



## New to Curtin Mentor Program – Say Thanks to your Mentor

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Each semester, new undergraduate students are invited to write testimonies about the wonderful service that their mentors have provided to them. This is a purely voluntary contribution, and shows how strongly student mentors are valued, and how important they are in assisting with the transition to university study for new students.

### Faculty of Business

Mentor Name	Course	Message
<b>Yassamin Malekloo</b>	Commerce, Law, Business Law or Taxation, BBA	Thanks for the tips and all the best for your studies
<b>Michael Gorecki</b>	Commerce, Law, Business Law or Taxation, BBA	Michael, I would like to thank you very much and I would love to meet you in person. I look forward to more collaboration between us.
<b>Ning Lee</b>	Commerce, Law, Business Law or Taxation, BBA	It is great knowing that there is somebody to contact if I have a thought on something. Although I did not have any questions, Ning gave me advice which I am always willing to take on.
<b>Rachel Lendich</b>	Commerce, Law, Business Law or Taxation, BBA	Thank you for answering my multiple questions in such detail and following up on
<b>Rachel Lendich</b>	Commerce, Law, Business Law or Taxation, BBA	Thanks Rachel! Although I haven't interacted and made use of your knowledge, I am grateful that you got me on the right track beginning Uni. Thank you!
<b>Rachel Lendich</b>	Commerce, Law, Business Law or Taxation, BBA	Thanks for the email you have sent us they really help to know that if I have any issues I have someone to talk to about it.
<b>Rachel Lendich</b>	Commerce, Law, Business Law or Taxation, BBA	Thanks for being a great mentor. Your helpful information was very useful :)
<b>Rachel Lendich</b>	Commerce, Law, Business Law or Taxation, BBA	thank you for all the emails you have sent that has helped me get through my first semester
<b>Sandra Rios</b>	Commerce, Law, Business Law or Taxation, BBA	Thank you so much for making Uni so much easier and relaxing. All the help you have provided has been invaluable to me and I am so grateful to have such a wonderful mentor as like yourself. I didn't feel at all uncomfortable when trying to approach you for help, even when asking about minor things such as where to locate the iLectures, you never rejected my need for assistance, and kindly offered to help instead. Thank you so much for being my mentor. :)
<b>Sandra Rios</b>	Commerce, Law, Business Law or Taxation, BBA	Thank you very much for taking the time to make sure we are all settling in, despite your workload as well. I am very appreciative and grateful that I did not have to do it alone and I could talk to someone who has been in my shoes.
<b>Sarah Thompson</b>	Commerce, Law, Business Law or Taxation, BBA	Thank you Sarah for all your emails. There was a point when I was wondering what I had gotten myself into and an email came through from you addressing pretty much everything I was feeling. The timing couldn't have been better, I realised I wasn't alone and that what I was feeling was pretty normal which helped me to move on and get done what I needed to. Without that contact I possibly would have withdrawn completely thinking I just wasn't meant to be at uni. Thank you very much and good luck with the rest of your studies.



## Faculty of Health Sciences

Mentor Name	Course	Message
<b>Baldwin Kwan</b>	Physiotherapy	Thank you so much Baldwin for your time in mentoring us and made us understand each hsf compendium more and in detailed!
<b>Ella Gibson</b>	Physiotherapy	Thanks for all the emails to check up on us, it felt really good to know that someone was looking out for us during the first few weeks.
<b>Kelvin Nayoho</b>	Physiotherapy	Thanks for all the emails to check up on us, it felt really good to know that someone was looking out for us during the first few weeks.
<b>Tyler Gerald Selway</b>	Biomedical Science - Molecular Gen, Laboratory Med, Oral Health, Human Biology	Thanks for helping me throughout the duration of my exams. It gave me the guidance in finding the best approach so I thank you for that. :)
<b>Rosie McClure</b>	Biomedical Science - Molecular Gen, Laboratory Med, Oral Health, Human Biology	The emails were definitely helpful and made things less confusing, Thanks.
<b>Louise Carrivick</b>	Biomedical Science - Molecular Gen, Laboratory Med, Oral Health, Human Biology	I'd like to thank my mentor for replying to my emails with such enthusiasm and detail every single time. She really helped me out in times of confusion and it's so good to gain all the answers from someone who knows it all!
<b>Katelyn Paterson</b>	Biomedical Science - Molecular Gen, Laboratory Med, Oral Health, Human Biology	I loved having the comfort of knowing I had a mentor I could turn to if I had any doubts. She'd always reply just in time and helped me out so much the first few weeks of this semester, it was really nice having that reassurance and that little extra boost of motivation. Thanks so much for all your lovely emails that totally made my horrible week tolerable!
<b>Alicia Pui Yin Wong</b>	Biomedical Science - Molecular Gen, Laboratory Med, Oral Health, Human Biology	Thank you very much, I really don't know what I would've done without your help.
<b>Alicia Pui Yin Wong</b>	Biomedical Science - Molecular Gen, Laboratory Med, Oral Health, Human Biology	Kind, gentle and caring mentor.
<b>Alicia Wong</b>	Biomedical Science - Molecular Gen, Laboratory Med, Oral Health, Human Biology	Thank you very much! I know I haven't been replying much to your emails, but they are appreciated. Thanks for always giving a quick response when we needed help. You have made my first weeks of uni less daunting and knowing that there's a mentor that's always ready to help is great 🙌
<b>Alicia Wong</b>	Biomedical Science - Molecular Gen, Laboratory Med, Oral Health, Human Biology	Thanks for making the start of semester a little less daunting!!
<b>Alicia Pui Yin Wong</b>	Biomedical Science - Molecular Gen, Laboratory Med, Oral Health, Human Biology	Thank you for your advice. I sincerely appreciate the time and effort that you have invested in me to assist me with my emotional wellbeing.
<b>Jessica Bretherton</b>	Biomedical Science - Molecular Gen,	Thanks for keeping in touch with us and giving us useful tips and guidance throughout semester.



