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Cutting Edge Courses with Quality Choices
Dear Student,

It is an exciting time to be a student considering career options in a modern world of emerging and traditional industries.

Our government is committed to growing the capacity of the state’s training system to deliver the skills needed to grow Queensland’s economy and provide students like you with a brighter future.

With this in mind, we established the first-ever industry led review of the Vocational Education and Training sector in 2012 to inform the government’s five year action plan for the training sector – the biggest reform the sector has seen to date.

Training underpins economic growth for the nation and a good solid career path with better rewards for individuals. For a strong and vibrant economy Queenslanders must have access to quality training linked to the needs of industry and business, which is why we are supporting you to attain skills that lead to employment. By opening the training sector to increased market-based competition and prioritising qualifications and pathways we are securing our state’s economic and social future.

Almost 300,000 students throughout the state undertake training annually through one of the 500 plus training providers approved for state government funding, and more than 75 per cent of these are training at a Certificate III or above level. The skills needs of any economy is dynamic and the training available must be the same.

Importantly, quality training offers real opportunities for individual security and prosperity, whether you are a school leaver, a student, trainee or apprentice, or someone who is up skilling or wanting to change careers.

I wish you every success in your career endeavours.

Hon. John-Paul Langbroek MP
Minister for Education, Training and Employment

Dear Prospective Student,

If you are thinking of undertaking study soon, then there is no better place than with the Private Training Providers who are members of ACPET in Queensland.

ACPET is the national industry association for providers of private education and training – the choice of millions of students each year throughout Australia and overseas. ACPET members listen to the student voice, take time to structure their programs to give students a study/life balance and work closely with industry to ensure that the skills you develop will meet the needs employers require today and into the future.

Private providers are popular for their flexibility and the variety of choices they provide across a wide range of industries as well as hard-to-find specialist courses. Teachers are experienced and committed and tend to be industry professionals themselves which ensures student demands are the number one priority.

ACPET members adhere to a strict Code of Ethics and have access to the best professional development for all of their staff. To make sure you choose a high quality private college start by looking for the ACPET logo.

I wish you all the best with your study endeavours as you navigate your way through this wonderful catalogue of training options which will prepare you for the world of work or enhance your current career opportunities.

Regards
Jenny Field
National ACPET Board Member and Chair of Queensland State Committee
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Study Tips

1. **Find your study space**
   Find a space that works best for you. It may be studying in a quiet place, listening to music, working alone or with others, at home, on campus, or in the local library.

2. **Be organised**
   Make sure you have any materials and equipment you need in your study space so you don’t have to break your concentration to find them.

3. **Clear your mind**
   If you’ve got a lot on your mind take a moment to write yourself some notes about what you’re thinking about before you start studying. Put these notes aside to deal with later. This will help to clear your mind and focus all your thoughts on your study.

4. **Get motivated**
   Think about what your studies will mean for you and where they can take you. The end result will help you stay motivated. You might like to find a quote, an image or something that represents success for you and put it somewhere you can see it while you’re studying.

5. **Plan your time and use it well**
   Plan when you will study and how you can make the most of your study time. Use a calendar, a list of dates or a wall planner to keep track of due dates. Plan ahead. Date-claim study time each week for the whole term/semester. Do the most challenging work when you’re feeling your best. Save the easy stuff for when you’re tired. Set yourself time limits for tasks and follow or review them.

6. **Know your learning style**
   Most of us have a preferred way of learning. Get to know your learning style and try to study in the ways you learn best. Auditory learners learn by listening. Visual learners learn by seeing. Tactile/kinesthetic learners learn by doing.

7. **Use your notes and make your own study materials**
   Taking detailed notes will save you lots of time later. Re-writing and adding to your notes is a great way to revise what you’ve learned.

8. **Test yourself**
   Don’t wait for an assessment to test your knowledge – test yourself first. Get a friend or family member to quiz you on key concepts. It’s a great way to get confident with what you do know and find out what you still need to learn.

**Come up with your own strategies**

Remember – these tips are only some of the things that you can do to get the most out of your study. There might be other things that work even better for you. Ask around – find out what your friends do when they’re studying – maybe some of their tricks will work for you too! Your teachers will also have some good advice.
Preparing for a job interview

1. Research the jobs you’re applying for
   Find out as much as you can about the jobs you are applying for and the companies you are applying to. The more you know, the more you can use in your interviews. Find out about what companies do, how they function, where they operate and what they value.

