

ATN CONGRATULATES SENATOR SARAH HENDERSON ON APPOINTMENT AS SHADOW EDUCATION MINISTER

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ATN Universities congratulates Senator Sarah Henderson on being appointed Shadow Minister for Education.

“This is a critical year for higher education, and we look forward to working closely with Senator Henderson in this portfolio,” said ATN Executive Director, Luke Sheehy.

Mr Sheehy also paid tribute to the work by outgoing Shadow Minister for Education, Alan Tudge, during his time in government.

“We have appreciated our strong working relationship with Mr Tudge and commend his personal championing of the Trailblazer University Program and research commercialisation measures during his time as Minister.”

ATN Universities also extends congratulations to David Coleman on his return to the Opposition front bench, to the role of Shadow Communications Minister.

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