



THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

**STANDING COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT**

**Inquiry into innovation and creativity: workforce for the new economy**

**PUBLIC HEARING  
Tuesday 26 April 2016**

**Seek - Melbourne  
Head Office, Level 6, 541 St Kilda Road, Melbourne**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Witness</b>
9.00 am	<p><b>Liven</b> Mr William Wong, Founder Dr David Ballerini, Founder</p> <p><b>STC Australia</b> Dr Buzz Palmer, CEO</p> <p><b>BlueChilli</b> Mr PK Rasam, Startup Adviser - Corporate Innovation</p>
10.30 am	<p><b>Deakin University</b> (<i>Submission 10</i>) Professor Peter Hodgson, Interim Deputy Vice Chancellor - Research</p> <p><b>The University of Melbourne</b> (<i>Submission 39</i>) Professor Richard Strugnell, Pro Vice-Chancellor - Graduate &amp; Research Dr Gwilym Croucher, Principal Policy Adviser Mr Doron Ben-Meir, Executive Director - Research Innovation &amp; Commercialisation</p> <p><b>National Tertiary Education Union</b> (<i>Submission 43</i>) Mr Paul Kniest, Policy and Research Coordinator</p> <p><b>La Trobe University</b> (<i>Submission 47</i>) Professor Richard Speed, Pro Vice-Chancellor (Regional)</p> <p><b>Australian Academy of Technology &amp; Engineering (ATSE)</b> (<i>Submission 36</i>) Dr Matt Wenham, Executive Manager - Policy &amp; Projects</p> <p><b>Australian Mathematical Sciences Institute</b> (<i>Submission 60</i>) Dr Hannah Hartig, National Program Manager - AMSI Intern Professor Geoff Prince, Director</p> <p><b>Australian Academy of the Humanities</b> (<i>Submission 40</i>) Dr John Fitzgerald, President</p>

12.00 pm	<p><b>Federation University Australia</b> (<i>Submission 31</i>)                  Mr Jerry Courvisanos, Associate Professor of Innovation and Entrepreneurship</p> <p><b>Victorian TAFE Association</b> (<i>Submission 15</i>)                  Ms Jo van So, Director Research &amp; Policy                  Mr Andrew Williamson, Executive Director</p> <p><b>National Centre for Vocational Education Research (NCVER)</b> (<i>Submission 7</i>)                  Dr Craig Fowler, Managing Director</p>
1.00 pm	<b>Lunch</b>
2.00 pm	<p><b>Deakin University</b>                  Dr Cate Gribble, Formerly of the Centre for Research in Educational Futures and Innovation</p> <p><b>Swinburne University</b>                  Professor Ajay Kapoor, Pro Vice Chancellor - International Research Engagement &amp; Development</p> <p><b>RMIT University</b>                  Professor Calum Drummond, Deputy Vice-Chancellor - Research &amp; Innovation, Vice-President</p> <p><b>Carbon Nexus</b></p> <p><b>Frankston Concrete Products</b></p> <p><b>CLS</b></p> <p><b>Textor Technologies</b>                  Mr Phillip Butler, Chairman</p>
3.30 pm	<p><b>Australian Industry Group</b> (<i>Submission 30</i>)                  Mr Michael Taylor, National Policy and Projects Manager</p> <p><b>Innovative Research Universities</b> (<i>Submission 67</i>)                  Mr Conor King, Executive Director</p> <p><b>Australasian Council of Deans of Arts, Social Sciences and Humanities (DASSH)</b> (<i>Submission 45</i>)                  Professor Denise Meredyth, Vice President</p> <p><b>Committee for Economic Development of Australia (CEDA)</b>                  Mr Nathan Taylor, Chief Economist                  Ms Sarah-Jane Derby, Senior Economist</p> <p><b>University of Newcastle</b> (<i>Submission 64</i>)                  Ms Jenny Walker, Project Officer, Office of the Vice Chancellor                  Mr Christopher Price, Chief of Staff                  Professor Andrew Parfitt, Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Academic)</p>
5.00 pm	<b>Adjournment</b>