



Australian Government

TCSI TERTIARY COLLECTION
OF STUDENT INFORMATION

TCSI Provider Webinar

Wednesday 26 October 2022

Agenda

- Website update
- HE Staff data verification
- HE Student data verification
- New HE initiatives for TCSI in 2023



Website update



HE staff data verification

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- Staff data and staff verification reports are not yet available in TCSI Analytics
- The verification period will be announced after the tools are available
- Submitted data can be reviewed by requesting a data extract
- Staff records can be updated as many times as needed
 - Deletions must be requested via TCSI support





HE student data verification

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2021:

- Collection due to be finalised - signed off data will be visible in the “verified” reports in TCSI Analytics
- Analysis underway

2022:

- Planning a due date of 15 May 2023
- Scheduled validations should be addressed throughout the year to reduce gaps in data
- Lessons learned can be shared with TCSI Support





Potential changes in TCSI to support upcoming initiatives

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Higher Education providers:

- USI for graduating students

Providers offering Commonwealth Supported Places

- Removal of 10% discount

Universities and university colleges:

- Startup Year

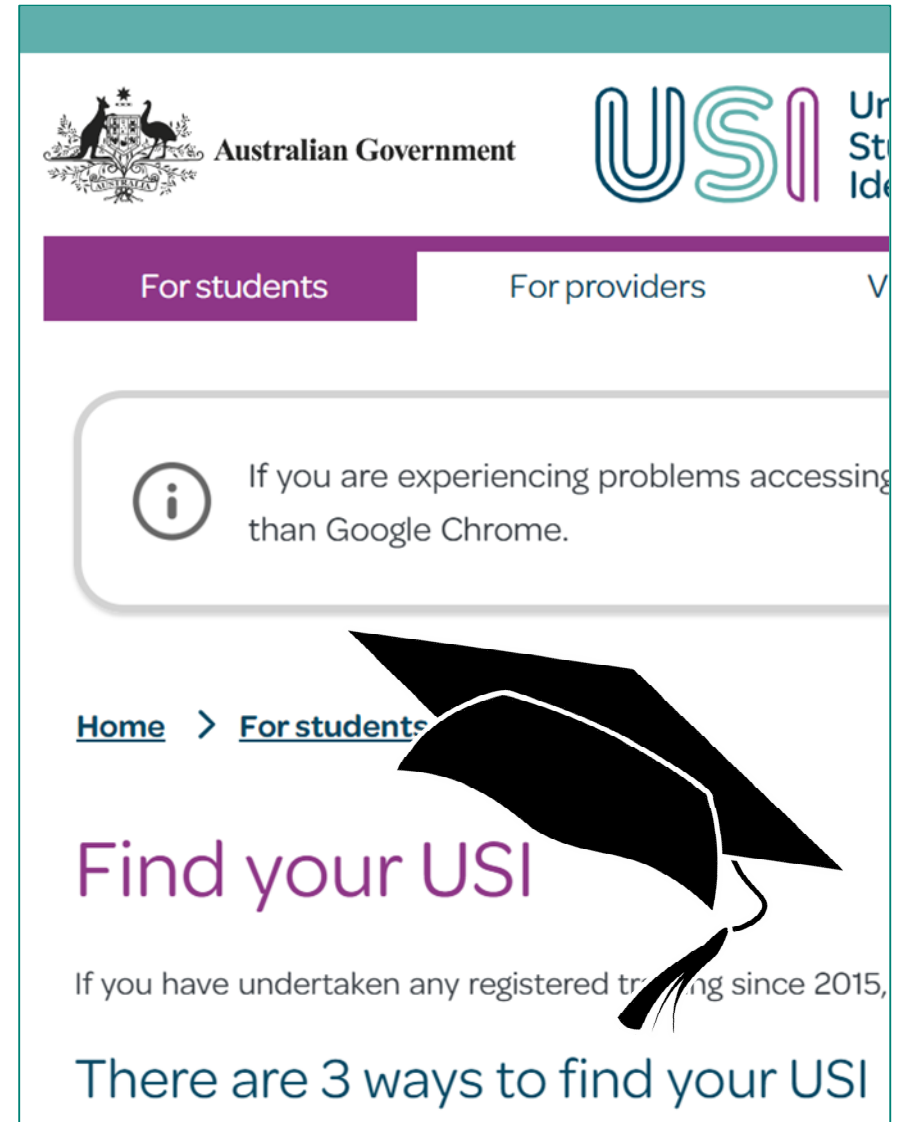
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USI for graduating students

From 1 January 2023, **all higher education students** must have a USI in order to graduate and receive their award.

This includes:

- students who started before 2021
- onshore international students
- students requesting SA-HELP assistance.

