

To Employers of External Students

Dear Sir/Madam

This letter is provided to USQ External Students so they can notify employers that students undertaking external study are encouraged or requested to attend Residential School at the University of Southern Queensland in Toowoomba.

The Residential Schools represent an important forum in which external students are able to acquire the practical skills that are necessary to complete their program successfully. For this reason, in some courses the Residential School is a compulsory part of the course. Attendance at the Residential School is of great assistance to students as it provides an opportunity for consultation with academic staff. These consultations improve the student's chances of successfully completing their chosen program. The students benefit as well from the experience of the academic environment.

We request that you support and encourage your staff to attend both compulsory and voluntary Residential School classes. Should you wish to check the dates and programs/courses offering Residential Schools, please contact Student Support on (07) 4631 2285 or view the Schedule from the Residential School website (<http://www.usq.edu.au/residentialschools>) or the USQ Handbook (<http://www.usq.edu.au/handbook/current>).

Yours sincerely



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