

Promoting ICT Courses A Victorian Perspective

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Outline

- Victorian History
- Victorian ICT Skills initiatives
- Known University Initiatives
- Observations

Victorian History

- Government supportive in promoting ICT – Multimedia, University-Industry Linkages, Start Here, Go Anywhere
- Interest from ministers
- Highest percentage of ICT graduate
- Universities collaborate and compete, but are at the cutting edge
- Many ICT SMEs

Victorian ICT Skills

- University committee for many years
- VICTAC
- VIC ICT plan
- Subcommittee on skills
- ICT Workforce plan
- Shared committee with Digital Careers
 - Three subcommittees

Current Initiatives

- NAO Hackathon
- VCE Curriculum
- Tin Alley Beta
- CS4HS
- FIRST Robotics League
- Go Girl
- Coles work experience week
- Teacher visits to industry

Observations

- Every state is different
- Schools and curriculum differences
- Industry structures
- Universities
- No one initiative need 'own' the space – more activities is better

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