

**Ann Tunstall (DCG, MCDI)**

Since 2012 I have worked as an independent Careers Adviser and secured contracts through direct and sub-contracted delivery with schools, colleges and individual clients, whilst also delivering advice and guidance assessment activities.

I have 17 years' experience in a variety of roles such as Careers Adviser, Team Leader and Area Manager. I have also worked in Australia as a University Careers Counsellor on/off campus, then a Careers Co-ordinator role in a UK school, before returning back to delivering Careers Guidance. I have delivered Morrisby Profiling and recently have achieved my Internal Quality Assurers award.

Highlights of my career have been setting up a regional one stop Connexions Centre, achieving local quality standards award for my school careers education programme, developing an online higher education careers unit and E-Guidance in Australia, and most recently developing my own business, which was awarded The Matrix Quality Standard for advice and guidance services in December 2013.

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Being an independent Careers Adviser, CDI membership enables me to feel part of a network of professionals, whilst also helps me to keep up to date with sector developments through a range of CDI communications.

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