	Laboratory Med, Oral Health, Human Biology	
<b>Jessica Bretherton</b>	Biomedical Science - Molecular Gen, Laboratory Med, Oral Health, Human Biology	cheers for the advice through the semester, it has helped me a lot to settle in
<b>Jessica Bretherton</b>	Biomedical Science - Molecular Gen, Laboratory Med, Oral Health, Human Biology	Thanks for taking the time to train to be a mentor. Even though I did not communicate with you very much it was nice to feel that if I needed any support you would have been able to help me.
<b>Nyasha Bepete</b>	Biomedical Science - Molecular Gen, Laboratory Med, Oral Health, Human Biology	Thank you for taking the time to guide us through our new beginning at Curtin and for taking the time to listen and answer all our questions and inquiries.
<b>Nyasha Bepete</b>	Biomedical Science - Molecular Gen, Laboratory Med, Oral Health, Human Biology	Thank you for keeping in contact throughout the semester and for all the tips you've given us, it's really nice to know there is someone out there lending a hand :)
<b>Nyasha Bepete</b>	Biomedical Science - Molecular Gen, Laboratory Med, Oral Health, Human Biology	Thanks for volunteering your time to help.
<b>Robyn Streczynski</b>	Biomedical Science - Molecular Gen, Laboratory Med, Oral Health, Human Biology	Thank you for giving up your time to help me and through the first years to settle in to this new world. thank you for help us <3
<b>Robyn Streczynski</b>	Biomedical Science - Molecular Gen, Laboratory Med, Oral Health, Human Biology	Thank you for being a great mentor and sending us all emails to check in and see how we are going it was really nice to know that if I was ever confused about uni life, there was someone I could contact to teach me about it and someone i could talk to if needed :)
<b>Karan Rajkumar Bamb</b>	Biomedical Science - Molecular Gen, Laboratory Med, Oral Health, Human Biology	Thank you for helping me, and taking the time to explain things that I was worried about.
<b>Pasgen Manley</b>	Health Safety and Environment	I didn't need you help but I was glad to know that someone is there if I need. Thanks!
<b>Katelyn Paterson</b>	Health Science	Thank you for taking time out of your personal life to provide guidance to first year university students.
<b>Cassidy keitha bodenham</b>	Health Science	Thanks!!
<b>Lettey Pavich</b>	Health Science	Thanks for taking the time out of your own busy schedule to help
<b>Su Pyei Sone Aung</b>	Health Science	Thanks for keeping me updated :) and great tips
<b>Su Pyei Sone Aung</b>	Health Science	She emailed every week about events at Uni, which was interesting to know, and she also answered the questions I asked very quickly.
<b>Tegan Hallam</b>	Health Science	thanks for giving us good advice throughout the semester, your emails were very informative and kept me up to date with what was happening at Curtin
<b>Tahlia Hoskins</b>	Nursing	Hi Tahlia, you might not remember me but I'm grateful you were my mentor.
<b>Breanne Swarts</b>	Nursing or Midwifery	I am extremely grateful for the support you gave me throughout the semester - I was very overwhelmed at the



