

CHARLES STURT UNIVERSITY



Research in Vocational Education & Training (RIVET)

Invites you to *OctoberVET* 2009

Discussing:

‘Workplace Learning in VET’

Friday 16 October 2009

to be held at the
Wine & Food Industry Training Centre
McKeowen Drive, Charles Sturt University
Wagga Wagga

RSVP
Friday 9 Oct 2009

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About RIVET

VET research at Charles Sturt University began with major projects on enterprise training and on competency-based training in 1994. Since then, many national projects as well as smaller consultancies have been undertaken by VET staff. RIVET members supervise PhD, EdD and Masters research students and invite enquiries about post-graduate study at CSU. Further information about RIVET members and our current research projects can be found on our website: www.csu.edu.au/faculty/educat/edu/vetfolder/research

“Workplace Learning in VET”

Event Program:

- 9:30 am **Registration** (Tea/Coffee on arrival)
- 10:00 am **Welcome and Opening**
Professor Tom Lowrie, Director, Research Institute for Professional Practice, Learning and Education
- 10:15 am **Keynote Address : ‘Learning, work and other things’**
Ms Berwyn Clayton, Director, Work-based Education Research Centre, Victoria University
- 11:00 am **Morning Tea**
- 11:45 am **TAFE Riverina Institute Presentation**
Mr Key Meyer and Ms Jacqueline Bates: AirplaneE – using elearning for workplace training and assessment with Air-Services Electronic Technicians.
- 12:00 pm **RIVET Presentation**
Dr Cathy Down: Cert IV TAA – What are practitioners learning?
- 12:30 pm **Lunch**
- 1:15 pm **Panel Discussion: VET in the Workplace**
- 2:00 **Close**

Ms Berwyn Clayton

Director, Work-based Education Research Centre, Victoria University

Berwyn Clayton is Director of the Work-based Education Research Centre of the University of Victoria. She has had over twenty five years experience in the vocational education and training sector. During that time Berwyn has worked as a teacher, curriculum development manager, professional developer, evaluator and researcher in the TAFE sector.

Prior to this position, Berwyn spent ten years as Director of the unique Centre Undertaking Research in Vocational Education (CURVE) at Canberra Institute of Technology. A founding member of the Australian Vocational Education and Training Research Association, Berwyn was the Association's president from 2000 to 2004.

The Berwyn Clayton Award was established in her name in 2006. It is awarded biennially for Distinguished Service to the Australian Vocational Education and Training Research Association (AVETRA). In 2001 Berwyn was made a Fellow of the Australian College of Educators for her services to education and vocational education research.