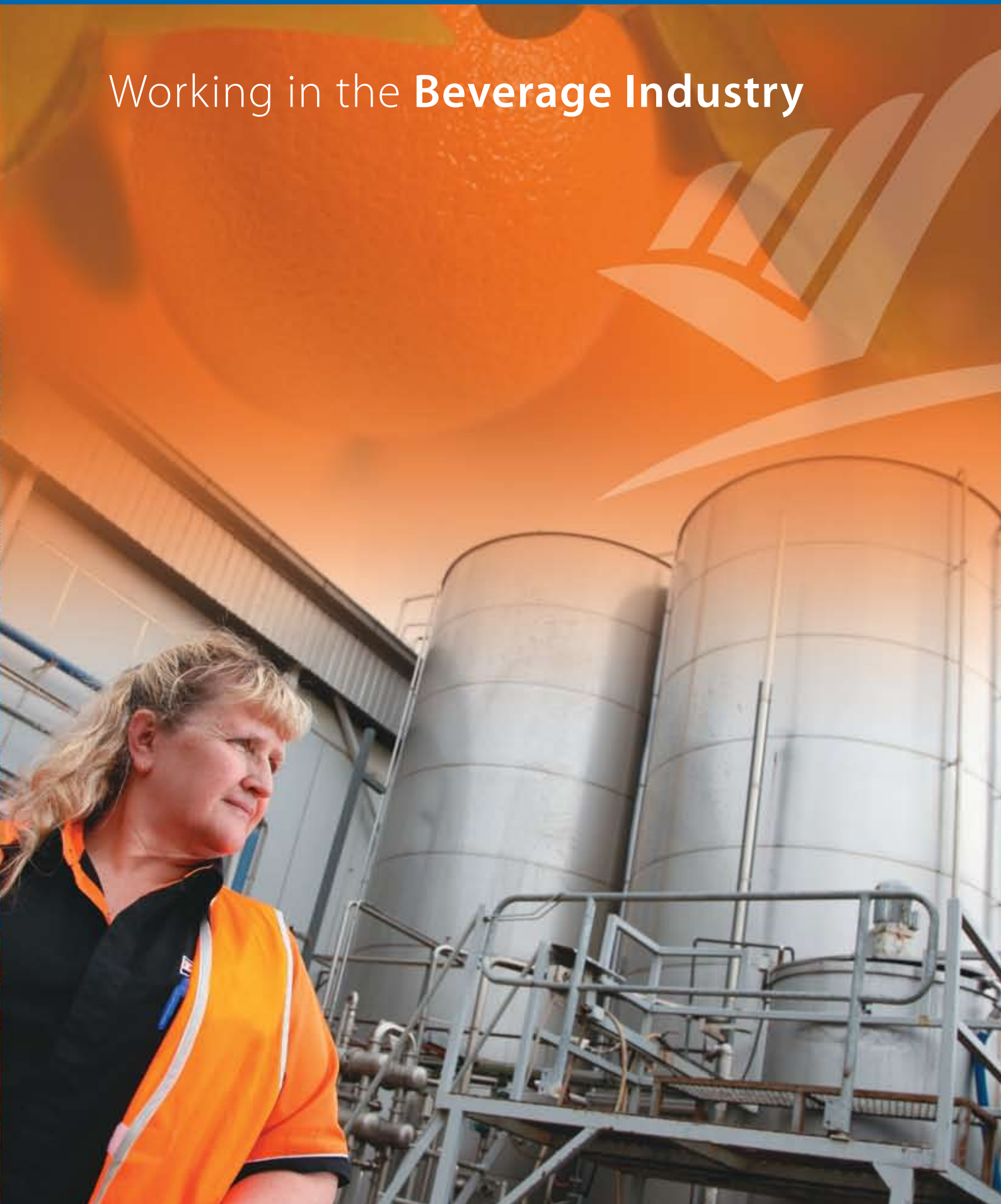


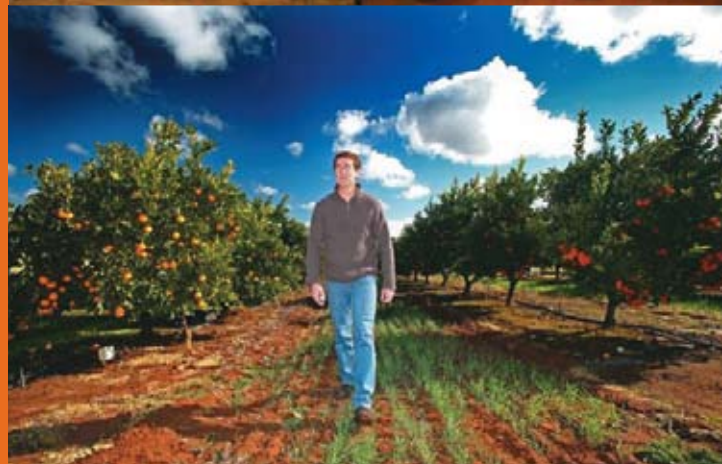
Working in the **Beverage Industry**



By choosing a career in the **Beverage Industry** you are opening the door to a whole range of opportunities