2. Make your resume standout
   Make sure your resume is current and well presented. Your resume is a preview of you, your achievements to date and what you offer. Some jobs may require a portfolio of your recent work.

3. Preparing yourself for an interview and questions
   Prepare yourself by thinking about what questions you might be asked at an interview and how you could best answer them. Never be afraid to sell your skills and abilities to do the job you are applying for. Prepare a list of questions you might want to ask. Remember the interview is also your chance to discover if you want the job on offer.

4. The day of the interview
   - Dress to suit the position you have applied for.
   - Know exactly where your interview is taking place.
   - Arrive 10 minutes early so you can gather your thoughts and relax.
   - Practice key points you want to make during the interview.
   - Make sure you bring a copy of your resume, and your portfolio if one is required.

Starting your first job? Here are some helpful tips

1. Learn to do your job well by learning from others.
2. Be on time and be prepared to work longer when required.
3. Dress appropriately for your job.
4. Always be productive and seek feedback on how well you are doing.
5. Show a positive attitude.
6. Take Initiative, respect positive criticism and always think ahead.
7. Remember that attitude is everything.
How to use this Guide

The Study Guide has been designed to make it easier for you to find the course that meets your learning needs. The contents page lists the fields of study so, once you have found a course that you are interested in, you can find out more by visiting the college web links provided. If you have any questions, or would like more information, just phone or email any of the colleges.

Asking the right questions can help you make the right decisions about the courses and colleges that are just right for you. The list below will help you.

What questions should I be asking?

• Are there any entry requirements for this course?
• What does the course cost?
• When and how do I make payments?
• Are there any extra costs (e.g. for uniforms, internet, printing, student card, text books) that aren’t included in the course costs?
• Do you offer FEE-HELP or VET FEE-HELP or are there any other funding supports available?
• How long does the course usually take?
• When do courses start and finish?
• How is the course delivered?
• Do I attend classes on campus, work online or learn in other ways?
• Where is the campus for the course located?
• What facilities are there on-campus e.g. library, student café?
• How many students are in each group?
• Do you recognise any qualifications, skills and experiences that I already have for this course?
• Are employers looking for people who have done this course to start working for them?
• Do you help me to find a job once I have completed the course?
• Do you offer a work placement or an internship as a part of this course?
• Who will be teaching me? What are their qualifications and industry experiences?
• How do you support students’ learning if they need extra help?
• Can I get help with language and math if I need it?

Useful Websites

www.jobsearch.gov.au
JobSearch is Australia’s largest free online jobs website. It assists job seekers looking for employment and employers looking for staff.

www.myfuture.edu.au
MyFuture is Australia’s national career information and exploration service. It helps people to make career decisions, plan career pathways and manage work transitions.

www.myskills.gov.au
MySkills helps you to search for information on different qualifications, training providers and available financial assistance.

www.training.gov.au
Helps you search for nationally recognised qualifications and the Registered Training Organisations who deliver them.

www.humanservices.gov.au
Helps you with information about, and access to social and health-related payments and services.

www.teqsa.gov.au
TEQSA can help you with information about receiving a high quality education at any Australian higher education provider.

If you would like ACPET staff to help you to use the guide or if you can’t find the course you are after, please email qld@acpet.edu.au, and they will put you in contact with the best person to help you.
### Course: Diploma of Beauty Therapy  
#### College: Australian National College of Beauty  
**Code:** SIB50110  
**Web:** [www.ancb.edu.au](http://www.ancb.edu.au)

The Australian National College of Beauty (ANCN), nurtures passion for beauty therapy and guides students towards a fulfilling and exciting career in as little as one year. ANCN prepares graduates for high-end jobs by providing highly qualified industry experts to teach and mentor, and by providing practical salon and retail experience at the ANCN Wellbeing Clinic in Fortitude Valley, Brisbane and Pyrmont Sydney. At ANCN the courses are flexible and can be studied On-Campus or online. Students studying online participate in residential works in the same on-campus student clinics. The ANCN Diploma of Beauty Therapy offers specialisations in spa treatments, electrolysis or massage. In addition to learning makeup, body and facial treatments, students are also taught foundations in anatomy, physiology and learn business, retail, communication and important health and safety skills. Interactive demonstrations, lectures, guest speakers and lots of treatments from fellow students make this one of the most fun and interesting colleges to study at! ANCN graduates have the advantage of nationally recognised and reputable qualifications, as well as industry recognition of the quality of the college. The Diploma of Beauty Therapy has been designed to meet industry expectations by the Association of Professional Aestheticians of Australia (APAA), the oldest and most active Association in the beauty industry in Australia. Employers come directly to ANCN to hire new staff, often interviewing students on-site at the College. These employers appreciate the level of hands-on training, highly developed product knowledge and interpersonal skills gained by ANCN students and their understanding of the salon environment.

