



**2022 AWARDS
CEREMONY**

The annual GTNT Group Awards is
a chance to celebrate the amazing
achievements and success of our
Host Businesses, Supervisors,
Apprentices and Trainees.



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THANK YOU TO OUR JUDGES

We wish to thank the 2022 GTNT Group Awards judges for their time and expertise in evaluating the nominations, and selecting the finalists and winners in the 11 award categories.

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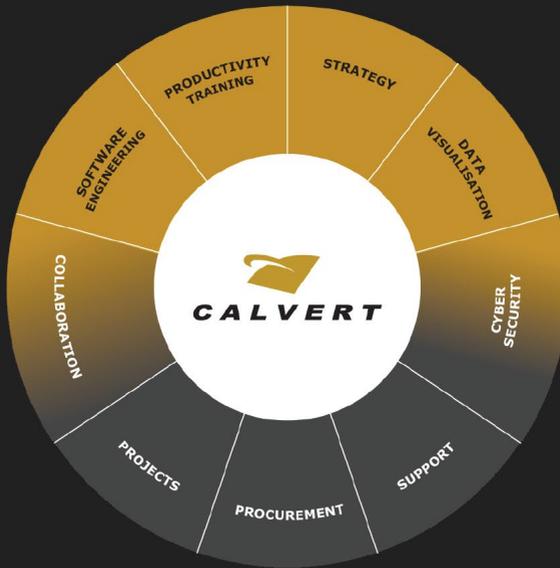
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A MESSAGE FROM OUR CEO

Thank you for joining us to celebrate the achievements of our incredible apprentices, trainees, supervisors, and business partners. I would like to personally extend a warm welcome to everyone joining us with a particular appreciation for all those who have travelled to be here with us this evening.

GTNT Group is celebrating 33 years of operation in the NT supporting Territorians to achieve their personal and employment goals. Each year we strive to accelerate and achieve more than we have before. This year is a year of firsts and we are excited to share them with you. This year we have achieved a personal record for the highest number of carbon credits sold from our carbon offset program (FCOTI). We have entered a new partnership with IntoWork Group to deliver the Workforce Australia contract enabling us to influence the supply of candidates in the job seeking market in the Darwin and Alice Springs region. These have been momentous milestones for GTNT Group and I am lucky to have a team working beside me who are passionate and motivated to reach our goals.

Tonight, we highlight the outstanding accomplishments being achieved across the NT in vocational education and training. The GTNT Group Awards is a stepping stone towards bigger and better achievements. For some of you, tonight will be just the beginning of your journey as a leader within your industry and as an advocate for the apprenticeship system, influencing many future apprentices and trainees throughout your journey. In 2021, we saw one of our own, Jahdai Vigona, go on to achieve countless accolades such as winning at the NT Training Awards, being a finalist at the Australian Training Awards, and winning the 2021 overall NT Young Achiever of the Year Award.

This event is kindly supported by our sponsors, GTNT Group is delighted to have been able to partner with you all to bring this incredible night to fruition and would like to thank you for your ongoing collaboration. I would also like to recognise our category judges, to whom I extend my sincere gratitude for dedicating their time and expertise to assess the nominations and select the finalists across the categories.

Lastly, to all the finalists this evening, you have already achieved award winning results and demonstrated the qualities that show you are the future leaders of the Territory. You should be immensely proud of yourselves and your achievements thus far, there are bright futures ahead for you all and we hope that GTNT Group has been a small part of your success stories.

Onwards and upwards,
Kathryn Stenson



ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF COUNTRY

The 2022 GTNT Group Awards operates on Larrakia country. We acknowledge the Larrakia people as the Traditional Owners of the Territory region and pay our respects to Larrakia elders past, present and emerging. We are committed to a positive future for the Aboriginal community.

MENU

DIETARY REQUIREMENTS CATERED FOR AS PER REGISTRATION

CANAPÉS

- LAMB KOFTA**, cumin and coriander yoghurt
- THREE CHEESE ARANCINI**, basil pesto – vegetarian, contains nuts
- CRISPY PORK BELLY**, sriracha mayonnaise
- SATAY CHICKEN SKEWERS**, peanut sauce – contains nuts

MAIN COURSE

CHICKEN BREAST

Sweet potato puree, green beans, charred zucchini,
chicken jus - gluten free, dairy free

LAMB DUO

Lamb loin, slow cooked lamb shank,
sweet potato puree, rosemary jus - gluten free, dairy free

DESSERT

HAZELNUT AND NUTELLA CAKE

Poached pear, sauce anglaise - contains nuts

CAPPUCCINO CHEESECAKE

Bailey's ganache, milk crumble - contains nuts

BEVERAGES

Hahn Premium Light | Great Northern Super Crisp
Hahn Super Dry | Somersby Apple Cider

Morgans Bay Cuvee Sparkling
Morgans Bay Sauvignon Blanc
Morgans Bay Shiraz Cabernet

Pepsi, Pepsi Max, Lemonade, Lemon Lime Bitters,
Orange Juice, Pineapple Juice, Cranberry Juice

Other drinks available from cash bar

PROGRAM OF EVENTS

CANAPÉS ON ARRIVAL

WELCOME ADDRESS

Nathan Powell - Master of Ceremonies
Welcome to Country by Larrakia Nation

GUEST SPEAKER

Hon Paul Kirby MLA - Minister for Jobs and Training
Kathryn Stenson - Chief Executive Officer, GTNT Group

