

## **UniFiji Hosts Careers Expo for Students**

The University of Fiji held a Careers Expo at the Saweni Campus on October 24, 2018. Human Resources personnel from four companies namely Blue Gas, CJ Patel, Web Media and Signs and Ernst and Young spoke to students. This initiative was taken by the Marketing Department of The University of Fiji.

Careers Expo is useful for students as well as new graduates to look for career opportunities in the job market. This is when corporate companies come and speak to students about graduate attributes as well as interview them for prospective positions at their companies.

Careers Expos helps achieve the University's role to provide lifelong learning opportunities to all through a student-friendly environment with creative thinking and innovative values to advance knowledge-based development.

The Companies in attendance addressed the students on important soft skills that were essential in a graduate including interviews skills, management of time, having the right attitude towards work, punctuality and much more. Students were also able to send in their expressions of interest together with resume and transcripts for prospective positions in the companies.

Westpac Lautoka Branch and P Meghji also provided information on the current vacancies and application procedures to the students indirectly vis-a-vis emails, brochures and phone conversations

Approximately 50 final year students from the Accounting, Management, Finance, Information Technology, Language and Science disciplines participated in the Expo.

The University conveys its sincere gratitude to the Companies for making the Expo a success.