



# WOMEN IN AGRI-TECH

Increasing participation in the future of farming

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We aim to increase the participation of girls and women in STEM, digital literacy and entrepreneurship through the use of agri-tech.

- To inspire and empower girls into agri-tech education and careers pathways.
- Enable women educators to confidently assume roles in senior leadership positions and be champions of STEM, digital literacy and entrepreneurship in their schools.

## 4 FACTS ABOUT WOMEN IN AGRICULTURE



TOTAL WORKFORCE

50%

Women represent half of the broader workforce in Australia.



AGRICULTURAL WORKFORCE

30%

In agriculture, females make up only 30% of employees.



AG BOARD REPRESENTATION

18%

Just 18% of board members at agricultural corporations are women.



AGRICULTURAL SMALL BUSINESS MANAGEMENT

14%

Only 14% of people in management roles in agricultural businesses are women.

Women are largely under represented in the agricultural industries, we hope to solve that.



### Our Programs

#### Developing Agri-tech Skills in Female Teachers

- Participate in the 'Women in agri-tech symposium'
- Receive a \$1,500 scholarship to develop an agri-tech learning module
- Cultivate networks between female leaders in agri-tech and educators

#### Agri-tech Innovation Competition

- Develop and deliver a unique learning module
- Female teachers and students to join together to participate in an agri-tech accelerator completion
- Winners to take part in a agri-tech focussed boot camp

### What do the past participants say?

You made me aware of all this ag technology that I didn't know about and I came back from the symposium motivated.

I was just blown away with the expertise you brought and taught to us, it was awe-inspiring, actually.

I've found so many more things to make the kids excited that I'm looking forward to teaching them.



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