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Dean Calvert - Managing Director, Calvert Technologies

MAIN COURSE SERVED

AWARD PRESENTATION

David Beavington Award for Most Outstanding Automotive Apprentice
Prelude to the Future Most Outstanding Shell Apprentice
School Based Apprentice/Trainee of the Year
Outstanding Apprentice - Stage 1
Outstanding Apprentice - Stage 2
Outstanding Apprentice - Stage 3

DESSERT SERVED

AWARD PRESENTATION

Host Business of the Year
Supervisor of the Year
Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander Apprentice/Trainee of the Year
Trainee of the Year
Apprentice of the Year

CLOSE OF OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS

PHOTO OPPORTUNITITES

LUCKY DOOR PRIZES WILL BE PRESENTED THROUGHOUT THE EVENING

This memorial award is presented in honour of David Beavington to recognise an Automotive Apprentice who has demonstrated passion, dedication and commitment towards continual learning and development.



DAVID BEAVINGTON AWARD FOR MOST OUTSTANDING AUTOMOTIVE APPRENTICE

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THE FINALISTS ARE

SHADRACK BARA

Qualification: Certificate III in Light Vehicle Mechanical Technology
Host Business: South32 - GEMCO | RTO: CDU

Shadrack pursued his apprenticeship to learn new skills in order to help future generations and the people living on Groote Eylandt and has future ambitions to run his own mechanical workshop. He has acquired many new skills such as servicing cars, rebuilding components, and performing wheel balances. Shadrack has become a role model for younger Indigenous people in his community and encourages others to consider an apprenticeship pathway. He also helps visitors and FIFO workers understand his cultural heritage and way of life on the island.

INDIA BERGERSEN

Qualification: Certificate III in Automotive Electrical Technology
Host Business: South32 - GEMCO | RTO: CDU

India wanted to take the next step in her career and researched different trades. Auto electrics caught her attention as she felt she could apply this trade to the mining industry. She feels that her apprenticeship journey has been the biggest accomplishment in her life thus far. She is excited about work and said that to have the motivation to keep learning is 'unreal'. India learned early on that an apprenticeship is what you make it, and if you are keen to learn, people will want to teach you. India aims to bring a positive attitude to her workplace in order to inspire others.

RYAN RANDLE

Qualification: Certificate III in Heavy Commercial Vehicle Mechanical Technology
Host Business: Darky's Mechanical Services | RTO: CDU

Ryan chose this pathway because it has always been a dream of his to work on heavy machinery and vehicles both in a workshop environment and in the field. This job opportunity has changed him for the better. He believes by being an active team member, showing up to work diligently, working to the best of your abilities, showing enthusiasm and being willing to help, are important qualities to show at work in order to positively influence others. Ryan has been an integral part of the team, consistently receiving positive praises from all the tradesmen he works with.

PRELUDE TO THE FUTURE MOST OUTSTANDING SHELL APPRENTICE

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This award is presented to a participant within the Prelude to the Future Program, who has demonstrated passion, dedication and commitment towards continual learning and development.

THE FINALISTS ARE

BAXTER JOHNSTONE

Qualification: Certificate III in Engineering - Fabrication Trade

Host Business: Norline Engineering | **OTO:** CDU

Baxter's dad is a Territory born tradesman and a small business owner. He spent many days working alongside his dad in his shed and loved it. Throughout Baxter's school years it was clear that his goal was to work towards an apprenticeship and become a qualified tradesperson. Baxter completed the Prelude to the Future Program 5 and this opportunity provided him the knowledge to get into the right workplace. This program has given him more self-confidence, and Baxter said he now believes you can achieve anything if you put the effort in.



RANTY LABASI

Qualification: Certificate III in Electrotechnology Electrician

Host Business: Nilsen NT | **OTO:** CDU

Ranty wanted to push herself out of her comfort zone and chase after opportunities that weren't available to her when she was younger. Learning more about electronics and building a passion throughout this apprenticeship has been life changing for Ranty and her family. As a single mother of two young children, she realised it would not be easy but with the right support she is working hard to continually learn more. Ranty was chosen for the Prelude to the Future Program 5 and after completing her 26 week milestone, she gained full-time employment with Nilsen NT.



ELISHA WRIGHT

Qualification: Certificate III in Engineering - Mechanical Trade

Host Business: Territory Generation | **OTO:** CDU

Elisha is a proud mother to three young boys and found the courage to pursue a career in the mechanical industry through the Prelude to the Future Program 4. After completing, she was successful in gaining an apprenticeship with Territory Generation and believes this to be her greatest achievement to date. Elisha admits that as a young woman entering a male dominated industry it can be quite daunting but through this program she has gained the self-confidence she needs to succeed. Elisha is now a third year apprentice, and is serving as a member on the NAWIC NT Committee.



This award is presented to a student who is undertaking a Certificate II or above qualification as a School Based Apprentice Trainee. The Award recognises the student's commitment to their formal studies at school, and in the workplace.



SCHOOL BASED APPRENTICE / TRAINEE OF THE YEAR

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THE FINALISTS ARE

WILLIAM BROWN

Qualification: Certificate III in Aquaculture

**Host Business: Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade -
NT Fisheries | RTO: CDU**

William completed a Certificate III in Maritime in Year 11, and loved it! He applied for his traineeship with NT Fisheries at the Aquaculture Centre while completing Year 12. He has learnt many skills within the industry such as maintaining water quality, environmental monitoring, and fish feeding activities. William recently completed his traineeship and secured a T1 role at NT Fisheries. He is excited to progress in this industry and believes that this is an amazing opportunity.