### Course: Diploma of Beauty Therapy  
#### College: College of Natural Beauty  
**Code:** SIB50110  
**Web:** [www.cnb.edu.au](http://www.cnb.edu.au)

Established in 1992, the College of Natural Beauty has become Australia’s leading beauty therapy training institution; internationally recognised for comprehensive beauty training, expert teaching staff, well equipped facilities and exceptional graduates. Our unique courses, emphasis on practical training; personalised attention, and high teacher to student ratio all contribute to CNB’s highly respected reputation within the beauty industry. The College is also one of the only beauty training providers in Australia focused on a low or no chemical training environment.

The Diploma of Beauty Therapy is the most comprehensive course offered at CNB, providing students with a thorough understanding of the latest industry practices. The course includes advanced facial techniques, Indian Head Massage, Application of Reflexology in Beauty Therapy, Aromatherapy Massage, Nutrition, Cosmetic Chemistry and Spa Therapies. Successful graduates have many attractive career options in an expanding industry. Possibilities include owning, operating or managing a beauty salon, day spa, or health retreat; working as a makeup artist; using your skills as a passport to travel the world on-board a cruise ship, work in luxury resorts, tropical islands or working for skin care companies in a training and/or promotions role or as an account manager. The Diploma of Beauty Therapy is VET FEE-HELP approved.

### Course: Diploma of Beauty Therapy  
#### College: Gold Coast Training Academy  
**Code:** SIB50110  
**Web:** [www.gcta.edu.au](http://www.gcta.edu.au)

Gold Coast Training Academy, GCTA, has been creating careers for aspiring Beauty Therapists, Make-Up Artists and Nail Technician for over 26 years. Founded on world-class teaching and flexible study modes for all ages and genders, GCTA has developed a superior reputation in the beauty industry.

The Diploma of Beauty Therapy is the recommended qualification for aspiring Beauty Therapists. This nationally recognised qualification is VET FEE-HELP approved giving students the opportunity to study now and pay later. The Diploma of Beauty Therapy has outstanding employment opportunities for GCTA graduates who often gain employment immediately after graduation. With the GCTA Diploma of Beauty Therapy, graduates have been employed in five star hotel chains, with international cruise liners and at world-class destination spas. Other past students have established successful home, mobile and salon based businesses or earned management positions in day spas and beauty salons around the country. The Diploma of Beauty Therapy is offered in two study modes. The beautifully structured face-to-face course can be completed full time over 12 months, three days per week. The highly flexible online program allows students the freedom to complete the course between 12-24 months by studying online for theory and on-campus for practical units.

GCTA is a popular academy with students being asked to book an interview to secure a place in the school.

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### Success Story

**College:** Gold Coast Training Academy  
**Course:** Diploma of Beauty Therapy  
**Name:** Kristina Diana Giannias  
**Current Position:** International Trainer  
**Name of Business:** Sodashi Pty Ltd

#### MY CAREER

“I am so lucky to be able to travel around the world and Australia as part of my job. I meet so many amazing people and see some beautiful places. Also, even though I am a trainer I still get to learn things from therapists around the world. This ongoing learning is quite special.”

#### CAREER PROGRESSION

- Sodashi, International Trainer  
- Amandari Spa Bali, International Internship Position  
- Graduated from GCTA with a Diploma of Beauty Therapy, Class of 2010

#### WHY GCTA?

There were only a few Beauty Schools in the area where I was living. I chose Gold Coast Training Academy despite it being the furthest one away due to its excellent reputation, up-to-date information and techniques. I knew a couple other girls who had been to GCTA and they highly recommended the college.
Course: Cert II in Retail Makeup and Skin Care
College: Gold Coast Training Academy
Code: SIB20110
Web: www.gcta.edu.au

Gold Coast Training Academy, GCTA, has been creating careers for aspiring Beauty Therapists, Make-Up Artists and Nail Technician for over 26 years. Founded on world-class teaching and flexible study modes for all ages and genders, GCTA has developed a superior reputation in the beauty industry.

