



# GRIFFITH ENACTUS

Passion for Change

2017

4

Projects

5

Campuses

18

Partners

171

Active Students

3145

Hours Committed

4761

Directly Impacted





## Helping Hands

**10**

Partner  
Organisations

**115**

Students  
Interested

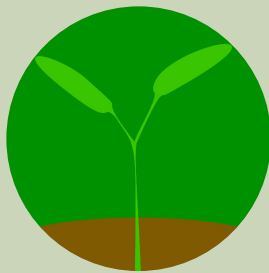
**1520**

Hours  
Committed

Helping Hands is the recruitment tool used by Griffith ENACTUS to engage and attract new student members. As our club members are multidisciplinary, Helping Hands events are typically one-off events led by student leaders who are passionate about a particular cause. These events enable like-minded students to work together on a project and make a positive difference.

This year Griffith ENACTUS has organised numerous Helping Hands events. One highlight being the Operation Christmas Child appeal where we created 86 care packages which were sent to children in Fiji. Similarly, the Treak Lesson Planning days where 17 students developed English language lessons for our partners in Cambodia were also highly successful.

Helping Hands allows us to engage with our community whilst developing professional skills. This structure further provides partner organisations with an avenue to work with our club in order to build upon their project outcomes. Helping Hands enables us to strengthen our portfolio of engagement, broaden our scope of outreach and collaborate with like-minded people in the community.



## Brambles

**3**

Partner  
Organisations

**37**

Students  
Interested

**107**

Hours  
Committed

This year the Brambles Food Waste Challenge and the CHEP grant, have inspired us to engaged in projects which aim to educate the community about food waste and assist community organisations in minimising waste. This year saw three main projects; an OzHarvest Film Screening and two ongoing Community Garden partnerships.

### Effective Empowerment

- Provides students and staff with skills and knowledge of food waste and sustainable solutions.
- Facilitates the sustainability of local initiatives including the Beelarong Community Farm, Nerang Community Garden, OzHarvest, and Griffith University food waste reduction plans.

### Livelihood Assets

#### Natural

- Inform students and staff on current food waste trends.
- Foster environmental sustainability through knowledge and hands on tools to manage food waste – worm farm and compost bin.

#### Human

- Educate Griffith University Students and Staff; local communities engaged in the Beelarong Community Farm and Nerang Community Garden; and local school children.

#### Social

- Educate Griffith University Students and Staff; local communities engaged in the Beelarong Community Farm and Nerang Community Garden; and local school children.

#### Financial

- Awareness of the cost of food waste allows Griffith students and staff, and the local community to save money by reducing unnecessary food purchases.
- Worked with Ozharvest to provide means from recycled food.
- Reduced cost of food through self-sustaining community farms.





## Mentors in Violence Prevention

**2**

Partner  
Organisations

**29**

Students  
Interested

**432**

Hours  
Committed

Domestic violence is currently at the forefront of discussion and Griffith ENACTUS continues to educate, inform and empower people in the community. 1 in 6 women and 1 in 20 men have experienced violence from a current or former partner since the age of 15. More than one woman dies each week from domestic violence. 95% of men and 80% of women have never contacted the police. Our MATES aims to provide a platform for discussion around this issue and empowers students to become active bystanders.

### Effective Empowerment

- Griffith ENACTUS is giving members of the community the tools to recognize and assist those suffering from domestic violence.

### Livelihood Assets Human

- Transfer of knowledge and skills in violence prevention to 26 people in 2016-2017.
- Direct empowerment of participants to make a difference through the Griffith Mates Club.
- Hosted public forum on domestic violence with 48 people attending.

### Social

- Broader network – MVP Facebook page.
- Program specifically tailored to promote a community comprised of a diverse range of participants.
- Reversal of typical isolating nature of gendered violence.
- Reducing stigma surrounding domestic violence issues.

### Financial

- Raised funds for the Centre Against Sexual Violence in Logan City.



## Float

**3**

Partner  
Organisations

**10**

Students  
Interested

**608**

Hours  
Committed

Griffith ENACTUS is working in partnership with Charlie Does Surf Shack, the Australian Embassy and Filipino training organisations to cultivate a sustainable and holistic water safety project in the Philippines.

Float focuses on youth water safety in coastal provinces and aims to create a generational change surrounding perceptions of beach culture. This generational change will be achieved through a three tier approach which encompasses learn to swim classes, school based education programs and surf lifesaving training in coastal provinces.

### Effective Empowerment

- Adopts a train the trainer approach to ensure sustainability
- Provides the community with a safe environment on the beach
- Connects independent organisations with common goals to develop collaborative networks with broader reach

### Livelihood Assets Human

- Educating locals to become internationally accredited surf life savers.
- Providing employment for locals who undergo the training.

### Social

- Bridges the gap between independent water safety organisations.
- Engages the local community to join a surf lifesaving club.
- Creates an international partnership.

### Financial

- Seeking local equipment and trainers to boost the incomes of those involved.
- Creating an infrastructure which supports a boost in tourism, and indirectly the potential for increased income.

# Budget

## Incoming

Source of Revenue	
University Support	\$15, 988
Donations	Nil
Team Entrepreneurial Activities	\$1, 028
Grants	\$1, 500
Other (membership fees)	\$480
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$18,996</b>

## Outgoing

Project Costs	
Helping Hands	\$1, 752
Brambles	\$610
MVP	\$64
Float	\$728
Other (inc. Nationals)	\$537
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$3, 691</b>

## Business Advisory Board

### Industry

Mr David Morgan  
Ms Peta Tilse

### Academic

Professor Alf Lizzio  
Professor Evan Douglas

### Administration

Dr Jeanne McConachie  
Ms Kim Holmes

### Alumni

Mr Chris Eigeland - Past President  
Ms Rebecca Curran - Past President  
Ms Lauren Griffin - Past President  
Mr Mike Bidwell - Past President  
Ms Brigid Buckley - Alumni Member  
Ms Inez Botta-Stanwell - Past President  
Ms Katelyn Pomroy - Past President  
Mr Rhys Harris - Alumni Member

## Media Exposure

**7962**

Media Reach



## Sustainability

**478**

Hours

- Three month shadowing period for new executive members to allow the transfer of institutional knowledge.
- Bi-annual team strategy and planning workshops with external facilitators.
- Targeted recruitment, resulting in a diverse array of students from every faculty of the university.
- Aligning Griffith Enactus with the Griffith University Graduate Statement as well as the Griffith Strategic Plan.

# Partners



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**VOLUNTEER BUILDING CAMBODIA**  
Improving the living conditions of local families

Non-logo partners include:

- Bridge to Brisbane
- Guinness World Records
- Mother Day Classic
- Pirate Week
- Relay for Life
- Charlie Does Surf Shack
- Australian Embassy
- Filipino Training