ISABELLE CRAVEN

Qualification: Certificate III in Business

**Host Business: Office of the Commissioner for Public Employment -
Department of Corporate and Digital Development
RTO: Dovaston Training and Assessment Centre**

Isabelle completed her qualification in under 10 months, all while completing Year 12 and gaining her NTCET with Palmerston College. Since completing, she has secured a traineeship with the Department of Education and was one of three inspiring young Territorians selected as 2022 Northern Territory Youth Week Ambassadors. She is a creative individual with experience in art and graphic design, with her artwork recently used to promote the NT Youth Week activities.

JAMES STENSON

Qualification: Certificate III in Carpentry

Host Business: Fusion NT | RTO: CDU

James knew that he wanted to undertake a school based apprenticeship to get a head start in his career. This qualification has given James the skills needed to create things from the ground up, which has not only been beneficial in the workplace but in his personal life as well. James has had the opportunity to gain skills and knowledge from multiple qualified tradesmen while earning a qualification that contributes to his NTCET.

OUTSTANDING APPRENTICE - STAGE 1

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THE FINALISTS ARE

LORETTA CHUMBLEY

Qualification: Certificate III in Mobile Plant Technology
Host Business: South32 - GEMCO | RTO: CDU

Loretta is an Indigenous woman from Wonthaggi, Victoria. After completing Year 12, she travelled to Jerilderie looking for work. While working as a farmhand she quickly realised she enjoyed carrying out basic maintenance on tractors, farm utilities and larger equipment. This fired up an interest and desire to find an apprenticeship. After a year, she successfully gained a FIFO apprenticeship on Groote Eylandt in the field she is passionate about.

THOMAS RICHARDSON

Qualification: Certificate III in Engineering - Fabrication Trade
Host Business: MMC | RTO: Competency Training

Thomas previously completed a Certificate III in Light Vehicle Mechanical Technology. He was ready to hit the ground running by taking on a second trade through the Prelude to the Future Program 5. Since starting his training in 2017, Thomas has gained many skills, life lessons and passionately advocates for apprenticeships. He is committed to improving his skillset and strives to be a positive influence to other apprentices.

EVANGELINE RUSHFORTH

Qualification: Certificate III in Engineering - Mechanical Trade
Host Business: South32 - GEMCO | RTO: CDU

After high school, Evangelene studied a Bachelor of Law/Arts. It was a tough decision, but after three years she decided to pursue a different pathway. She bought a van, travelled by herself around Australia and ended up in Darwin, where she studied a Certificate II in Horticulture and Conservation, and Land Management. Realising she enjoyed physical labour and hands-on training, she then began applying for apprenticeships and says it was the best decision she's ever made.

BRANDON YOUNG-TURNER

Qualification: Certificate III in Engineering - Fabrication Trade
Host Business: Top End Welding Services | RTO: CDU

Brandon is currently undertaking an Engineering apprenticeship through our Prelude to the Future 5 Program. Brandon has a keen interest in the art of fabrication and this was the ideal opportunity for him to pursue a career in this industry. Brandon was employed in the civil construction industry but wanted to gain a recognised qualification to secure a long term career for himself and to support his family.

This award is presented to a First Year Apprentice who has performed exceptionally well in all aspects of their training.



This award is presented to a Second Year Apprentice who has performed exceptionally well in all aspects of their training.



OUTSTANDING APPRENTICE - STAGE 2



Department of Corporate and Digital Development

THE FINALISTS ARE

JULIAN COBURN

Qualification: Certificate III in Electrotechnology Electrician

Host Business: Nilsen NT | RTO: CDU

Julian was looking for a career change after the pandemic displaced him from his previous occupation. He saw this as a fantastic opportunity to take up a trade. Julian has always been fascinated by the science of electricity and decided to change careers after six years in his occupation. Starting an apprenticeship hasn't been smooth sailing, however Julian feels it was the best decision he's made. Both of Julian's parents come from a teaching/training background and he believes this has greatly influenced him to have the confidence to lead and mentor younger apprentices.

SHANE GREENING

Qualification: Certificate III in Heavy Commercial Vehicle Mechanical Technology

Host Business: RK Diesel Services | RTO: CDU

Shane has a strong knowledge and understanding of the mechanical industry as his father is a diesel mechanic by trade. Although Shane didn't enjoy school much, he was still keen to learn. He found an apprenticeship to be the perfect option to get paid to work and learn at the same time. At the age of 10 Shane started to compete at Speedway racing and still continues to do so. As a volunteer with the junior racing he utilises the opportunity to be a role model and advocate for apprenticeships as career pathway.

KALINA PRICE

Qualification: Certificate III in Electrotechnology Electrician

Host Business: Territory Generation | RTO: CDU

When Kalina finished school she was told a career in the trades wasn't a real option for women, and never considered it again until she moved to the NT. Kalina applied for this apprenticeship in 2019 and out of over 300 applicants she was successful. Kalina is committed to her industry and demonstrates this through her involvement on the NAWIC NT Committee. She enjoys being part of a supportive group of women in the industry, and is proud to represent and educate the younger generation on available career pathways.

