

## GTEA Finalists

### Charles Sturt University

"The curriculum is impressively designed and undergoes regular constructive alignment with industry practice and backward mapping between learning outcomes and assessment activities, with specific graduate attributes in mind."

### ETH Zurich

"A variety of strategic and on-the-ground interventions are in play, many of which are extremely impressive, differentiated and hold much promise to change the culture of teaching leadership, excellence in teaching and student support."

### Falmouth University

"Falmouth's strengths lie in its close and meaningful connection to its region, its considerable success as an institution that produces entrepreneurial students, and its commitment to improving student information and curriculum clarity."

### The Open University

"The sheer figures and dispersion of the student base calls for unique skills and processes in relation to delivery and engagement."

### Trinity Laban Conservatoire of Music and Dance

"A strong application from a vocationally driven institution that blurs the traditional relationship of teaching and learning into a community of practice whose boundaries start before, during and after candidature."

### University of Derby

"Committed to enhancing students' learning experience, with a number of new initiatives recently introduced. A variety of strategic and on-the-ground interventions are in play, many of which are extremely impressive."

### Universidad Pontificia Comillas

"There is a very clear and deep commitment to fostering the full, holistic development of students. The evidence provided shows that teaching is taken very seriously."

### University of Hertfordshire

"University of Hertfordshire stands out by embracing diversity at scale through a values-driven mission and an impressive strategic focus on teaching excellence and rewarding people."

### University of Johannesburg

"The university's commitment to social responsibility and facilitating opportunities for a university education, implemented through an extensive programme of student support, is exemplary."

### University of New South Wales

"The submission presented a coherent case for educational excellence – this is clearly something that is a key strategic priority for the university."

### Vancouver Island University

"The institution's commitment to social responsibility, and particularly to indigenous people, shines through the submission."

## GTEA Spotlight Award Winners

### Royal Northern College of Music

Commended for the uniqueness and quality of the pedagogy and support for students, integrating theory with professional practice.

### University of Wollongong

Commended for cultivating a culture amongst staff and students that continuously promotes and supports learning and teaching.

### University of Birmingham

Commended for having an exemplary vision for achieving teaching excellence across the whole institution.

### Universidad de Deusto

Commended for the well-established, integrated, and directed educational model, fostering independence and critical thinking for all students.

### Edge Hill University

Commended for the quality of its support and engagement infrastructure for students.

## GTEA 2018 Winner

### McMaster University

"An outstanding application. McMaster's submission reminds us of the university's long track record of support for exemplary teaching and learning, and in particular how it has pioneered new approaches that have gone on to be taken up elsewhere."