

**DATES**

19 - 30 MAY 2017

**COST**

\$5,500\*

**NUMBER OF PLACES**

14

**LOCATION**

San Jose; Toronto

**PARTNER INSTITUTE**[CENTENNIAL COLLEGE](#)**ACCOMMODATION**

Beresford Hotel/Centennial Place

**VISA REQUIREMENTS**

An ESTA and eTA is required for Australian citizens.

**PROGRAM INCLUSIONS**

- Return flights
- Twin share accommodation
- Comprehensive travel insurance
- Airport transfers
- Tuition and material fees with partner institutes for workshops
- Contribution to study tour leader costs
- organised excursion costs (where identified)
- \$250 non-refundable admin fee

**PROGRAM EXCLUSIONS**

- Passport costs ensuring 6 months validity upon return of travel (visa costs if required)
- optional excursions costs
- local transport costs
- Incidentals and personal spending money

**FUNDING**

There are 7 x \$2000 grants remaining that are available funded through the Department of Education Endeavour Mobility grants program.

The top 7 eligible\* students identified in the application assessment process will be automatically awarded the grants.

\*Eligible applicants - must be an Australian citizen or permanent resident.

**ELIGIBILITY**

ICT50415 Diploma of IT Networking  
 ICT50615 Diploma of IT Web Development  
 ICT50715 Diploma of IT Software Development

**PROPOSED LINK TO COMPETENCY**

The unit/s will be advised upon acceptance into the program.

**PROGRAM OVERVIEW**

Heading to the home of many of the world's largest technology companies, the study tour group will first travel to the Silicon valley where they will reside for the first half of the trip and visit company headquarters such as Google, CISCO, Apple and Microsoft, taking a look at the latest ideas and innovation that these companies are currently involved in. The group will also visit technology focused institutions such as the The Intel Museum. Here students will learn all about microprocessors and how Intels computing devices work.

Before departing to Toronto, the group will use the opportunity to be immersed on the culture and take some time out for sightseeing and local hot spots for venture capitalists and entrepreneurs.

In Toronto, the group will participate in a series of workshops with Centennial College IT students, and undertake a collaborative project. The time at Toronto with Centennial will include local visits to industry and cultural activities such as a visit to Niagara Falls.

- A detailed draft itinerary will be provided to students after acceptance into the program but please note that this may also be subject to change.

**ENQUIRIES**

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Team: Information Technology

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**INFORMATION SESSION DATE**

16 FEBRUARY 2017 6PM

South Bank C1411

**APPLICATION OPEN DATE**

17 FEBRUARY 2017

**APPLICATION DUE DATE**

COB 3 MARCH 2017

**MANDATORY PRE-DEPARTURE SESSION**

31 MARCH 2017 12PM

Refer to the Study Abroad prospectus on our [webpage](#) for further details on how to apply.

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