The NSW Government offered 200 international students a work integrated learning experience – what did we learn?

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Intersective’s Global Scope 2015/16 video
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- NSW Police Force accepted the unique opportunity to participate and support the delivery of a project focused on safety and engagement
- Project aim was for students to review current NSWPF engagement strategies and methods from an international student perspective
- Understand ‘notions’ of safety and
- Look at national and global best practice for engaging international students
Breaking down the barriers

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Building relationships, listening and learning

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Research and findings

• **CURRENT PROBLEMS**: not feeling comfortable engaging police, not knowing how to report crime, limited safety information pre-arrival, not connected to NSWPF Facebook

• **SURVEY**: investigate perception of safety, understand awareness of safety services, current information delivery platforms, what information students are looking for

• **KEY FINDINGS**: 90% of respondents unaware of NSWPF Facebook, respondents satisfied with content of NSWPF Facebook, found campus security actively engaging with students and a strong co-operation between universities and NSWPF

• **RECOMMENDATIONS**: 1) Enhanced marking strategy for NSWPF Facebook  2) Mobile Phone Application
my journey through
Global Scope
Program
HELLO!

a little about me...

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program started 14th March...

our client: NSW Police Force

- online learning platform
- round table meetings
- industry mentor
the big day 16th June ‘16 at NSW Parliament House...
featured in **news articles**...

**UNSW Newsroom**

**Phone app proposed to help international students adapt to life in Australia**

International students in NSW could soon have access to a phone app to help them adapt to life in Australia.

**UNSW students work with police to develop safety app**

UNSW students recently teamed up with NSW Police to develop better ways to convey safety messages to international students, and in the process gained valuable workplace experience.

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skills
- communication skills
- problem solving skills
- teamwork skills
- research analysis
- creative out of the box thinking

positive impact
- real world project
- new friendships
- networking
- consulting experience

= increased employability...
final thoughts...
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NSW announces new services for international students

StudyNSW is excited to announce a new partnership with Service NSW offering dedicated and centralised information and referral advice to international students in New South Wales: the NSW International Student Support Service.

Students can now contact Service NSW for referral services and information on:

* accessing support services
* staying safe and well
* working while you study

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