

You are welcome

Membership is open to all women who hold a degree, diploma or equivalent qualification from a University or recognised tertiary institution in Australia or overseas.

Employment in a University or any other location is not a requirement.

Degrees, diplomas or equivalent qualifications that are awarded by a university or equivalent institution in any country are recognised as a qualification for membership.

Members enjoy automatic membership of Graduate Women Qld Inc. www.gwq.org.au Australia Federation of Graduate Women Inc. www.afgw.org.au and International Federation of University Women www.ifuw.org – the Federation’s state, federal and international bodies.

Before joining you are welcome to attend a few meetings.

The Darling Downs Branch of Graduate Women Qld welcomes all women who support its purposes and objectives.

The membership form is available from the website of Graduate Women Queensland www.gwq.org.au

What do we stand for?

Members of the Darling Downs Branch are committed to:

- the promotion of friendship and understanding among women of the world irrespective of their race, nationality, religion or political opinions
- the right of women and girls to reach their full potential through education
- lifelong education of women and girls
- peace, justice and equality
- the recognition and protection of human rights

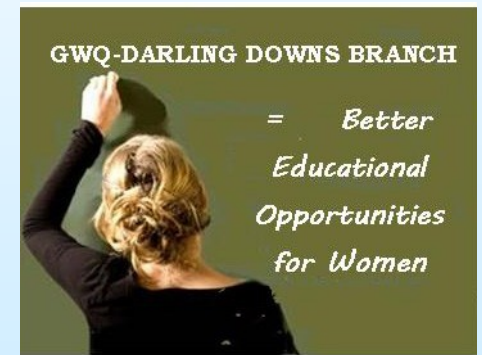
Members of AFGW Inc., and therefore, the Darling Down Branch of GWQ Inc. view education as essential for:

- Empowering Women
- Reducing Poverty
- Improving Health
- Supporting Human Rights
- Maintaining Human Security
- Building Peace



Graduate Women Qld

DARLING DOWNS BRANCH



Working together to improve the status of women locally, nationally and internationally

Graduate Women Qld (Darling Downs Branch)

The Darling Downs Branch of Graduate Women Qld is a Branch of Graduate Women Qld (GWQ). GWQ is affiliated with the Australian Federation of Graduate Women Inc (AFGW), one of the 62 member nations of the International Federation of University Women (IFUW), which has consultative status with the United Nations and its specialised agencies, including UNESCO and ECOSOC.

IFUW is the leading girls' and women's global organization run by, and for women, advocating for women's rights, equality and empowerment through access to quality education and training up to the highest levels www.ifuw.org

Australian Federation of Graduate Women (AFGW) is the national voice of graduate women working for the advancement and well-being of women and girls through education. www.afgw.org.au

The **Darling Downs Branch** is a network of women graduates, living on the Darling Downs, who primarily meet for friendship, mutual support and intellectual stimulation.

Thank you for your interest in the Darling Downs Branch of Graduate Women Qld.

We welcome new members and the unique contribution they can make.

Members come from diverse cultural, social and professional backgrounds within Australia and overseas.

Please contact us for further information and to find out more about the Branch.

We look forward to hearing from you!.

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Contact us:

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What do we do?

The Darling Downs Branch of Graduate Women Qld seeks members who are interested in:

- Attending informal social gatherings;
- Joining a Book Group;
- Organising activities that bring women together in fellowship and facilitate information exchange;
- Offering bursaries to women in their final year of a Bachelor degree at:
 - University of Southern Queensland
 - Gatton campus, The University of Queensland
- Networking for new graduates and women in the workforce;
- Researching current issues impacting on women's lives in Queensland and elsewhere;
- Providing input to the Queensland organisation on issues related to the education of women.