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# TAFE Community Alliance Forum

We invite you to join us at the TAFE Community Alliance **Illawarra Region Forum**. We will be discussing how the state government's funding cuts and new funding model will affect TAFE provision in NSW, what our communities stand to lose and how we can maintain TAFE as the major public Vocational Education and Training (VET) provider.

**Date:** Tuesday 21 May 2013

**Time:** 11:00 to 12:00 midday – stay on for refreshments

**Venue:** **Wollongong City Council Function Room  
Level 9 Wollongong Council Administration Building  
41 Burelli Street  
Wollongong**

**Speakers:** **The Hon Sharon Bird MP**  
Minister for Higher Education and Skills  
Member for Cunningham  
**Gordon Bradbery**  
Lord Mayor of Wollongong  
**Jozefa Sobski**  
Former TAFE Institute Director  
**Arthur Rorris**  
Secretary South Coast Labour Council

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TAFE is too important to lose