

## Consortium for Inclusive Economics Education (CIEE)

Established late in 2018 with seed funding from the UNSW Business School, the Consortium for Inclusive Economics Education aims to provide a centralised network of economics education resources and opportunities tailored to existing and future students and teachers of secondary economics. Our vision is to promote inclusion, equity, and quality in economics education and economic literacy. We achieve this through

- Promoting inclusion, equity and quality in economics education and literacy
- Supporting equal access to student success in economics
- Raising awareness and understanding of the applications of economics
- Outreach and resources for teachers
  and students
- Coordinating local, national and global opportunities for collaboration in economics teaching and learning



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## EconTeach@UNSW 2021

Whole-day in-person professional development for teachers of economics content in Years 10 through 12

## DATE: Friday 16 April

This program is open to up to 15 teachers with priority places gives to teachers who are teaching out-of-field and/or from lower advantage schools. Several scholarships are available of \$500 per teacher-day to provide teaching relief.

The first part of the day will focus on enhancing your understanding of content relevant to economics topics that even senior economics teachers struggle with– including core concepts like opportunity cost and the invisible hand mechanism

In addition, a variety of applications will be covered, such as:

- microeconomic policy initiatives and impacts on efficiency
- productivity in Australia
- the effectiveness of deregulation
- financial markets and regulation
- terms of trade, balance of payments & Australia's current trade policy
- sources of growth

- implications of low inflation
- globalisation effects and current trends
- impacts and drivers of exchange rate fluctuations.

An "Ask an Expert" activity will offer the chance for you to ask any economics question to an expert panel of economics PhDs who conduct research and teach economics at UNSW.

The second part of the day will focus on pedagogy and lesson plans, with activity demonstrations and a wealth of materials shared with teachers.

Applications for the program are now open at **www.ciee.unsw.edu.au** 

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