Careers in the **Beverage Industry** (just to name a few)

Career Stream	Career Opportunities
Production and Manufacturing	Packaging Worker Advanced Production Operator General Warehouse Operator Production Supervisor Farm Manager Food Safety Auditor
Administration and Planning	Receptionist Administration Officer Maintenance Planner Production Planner / Advanced
Technical and Quality Expertise and Support	Laboratory Technician Laboratory Manager Irrigation Installation and Service Technician Farm Manager Food Technologist Agricultural Mechanic (Motor Mechanic) Pressure Welder - Engineering
Functional (Non-Technical) Expertise and Support	Inventory Controller Human Resources Officer / Manager OH&S Officer / Manager Sales Manager Marketing Manager Finance Sector Team Leader
General Management	Business Unit Management / General Manager Regional Management

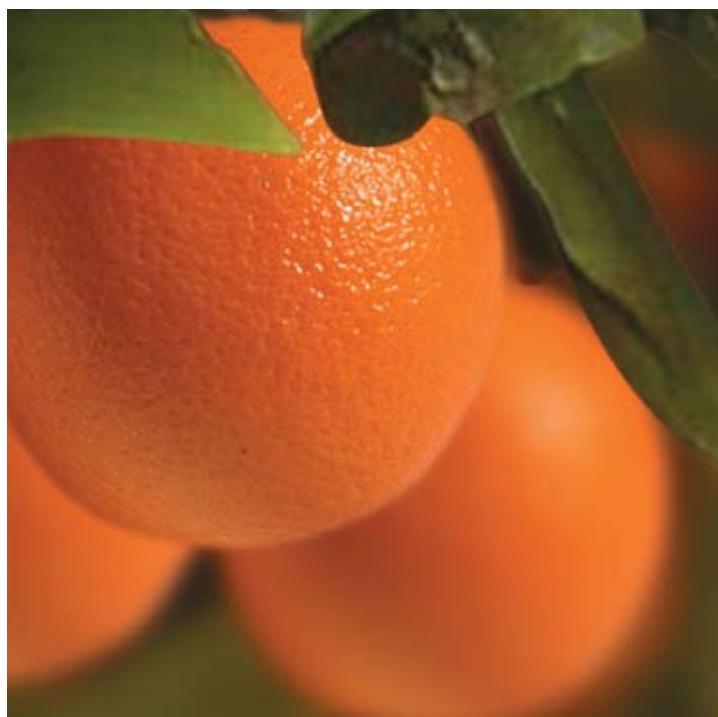


Education / Training opportunities and pathways:

Career Stream: Production and Manufacturing	Training Package / Course
<p>Description: Jobs which have a primary focus of adding value to the organisation through direct production and manufacturing activities.</p> <p>Eg: Production Management, Production Supervisor, Plant Operations</p>	
Packaging Worker	Certificate II in Food Processing - FDF20103
Advanced Production Operator	Certificate III in Food Processing - FDF30103
General Warehouse Operator	Certificate III in Transport and Logistics (Warehousing and Storage) - TLI30107
Production Supervisor	Certificate IV in Food Processing - FDF40103
Food Safety Auditor	Certificate IV in Food Processing (Food Safety Auditing) - FDF41007

Career Stream: Administration and Planning	Training Package / Course
<p>Description: Jobs which have a primary focus of adding value to the organisation through administrative, planning or logistics activities.</p> <p>Eg: Sales Administration, Production Planning, Materials Management, Distribution, Finance Administration</p>	
Receptionist	Certificate II in Business - BSB20107 Certificate III in Business Administration
Administration Officer	Diploma Business Administration
Production Planner / Advanced Production Operator	Advanced Production Operator - Food Processing Certificate III in Food Processing - FDF30103
Maintenance Planner	Relevant Trade Qualifications, mechanical trade and previous mobile maintenance experience are crucial requirements of this role. Previous experience in OH&S and quality control measures and experience with maintenance management systems.

Career Stream: Technical and Quality Expertise and Support	Training Package / Course
<p>Description: Jobs which have a primary focus of adding value to the organisation through the application of expertise in the technical field, either directly or in support of other areas of the company.</p> <p>Eg: Technical Manager, Information Systems Specialist, Quality Specialist, Customer Service Technicians.</p>	
Laboratory Technician	Certificate III in Laboratory Skills - MSL30109
Laboratory Manager	Bachelor of Food and Nutrition Science
Agricultural Mechanic (Motor Mechanic) Pressure Welder - Engineering	Certificate III in Automotive Mechanical Technology - AUR30405 Certificate III in Engineering - Fabrication Trade - MEM30305
Farm Manager	Bachelor of Agricultural Sciences Diploma of Rural Business Management Diploma in Production Horticulture - RTE50303
Food Technologist	Bachelor of Food and Nutrition Science
Irrigation Installation and Service Technician	Certificate IV in Irrigation - RTE40203



Career Stream: Functional (Non-Technical) Expertise and Support

Training Package / Course

Description: Jobs which have a primary focus of adding value to the organisation through the application of functional or management expertise either directly or in support of other areas of the company.

