

CUC Western Downs Expressions of Interest Board Member Position

Do you care about young people, education, and the future of Western Downs?

Would you like to help shape opportunities for local people to study, grow, and thrive without having to leave home?

Country Universities Centre Western Downs Ltd (CUCWD) is **seeking new volunteer Board Members** to join our Board and support the ongoing success of the Centre.

Country Universities Centre Western Downs provides a safe, supported study space for people undertaking university and other tertiary education, helping students study locally while balancing work, family, and community life.

We are particularly keen to hear from people who

- Have a strong connection to community
- Care about education, access, and opportunity
- Bring lived experience, local knowledge, or professional skills

Experience in areas such as law, finance, governance, information technology, and auditing and compliance are highly regarded. We also value experience across health, local industry, community services, higher education, and cultural leadership. Most importantly, we welcome people who are passionate, community minded, and committed to contributing to the success of CUC Western Downs.

Board members are generally appointed for a two year term.

Meetings are held every two months, in person at CUC Western Downs in Chinchilla, with the option to attend via Microsoft Teams. Meetings are usually Monday afternoons.

The AGM is held annually in late November.

If this sounds like you, please apply by sending a short statement sharing

- Why you wish to join the board
- Your community involvement
- What you can contribute to the CUC Western Downs Ltd board

Please attach a copy of your resume.

Applications close: COB 10, July 2026 (Even if this vacancy has closed, we welcome Expressions of Interest at any time.)

Submit applications to manager@cucwesterndowns.edu.au

Shortlisted applicants will be contacted by telephone to undertake an interview in the following month.

For further information or a confidential discussion, please contact

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