		start and your help and support really helped me get into the swing of things.
<b>Breanne Swarts</b>	Nursing or Midwifery	Breanne was always sending us useful information for our CCEs or clinical menu hours - the resource sharing was excellent On top of that, Breanne always answered every question to her best ability, and I certainly felt as though she genuinely cared for our bettering. I don't really want to let her go as a mentor - I hope we will be able to continue to share stories, experiences, advice and resources
<b>Breanne Swarts</b>	Nursing or Midwifery	Thanks so much Breanne for taking the time to help us all through our first semester! I was so overwhelmed when I started my course and I didn't think I would ever find my way around Oasis and Blackboard (let alone Pebble Pad!) but you were so patient and reassuring and talking to you made me so much more relaxed. I think you're a really great mentor and I'm so glad I had you to guide me this semester. Thank you! xx
<b>Megan Maher</b>	Nursing or Midwifery	Hi Megan! Thank you very much for keeping me informed and reminding me on what's going on at Uni and to start exam study. Thank you very much for the study tips! It's all much appreciated :)
<b>Tsz Ki Natalie Tsang</b>	Nursing or Midwifery	It has been such lovely to have Natalie as my Mentor. All the emails I sent to her was promptly replied. All my queries were answered.
<b>Bree Wickstein</b>	Nursing or Midwifery	Hi Bree, Thank you so much for entertaining me in my first year at Uni. I am a total stranger and probably is still confused and struggle to Uni life by now if you haven't intervened. Thank God for your guidance to me and for the program that helped in my transition. I know I still have a long way to go. Please continue enlightening me as I take the course of Nursing and Midwifery through your previous experiences. It will surely brighten my day and be delighted that you are there to help. Thank you so much and may God bless you and give the desires of your heart. Best regards, Dennis I Valencia
<b>Miranda Hull</b>	Nursing or Midwifery	Thanks for being so friendly and helping me out with heaps of questions that I had! It's good to know you.
<b>Miranda Hull</b>	Nursing or Midwifery	Thank you so much for being so approachable and answering so many questions! It really made getting used to uni so much easier.
<b>Tahlia Hoskins</b>	Nursing or Midwifery	Hi! I appreciate your help a lot!
<b>Brittany Seaton</b>	Nursing or Midwifery	Thank you for the little words of wisdom in the time of need. Thank you for constantly being there if I had a question. Thanks for being a great person overall!
<b>Brittany Seaton</b>	Nursing or Midwifery	Thanks for answering any questions I've had :) That's really it, and it's a big help.
<b>Brittany Seaton</b>	Nursing or Midwifery	Hi Brittany, Thanks for being such a fabulous mentor even though I'm rubbish at replying to your emails!! You honestly threw away all my fears of missing out on o-week could not have survived the first few weeks without you and thanks for reminding us how important we are too that was really nice! All the best for your nursing career!
<b>Ervina Sudjono</b>	Nursing or Midwifery	She was able to make time for me and answer my questions
<b>Halima Akhter</b>	Nursing or Midwifery	Thank you for sending us emails in the first few weeks on the semester with tips and tricks on what to do and how to do it. It was really helpful. You were also so bubbly, kind and



		approachable which meant when I had questions or was confused about something I didn't hesitate to send an email. Thankyou
<b>Lauren Maine</b>	Nursing or Midwifery	Thank you so much Lauren for helping me so much this semester and for all the advice you have given me. Please continue to help me and guide me with my Uni life. Thank you so much.
<b>Rebecca Tate</b>	Nursing or Midwifery	Thanks for making time for us even though you might've been busy! :D Fight on in your studies and all the best!
<b>Shona Ghavalas</b>	Nursing or Midwifery	Thank you Shona for being a great mentor for me this semester! I appreciate all the emails you send to make sure we are doing okay and appreciate you making the group chat on Facebook so the group could communicate together. Thank you for all your help also with the clinical office forms and immunisations etc :)
<b>Shona Ghavalas</b>	Nursing or Midwifery	Thanks for being so kind and helpful :)
<b>Shona Ghavalas</b>	Nursing or Midwifery	Thank you for the many great tips you give me during the first week of uni, about managing my study load. I wish you good luck with the rest of your study year. Thank you!
<b>Shona Ghavalas</b>	Nursing or Midwifery	You have a very friendly, happy, bubbly personality which put me at ease and were very informative about Curtin life and the nursing program. Thank you
<b>Shona Ghavals</b>	Nursing or Midwifery	Thank you for your help and supports
<b>Teresa Thomas</b>	Nursing or Midwifery	Thank you for taking time out of your life to meet up with your mentees, and also emailing us throughout the first few weeks with comforting, funny things.
<b>Teresa Thomas</b>	Nursing or Midwifery	Thank you for making commencing studying Nursing at Curtin less confused, it really helped me out since I have no prior preparation of this course. Thank you for always being so optimistic and supportive.
<b>Teresa Thomas</b>	Nursing or Midwifery	Thank you for choosing to be an enthusiastic mentor so that first-year nursing students like me have found the first semester in studying nursing less confusing.
<b>Tahlia Hoskins</b>	Nursing RN Conversion	Thank you, Tahlia. You have been answering all my questions patiently. Thank you and may God bless you!
<b>Shona Ghovalas</b>	Nursing RN Conversion	Thanks for reaching out and keeping in touch! :)
<b>Teresa Thomas</b>	Nursing RN Conversion	Thank you so much for all the updates about my course.
<b>Teresa thomas</b>	Nursing RN Conversion	She is really great, anytime anything about university's doubt she guide me like my parents. Thank you so much
<b>Meyyammai Venkatachalam</b>	Nutrition	Thank you for all the detailed emails, they were very helpful and told me things that I would not have known otherwise. And thank you for helping me out when I was wondering about social sports and how to join :)
<b>Rebecca Russell</b>	Nutrition	Thank you so much Rebecca for giving me and the rest of the group really useful tips and advices! A lot of them has helped me get to a great start to uni :)
<b>Rebecca Russell</b>	Nutrition	Thanks for volunteering to be a student mentor, and sacrificing time from your busy master's degree to help us out. You have provided great information to help us settle in to uni and have always responded with great answers to the questions asked. I really appreciate it, thanks heaps ;)
<b>Rebecca Russell</b>	Nutrition	Very helpful and willing to give advice
<b>Chani Van Swet</b>	Occupational Therapy	THANKYOU! You helped unpack uni a bit more for me in the sense that you understood I was coming straight out of school



