



Cathy graduated from Murdoch in 1989. She worked as a clinician, trainer and manager in private, university and corporate practices for 25 years. She started in mixed practice moved to general practice in the UK and then spent the majority of her career in Emergency and Critical Care in the SE suburbs of Melbourne. During her career, Cathy progressed from being very animal and clinical focused to becoming more and more interested in the people she worked with. Her experiences as a manager, along with her own trials and tribulations around mental health, created a passion for training and empowering people to increase their psychological resources and well-being. She runs her own business in the area of veterinary well-being.

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Class name: Veterinary employability capabilities and career options

Intended learning outcomes;

- Define key veterinary employability capabilities and explain their relevance to veterinary professional careers

Progress Expectations

- Create a personal employability development plan using a self-assessment tool
- Reflect on your current assessment of employability capability
- Discuss with peers the opportunities to develop these capabilities during the DVM program
- Explore career opportunities available for veterinary graduates

Outline

This topic contains;

- A lecture-style presentation consisting of three parts;
 1. Veterinary employability capabilities – what are they?
 2. Veterinary employability capabilities - how do I get them?
 3. Employability and career path
- Two activities – an assessment of veterinary employability and viewing a minimum of 2 mini-career videos
- A workshop: Veterinary career options and employability capabilities – where we will apply and explore what you have learnt from your activities.