

PEOPLE CAPACITY BUILDING AND RETENTION – LIVESTOCK 2020

Priority Issue

Strengthen the human skill set across all sectors of the livestock industries

Actions Required

1. Implement an Industry Skills Audit to determine current and future industry needs.
2. Formulate a strategy to identify common skills required across different industries and opportunities for remote workforce.
3. Formulate a strategy to promote careers in the industry to young people.
4. Formulate a strategy to identify and develop professional development pathways in the industry.

Potential Partners

- Cattle Council Australia
- Sheep Producers Australia
- State Farmer Organisations
- Agri Skills Australia
- All Rural RDC's
- Regional Unis and TAFE
- Corporate entities such as Elders, Paraway Pastoral, AACo etc

Comments:

- A producer perspective how can we apportion extra returns to management rather than put it in capital gain?
Need schools in the partners, to help deal with the culture of Ag not valuing education.
- Advisors in ag space – need to have a pipeline of advisors (work in this space with Livestock Consulting Internship (LCI) program through MLA Donor Company)