		and so much was new and the teachers couldn't help me personally like she was able to.
<b>Rachel Smith</b>	Occupational Therapy	I really thank you a lot, not only u helped me with studies but also u genuinely cared about me. U always encouraged me with more than studies. U made my university life less miserable and difficult. Thank you Rachel. I am glad that i have u as my mentor
<b>Jane Milne</b>	Occupational Therapy	Thanks Jane for always making time for our mentor group, I could not think of anyone who would have done a better job than you! I always look forward to the fortnightly coffee catch ups. XX
<b>Jane Milne</b>	Occupational Therapy	I would like to tell Jane that she did an exceptional job at being a mentor. She was very insightful, helpful and enthusiastic. She passed on so much knowledge which made sure I had a smooth transaction into uni. She was very supportive to all of us mentees and was such a great listener to all of our problems. All of your hard work did not go unnoticed, so thank you so much Jane!
<b>Jane Milne</b>	Occupational Therapy	It is pleasure having Jane as my mentor. She is very helpful and fun to be with. She also gave a motivational introduction to Occupational Therapy during the orientation week with some awesome tips for university life. All in all, I highly appreciate the guidance and time given by Jane.
<b>Jane Milne</b>	Occupational Therapy	Jane has gone above and beyond to ensure that her mentees have had an easier transition into uni life - she's made us feel so welcome. Jane has been a great role model for my first semester at uni and I'm so thankful that she was my mentor!
<b>Megan Swindell Rabjones</b>	Occupational Therapy	Thanks for always being there Megan and for sending out good detailed and comforting information. You're a Legend!
<b>Wen Hao Reuben Wong</b>	Pharmacy	Thank-you for imparting a great deal of tips and information about my course and at the same time reminding me not to only study but to live and enjoy the uni life by recommending interesting campus fairs and activities. You are awesome!
<b>Ayomide Ogundipe</b>	Pharmacy	Thank you so much for your valuable time and you always responded in a timely manner even though you were busy with your placement schedules in other country.
<b>Kimia</b>	Pharmacy	Thanks for all your helpful information this semester, it really helped clarify quite a few things. The information about the events and everything else.
<b>Kimia Ettehad</b>	Pharmacy	Thanks for being there and always keeping me up to date, I know I wasn't the most interactive student but I did appreciate your effort and your enthusiasm and it was good knowing someone was there if I needed some help! Thank you! :)
<b>Kimia Ettehad</b>	Pharmacy	Thank you for making time :)
<b>Kimia Ettehad</b>	Pharmacy	Thank you for waiting patiently even if most of the others never replied or showed up. It was great getting to know you and having you there to give tips to survive in this wild and unfamiliar world, and even just to sit down and enjoy some coffee. I'm not sure how long this mentor thing goes for, but if I don't end up seeing you again, i would like to acknowledge and thank you for everything you've done for me and I sincerely hope everything goes well with your future



