



# Perth Shapers Hub Newsletter

**March 2016**

The past 29 months have seen the Perth Shapers Hub establish itself as a meaningful group of young people achieving social impact for the West Australian community. We have proudly grown to one of the leading groups of shapers in the world.

A recent recruitment drive has increased our membership to nineteen passionate young people. Read their stories [here](#).

Our publications, opinion pieces and feature articles can be found [here](#).

I am delighted to present you with our half-yearly newsletter outlining some highlights from the Perth Shapers community. Please feel free to [contact us](#) at any time or connect via [social media](#).

Kind regards,

John van Bockxmeer, *Shapers Hub Communications Manager*





### Perth SOUP

Perth SOUP is a micro-granting dinner celebrating and supporting creative projects in Perth. For a \$10 donation, attendees receive soup, salad, bread and a vote and hear from four presentations who receive the donations as financial support. Our last event saw 75 people attend. 'Love Langford' was voted the most impressive, this project unites and bridges the gap in the community and surrounding suburbs by providing free weekly meals to members of the community.

Next soup being served on [7th](#) June.



### Unpresentation Series- Feb 16

The unpresentation series is a sequence of informal fireside chats with leading change makers. Our second event saw Jan Owen, CEO of the Foundation for Young Australians discuss the value of young people investing in their community. The event was hosted in the Victoria Park [MiniLab](#), a collaboration space



### Meet a Shaper: Tawanda

Tawanda co-founded a magazine to educate and inspire skilled migrants and students to explore entrepreneurial skills while tackling the social issues migrant communities face. He is the Managing Director of [Market Social](#), a non profit that connects students to other not-for-profits to help them discover their vocational potential while creating a positive social difference. Read his [full biography](#).



### Hub Recruitment

The Perth Global Shapers Hub is growing and we want you to [join us](#)! Being a global shaper gives you access to an incredible global network of peers, travel and the ability to connect with others in Perth to make a difference.

Becoming a Global Shaper entails a genuine commitment of your time and energy. Shapers communicate by email and are expected to attend a minimum of 60% of monthly meetings

for changemakers that is run by the [enkel](#) collective.

and hold one or more project roles. Apply [here](#).

Read our full review of the first unpresentation series event here on our [website](#).



### **Apply to be a Shaper**

The Perth Global Shapers Hub is growing and we want you to join us! Being a global shaper gives you access to an incredible global network of peers, travel and the ability to connect with others in Perth to make a difference. To find out more about our application process please click [here](#).

### **Who are the Perth Global Shapers?**

The [Global Shapers Community](#) is a network of over 400 city-based Hubs developed and led by young people united by a common desire to help build a more peaceful and inclusive world.

The [Perth Global Shapers Hub](#) (“Hub”) was founded in September 2013 after an extensive search for Perth’s brightest individuals with a passion for social impact. The Hub brings together a diverse group of young people passionate about creating positive change who are selected based on their achievements, commitment and leadership potential.

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