OUTSTANDING APPRENTICE - STAGE 3

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This award is presented to a Third Year Apprentice who has performed exceptionally well in all aspects of their training.

THE FINALISTS ARE

NICK ANICTOMATIS

Qualification: Certificate III in ESI - Power Systems - Distribution Overhead

Host Business: Power and Water Corporation | **RTO:** CDU

Nick is currently completing his second trade qualification in the electrical industry, having previously completed Certificate IV in Electrotechnology - Systems Electrician. Nick started his employment with Power and Water in 2015 where his journey into supply and distribution began. After several years, he took on the opportunity to commence a second apprenticeship. For Nick, one of the rewarding aspects about working towards dual qualification is that he has been able to bring his broad experience and knowledge across the industry to daily operations.

BENJAMIN CORBETT

Qualification: Certificate III in Electronics and Communications

Host Business: Medical Equipment Management | **RTO:** TAFE QLD

Benjamin commenced his Electronics and Communications apprenticeship in 2019. He chose this career path because of his keen interest in electronic devices, medical devices and the medical industry. He is very interested in electricity, how it works and how it is generated and manipulated prior to powering the devices that we all know and love. At the end of his apprenticeship, he will be qualified as a Biomedical Engineering Technician. Benjamin believes that being a positive influence is an amazing catalyst to make work more enjoyable.

BRIANNA MCSWEENY

Qualification: Certificate III in Electrotechnology Electrician

Host Business: Territory Generation | **RTO:** CDU

In Year 12, Brianna was invited to an open day at the Owen Springs Power Station where her dad also works. Looking around at the engines and equipment sparked her interest into applying for an electrical engineering course at university. Her dad showed her an apprenticeship advertised in the newspaper. Brianna says this apprenticeship has opened her eyes into the many different fields she can pursue in the engineering industry, Brianna hopes to progress into the field of instrumentation and become a dual qualified tradesperson.





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HOST BUSINESS OF THE YEAR

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THE FINALISTS ARE

ASBUILD NT

Asbuild NT have been taking on apprentices since commencement of operation in 2008, and have partnered with GTNT Group in 2012 to provide additional support and expertise to Asbuild's apprentices and currently have six active apprentices. Asbuild NT have welcomed many work experience students throughout the years, and recently offered a student an apprenticeship from his participation in work placement. Asbuild continues to support Territorians to grow in the construction industry and encourage people to work in this trade. Company directors, Paul and Nadine, are strong supporters of upskilling and training all of their staff.

GEBIE CIVIL & CONSTRUCTION

The board of GCC, whose membership is made up predominantly of Traditional Owners, have a commitment to support the long-term strategy to provide ongoing training and employment of the traditional owners of the Groote Eylandt Archipelago. These initiatives ensure that the Traditional Owners of Groote Eylandt have developed the skills and qualifications needed to gain full time employment, and to ensure numerous pathways available for the younger members of the community. GCC currently has five Indigenous Apprentices and six Indigenous Trainees employed on a full-time basis. They have a dedicated Indigenous Program Manager and three Indigenous Program Mentors who work alongside the local employees.

TERRITORY GENERATION

Territory Generation actively contributes to developing the skills of Northern Territory residents by hosting apprentices and upskilling their own employees with dual-trade apprenticeships. Territory Generation has approximately 80 trades qualified employees across all sites. These employees are either in trade-based roles or have upskilled into operator positions. They are committed to create a supportive workplace that provide opportunities for apprentices to nurture their interests and aptitudes in within their trade. Territory Generation have female apprentices who have recently become members of the NAWIC NT Committee and encourages them to be active members and female representatives in the industry.

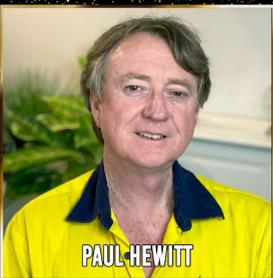
This award is presented to a Host Business who has demonstrated outstanding commitment to providing quality learning experiences and outcomes for their apprentices trainees.



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This award is presented to a supervisor who has demonstrated outstanding commitment to the training and mentoring of their apprentices trainees.



SUPERVISOR OF THE YEAR

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THE FINALISTS ARE

GEOFF BROOK

**Host Business: Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade
Rum Jungle Project**

Geoff is the Lands Management Coordinator for the Rum Jungle Project. For the last 10 years he has held supervisory roles in training Indigenous people and other cultures. Since the beginning of the project he has been supervising 10 First Nations trainees. Geoff grew up in a small Indigenous community in Katherine, this instilled a good understanding of the culture and motivated him to be a positive role model. His passion, knowledge and commitment to learning is inspiring. His trainees say that he goes above and beyond the realms of a supervisor and should be recognised for his hard work.

DARREN WRIGHT

Host Business: Power and Water Corporation

Darren is a qualified plumber, and light vehicle mechanic which he completed before starting his time at Power and Water. The foundation of his solid leadership style and hands-on teaching method is based on his time working on the plant, his effort in monitoring and maintaining it, and his prior experience as a tradesman. Darren also partakes in in-house leadership and cross-cultural training to further improve himself and his understanding of leadership, culture in the workplace, and communication. His trainees feel grateful to be mentored by him.