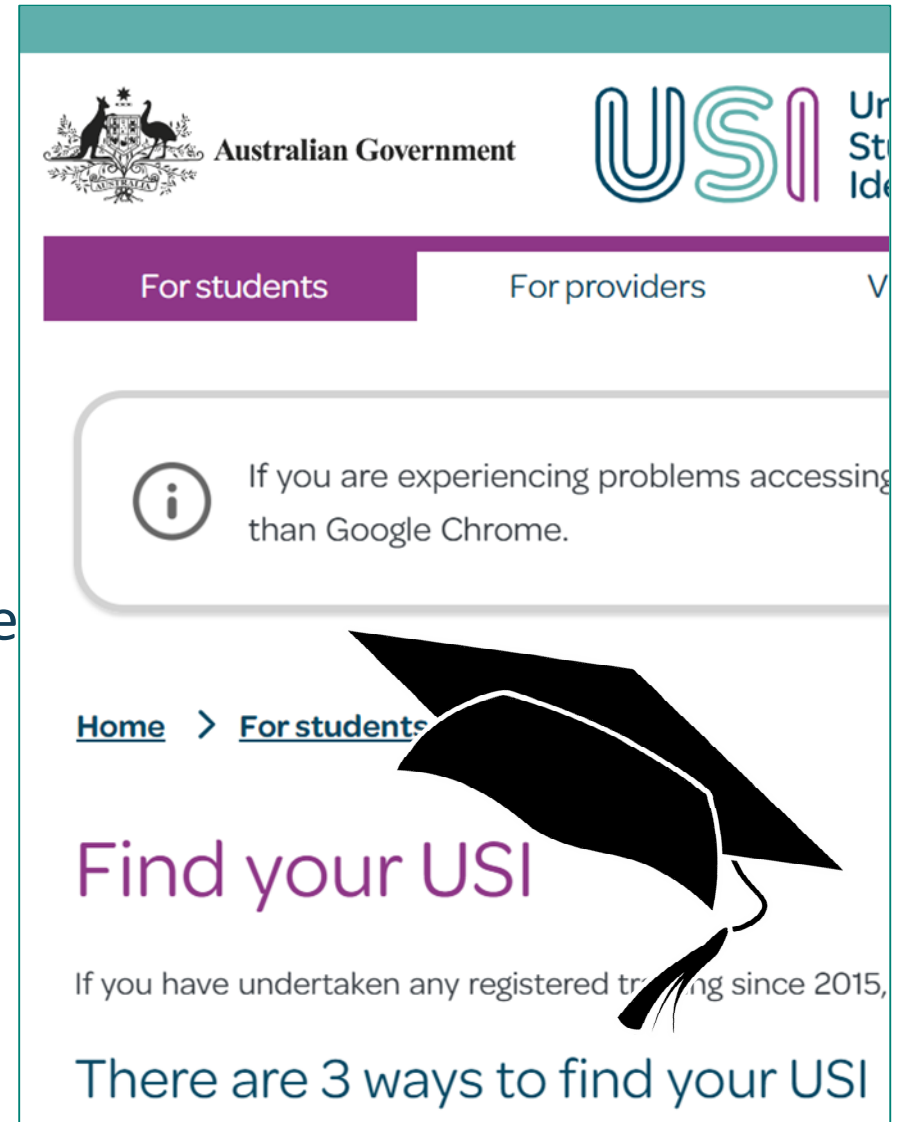


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RTV error logic:

If a student at a provider (UID8) is reported with a Course Outcome Date (E592) on or after 1 January 2023 and has an active Citizen Resident Code (E358) of '1', '2', '3', '4' or '8' (Domestic and international onshore students) then the student's Unique Student Identifier (E584) should have a status of 'verified'.



The screenshot shows the Australian Government USI website. At the top, there is the Australian Government crest and the text 'Australian Government' on the left, and the 'USI' logo with 'Un St Ide' on the right. Below this is a navigation bar with 'For students' (highlighted in purple) and 'For providers'. A message box states: 'If you are experiencing problems accessing than Google Chrome.' Below the navigation bar, there is a breadcrumb trail: 'Home > For students'. The main heading is 'Find your USI' in purple. Below this, it says 'If you have undertaken any registered training since 2015,' and 'There are 3 ways to find your USI'. A black graduation cap icon is positioned to the right of the text.

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Scheduled validation:

For a student who has an active Citizen Resident Code (E358) of '1', '2', '3', '4' or '8' (Domestic and international onshore students) on the Course Outcome Date (E592), where the Course Outcome Date (E592) reported is on or after 1 January 2023, , then the Unique Student Identifier (E584) must not be blank (null) and must be verified.

The notification will remain on the providers “provider notifications” report until the USI have been verified.



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Removal of the HECS-HELP upfront discount

- For providers offering Commonwealth Supported Places (CSP)
- Awaiting Legislation

Students who defer all or part of their student contribution

If a student defers even part of the student contribution for a unit enrolment, then all unit enrolments for the student on the census date would be reported with E490 = '201'.



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Students who pay their student contribution upfront in full

Option 1: Providers report E490 = '204' for students who pay the full student contribution amount upfront for all unit enrolments on a census date.

Option 2: Providers continue to report E490 = '203' for students who pay the full student contribution amount upfront for all unit enrolments on a census date.

Please email your feedback (preferred option and reason for preference) to TCSI Support by COB 4 November 2022



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Startup Year

New initiative announced in the Budget:

- For universities and university colleges
- See page 95 in [Budget Paper No. 2](#)

The [Startup Year program](#) is out for policy consultation due Tuesday, 15 November 2022.



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Startup Year

Possible system changes

- Course of study type code (E310) - new value
- Student status code (E490) - new value(s)
- Startup Year loan balances should be visible to providers:
 - API
 - TCSI Data Entry
 - myHELPbalance



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