

Student Life

Network

Conversation





"Since coming back to my office today and reviewing the day's topics, it has occurred to me that all the focus was on international students. The title of the forum was Engagement and Employability; IEAA Student Life forum - not international student life forum. As Phil Honeywood opened the day and stated how much revenue international study generates, I would ask that we do not forget the needs of domestic students - those students who originate from the country: those students who originate from interstate - they are also strange to the environment. Just because they have English as a first subject does not mean that their experience is safe and secure? Overall I did enjoy the day - thank you"



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Agenda

Welcome & introductions (5 mins) Short history of the Network (5 mins) 2018 in Review (15 mins)

Networking activity (20 mins) Ideas for 2019 Network activities (20 mins) Questions (5 mins) Finish





SLN History

October 2017 – conversations and petition of members to submit to IEAA Board

- December 2017 Board discussion and approval of addition of SLN
- February 2018 SLN ratified and launched
- March– Forum Planning Committee established
- March– Mindfulness Webinar
- April/July Association Roundtable meetings
- July Inaugural SLN Forum, Brisbane
- August presentation at VISC
- September Outcomes research paper submitted (awaiting IEAA feedback)
- September Elections for Convener and Deputy Convener
- October inaugural SLN Conversation



The Year in Review

Forum planning and event

- 6th July, QUT, Brisbane
- Planning for the inaugural SLN Forum began in March
- Planning Committee comprised of the Convener, Deputy Conveners, Megan Dench and Nuala Myatt-Bocarro, with support from the Secretariat.
- An ambitious and broad program was developed for the one-day program.
- Topics include –ISX Perceptions; Employability; Safety; Health and Wellbeing; & role of local and state government.
- Several highly credentialed and engaging speakers were approached and agreed to participate.

Associations Roundtable meetings Webinar

Victorian International Student Conference

Research/practitioners/outcomes paper



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Activity



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Ideas for 2019





Thank

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