PAUL HEWITT

Host Business: Territory Generation

Paul has supervised 50+ apprentices over the span of his career. He is currently the Electrical Lead at the Channel Island Power Station. Since commencing in 2014, he has supervised five hosted electrical apprentices, two employees undertaking their first apprenticeship, and five additional employees undertaking dual trade apprenticeships in instrumentation and control. Paul is an advocate for the electrical apprentices at Channel Island and for training and upskilling across their business for internal employees. Paul's apprentices say that he is very supportive and helpful, and is a highly respected leader and mentor.

ABORIGINAL OR TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER APPRENTICE/ TRAINEE OF THE YEAR

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THE FINALISTS ARE

DIANDRA ARMSTRONG

Qualification: Certificate III in Business

Host Business: Department of Health | RTO: CDU

Diandra is currently completing her traineeship, working full-time and has previously completed the Aboriginal Employment Program. This course has had a big impact on Diandra and helped her with gaining employment. Diandra feels she has gained more confidence and independence undertaking this traineeship. It has given Diandra the motivation to push herself outside of her comfort zone in order to reach her full potential. As a young mum, it has been challenging to balance work and life while studying, but she has made the most of the opportunity.

PATRIK RALPH

Qualification: Certificate III in Business

Host Business: Department of Health | RTO: GTNT Training

Towards the end of Year 12, Patrik knew he wanted to go to university, but also wanted a break from traditional schooling. Patrik decided that the Get SET in the NT Program was his best option to utilise that break while gaining workplace experience. Going through a traineeship has turned Patrik into a big advocate in promoting traineeships and apprenticeships within the school system and beyond. He found the experience extremely useful and believes it could do the same for others. Completing his traineeship gave Patrik the stepping stone to commence his law studies with CDU.

DECLAN MILLER

Qualification: Certificate III in Micro Business Operations

Host Business: Desert Knowledge Australia | RTO: CDU

Declan was selected to participate in the Creative Careers Project while undertaking a full-time traineeship program. In 2021, Declan co-founded Stick Mob Studio, a creative enterprise committed to telling stories stemming from the cross-cultural context of Alice Springs - Mparntwe. His training was instrumental in gaining the skills, relationships and business insights to scope, establish and develop this creative enterprise. He has since been accepted into an undergraduate course at Griffith University.

This award is presented to an Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander Apprentice/ Trainee who has performed exceptionally well in all aspects of their trade, training and is committed to continual learning and development for themselves and the local community.



This award is presented to an individual who is completing or has recently completed a traineeship and has been outstanding in all aspects of their training.



TRAINEE OF THE YEAR

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THE FINALISTS ARE

SAM DUKE

Qualification: Certificate III in Water Industry Operations
Host Business: Power and Water Corporation | RTO: CDU

Sam was keen on doing a qualification that would increase his knowledge while improving himself personally. Sam was presented with a number of challenges as a result of the pandemic including major staff shortages across the region. Sam took this in his stride and completed his training to a very high standard, as well as being fast tracked as a result of his existing knowledge. He has since been awarded a permanent position with Power and Water Corporation.

SARAH PETTIFER

Qualification: Certificate III in Business
Host Business: Department of Corporate and Digital Development
RTO: GTNT Training

Sarah spent most of Year 12 researching career pathways. Her father found an advertisement for the Get SET in the NT Program. Her plans to either study interstate or take a gap year was affected by the pandemic, so this opportunity was too good to pass up. Sarah completed her qualification in just 10 months which shows her commitment to her training. She has since successfully gained full-time employment.

JESSICA PORTER

Qualification: Certificate III in Business
Host Business: GTNT Group | RTO: GTNT Training

After completing Year 12 and gaining her NTCET, Jessica wanted to explore further study opportunities. She came across the Get SET in the NT Program for school leavers, applied and commenced as a successful participant. Remarkably, Jessica completed her Certificate III in Business, in just nine months and progressed into a full-time role within GTNT Group. Jessica is reliable, dependable, and always willing to go the extra mile.

HANNAH WRIGHT

Qualification: Certificate III in Business
Host Business: Aviation Australia | RTO: GTNT Training

Hannah has a passion for the aviation industry and wanted to pursue a career in this field. While in Year 11 and 12 she completed her Certificate II in Aircraft Line Maintenance. This traineeship allowed Hannah to graduate six months early and continue her professional journey. As a student, Hannah saw how much the staff enjoyed their work and the career advancement support they receive, which inspired her to be part of the team.

APPRENTICE OF THE YEAR



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THE FINALISTS ARE

JARED BENTVELZEN

Qualification: Certificate III in Heavy Commercial Vehicle Mechanical Technology

Host Business: RK Diesel Services | RTO: CDU

Jared completed his Certificate III in Automotive (Mechanical - Light Vehicle) qualification in 2005 and has been working on heavy vehicles for the last 10 years. He wanted to take the opportunity to upskill and formally become dual qualified. Jared is dedicated to the automotive industry and is committed to expanding his skillset for many years to come. He has been promoted as the workshop supervisor, and is proud of this achievement. Jared enjoys mentoring and guiding the young apprentices in their workshop and in their life aspirations.



MARY COULTER

Qualification: Certificate III in Electrotechnology Electrician and Certificate III in Instrumentation and Control

Host Business: South32 - GEMCO | RTO: CDU

Mary started her apprenticeship through the Power Careers Program. She decided to apply as it was a great opportunity to enter the electrical industry with other females. She knew the electrical industry was diverse and she could continue to learn once qualified. Since joining the program, Mary has acquired a great full-time role with South32-GEMCO where she is expanding on her skills daily. Mary is truly passionate about her industry and has demonstrated this through volunteering her time in Timor-Leste to assist with a solar installation at a school.