<b>selma Cahtarevic</b>	Psychology	Thanks for the emails! It's great getting a reminder every now and then reminding us to take care of ourselves and that everyone is on the same boat, going through the same thing, together.
<b>Selma Cahtarevic</b>	Psychology	Thank you for the frequent emails especially the one with Curtin Food Market schedule and sorry if I haven't utilised your full expertise!
<b>Peter Giles</b>	Psychology	Thank you for answering all my questions. I looked back through the emails and I realised, although definitely not my intention, that you were the best person to go to for the questions that didn't seem to have a place to go. Also you responded much quicker than any other place and in a way that I understood. So thank you for being my FAQ person who made me feel comfortable enough to be slightly sarcastic and informal when asking questions. Without you I still wouldn't have my free Microsoft Office, nor would I have gone to remind the staff in the psychology building that I still don't have access to the common room after 5 weeks.
<b>Peter Giles</b>	Psychology	Thank you for giving me tips towards helping me stay in a challenging unit, making me feel confident that I could pass.
<b>Kate Haynes</b>	Psychology	Thanks for your emails! It's really nice just having someone check in and ask how things are going, and the tone is always so warm and friendly and even though I barely ever find the time to reply (sorry about that) I really appreciate them!
<b>Zachary Baldock</b>	Psychology	Zach was a pretty chill dude. Provided some pretty good study tips for exams that I'll use. Once again, Chill dude. 10/10
<b>Amelia Nicholson</b>	Psychology	5 star
<b>Anne-Marie Moad</b>	Psychology	Thank you for giving us information that we couldn't find ourselves, giving us someone to ask questions to even if we don't take advantage of it and continuing to help us even though we aren't the best at responding. We do appreciate you!
<b>Kaya Jago</b>	Psychology	Thanks Kaya for all the encouraging and honest emails. It just helped to know that you were there.
<b>Kaya Jago</b>	Psychology	Thank you for being there for us and providing us guidance. It was great to be able to contact you when I needed to (:( You're the best
<b>Kaya Jago</b>	Psychology	Thank you:)
<b>Kym Murray</b>	Psychology	Thank you so much for the Facebook group you run and making yourself available to all the students in your mentor group it means so much to me that you'd sacrifice your time to help us.
<b>Kym Murray</b>	Psychology	Even though I will see you around - Thank you for all the support even when I didn't need it.
<b>Senaida D'Souza</b>	Psychology	Thank you for providing support at a time when I really needed it. The uni workload was really piling up when you contacted me, and just having someone offering support made all the difference.
<b>Simren Bart</b>	Psychology	Thanks so much for making the transition from high school to university so much easier! You have been so friendly and responsive to my emails and have really proved to be a helpful and supportive mentor throughout the beginning of my university journey. Thanks so much!
<b>Kelly Flynn</b>	Social Work	You are the best, continue the good work.



<b>Kelly Flynn</b>	Social Work	Thank you so much Kelly! You made my first time at Uni easier.
<b>Kelly Flynn</b>	Social Work	I have meet with Kelly outside of university, she promotes health and well-being and is really easy to talk to. She has been such a breath of fresh air, every question I have asked, problem I have had, even in my year two papers, she has mentored me through. Being out of study for 8 years, having someone as compassionate and understanding as Kelly to bounce off has been worth its weight in gold. Thanks Kelly, you are doing an amazing job.
<b>Kelly Flynn</b>	Social Work	Thanks really appreciate all your time and effort
<b>Lani East</b>	Social Work	Thank you so much Lani for taking the time to meet and chat with me. It was a great comfort for me to talk and listen to someone getting closer to the end. Your emails have also been very useful. Good luck with the rest of your study.
<b>Lisa O'Shaughnessy</b>	Social Work	I would say thanks so much for taking my calls or returning them, I know you have your own uni/life to get on with but really appreciate the time you have taken out for me. It's been a very hard transition, at the start of the semester I didn't even know what a unit was, now I'm getting the hang of everything, I would have had a meltdown if it wasn't for Lisa so thanks!!
<b>Lisa O'Shaughnessy</b>	Social Work	Thank you for the organisation templates at the start of the semester. The assessment template was my favourite because listing all the assessments by their due dates helped me to prioritise my workload. I now have a greater appreciation for Lisa as I know time is very precious and Lisa taking an hour out of her day to meet up at university or 15 minutes to send an email is a lot of time to give up when she has just as many assignments to complete as we do.
<b>sarah holland</b>	Social Work	thanks
<b>Sarah Holland</b>	Social Work	Thank you for responding to my messages with very relevant information it was super helpful and great to hear from a mentor who really cares.
<b>Alannah Sheffield</b>	Speech Pathology	Thank you for giving me the tips that I actually needed to know, and for helping me learn my way around campus
<b>Catherine Jacob</b>	Speech Pathology	Thanks for answering the questions that I wasn't sure who to ask. Was very honest and that was great.
<b>Grace Rutherford</b>	Speech Pathology	Thank you so much for providing help!
<b>Isuri Wijesuriya</b>	Speech Pathology	Thank you for all your efforts! Keep it up :)
<b>Keely Galvin</b>	Speech Pathology	Just wanted to say thanks for being a mentor in general, I know I didn't ask any questions or anything but it was really nice that you constantly kept up with us.
<b>Brendon Meney</b>	Exercise, Sports and Rehabilitation	Thank you so much for the great tips! They really helped with adjusting to uni :)
<b>Lainey Cooper</b>	Exercise, Sports and Rehabilitation	Thanks Lainey!! Sorry I didn't say it earlier or more often but you really were a cool mentor & gave us some nice tips! Thanks for checking in every now and then too. Good luck with your last semester or uni!!!
<b>Sarah Kenny</b>	Exercise, Sports and Rehabilitation	Thanks for sending emails through regularly and offering useful advice.
<b>Sarah Kenny</b>	Exercise, Sports and Rehabilitation	Thank you for the help on settling into Curtin. I myself transferred from UWA so in terms of a new experience it was less scary for me. Perhaps arranging meet-ups either one on