The Certificate II in Retail Make-Up and Skin Care is the ideal qualification for future Make-Up Artists. This nationally recognised qualification trains students in the creative field of Make-Up Artistry while incorporating an appreciation for the importance of retail skills. Throughout the course students will develop make-up skills including day, business, evening and bridal appearance. As students of GCTA, they will also specialise in advanced techniques such as Airbrushing, Photographic Make-Up and Camouflage. Students will be exposed to the latest industry trends using leading brands such as MAC Cosmetics. The Certificate II in Retail Make-Up and Skin Care is offered in a mixed study mode. Students can incorporate evening classes, intensive blocks and at-home study together to complete the course within 6 months. GCTA is a popular academy and asks students to book an interview to secure a place in the Certificate II in Retail Make-Up and Skin Care. To arrange an appointment contact us.

Course: Cert II in Nails Tech
College: Gold Coast Training Academy
Code: SIB20210
Web: www.gcta.edu.au

Gold Coast Training Academy, GCTA, has been creating careers for aspiring Beauty Therapists, Make-Up Artists and Nail Technician for over 26 years. Founded on world-class teaching and flexible study modes for all ages and genders, GCTA has developed a superior reputation in the beauty industry.

This nationally recognised qualification has been created to specifically cater for the next generation of professional Nail Technicians. This Certificate prepares students for long-standing careers in home, mobile or professional businesses through training in Acrylic Nail and Gel Nail Enhancement along with the beautifully relaxing treatments of Manicures and Pedicures. Students who complete this qualification have the skills to provide creative and professional services to a wide range of clients. The Certificate II in Nail Technology is offered in a mixed study mode. Students can incorporate evening classes, intensive blocks and at-home study together to complete the course within 6 months. GCTA is a popular academy and asks students to book an interview to secure a place in the Certificate II in Nail Technology. To arrange an appointment contact us.

Course: Bachelor of Business (Event Management/Marketing/Public Relations)
College: APM College of Business and Communication
Code: BBUS08
Web: www.apm.edu.au

APM College of Business and Communication is a recognised Higher Education Provider that combines high quality learning with real world industry experiences. APM offers cutting-edge bachelor degree programs that are fully accredited by the Australian Commonwealth Government regulatory education agencies and have been specifically developed to make sure APM students stand out from the competition and excel in their dream careers. Recognised nationally and internationally, the curriculum at APM is compliant with the national standards.

The Bachelor of Business programs at APM offer majors in marketing, public relations and event management. These courses teach students the skills required to research, analyse and interpret business environments, identify opportunities and create strategic business and marketing plans. All courses offer accelerated, realistic pathways to full-time work, promotion or further study with 2 year Bachelor Degrees available. With industry practitioners as lecturers and the internship/industry placement program and career development components, completing these courses positions students as highly-qualified, sought after graduates.

APM also has very small average class sizes, which means students get individual attention from lecturers. APM Bachelor Degrees are very flexible and can be studied on-campus in Brisbane and Sydney or online, or a mixture of on-campus and online.

Success Story

College: APM College of Business and Communication
Course: Bachelor of Business (Event Management)
Name: Laura Shaw

I started Laura Shaw Events, an events company, when I was in my last semester at APM College of Business and Communication. One of the companies I was interning for inspired me to start my own business and I thought, I’ve always been creative and hands on, so why not!

I love running my own business for a number of reasons, firstly, I am passionate about event management, which means I enjoy every part of my job. Before I decided to study at APM, I had recently dropped out of one of Brisbane’s well known universities as I felt like I was just a number and there was no support. I chose APM for a few reasons, including the accelerated course and the class sizes - no more than 20 people per classroom! This meant I was able to connect and make a friendship with all the lecturers, something I could have never gotten from a large university.

