

CISWA Professional Development Series 2026



Focus on India: Supporting Indian Students in WA From Cultural Understanding to Community Driven Success



Rohan Amlani: Secretary of the Indian Society of Western Australia (ISWA)

Rohan Amlani is a Realtor, Partnerships Manager, entrepreneur and community mentor with experience across finance, banking and strategic partnerships.

As Acting Secretary and Board Member Ethnic Communities Council of WA (ECCWA), Secretary of Indian Society of WA, Board Member of Multicultural Futures Mental Health Advisory Council, Committee Member WAPOL Police Leaders Network Armadale, Committee Member Facebook Business Leaders Network, he plays a key role in fostering cultural connection, community engagement and inclusive growth within Western Australia's Indian community. He is a past International Student who made Perth home while studying at UWA.



Kavitha Ganesan: Deputy Director, Strategic Business Development, Curtin University

Kavitha Ganesan is Deputy Director, Strategic Business Development at Curtin University. Drawing on over two decades of experience in international education and extensive engagement across India, she will share insights into the student experience, emerging trends, and the opportunities and challenges facing Indian students studying in Western Australia.

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Rohini Modgill: Chief Executive Officer, Keystone College of Business and Technology

Rohini Modgill is the Founder and CEO of Keystone College of Business and Technology (KCBT), with 25+ years of experience in vocational, higher education and international education in Western Australia. A former international student from India herself, Rohini brings practical insight into student transition, cultural adjustment, employability, and community support, with a strong commitment to improving outcomes for international students in WA.



Gena Rattan: Director, Training Services

Gena Rattan is Director - Training Services at the National Institute of Technology, with over a decade of experience across ICT, VET and workforce-aligned training. She provides strategic oversight of VET and Professional Year programs for domestic and international students, spanning training delivery, student support, internships, industry engagement and compliance. With experience from classroom delivery through to executive leadership, Gena brings a practical VET provider lens to supporting Indian students, including the transition to competency-based learning, workplace readiness, communication expectations, attendance pressures, community networks, and the practical actions institutions can take to strengthen confidence, belonging and employment outcomes in WA.