SHANNAH MUDGE

Qualification: Certificate III in Automotive Diesel Engine Technology and Certificate III in Electrotechnology Electrician

Host Business: GTNT Group | RTO: CDU

After completing Year 12, Shannah gained a position in the Prelude to the Future Program 4, but was still unsure if a career in the trades was something she wanted to pursue. She had already accepted an offer with a university and decided to try the program as a gap year. However, only two weeks into the program she knew that a career in the trades was exactly what she wanted to do! She is currently employed by Norgroup Electrical who is supporting her to balance work while completing a dual trade.



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HONOUR ROLL

OUTSTANDING APPRENTICE - STAGE 1		
Year	Name	Host Business
2021	Shane Greening	RK Diesel Services
2020	Shannah Mudge	Aggreko
2019	Dillon Morris	ABB Australia Pty Ltd
2018	Arnold Caridad	Bridge Toyota
2017	Callum DiFrancesco	Bridge Toyota
2016	Allan Spence	Power and Water Corporation
2015	Shane Joyanovic & Craig White	Power and Water Corporation
2014	Jack Rutherford	Bridge Toyota
	Tim Childs	Power and Water Corporation
2013	Hayden Kennaway & David Kearns	Power and Water Corporation
2012	David Koeber	Bridge Toyota
	Igor Luthi	Peter Kittle Motor Company
	Sam Putland	Alcan - Gove Pty Ltd
	Anthony Tucker	Croc Gold
2011	Daniel Hurst	MTU Detroit Diesel
	Matthew Watts	Alcan - Gove Pty Ltd
2010	Dale Hudson	Channel Nine
	James Ross	Alice Springs Desert Park
2009	Lachlan Malone	Bridge Toyota
	Rex Stuart	Peter Kittle Motor Company
	Elisa Wakelin & Trent Tschirpig	Power and Water Corporation
	Jake Mapstone	Rio Tinto Alcan
	Kameron Symons	GEMCO

OUTSTANDING APPRENTICE - STAGE 2		
Year	Name	Host Business
2021	Shannah Mudge	Aggreko
2020	Edward Clarke	Broadspectrum Pty Ltd & Cegelic Oil & Gas
2019	Sayd Metcalfe	Power and Water Corporation
2018	Timothy Childs	Power and Water Corporation
2017	Nathan Powell	Power and Water Corporation
2016	Corey Kahl	Power and Water Corporation
2015	Jack Rutherford	Bridge Toyota
	Ben Litzman & Tim Childs	Power and Water Corporation
2014	James Pearce	Power and Water Corporation
	Matthew Shadforth	Power and Water Corporation

2013	Lachlan Shambrook & Jaco De Wet	Power and Water Corporation
2012	Tom Sherrell & Phillip Yates	Power and Water Corporation
	Simon Brown	Alice Springs Desert Park
	Nicholas Kokles-Ridgway	Alcan
2011	Ben Finlayson	Bridge Toyota
	Senad Jahic	Alcan
	Phillip Yates & Dale Prime	Power and Water Corporation
2010	Brendan Lee	Power and Water Corporation
	Robert Maloney	Alice Springs Desert Park
2009	Grant Fitzgerald	Conoco Phillips
	Ronnel Colon & Thomas Parrish	Power and Water Corporation
	David Bastian	Rio Tinto Alcan
	Benjamin Wood	GEMCO

OUTSTANDING APPRENTICE - STAGE 3

Year	Name	Host Business
2021	Matthew Cubis	Trace JV
2020	Micheal Bowden	Power and Water Corporation
2019	Callum DiFrancesco	Bridge Toyota
2018	Nathan Powell	Power and Water Corporation
2017	Shane Jovanovic	Power and Water Corporation
2016	Tim Childs	Power and Water Corporation
2015	Dylan Cowan	Power and Water Corporation
	Bradley Duke	Power and Water Corporation
2014	Olivier Schinkel	Power and Water Corporation
	Igor Luthi	Peter Kittle Motor Company
2013	Willie Augerea	Master Electrical
	Joshua Starick	Power and Water Corporation
2012	Anthony Wilson-Anderson	Bridge Toyota
	Daniel Pezet	Power and Water Corporation
	Kieran Paradise	Alcan
	Scott Armstrong	Katherine Toyota
2011	Brendan Lee	Power and Water Corporation
	Mackline Malupo	Alcan
2010	Grant Fitzgerald	Conoco Phillips
	Cameron Khal	Power and Water Corporation
2009	Shane Boots	Bridge Toyota
	Jordan Boyd	Rio Tinto Alcan
	David Portelli	GEMCO
	Daniel Oliver	Katherine Toyota

