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National Forum program overview



Time	Item
8:15am	**Registration**
9:00am	**Forum open and housekeeping**
9:05am	**Welcome to Country**
9:20am	**Introductions and video address from Minister Giles**
9:25am	**Keynote:** The relationship between the healthcare and social assistance industry, productivity and community wellbeing. Q&A facilitated by MC.
10:00am	**Panel: Students' voices:** First-hand learner and worker journeys, spotlighting career pathways and accomplishments since completing vocational education and training. Q&A facilitated by MC.
10:30am	**Morning tea, networking**
11:00am	Observance of 1 minute silence for Remembrance Day
11:05am	**Panel: Education and Training harmonisation:** Innovation, progress and opportunities across the VET and tertiary systems. Q&A facilitated by MC.
12:00pm	**Concurrent panels with Q&A**
	Panel 1: Child safety: Current state of play, reform and cross-sectoral application.
	Panel 2: Changing workforces, digital skills, and ethics: The role of AI and technological transformation in healthcare and social assistance, and what responsive and ethical digital skills look like.

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1:00pm	**Lunch**
2:00pm	**Panel 2: Supporting more people to participate in skills, training and employment:** insights and initiatives to improve education and employment outcomes for First Nations peoples, people with disability, lived and living expertise, young people, gendered occupations, and those in regional, rural and remote communities. Q&A facilitated by MC.
2:45pm	**Afternoon tea**
3:15pm	**Keynote:** A 'fireside' conversation with Adam Goodes and Leigh Sales AM.
4:15pm	**Reflections and closing remarks**
4:30pm–6:00pm	**Networking**

Join the conversation

Share your experiences, exchange ideas and make connections throughout the day.

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