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Business careers start at GUC

To get ahead in business you need a strong network and a sound strategic base forged from the right qualifications. Geraldton Universities Centre (GUC) can help you get there with an extensive range of business programs, supported by local accountants and business professionals.

Working in partnership with CQUniversity, GUC supports a Bachelor of Accounting and a Bachelor of Business where you can major in management as well as picking up courses in any number of interesting business areas relevant for the Mid West region.

"From supply chain management to business information systems, human resources or marketing, it's all possible," Director Natalie Nelmes said.

"While not all units may be supported, the vast majority will be by some of the best and brightest business minds in our own community.

"And that's really important because it means you're building up your business network while you're still at uni. Indeed the majority of our students are working in local businesses while studying, many of them being supported by these businesses to do so.

"GUC is more than happy to work with employers on how they may be able to structure employment and study packages so we can grow our own talent base."

GUC Tutors come from all walks of life as accountants, lawyers and business leaders and currently include Chamber of Commerce and Industry Regional Networks and Business Development Coordinator Mel Davies, City of Greater Geraldton Manager Human Resources Carrie Puzzar and Mid West Development Commission's Corporate Services Manager Jacinta Potts.

"Our students are incredibly fortunate to have access to such high calibre tutors who can provide the right blend of academic support and local business application," Ms Nelmes said.

"All up we have seven different tutors working with our business and accounting students this semester and more than 30 tutors overall working in a range of different supported programs and disciplines."

Applications for 2016 study are now open. For information and advice, please contact Sari Jacobsen at GUC on 9920 4417.

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Caption: GUC Business and Accounting Tutors: Rebecca Davidson, Carrie Puzzar, Christina Ware, Jacinta Potts and Martin Weatherston