While I was studying I wanted to get the most out of the internship program APM offer, and I worked at three internships. My advice for people looking to get into events is get as much experience as you can before you seek a job, put your hand up to volunteer for as many events as you can, put yourself out there and never say no – you never know who you will meet what may lead into your dream job. Always remember, you always get out what you put in. I studied very hard at APM and got out of it a great experience, my own business and important knowledge that will lead me to success in the future.
Course: Diploma of Management
College: Evocca College
Web: www.evoccacollege.com.au
Code: BSB51107
Evocca College is a nationally accredited registered training organisation (RTO) whose mission is to deliver an exceptional education, inspiring educators and an outstanding experience to all students. Evocca takes a flexible approach to learning, offering learning plans tailored to the needs of each individual student and a blended learning model that allows students to study at the college, undertake self-paced study at home, or complete their course online with e-learning.

With the Diploma of Management at Evocca, you will learn the skills you need to manage and lead more effectively and inspire success in your team. You will discover how to build a highly skilled and supportive team, drawing out your potential to be a successful leader and enabling you to focus on achieving results. The Diploma of Management is an 8 month course consisting of 8 units of study that are broken up into 3 major clusters of learning. Units cover a range of key competencies including identifying key work priorities, effectively managing information and data, leading and coordinating projects, ensuring high customer service standards, implementing workplace safety strategies, overseeing budgets and financial plans and understanding operations. Evocca really is "college your way," because you choose what to study, when to study, where to study and how you study.

Course: Diploma of Human Resources Management
College: Evocca College
Web: www.evoccacollege.com.au
Code: BSB50607
Evocca College is a nationally accredited registered training organisation (RTO) whose mission is to deliver an exceptional education, inspiring educators and an outstanding experience to all students. Evocca takes a flexible approach to learning, offering learning plans tailored to the needs of each individual student and a blended learning model that allows students to study at the college, undertake self-paced study at home, or complete their course online with e-learning.

With the Diploma of Human Resources Management at Evocca, you will acquire the skill sets and confidence needed to excel in the industry. You will develop a strong understanding of the functions and daily operations of a Human Resources department within a business or organisation, as well as the managerial skills required to lead a Human Resources team.

The Diploma of Human Resources Management is an 8 month course consisting of 8 units of study that are broken up into 3 major clusters of learning. Units cover a range of key competencies including direction of human resources services in an organisation, overseeing performance management, navigating human resource management information sessions, and carrying out staff recruitment and orientation.

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Course: Diploma of Business
College: Evocca College
Web: www.evoccacollege.com.au
Code: BSB50207
Evocca College is a nationally accredited registered training organisation (RTO) whose mission is to deliver an exceptional education, inspiring educators and an outstanding experience to all students. Evocca takes a flexible approach to learning, offering learning plans tailored to the needs of each individual student and a blended learning model that allows students to study at the college, undertake self-paced study at home, or complete their course online with e-learning.

With the Diploma of Business at Evocca, you will learn the skills you need to succeed in business, or even start up your own. You will build a solid foundation of skills and practical knowledge that will draw out your potential and give you the courage to make any business a success. The Diploma of Business is an 8 month course consisting of 8 units of study that are broken up into 3 major clusters of learning. Units cover a range of key competencies including running and coordinating meetings, leading projects, staff recruitment and orientation, developing advertising briefs and implementing e-marketing communications.

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Study Online or Study On-Campus.

Course: Diploma of Business Administration
College: Evocca College
Web: www.evoccacollege.com.au
Code: BSB50407
Evocca College is a nationally accredited registered training organisation (RTO) whose mission is to deliver an exceptional education, inspiring educators and an outstanding experience to all students. Evocca takes a flexible approach to learning, offering learning plans tailored to the needs of each individual student and a blended learning model that allows students to study at the college, undertake self-paced study at home, or complete their course online with e-learning.

Strong business administration is central to the outstanding performance of any business. With our Diploma of Business Administration, you will learn the skills and knowledge you need to administer any type of organisation, whether it’s in the private, government or not-for-profit sector.

The Diploma of Business Administration is an 8 month course consisting of 8 units of study that are broken up into 3 major clusters of learning. Units cover a range of key competencies including management and supervision of others, setting up meetings and conferences, driving the administration processes of a project, developing policies to ensure business sustainability, key information management, document design and high-level word processing.

