

Senate Committee: Education and Employment

**QUESTION ON NOTICE
Budget Estimates 2017 - 2018**

Outcome: Cross Portfolio

Department of Education and Training Question No. SQ17-000865

Senator Bilyk, Catryna provided in writing

Vacancies - statutory, board and legislated office vacancies and other significant appointments vacancies within the portfolio

Question

Please provide a list of all statutory, board and legislated office vacancies and other significant appointments vacancies within the portfolio, including length of time vacant and current acting arrangements.

Answer

The following is a coordinated response from the Department of Education and Training and its portfolio entities.

Education and Training Portfolio

Statutory, board and legislated office and other significant appointment vacancies as at 18 June 2017

Name of Portfolio Body	Position	Date of Vacancy	Acting arrangements
Australian Curriculum Assessment and Reporting Authority (ACARA) Board	Deputy Chair	7 May 2017	No acting arrangements
Australian Curriculum Assessment and Reporting Authority (ACARA) Board	Member (Australian Government)	7 May 2017	No acting arrangements
Australian Industry and Skills Committee	Member (Commonwealth)	April 2016	No acting arrangements
Australian Institute of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Studies	Chairperson	17 May 2017	No acting arrangements
Australian Institute of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Studies	Deputy Chairperson	17 May 2017	No acting arrangements
Australian Institute of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Studies	Member	17 May 2017	No acting arrangements
Australian Skills Quality Authority	Commissioner	1 January 2017	Ms Peta Furnell acting as Commissioner
Ministerial Advisory Council for Child Care and Early Learning	Member	29 June 2016	No acting arrangements. Will not be filled as Council will lapse on 30 June 2017