SUPERVISOR OF THE YEAR

Year	Name	Host Business
2021	Susan Turner	Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade
2020	Travis Messner	Territory Wildlife Park
2019	Macauley Taunton	Bridge Toyota
2018	Rowan Lee	Power and Water Corporation
2017	Samantha Barley	Department of Health, Oral Health Services Central Australia
2016	Luke Chandley	Chandley Plumbing
	Sally-Ann Nepe	Power and Water Corporation
2015	Jimmy Bouhoris	Power and Water Corporation
	Sharijin King	Waltja Tjutangku Palyapayi
2014	Karen Duncan	Department of Health - Oral Health Services NT
	Gavin Kahl	Power and Water Corporation
2013	Tony Sievers	Department of Health - Alcohol & Other Drugs
	Peta Bettineschi	Department of Health
2012	Leigh Southwick	MTU Detroit Diesel
	Gavin Kahl & Ben Howard	Power and Water Corporation
	Pierre De La Rey	Peter Kittle Motor Company
2011	Christine Mandall	NT Pest & Weed Control
	James Gorman	NRETAS
2010	Sharon Wunningmurra	Gapuwiyak
	Mark David	Northern Territory Government - Darwin Bus Services
	Steve Bell	Power and Water Corporation
2009	Jochem Van Der Reijden	ASP Desert Park
	Tom Niven	Rio Tinto Alcan
	Joe McQuaid	GEMCO
	Robert Hore	Power and Water Corporation

ABORIGINAL AND/OR TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER TRAINEE OF THE YEAR

Year	Name	Host Business
2021	Jahdai Vigona	Menzies School of Health Research
2020	Rodney Nagawalli	Darwin Port Operations
2019	Raelene Collins	Menzies School of Health Research
2018	Dylan Barry	Department of Education
2017	Allana Neave	Department of Health, Alcohol & Other Drugs
2016	Jordan Johnson	DCIS NT Police Fire & Emergency Services
	Zac Martin	Asbuild NT Pty Ltd
2015	Jach Hunter	Kinetic IT
	Veronica James	Waltja Tjutangku Palyapayi
2014	Marylou James	Maningrida College

	Leela Kruger	Waltja Tjutangku Palyapayi
2013	Roslyn Malngumba	Marpuru Christian College
	Jessica McAdam	The Smith Family
2012	David Laughton	Gold Medal Services
	Susan Walker	Yipirinya School
	Ludwig Schebeck	Alcan
	Marty Kartinyeri	ACDC Electrical & Communication Services
2011	John Anstess	Power and Water Corporation
	Steven Dhurrkay	Alcan
	Allan Anderson	NRETAS
2010	Clifford Taylor	Borroloola Health
	Tahlia Peckham	Alice Springs Desert Park
2009	Anthony Lew Fatt	National Australia Bank
	Ashlee Porter	Alice Springs Desert Park
	Danielle McGinness	Elsay National Park

HOST BUSINESS OF THE YEAR

Year	Name
2021	GEBIE Civil & Construction
2020	GEMCO South32
2019	Asbuild NT Pty Ltd
2018	Oral Health Services, Top End Health Services
2017	Asbuild NT Pty Ltd
2016	North Australia Aboriginal Family Legal Service
	Power and Water Corporation
	Menzies School of Health Research
	Asbuild NT Pty Ltd
2015	Department of Infrastructure
	Chifley Alice Springs Resort
2014	Department of Health – Oral Health Services NT
	Bizcom NT
2013	National Australia Bank
2012	Power and Water Corporation
	ACDC Electrical & Communication Services
2011	Bridge Toyota
	Mabunji Aboriginal Resource Association
2010	Manbunji Aboriginal Resource Association
	Yirara College
	Peter Kittle Motor Company
2009	NTPFES Indigenous Policing Development Division Yidiyu Initiative
	National Road Transport Historical Society

	Outback Automotive
	Katherine Toyota
	Nitmiluk National Park

TRAINEE OF THE YEAR

Year	Name	Host Business
2021	Jahdai Vigona	Menzies School of Health Research
2020	Tanisha Garling	Kalano Community Association
2019	Jordan Owen	Central Australia Oral Health Services NT
2018	Dylan Barry	Department of Education
2017	Dimiti Andresen	DCIS Oral Health Services Central Australia
2016	Thomas Polkinghorne	DCIS Department of Business
	Mike Jenkins	Chifley Alice Springs Resort
2015	Drew Rankins	Department of Infrastructure
	Cameron Brown	Chifley Alice Springs Resort
2014	Maria Giallouris	GTNT
	Kate Porter	RASAC
2013	Jenna Brady	DCIS George Brown Botanical Gardens
	Edward Robertson	Department of Justice
2012	Elle Lyons	Department of Construction & Infrastructure
	Jayde Manning	Department of Business & Employment
	Michael Mayer	Alcan
	Daniel Mackander	DCIS Clyde Fenton Primary School
2011	Cheryl Fitzsimmons	De Silva Hebron
	Ludwig Schebeck	Alcan
	Johnny Cooper	Department of Resources
2010	Michael (Miguel) Molina	Territory Technology Solutions
	Nathan Harrison	NRETAS
	Hannah Auld	Central Australia Metal Health Services

APPRENTICE OF THE YEAR

Year	Name	Host Business
2021	Joshua Zeimer	Power and Water Corporation
2020	Michael Francis	Power and Water Corporation
2019	Benjamin Martin	GEMCO
2018	Joshua Cawthorne- Crosby	Power and Water Corporation
2017	Timothy Childs	Power and Water Corporation
2016	Harrison Killalea	Chandley Plumbing
	Jakco Long	Central Desert Regional Council
2015	Jack McCarthy	GEMCO

