 7
Seafarers Safety, Rehabilitation and Compensation Authority	1 / 11
Skills Australia	3 / 4
Technical and Vocational Education and Training Australia	2 / 6
Tertiary Education Quality and Standards Agency	1 / 1

B. Board appointments for the FYTD.

Between 1 July 2010 and 30 June 2011, 176 board appointments have been made comprising 73 females and 103 males.