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Media Release

Applications open for rewarding graduate career pathway with Local Land Services

Applications are now open for the third intake of the Local Land Services graduate program.

Local Land Services is looking for the next generation of graduates to continue its important work protecting, supporting and enhancing local communities, agricultural industries and the environment in NSW.

There are 10 positions available for graduates to make a positive impact in the natural resource management, agriculture and veterinary science fields.

Through the program, graduates will get on-the-ground experience where they can connect with landholders, put their university degrees into practice and work closely with Local Land Services staff, including a dedicated and experienced mentor for each graduate.

Many graduates have been able to kickstart their career through the program, which can open pathways for future positions within the agency.

Penrith-based Graduate District Veterinarian Liz Polley said no two days were the same in her diagnostic focused role, which she described as “unconventional” with exposure to a variety of experiences.

“I’ve been part of disease investigations, emergency responses and welfare cases,” Liz said.

“It has definitely been lively, and I have felt very accomplished through my work.”

Natural resource management Graduate Rachel Faulkner, who works out of Albury on a range of projects, from erosion intervention to carbon-neutral farming workshops, echoed these sentiments.

“I have loved every moment of the graduate program,” Rachel said.

“I am part of an amazing, motivational, and supportive team, learning something different and exciting each day.”

Applications for the 2025 Graduate Program will be open until 15 September 2024 via [I Work for NSW](#).

Successful applicants will start the 12-month program in February. [Visit the website](#) for more information.

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