	Jaco DeWet	Power and Water Corporation
2014	Rowan Lee	Power and Water Corporation
	Shawn Du Venage	Power and Water Corporation
2013	Simon Brown	Alice Springs Desert Park
2012	Brendan Lee	Power and Water Corporation
	Nikki Bennert	DASA
	Mack Malupo	Alcan
	Katie Williams	Power and Water Corporation
2011	Grant Fitzgerald	Conoco Phillips
	Christopher Lynch	Rio Tinto Alcan
2010	Harry Bliss	Darwin Port Corporation
	Ronnel Colon	Power and Water Corporation
2009	Adam Thrift	Bridge Toyota
	Glen Defenon	Rio Tinto Alcan
	Luke Tabone	YBE
	Norman	GEMCO
	Magnus Fejo	Nitmiluk National Park

SCHOOL BASED TRAINEE OF THE YEAR

Year	Name	Host Business
2021	Taylah Mills	DCDD - Gove District Hospital
2020	Courtney Anderson	Alice Springs Hospital
2019	Catherine Ralph	Kakadu National Park
2018	Quinton Appleby	Territory Wildlife Park
2017	Kate Gornall	DCIS Office of the Commissioner for Public Employment
2016	Chloe Bonnell	DCIS DLRM
	Debbon Webb	DCIS - Bradshaw Primary School
2015	Susanne Munkara	Department of Health - Alcohol & Other Drugs
2014	Shardae Harris	Department of Health - Alcohol & Other Drugs
2013	Christopher Cleanthous	Department of Health - Disability Services
2012	Dahila Edwards	National Australia Bank
2011	Addison Young	Centrelink
	Taylor Jane Lewis	Alcan - Gove Pty Ltd
2010	Tarizma Kenyon	DNRETAS
	Brianna Shaw	ANZ Bank
2009	Jarrod Benton	DNRETAS
	Bianca Erlandson	Department of Corporate & Information Services
	Zoe Shepherd	GTNT

PRELUDE TO THE FUTURE FOR MOST OUTSTANDING SHELL APPRENTICE

Year	Name
2021	Victoria Lang
2020	Victoria Lang
2019	No award
2018	Margaret Bell
2017	Olivier Hasan-Fourcard
2016	Thomas Mitchell



PRELUDE FLNG JOINT VENTURE





DAVID BEAVINGTON AWARD FOR MOST OUTSTANDING AUTOMOTIVE APPRENTICE

Year	Name	Host Business
2021	David Hemopo	Bridge Toyota
2020	Shannon Chuter	South32 GEMCO
2019	Daniel Bromot	YBE (2) Pty Ltd
2018	Arnold Caridad	Bridge Toyota
2017	Jake Rutherford	Bridge Toyota
2016	Dylan McPharlin	Bridge Toyota
2015	Joel Raymond	Bridge Toyota
2014	Reuben Adams	Bridge Toyota
2013	David Koever	Bridge Toyota
2012	Shaun Boyer	Bridge Toyota
2011	Shaun Boyer	Bridge Toyota



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NT TRAINING AWARDS 2022

The NT Training Awards are an official recognition of excellence and achievements in gaining the highest standards of knowledge and skills, in contributing to high standards of training, and for personal achievement in the vocational education and training (VET) sector.

The Northern Territory (NT) Training Awards are the Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade annual premier event recognising training excellence and achievements by NT:

- Businesses
- Training organisations
- Apprentices
- Trainees
- Trainers
- Students.

Individual categories: Trainee of the Year, Austin Asche Apprentice of the Year, Vocational Student of the Year, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Student of the Year, School-Based Apprentice or Trainee of the Year, VET in Schools Student of the Year, VET Teacher / Trainer of the Year.

Organisational categories: Small Training Provider of the Year, Large Training Provider of the Year, Industry Collaboration Award, Small Employer of the Year, Medium Employer of the Year, Large Employer of the Year.



Kathryn Stenson with Jahdai Vigona, winner of the Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander Trainee of the Year Award 2021.

GTNT GROUP

Creating Territory Futures through Apprenticeships

GTNT Group is an Australian owned and operated, not for profit organisation based in the Northern Territory.

GTNT Group has been in operation since 1989 providing employment and training solutions to Northern Territory employers and community and is the Northern Territory's largest employer of apprentices and trainees. We have been providing our services to over 6,500 apprentices and trainees, and partnering with over 1,500 Host Businesses across the Territory. GTNT Group has a strong focus on apprenticeships solutions through employment, training, recruitment, community and corporate solutions to a diverse range of industries and stakeholders.

GTNT Group operates several business divisions such as the Australian Apprenticeship Support Network, Group Training Organisation, The Meeting Place by GTNT Group, Institute of Skills and Training Australia (RTO Code: 0381) and partner with Pearson Australia to operate the first Pearson VUE Test Centre in the Northern Territory.

The key focus of our work is in making a positive difference to the everyday lives of individuals and through supporting inclusive communities.

GTNT FOUNDATION

The GTNT Foundation was established in 2013 to support a range of social and environmental causes. With a strong community focus, our initiatives include supporting disadvantaged apprentices and trainees as they progress through their vocational studies and extra-curricular programs.

The Foundation has a commitment to combat climate change impacts through community reforestation activities and sustainable socio-economic development initiatives.

CARBON OFFSET TIMOR (FCOTI)

Fundação Carbon Offset Timor (FCOTI) is a Timorese organisation founded by locals with the support of its long time partner GTNT Group. The purpose of FCOTI is to grow communities that contribute and benefit from a better world by combating climate change impacts through community reforestation activities, sustainable socio-economic development activities and carbon credit sales.





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