Peer Mentoring @ UNSW - 2018

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Peer Mentoring Programs in 2018

1,433
Mentors in 2018 (20% increase compared to 2017)

4,689
Mentees in 2018 (9% increase compared to 2017)

**IMPACT**: 

99% of Mentees who regularly engaged with the program would recommend to a first year student to join a Peer Mentoring program

97% of Mentees who regularly engaged with the program feel that participating in Peer Mentoring Program made their transition to university easier

94% of Mentees who regularly engaged with the program feel that participating in Peer Mentoring Program helped them feel a part of the university community

*as described by students in S1 2018 evaluation survey [https://student.unsw.edu.au/peermentoring](https://student.unsw.edu.au/peermentoring)
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What Students Think?

Top 3 Benefits of Being a Mentor *:
1. Improved Communication Skills
2. Improved Leadership Skills
3. Making Social Contacts/Friends

Top 3 Benefits of Having a Mentor *:
1. Knowing I had someone to ask if I needed to
2. Accessing university services and resources
3. Understanding what is required of me to be successful at university

Mentors Say ...
"Often we forget how lost we used to be at the beginning, but small tips and advice often happen to be exactly what the Mentees wanted to find out so regular talking and meeting was helpful"
JD Mentoring Program
Mentor, S1 2018

Mentees Say ...
“At first when I came to Uni, I was scared. But meeting all the Cultural Mentors, I realized that everyone was exactly like me. It made me feel so much better that there are people who have been in my position and can help me out through the transitioning phase"
Cultural Mentoring Program
Mentee, S1 2018

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