Eg: Finance and Accounting, Human Resources, Information Systems Management and Marketing.

Inventory Controller

Certificate IV in Transport and Logistics (Logistics) - TLI41107
[Bachelor of Business \(Logistics and Supply Chain Management\)](#)

Human Resources Officer / Manager

Diploma of Human Resources Management - BSB50607
[Bachelor of Business](#)
 Approved undergraduate degree in addition to a Graduate Diploma of Human Resource Management

Occupational Health and Safety (OH&S) Officer / Manager

Certificate IV in Occupational Health and Safety - BSB41407
[Diploma of Occupational Health and Safety - BSB51307](#)
 Bachelor of Occupational Health and Safety Science
[Bachelor of Science \(Health and Safety\)](#)
 Graduate Diploma in Occupational and Environmental Health
[Graduate Diploma in OH&S](#)
 Graduate Certificate in Risk Management
[Graduate Certificate in Occupational Health](#)
 Graduate Certificate in OH&S Management

Sales Manager

Wholesale Sales Team Manager
[Certificate IV in Retail Management - SIR40207](#)
 Certificate III in Tourism - SIT30107

Marketing Manager

Diploma of Marketing - BSB51207
[Advanced Diploma of Marketing - BSB60507](#)
 Bachelor of Business (Marketing)
[Certificate IV in Financial Services - FNS40107](#)

Finance Sector Team Leader

Bachelor of Business
[Bachelor of Accounting](#)
[Bachelor of Economics](#)

Career Stream: General Management

Training Package / Course

Description: Jobs which have a primary focus of adding value to the organisation through the management of a diverse range of functions including Operations, Finance and Sales or Multi-Site Management.

Eg: Business Unit Management, Regional Management.

Business Unit Management / General Manager

Bachelor of Food and Nutrition Science
[Bachelor of Agricultural Sciences](#)

Regional Management

Bachelor of Food and Nutrition Science
[Bachelor of Agricultural Sciences](#)



Carol's Profile

"in the beverage industry there is never a dull moment."



Carol Williamson: Laboratory Supervisor, Lamattina Beverages

Carol Williamson admits that mathematics and science were not her favourite subjects at school; however after completing year 11, Carol began working in what she terms as a "fill in" job in a laboratory before commencing further studies. Having seen the practical uses for maths and science in this job, Carol enjoyed working in the lab and decided to stay and has now been working in this field for over 25 years.

Carol's first position was as a Laboratory Assistant, which was a supervised role that involved general aspects of laboratory work. Shortly after commencing this role, Carol became the Leading Hand in the laboratory which was another supervised position but with more responsibilities. A short time after being the Leading Hand, Carol progressed to become the Laboratory Supervisor, which is the position that she currently holds.

Carol emphasises that her job is not simply "just working in a lab", by being the Lab Supervisor Carol's job gives her a range of diversity and involves a lot of team work which adds to the enjoyment of her role. On any day, Carol's job involves all aspects of laboratory work including analysis, data recording, ordering of glassware and chemicals, ensuring that procedures are in place and that the laboratory is fit for staff use. As the Lab Supervisor, Carol is also responsible for supervising other lab staff and making sure that all lab procedures are followed. Carol's job also requires good time management skills as it includes elements of logistical work through international consignments and liaising between Mildura and Melbourne.

Carol must guarantee that the lab runs smoothly as in the beverage industry, it is the "hub of the company" and the "go between" to the factory. In addition to calibrating equipment, Carol and her team must be vigilant with paper work and ensure that products meet customer specifications and are suitable for human consumption.

Lamattina Beverages is a very customer focused business and as part of her role Carol must ensure that the appropriate testing for pre-shipment samples is conducted. In addition to the daily requirements of being a Laboratory Supervisor, Carol is often involved with the innovation and product development of the company. From a laboratory perspective, she is able to experiment with flavours and concentrates to create palatable products that meet customer's needs.

Carol has studied a Certificate IV in Laboratory Technology and a Diploma of Laboratory Technology at TAFE. Carol notes that you don't necessarily need a tertiary qualification to work in this industry; provided that you are willing to have a go you can work your way through by learning and applying your skills and knowledge.

Carol's career is just one example of the diverse opportunities available in the beverage industry. Carol admits that she "loves the thrill of pressure" which can often be experienced in the lab. Working in the beverage industry has given Carol a job which is interesting and enables her to deal with every day challenges; Carol admits that "in the beverage industry there is never a dull moment".



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www.jobguide.thegoodguides.com.au

My futures is a one stop careers planning website
www.myfutures.edu.au

For information about apprenticeships and certificate courses:
www.aapathways.com.au

The following sites provide general careers and industry information:
www.aussieeducator.org.au/careers/occupations.html

www.youthcentral.vic.gov.au/ViewPage.action?siteNodId=167

www.griffith-h.schools.nsw.edu.au/sws/view/1195235.node

www.nmlen.com.au

www.growmilduraregion.com.au

www.milduraregion.com.au

Go to the following sites for information about courses and programs, including planning programs and course prerequisites:
www.vtac.edu.au/publications/

www.vtac.edu.au/courses/searchcourse.html



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