

# Some commonly-asked questions

*"I've already done lots of training but it has never led to a job..."*

Our courses are linked to definite jobs on major projects like the pipeline, the gas plant or the Pastoral Industry project so there will be a job once you finish the course.

*"Can I stay in my community to train?"*

We will try and organise a trainer for a group of you to train together at your community, as a first choice.

*"Can I stay in my community to work?"*

Once you have the skills you need you can choose to work wherever you like. We have 300+ jobs coming up and we are working to get more jobs in different industries and in communities.

*"I'm interested in mining but I don't know exactly what you have to do for that job..."*

When we know there is a real job somewhere, we explain to you exactly what that job is like, and what skills you need. Then you can decide if you want to take up the challenge.

*"How does the NLC Jobs & Careers service help me?"*

We clear the way for you to start your new career by supporting and mentoring you and the employer, for as long as it takes.

We Will **NOT**:

- Put you in a job you don't want to do
- Train you when there are no jobs

We have jobs and courses in most major industries and we can help you get where **YOU** want to be.

**YOU** can:

- Call us on (08) 8920 5100
- Talk to one of our field officers
- Email us: [jobsandcareers@nlc.org.au](mailto:jobsandcareers@nlc.org.au)
- Look at the website: [www.nlc.org.au](http://www.nlc.org.au) and click on "jobs" icon



NLC Chairman John Daly

"It's time for us to come forward. It doesn't matter what anyone says, you can do whatever you want to do, when you put your mind to it.

"We need the young people to come through and prove that we can do these real jobs; that we have pride and that we are not welfare dependent. So parents, tell your kids to stay at school and get a good education to get real jobs.

"And if you missed out on your education it's not too late. We have 300+ jobs coming up and we can help you get the skills you need for a real job so contact us today....."

*The NLC Jobs and Careers service would like to acknowledge its partners, in particular the Territory Construction Association and the Indigenous Pastoral Project.*



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^ Tash Jeffrey:  
Promoted to manager after completing Certificate III in Business.



< Toby

v Clinton



^ Yvonne



< Jak Ganly:  
Self-employed tradesman with his own ute at 21, after completing a three-year apprenticeship.



You can be like these people if **YOU DECIDE** your **FUTURE** now. This brochure shows you what people like yourself have done after deciding to take control.

Contact us today so we can help you get where **YOU** want to be.

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Certificate III  
in Business from  
Rosie Kunoth-Monks



**Office  
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Office**



< The railway in  
Katherine - over 150  
new jobs in ADrail  
project: at sleeper  
factory  
**40% OF  
WORKERS WERE  
INDIGENOUS.**

> Doreen &  
Esther Long



< Year 10 work  
experience student,  
Joelle Roberts  
from Ngukurr.



< Shadrack Retchford  
and > Cedric Jones on  
the civil works at the  
army's Bradshaw Field  
Training area.



< Daliah Noble is now  
**WORKING AS  
A CHEF** feeding 160  
workers dinner everyday  
at Maxwell Creek  
Forestry camp, after  
completing NLC/TCA  
hospitality course in 2003.



^ Joyce Williams  
making beds

**Pastoral  
Pastoral  
Pastoral**



**From little things  
BIG things grow**

**Hospitality  
Hospitality  
Hospitality**



< Samuel Brogan  
went on to work  
at Crowne Plaza  
Hotel, Darwin NT.

v Clinton



^ Chainsaw training at  
Amanbidji

> Jak Ganley school to  
**FULLY-QUALIFIED**  
carpenter (AQF Level 3)  
at 21.



< Graduates are working  
in tourism in Timber  
Creek, Crown Plaza  
Hotel, Darwin and at  
forestry, railway and  
mining camps.

> J. Davies at  
Amanbidji



< The old meets  
the new on  
today's NT cattle  
stations: horses,  
bikes  
chainsaws  
and saddles.



**Construction  
Construction  
Construction**

^ Maggie Roberts &  
Yvonne Lalda

v Geoff Watson drives  
for Macmahon at Bootu  
Creek manganese mine  
Tennant Creek NT.



< **TRADITIONAL  
OWNER Toby  
Brodie** off on another  
day's work at Bootu  
Creek.



< **GRADUATE  
HERDING CATTLE**  
at Mataranka Station.

^ NLC / TCA welding  
course for gas plant,  
Darwin. **EVERYONE**  
got a job after this  
course.



< Taryn Kruger



**Mining  
Mining  
Mining**