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New UTAS pathway to a career in engineering

Students from North West Tasmania have a new starting point to a career in engineering, with the introduction of the UTAS Bachelor of General Studies – Engineering Pathway at the Cradle Coast Campus in Burnie from first semester 2014.

The course will be launched at a UTAS hosted engineering industry dinner at the Makers' Workshop tonight (**Monday, November 25**).

The new pathway degree provides a supported introduction to university-level study in engineering. The one-year full time (or three-year part time) course is designed for students who wish to progress towards a Bachelor of Engineering at UTAS in either the Australian Maritime College or the Faculty of Science, Engineering and Technology.

UTAS Pro Vice-Chancellor Professor Janelle Allison says the new engineering pathway course at Cradle Coast Campus will support the career aspirations of local people and the development of employees to fulfill the future needs of regional industry.

“The new course provides an opportunity for people to work towards their goal of a career in engineering, ensuring their first steps are taken in an environment that will pave the way to a successful university experience,” Prof Allison explained.

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