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those entering or continuing a career in an office environment. We offer Certificates in Business, Business Administration, Management, Business Sales, Frontline Management, Marketing, Work Health and Safety, and Training and Assessment. As well as Diplomas of Management and Business. Foundation Education provides you with outstanding education solutions; delivering new skills for each individual. We also work closely with businesses to reveal additional revenue streams and workforce development. Supported by the latest technology, Foundation Education represents value for money while maintaining the highest standards of content, delivery and support. Training is flexible enough to work around your busy schedule; all courses are delivered online, with additional face-to-face options for selected courses. Our Careers Advisors help answer any questions you have about which training pathway will lead you to achieve your goals – as well as any other questions you may have. What’s more, our enrolment process is easy. Simply choose a course, enrol online or over the phone, and one of our Careers Advisors will be in touch within one business day to confirm your placement. No paperwork, no confusion, no time wasted, no excuses!

Martin College has been providing career-focused education since 1976 and is now one of Australia’s largest and best recognised career colleges. Our qualifications allow graduates to launch straight into an exciting career, or take a pathway to a university degree. A practical, relevant and academically respected qualification is essential for any professional. The best thing about graduating from a management or business course is the possibilities it brings. Getting your career off the ground requires more than just a qualification, personal skills are essential. That’s why our business courses are geared towards providing you with skills in verbal and written communication, problem solving, teamwork, time management and decision making.

TP Human Capital is the region’s fastest growing and most respected corporate training provider, specialising in the delivery of vocational business training offering nationally recognised qualifications, and customised in-house or on-site training programmes. We have assembled a highly-skilled and innovative team. Our focus is to meet and exceed client requirements and to be at the forefront of what is on offer.

Certificate III in Business – This qualification is designed for those who wish to develop and increase their skills and abilities in any business environment. The Certificate III in Business is one of Australia’s most popular pre-requisite business courses and an industry standard for those entering or continuing a career in an office environment.

The Associate Degree in Business is designed for business leaders and managers of the future. This program will give you the necessary knowledge, skills and self-confidence to assist in effective and successful management within constantly changing business environments. This program is open to Domestic and International Students.

The training is highly practical and interactive, with flexible delivery to suit today’s working professional.

Flexible Delivery Options
- Combination of weekly classroom and home based study
- Recognition of prior learning (RPL)
- On-the-job training with workplace support
- Self-managed learning

Mutual recognition and direct credits given for accredited units delivered by another Registered Training Organisation (RTO).

UQ College is the place for you. By choosing to study the Associate Degree in Business (AD(B)) at UQ College you will be supported to achieve your potential through a student-centred learning approach, small classes, specialist teachers and excellent facilities.

Successful completion of this UQ accredited degree provides a strong standalone qualification and, upon successful completion of the Associate Degree in Business with a cumulative grade point average of 4.0 on a 7 point scale, you will be eligible to apply for UQ’s Bachelor of Business Management.
Course: Bachelor of Counselling  
College: Australian Institute of Professional Counsellors  
Code: BC01  
Web: www.aipc.net.au

The Australian Institute of Professional Counsellors is a private, non-university tertiary provider of higher education committed to offering high quality counselling education to students. We are dedicated to providing an exceptional standard of education and service to all students.

The Bachelor of Counselling course is offered through our Higher Education School of Counselling. It is an entry-level course and is ideally suited to graduates of Diploma or Advanced Diploma counselling studies, or new students who are taking their first step in to the field of counselling.

Students of the Bachelor of Counselling will graduate with the knowledge and skills to perform competently as a Counsellor in a variety of employment settings, including not-for-profit or community-based organisations, public service or private practice.

The course is a structured programme of contemporary and coherent counselling knowledge and skills which provides students with a sound theoretical base on which to develop progressively as counselling practitioners, and personally as individuals.

Graduates will demonstrate counselling practice that is ethical and appropriate to the client, be able to learn and grow as professionals in the field throughout their lives and will add value to their workplace and community.

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Success Story

Gestalt Therapy Brisbane  
Web: www.gestaltinstitute.com.au

The 4-year Master of Gestalt Therapy program offers the opportunity to develop expert clinical/practical skills and a sound understanding of Gestalt theory. Students will experience intensive personal and professional development via the experiential learning model adopted by Gestalt Therapy Brisbane. The teaching is student centred. We work in small groups conducted by experienced educators of national and international reputation. Small study group meetings (3-4 students) help to develop students’ learning of theory and invite them to explore different ideas, experiences and to practice skills. The educational program is conducted on weekends (including Friday nights) plus an additional 6-day Residential, which allows for consolidation of learning and integration of experience.

This structure gives people travelling from a distance the opportunity to attend. A Graduate certificate in Gestalt Therapy is embedded in the Master program. This is obtained after the successful completion of Year 1.

