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Hello,

Welcome to the first edition of Future Perfect for 2018.

Read about Saeid Khayam, an English teacher whose bravery has led to a ground breaking new legal precedent for workers on fixed term contracts.

Also, positive changes to the conditions of employees covered by the Modern Award.

Why not send this youtu.be/PhmGxp_aD6c on to your colleagues and if they're not members, talk to them about [joining the IEU](#).

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ChangeTheRules

ACTU has been pushing a campaign to 'Change the Rules' for workers.

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Teacher sets legal precedent

Teachers and other employees on fixed term contracts now have the right to apply for an unfair dismissal determination from the industrial umpire.

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Award modernisation

Positive changes are starting to happen for employees on the Modern Award.

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Agreements afoot

In recent months, your Union has finalised agreements at three colleges, while bargaining continues at two others.

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- ✓ better pay and conditions
- ✓ a professional voice: through representation, social media and advocacy
- ✓ industrial advice and support
- ✓ support and payment recovery: in the last five years IEU recovered nearly \$20 million for members
- ✓ PD on a range of topics helping teachers to keep accreditation up to date
- ✓ a strong network with industrially and socially aware colleagues locally and globally
- ✓ representation in industrial tribunals and courts on work related matters
- ✓ publications: professional journals plus newspapers
- ✓ teacher exchange: spend a year working overseas
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