



Finalists
2020

2020 Apprentice of the Year – sponsored by Consumer, Building and Occupational Services (CBOS)

| Name | Qualification | Training Provider | Employer / Host Employer |
|------------------|--|--------------------------|--|
| Danielle Walters | Certificate III in Carpentry | TasTAFE | Fairbrother |
| Hayley Williams | Certificate III in Electrotechnology | TasTAFE | Bell Bay Aluminium |
| Cameron Stephens | Certificate III in Carpentry and Joinery | TasTAFE | In2Construction |
| Hayden Davis | Certificate III in Heavy Vehicle Mechanics | TasTAFE | Work & Training at host employer Metro Tasmania |
| Thanutya Waite | Certificate III in Commercial Cookery | TasTAFE | Monsoon Thai Fusion |
| Caitlin Radford | Certificate III in Agriculture | TasTAFE | S W Radford Pty Ltd |
| Taidgh Rowley | Certificate III in Carpentry | TasTAFE | TasTec |

2020 Trainee of the Year – sponsored by Federal Group Tasmania

| Name | Qualification | Training Provider | Employer / Host Employer |
|---------------|---|--------------------------|--|
| Nicole Murray | Certificate III in Dental Assisting | TasTAFE | Work & Training at host employer Glenorchy Dental |
| Madeline Wade | Certificate IV in Business | Work & Training | Port Arthur Historic Site Management Authority |
| Max Rayner | Certificate III in Business | Work & Training | Department of Police, Fire and Emergency Services |
| Miwa Nishioka | Certificate III in Wine Industry Operations | TasTAFE | Jansz Parish Vineyard |
| Tom Edwards | Certificate III in Sport and Recreation | SportsReady Education | AFL SportsReady at host employer St Paul's Catholic School |
| Kaylea Miller | Certificate III in Business | SportsReady Education | AFL SportsReady at host employer Coastal Residential Services |
| Abby Willcox | Certificate III in Outdoor Recreation | TasTAFE | Work & Training at host employer Don College |
| Kristy Haines | Certificate IV in General Insurance | TasTAFE | StLukesHealth Insurance |

2020 Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Student of the Year – sponsored by Mas, proudly part of IntoWork Australia

| Name | Qualification | Training Provider | Employer / Host Employer |
|------------------|--|--------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Jessica Matthews | Diploma of Nursing | TasTAFE | - |
| Joshua Mansell | Certificate II in Horticulture | TasTAFE | - |
| Paige Maynard | Certificate II in Business | NDA Computing | ETCS Electrical and Fire |
| Anne-Maree Major | Certificate III in Individual Support (Ageing, Home and Community) | TasTAFE | - |

2020 Vocational Student of the Year – sponsored by Rotary Club of Deloraine

| Name | Qualification | Training Provider | Employer / Host Employer |
|--------------------|--|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Timothy Mee | Certificate III in Workplace Health and Safety | Learning Partners | Fairbrother |
| Dahlia Westergreen | Certificate III in Business | Learning Partners | Department of Premier and Cabinet |
| Melanie Townsend | Certificate IV in Education Support | Learning Partners | Full-time student |
| Rachel Rickard | Certificate III in Individual Support | Work & Training | Regis Tasmania - Norwood |
| Heetham Hekmat | Diploma in Community Services | TasTAFE | The Link Youth Health Service |
| Caitlin Foale | Certificate III in Tourism | TasTAFE | Full-time student |

2020 Equity Vocational Student of the Year – sponsored by Work & Training

| Name | Qualification | Training Provider | Employer |
|------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------|
| Montana Gardiner | Certificate II in Hospitality | TSC RTO Elizabeth College | Full-time student |
| Mark Mclauchlan | Certificate IV in Community Services | Avidity Training & Development | Part-time student |
| Evan Phelan | Certificate III in Tourism | TasTAFE Drysdale | Full-time student |
| Leyla Tajik | Certificate III in Career Advancement | TasTAFE | Subway |
| Brianna Nettle | Certificate III in Tourism | TasTAFE Drysdale | Full-time student |

2020 School-based Apprentice/Trainee of the Year – sponsored by Consumer, Building and Occupational Services (CBOS)

| Name | Qualification | Training Provider | School/College | Employer |
|------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|--|
| Lily Pursell | Certificate II in Business | The Training and Business Company | Guilford Young College | Department of Primary Industries, Parks, Water and Environment |
| Arielle Abrahams | Certificate III in Community Services | Avidity Training & Development | Rosny College TSC RTO* | Bridgewater Police and Citizen Youth Club |
| Natasha Tatnell | Certificate II in Business | SportsReady Education | Jordan River Learning Federation Senior School | AFL SportsReady at host employer Gagebrook Primary School |
| Tannah McKellar | Certificate III in Business | TasTAFE | Mountain Heights School | Queenstown and Districts Finance Limited |
| Sarah Walton | Certificate III in Business | TasTAFE | Hellyer College | Cradle Coast Authority |
| Sian Beeton | Certificate II in Business | SportsReady Education | Launceston College | AFL SportsReady at host employer Commonwealth Bank |

2020 VET in Schools Student of the Year

| Name | Qualification | School/College |
|-------------------|---|--|
| Natalie Roland | Certificate II in Hospitality | Elizabeth College – TSC RTO |
| Will Whittington | Certificate II in Tourism | Hobart College – TSC RTO |
| Charli White | Certificate III in Health Services Assistance | Hobart College – TSC RTO |
| Kiarna Nibbs | Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care | Guilford Young College |
| Elise Popowski | Certificate II in Sport and Recreation | Circular Head Christian School |
| Patrick Rosevear | Certificate III in Agriculture | Lilydale District School – TSC RTO |
| Henry Rheinberger | Certificate IV in Contemporary Pilates and Teaching Methodology | The Friends School Training Provider: Tensegrity Training |

*TSC RTO – Tasmanian Secondary Colleges Registered Training Organisation

2020 VET Teacher / Trainer of the Year

| Name | Employer |
|---------------------|--|
| Jane Chapman | TasTAFE |
| Matthew Conroy | TasTAFE Drysdale Campus |
| Catherine Slicer | TasTAFE Drysdale Campus |
| Anne-Maree Jeffries | TasTAFE Drysdale Campus |
| Sharon Turner | Tasmanian Secondary Colleges RTO – Newstead College |
| Katrina Mason | Tasmanian Secondary Colleges RTO – Hobart College and TasTAFE |

2020 Small Employer of the Year – sponsored by Mas, proudly part of IntoWork Australia

Driftwood Workshop, South Arm

Trimbolis Pizza and Pasta, St Helens

Amcal Pharmacy, Deloraine

Associated Welding and Profile Cutting, Mowbray Heights

Fudge’N’Good Coffee, Sheffield

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Rural Health Tasmania

StLukesHealth

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TasTAFE

Tasmanian Secondary Colleges RTO

Avidity Training & Development



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