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Success Story

College: Australian Institute of Professional Counsellors  
Course: Diploma of Professional Counselling  
Name: Angela Malone

I signed up in 2003 and successfully completed my Diploma of Professional Counselling with three advanced study majors by the end of 2006. I felt that the next step was to approach AIPC to see whether they could offer me the opportunity to complete the Bachelor Degree in Counselling. AIPC’s course material is excellent; it is structured and is user friendly with information being specific. AIPC contacted me and advised that they had the Bachelor Degree course on offer and asked whether I would like to apply. At the end of January 2007, I was diagnosed with breast cancer and was put in a position where my mortality was tested. I wanted to obtain my Bachelor of Counselling, share my knowledge and experiences and move fully into the counselling world. I was not going to give up.

My first year of study was great, exciting, frightening and yet still disciplined. I was confronted with deep emotional, soul searching, and body image issues (hair loss and weight gain) due to medications and treatments. My family, friends, medical staff and AIPC were great support for me throughout this journey. Whilst undergoing the final stages of completing the Bachelor degree, I was offered employment by the management of my final practicum placement. The employers were impressed by the professional skill base and the knowledge that I have and I believe that this also attributes to AIPC’s very well structured training techniques. AIPC have made it possible for me to achieve my dream.
### Course: Diploma of Photo Imaging
**College:** CATC Design School
**Code:** CUV50411
**Web:** www.catc.edu.au

CATC Design School is one of Australia’s leading specialist design schools. At CATC the focus is on the individual student, industry relevance and new ideas. Lecturers at CATC Design School are industry practitioners and vastly experienced in their areas of expertise. With full-time, part-time and distance learning options available, students have every opportunity to become leading designers or photographers. CATC Design School teaches project based practical and hands-on skills in a studio environment. Campuses are located in Brisbane, Sydney and Melbourne or study online from anywhere in Australia. The Diploma of Photo Imaging prepares students for an action-packed career working as a commercial photographer. It teaches the essentials of photo imaging from shooting styles, lighting set-up and image capture, to digital SLR cameras and digital software enhancement. You learn how to use a range of specialised and technical competencies to plan, carry out and evaluate photo imaging services. Areas of photo imaging work include fashion, wedding, portrait, social, photojournalism, magazine and freelance, landscape and architecture, food and product, and advertising. The Diploma of Photo Imaging gives graduates the technical skills and experience to communicate their conceptual and creative visions through the medium of photography. CATC graduates have gone on to work in professional photography, commercial photography, fashion photography, sports photography and photojournalism. Course duration 1 year Full Time On Campus, 2 years Part Time On Campus, 2 years Part Time Online.

### Course: Diploma of Visual Merchandising
**College:** First Impressions Resources
**Code:** SIR50212
**Web:** www.fir.edu.au

First Impressions Resources (FIR), the Australian Retail College has 25 years experience in capability development for the Retail industry. In 2012 FIR’s engagement with industry was recognised with national awards from Service Skills Australia and AC PET. FIR was also Queensland’s Private Training Private Provider of the Year in 2008. The Diploma of Visual Merchandising is ideal for high school graduates or career changers wishing to enter an exciting hands-on creative design qualification.

The delivery of this dynamic program combines practical workshops, labs, lectures and an industry based project, equipping graduates with the skills, knowledge and experience to communicate brands visually. Effective visual merchandising entertains and entices customers, drives store traffic and generates sales. Graduates will be equipped to work within a visual merchandising team, as a freelance visual merchandiser or as an exhibition/event display designer.

### Course: Film and Television Production
**College:** JMC Academy
**Code:** N/A
**Web:** www.jmcacademy.edu.au

Celebrating 30 years of education, JMC Academy remains Australia’s leading Creative Industries institution, offering Degrees and Diplomas in Music, Audio Engineering, Film and Television Production, Entertainment Business Management, 3D Animation and Game Design. There has never been a more exciting time to embark on a career in film and television production. Due to the growth of digital media, the mediums through which content is consumed have multiplied. This has created demand for professional content creators, producers, directors, cinematographers and editors in all sectors of the industry. This hands-on course provides the comprehensive knowledge and advanced skills necessary for the creation and production of films, television productions, live broadcasts, documentaries, television commercials and music video clips. The course is structured to develop above the line practitioners in key crew roles, appealing to the serious filmmaker, whilst providing graduates with the skills necessary to meet the diverse needs of the industry. Knowledge of screen theory and production practice prepares JMC Academy graduates for a successful transition into the industry. During their studies, students develop extensive experience working on a diverse range of productions, collaborating with students from other creative disciplines and using a range of different equipment, all of which are paramount to a successful career.

