

# Sandy Tran

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## EDUCATION

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University of New South Wales

Feb. 2023 – Present

ATAR: 98.25

Expected Graduation: Dec 2026

- Studying Bachelor of Actuarial Studies/Bachelor of Computer Science with a **distinction WAM**.

## WORK HISTORY

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Optus

January. 2025 – Present

*Sales Associate*

- Assist customers in selecting suitable mobile and internet plans, ensuring their needs are met. Achieve sales targets through personalized recommendations and exceptional customer service.
- Collaborate in a team to deliver prompt and efficient emergency care in high-pressure situations.

UNSW

January. 2025 – Present

*Casual Academic*

- COMP2041 - Software Construction: Techniques and Tools

Private Tutor

Feb. 2022 – Present

*Tutor/Teacher*

- Independently handling and keeping track of bank transfer payments.
- Well-disciplined with managing students and satisfying the requirements made by parents.

KPMG

April. 2024 – April. 2024

*Program Participant (Women in Technology)*

- Selected from a competitive pool of over **300 candidates** for a transformative 3-day initiative.
- Engaged with senior KPMG leaders and industry experts, acquiring deep insights into the tech industry.

## ACTIVITIES/VOLUNTEERING EXPERIENCE

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St John Ambulance

October. 2024 – Present

*Volunteer*

- Provide first aid and medical assistance at community events, ensuring public safety and well-being.
- Collaborate in a team to deliver prompt and efficient emergency care in high-pressure situations.

UNSW Actuarial Society (ASOC)

March. 2023 – Present

*Publications Portfolio Director (2025)*

- Coordinating and leading a team of 5 to boost the outgoing image of the society visually and socially.

*Publications Portfolio (2023) + Multimedia Portfolio (2024) Subcommittee Member*

- Led strategic planning and execution of multiple publication initiatives to showcase the society, exercising adept organizational abilities and meticulous attention to detail.
- Orchestrated collaborative efforts to produce compelling multimedia content, ensuring alignment with society objectives and audience preferences.

*Peer Mentor + Camp Leader*

- Provided guidance and support to first-year actuarial students, helping them navigate academic challenges and adjust to university life through regular mentoring sessions and personalized advice.
- Help build connections and feel welcomed within the actuarial community, while promoting a sense of belonging and teamwork.

**Present**

*Careers Portfolio*

- Proactively engaging with leading companies to enhance the society's professional network, complemented by strategic upskilling and project initiatives, to present an adaptable and competitive profile to employers.
- Organised a collaborative event with the ADF Forensics Team, providing university students with insights into forensic applications and fostering interest in the intersection of technology and forensic science.

**UNSW Software Development Society Subcommittee Member (DEVSOC)**

**Present**

*UI/UX Portfolio*

- Enhanced the society's digital platforms by leading UI/UX design improvements, boosting user engagement through rigorous usability testing, and design workshops that elevated team competencies and project outcomes.

▪ CURRENT ACTIVE PROJECTS:

**NOTANGLES**

UNSW Timetable planner: <https://notangles.devsoc.app/>

- Directed the user interface for the **Notangles** UNSW Timetable Planner, an external course planning tool that simplifies the scheduling process for students by offering an intuitive and visually appealing platform.

**TRAINEE PROGRAM**

- Gained hands-on experience in web development by building a web application from scratch using Vite, React, JS and other technologies.
- Collaborated in a small team to develop a mini project, enhancing my understanding of the full web development lifecycle from concept to deployment.
- Built a **PERSONALITY TEST** that collected data and with a particular algorithm, output an accurate description.

**SKILLS & INTERESTS**

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- **Skills:** Excel Basics, R Basics, Python, C, JS, React, Figma
- **Interests:** Health + Medicine, Bouldering, Strategy Games, Matched Betting, Reading, Psychology