		one or with the rest of your group would be beneficial especially for people straight out of high school.
<b>Danielle Sparrow</b>	Health Promotion	I want to thank my mentor for being replying to my emails so promptly. I really appreciated the help that she gave me when I needed help with my assignment and how she let me know that I can ask for help any time. Thank you so much!

## Faculty of Humanities

Mentor Name	Course	Message
<b>Sharaan Muruvan</b>	Architecture BSc	Thank you very much Sharaan for your guide to help us in uni!
<b>Sharaan Muruvan</b>	Architecture BSc	Thank you for helping me when I was confused, even if it was not direct, for example when you sent that email on where to find Yellowtrace.
<b>Tessa Zöllner</b>	Art, Design, Fine Art & Visual Culture and Fashion Design	Well done, Tessa, for stepping forward to help out all us newbies. Much appreciated.
<b>Nathan Wehi</b>	Art, Design, Fine Art & Visual Culture and Fashion Design	Thanks Nate. Coffee again, anytime.
<b>Katie Wong</b>	Asian Languages	Thank you for teaching me how to use the printers at the library! That was a big help as I was initially confused about how to collect the print jobs.
<b>Sheena Thurney</b>	Design	Thank you for making uni seem less scary and for being really approachable and kind.
<b>Jasmine Vout</b>	Design	As someone who is struggling with anxiety, it can be hard to get the courage up to talk to you but it's been really comforting just to know you're there and have my back if I need it. Thank you for your weekly emails, the advice and tips you've given have really helped me settle in a bit more and thanks also for answering the questions I did manage to ask, I really appreciate that you took the time to think about me.
<b>Jasmine Vout</b>	Design	Thank you for taking time out of your day to ensure that we have a smooth running semester. Your weekly emails really did benefit us, and I just want to thank you for your constant support.
<b>Sam Mercado</b>	Design	Thanks
<b>Sheldon Ikin</b>	Design	Thanks
<b>Maria McGuinness</b>	Geography	Thanks for putting in the time and effort to help us out even though you've got your own courses to study for. Much appreciated!
<b>Hugh Forward</b>	Media, Culture and Creative Arts, Social Science,	Although I haven't needed to directly contact my mentor this semester, I'm very grateful that he has kept in contact with my group and I and is always checking in to see how we're going/offer his help if necessary.
<b>Anna Halipilias</b>	Media, Culture and Creative Arts, Social Science,	Thanks Anna for all the emails, they were super helpful in getting me used to Uni.
<b>Anna Halipilias</b>	Media, Culture and Creative Arts, Social Science,	Always replies so fast so thanks!



