

FOCUS ON CAREERS OF THE FUTURE

Apprenticeship, TAFE and university courses will evolve and develop as technology and our society evolves. The future is very bright and the world is certainly your oyster!

The Canadian Scholarship Trust Plan and foresight strategists recently came up with descriptions for jobs that may exist in 2030. Apart from jobs that haven't been invented yet, they have predicted what jobs may be like for occupations such as teaching, plumbing, etc., <http://careers2030.cst.org/jobs/>

Interesting job titles include:

- Nostalgist
- Telesurgeon
- Rewilder
- Simplicity Expert
- End of Life Therapist

Futurist Morris Miselowski predicts that by 2050, 60% of people will be doing jobs that don't currently exist. He predicts we could be working in jobs such as:

- Transhumanist Designer/Engineer
- Nano Medic
- Memory Augmentation Surgeon
- Ethics Lawyer
- Weather Controller
- Spaceport Traffic Control

He believes that many jobs will focus on technology and the human body- improving health and extending human life, <http://bit.ly/RN7wip>

Whilst many of these jobs focus on science and technology, all jobs will be affected and will either become obsolete or undergo significant changes.

Whilst in school, it is crucial that you engage in your studies and keep an open mind about the future. What you aim to be doing in even 5 years, may not be what you will actually be doing.

Just remember the mantra- change is constant and access your allies to assist you to navigate through your career.

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According to the Foundation for Young Australian's, the world of work will look vastly different to the world of work you currently experience. Robotics, automation, artificial intelligence, working remotely, and increase in digital work...many things will change - even within the next 10 years.

According to their recent New Work Smarts report, you can expect the following to occur by 2030:

- Automation and globalization will change what we do in every job.
- Within the next 10 years, many jobs will no longer exist
- Teenagers can expect to work for an average of 17 employers over their lifetime across 5 different careers.
- Workers will spend 100% more time solving problems, 30% more time learning and 77% more time using STEM skills (science, technology, maths, engineering) than the same jobs demand now.
- Workers will spend more time getting value out of technology and use more digital skills (e.g., updating websites)
- Workers will be more flexible and independent in the workplace.
- With globalization, more workers will collaborate with people around the world.
- Workers will spend less time on routine and manual tasks due to automation, and more time focused on people, solving strategic problems and thinking creatively.

You can download the report at this link - <http://bit.ly/2uE1V2e>