<b>Anthony Wheeler</b>	Media, Culture and Creative Arts, Social Science,	Thank you for helping me settle into this hectic and busy university-life by offering your words of advice and support! I've genuinely appreciated the consistent and thorough replies to any questions that I've had. I'm sure it's not easy balancing your own uni life, work life, and personal life, so it is greatly appreciated that you've also taken your time to mentor me and the other students. Thanks, once again!
<b>Anthony Wheeler</b>	Media, Culture and Creative Arts, Social Science,	Hey Anthony, I appreciate you taking the time to help us and give us a head up on different things going on- it's really nice to have someone like you around! Cheers :)
<b>Anthony Wheeler</b>	Media, Culture and Creative Arts, Social Science,	Thank you for all of your support in guiding me through my first semester at university. I was initially very confused, and you really did help me adjust to university life. The weekly emails that I received were really helpful in clarifying things I was unsure of, and also in providing guidance. I really appreciated the understanding and care that went into each one.
<b>Elyse Simich</b>	Media, Culture and Creative Arts, Social Science,	It is fantastic to have someone who has done the same course as me and is able to give great guidance and insight.
<b>Mel Wilson</b>	Media, Culture and Creative Arts, Social Science,	You've done so much for me. I was afraid that I wouldn't be able to get anywhere with my degree, but you really showed me all the possibilities that are out there and told me about your journey through university. It was nice to know that my problems weren't uncommon and that you have successfully prevailed, showing me that this is the kind of person I can, and hope to, become. You're more than a mentor, you're a kind friend, a familiar face in the crowd that helps me through the little problems. I really can't explain the impact that you have made, just know that you have. You have become my inspiration and I aspire to be like you. Thank you dearly for everything you've done.
<b>Melissa Wilson</b>	Media, Culture and Creative Arts, Social Science,	Cheers Mel, I am always admirable of people who lead the charge in taking care of the 'fresh meat' as it were, like back in high school, and you definitely are no exception! As such, I'm really looking forward to becoming a wise and experienced (or weary and jaded) enough student to be a mentor myself. So thanks for inspiring me and the like and keep up the great work :D
<b>Melissa Wilson</b>	Media, Culture and Creative Arts, Social Science,	Hey Mel, thanks for your frequent emails and your informative tour of the school on the first day of O-Week. You made my uni life less confusing and I'm very grateful for your humour and support throughout this semester. Get well soon!
<b>Tyler Lukey</b>	Primary Education	Thanks for taking the time to help me and the others in the group understand the workload and answer all my questions :)
<b>Natalie Blackwell</b>	Primary Education	Thanks for making the transition as a mature age into university life easier.
<b>Natalie Blackwell</b>	Primary Education	Thanks for taking time out of your own life to help us with ours.
<b>Aisha Handule</b>	Secondary Education	I would really like to thank Aisha for taking out the time and guiding me about many things which are important in Uni life and timely knowing about them makes life a lot easier. Thanks a lot Aisha...keep guiding!!



<b>Fiona Ball</b>	Secondary Education	Thank you for taking the time to send me detailed emails that always made me feel supported and safe at uni! Your positive attitude and consistent advice was extremely helpful! Thankyou!
<b>Lynmari Louw</b>	Secondary Education	I would thank Lynmari for always giving clarification as soon as possible and providing helpful tips! If I was ever confused I felt comfortable asking her and know she would have an answer or be able to refer me to someone who does.
<b>Andrew Allsopp</b>	Social Science	Thank you for always going the extra mile to make sure I understand and resolve any problems with settling into uni and for giving me extra information to help with my studies.
<b>Axel Anandito</b>	Social Science	Thanks for the guidance, throughout this semester.
<b>Emily Berry</b>	Urban and Regional Planning	Thank you so much for being my mentor, showing me around our buildings and uni in general. You have definitely made my first semester a much more pleasant experience with less hitches. <3



## Faculty of Science & Engineering

Mentor Name	Course	Message
Jacob Dennis	Actuarial Science	Cheers Jacob, hopefully we can get that coffee/hot chocolate one day.
Iman Kareem	Computer Science	I appreciate his patience and time he has spent with me and helped me through the challenges and problems
Kai Tong Teoh	Computer Science	Thanks for the emails, it means a lot. It tells that I have someone with me when I need help.
Christian Brunette	Computer Science	Thank you for being such an awesome mentor, even though we didn't have much contact! I'm sorry that the others didn't really get involved, however, you did help my transition into uni a little easier so thank you!
Blake Scantlebury	Medical Imaging Science	Blake, you're honestly such a top lad. Sorry for not replying to your emails, I still love ya and am forever grateful for your help. You the man
Louise Aquino	Medical Imaging Science	Hey Louise, thank you for always asking us on how we are doing in university. It really helped us and we felt that there is someone that we can ask for help. Wishing you all the best in life. Good luck and I know you can conquer all your future endeavours.
Louise Aquino	Medical Imaging Science	Thank you ever so much!!
Michael Zhang	Medical Imaging Science	Thank you for helping me ease into the course at the start of the year. You made us feel welcome and told us some good tips.
Bradly McMullan	Science - Agribusiness, Bio Chemistry, Chemistry, Environmental Biology, Marine & Coastal, Multi Disc, Nanotechnology, Physics	Cheers Brad you're a legend
Jaiden Cook	Science - Agribusiness, Bio Chemistry, Chemistry, Environmental Biology, Marine & Coastal, Multi Disc, Nanotechnology, Physics	Thank you for making some sense out of this crazy new world I've been thrown into.
Anjali Krishna	Engineering - Civil, Chemical, Computer Systems, Electrical, Mechanical, Mechatronic, Metallurgical, Petroleum	You were amazingly helpful in this especially difficult transition, just knowing there's someone there go help is comforting. Thank you Anjali.
Anjali Krishna	Engineering - Civil, Chemical, Computer Systems, Electrical, Mechanical, Mechatronic, Metallurgical, Petroleum	Thanks for the help with first sem
Deep Desai	Engineering - Civil, Chemical, Computer Systems, Electrical, Mechanical, Mechatronic, Metallurgical, Petroleum	Deep you're a lad.
Deep Desai	Engineering - Civil, Chemical, Computer Systems, Electrical,	THANKS



	Mechanical, Mechatronic, Metallurgical, Petroleum	
<b>Iman Kareem</b>	Engineering - Civil, Chemical, Computer Systems, Electrical, Mechanical, Mechatronic, Metallurgical, Petroleum	Thank you for looking after us Iman; you were the best thing for us, especially in the beginning! Ever-reliable, good fun and down-to-earth. You made settling into Uni a breeze and I would like to thank you for it!
<b>Iman Kareem</b>	Engineering - Civil, Chemical, Computer Systems, Electrical, Mechanical, Mechatronic, Metallurgical, Petroleum	Thanks
<b>Iman Kareem</b>	Engineering - Civil, Chemical, Computer Systems, Electrical, Mechanical, Mechatronic, Metallurgical, Petroleum	Thanks so much Iman for being not only a mentor but a friend
<b>Iman Kareem</b>	Engineering - Civil, Chemical, Computer Systems, Electrical, Mechanical, Mechatronic, Metallurgical, Petroleum	Hey Ironman, thanks for giving us all the sneaky tips and tricks about Curtin facilities like the EFY Studio and engineering pavillion, and for making my first semester at uni more light-hearted and fun.
<b>Iman Kareem</b>	Engineering - Civil, Chemical, Computer Systems, Electrical, Mechanical, Mechatronic, Metallurgical, Petroleum	Appreciate his time and patience
<b>Iman Kareem</b>	Engineering - Civil, Chemical, Computer Systems, Electrical, Mechanical, Mechatronic, Metallurgical, Petroleum	Hey Iman, thanks for all you did this sem in helping B3. The first couple weeks were ultra-confusing and nerve racking but you helped us with classes and what we should and shouldn't do when we are struggling. Thanks again for all your help!
<b>Luke Charlton</b>	Engineering - Civil, Chemical, Computer Systems, Electrical, Mechanical, Mechatronic, Metallurgical, Petroleum	Thanks Luke for the helpful tips and advice in regards to my first year, it's helped me a lot and made Uni much less stressful.
<b>Luke Charlton</b>	Engineering - Civil, Chemical, Computer Systems, Electrical, Mechanical, Mechatronic, Metallurgical, Petroleum	Thank you Luke, for all your support from the orientation day till today.



## UniReady

Mentor Name	Course	Message
Hannah McLay	UniReady	I really appreciate the support Hannah has offered me and enjoy her regular communications.
Jacinta Sutcliffe	UniReady	It was nice to have a safety net in case I needed to ask smaller questions but didn't want to bother the higher up people with it. It was also nice to see the emails come in for little tips and tricks about uni.
Kaitlyn Jones	UniReady	they have helped make my first time at uni less stressful with helpful suggestions and help
Kaitlyn Jones	UniReady	Hey, Kaitlyn. Thanks for being there for us and being a friend to all of us! It was a privilege to start out university journey with someone who is caring, welcoming and informative as yourself.
Ian Van Biezen	UniReady	Nice to get some grounding by a fellow mature aged student
Ian Van Biezen	UniReady	Thank you, Ian, for being there for me and help me getting through my first year. I am sure I asked you many questions via email and you typically responded very fast which made me feel very supported. You have been greatly helpful especially during the process of finishing my Assessment 2 in PWRP0001. You provided me with useful tips and offered me endless support through email. I did not regret opting to have a mentor to guide me through UniReady. Thank you very much and all the best!
Ian Van Biezen	UniReady	Thanks for giving great tips through weekly emails
Ian Van Biezen	UniReady	Although I didn't meet-up with Ian, I appreciated his weekly emails and the time that he put into being a mentor. Keep up the good work. It is a valuable programme.
Ian Van Biezen	UniReady	I appreciate him always making an effort to stay in contact with us and remind us what he is there for
Kaylee Pitts	UniReady	Thank you for helping me understand uni better!
Leone Lyonel	UniReady	I would like to say thank you to my mentor who has helped me on my first day on experiencing how a uni life would look. At first, I was very terrified and thought I was the only one experiencing that fear but when I discovered that Leone had that same experience as me when she started UniReady, I felt relieved and became more confident within myself knowing that I'm not alone on this. She gave me tips on how to survive the uni life and showed me around campus which helped me a lot when I first started the course in semester 1, 2017. Without my mentor's help, I would most likely be nervous a lot and may feel a little overwhelmed on the whole atmosphere of the uni life. I had a great experience on getting to know Leone and has made my uni life fun.