### Success Story

**College:** JMC Academy
**Course:** Bachelor Degree in Animation and Television Production
**Name:** Scott Petts

Scott Petts’ hard word and passion has taken him from the studios onto the red carpet at the Emmy Awards in LA. Since graduating with a Bachelor Degree in Animation and Television Production, JMC Academy student Scott Petts’ career has progressed rapidly. Working as an Art Director at HBO in New York for the past 6 years, Scott has worked on many major digital projects. His role sees him oversee and execute interactive, visual and motion design and branding, across multiple, expanding digital platforms. “The goal is to keep the audience engaged online and to keep the conversation going even after their favourite show ends” explains Scott.

Most recently, Scott’s team at HBO was nominated for a 2012 Emmy Award for Outstanding Creative Achievement in Interactive Media for their Game of Thrones Season 2 enhanced digital experience. He has also recently worked on digital adaptations for Boardwalk Empire and True Blood. Prior to HBO, Scott worked at MTV Networks starting as a visual designer and working his way up to Art Director. Scott’s team won the Webby Award for the 2012 Best Games-Related Website for the E3 all-access site they created on GameTrailors.com. Scott notes “I loved my time at JMC Academy and got a lot out of my degree”.

**Web:** www.jmcacademy.edu.au
Autism Australia is Autism Queensland’s Registered Training Organisation. Autism Queensland is a community based, not for profit, Incorporated Association. As the peak provider in Queensland of services to children and adults with ASD and to their families, Autism Queensland draws upon expertise gained over more than 45 years.

CHCEDS434A – Provide support to students with Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD). This nationally recognised unit of competency from the CHC08 Community Services Training Package covers the competency requirements for education support workers to provide support to students who have education needs associated with an ASD as well as to teachers and other professionals assisting these students. It is also an identified elective unit in the Certificate III and Certificate IV in Education Support and may be used as credit towards other nationally recognised qualifications where the qualification packaging rules permit.

Essential outcomes for this unit of competency include:
1. Apply basic knowledge of Autism Spectrum Disorder
2. Identify the effects of ASD on student development and learning
3. Provide support to students with ASD
4. Provide support to teachers of students with ASD.

Study options include:
1. Distance mode
2. Distance and workshop mode

Course: Certificate III in Aged Care

College: CHARLTON BROWN®

Established in 1985, CHARLTON BROWN® is a private Registered Training Organisation and employment agency that trains and places graduates and qualified staff in employment locally, nationally and internationally. We train in Child Care, Aged Care, Disability Care and Community Services.

All of our courses have an ideal balance of theory and practical experience ensuring all students graduate ready for work. Our range of Aged Care courses allows you to gain an understanding of caring for the elderly, working in an aged care facility, supervising fellow workers and providing in home care. You could find employment as an assistant in nursing, a personal care assistant, in home care provider or aged care coordinator. Our courses also offer pathways to university – you can even gain credit towards further studies in Nursing or a similar field.

A Certificate III in Aged Care is a great starting point for your career in Aged Care.

This course provides pathways for further study at CHARLTON BROWN®, such as the Certificate IV in Aged Care, the Certificate III in Home and Community Care or the Diploma of Community Services Work.

This course is even offered as a dual qualification, with the Certificate III in Disability.

Success Story

I graduated from my Certificate III in Children’s Services in 2010. I am currently studying my Diploma of Community Services through CHARLTON BROWN® and will continue my study as a scholarship recipient of a Diploma of Children’s Services. The experience that I have gained and the knowledge and training that I have received from CHARLTON BROWN® has been outstanding.

The CHARLTON BROWN® team are like one big family. Coming to Australia is very daunting for International students, but from the first day that you start at CHARLTON BROWN®, you are made to feel at home. Every day has been a new adventure; I have made new friends for life from different countries and learnt so much about various cultures. The highlight of my time with CHARLTON BROWN® has been the opportunity to participate in the Global Linkages program twice, which allowed me to undertake part of my practical placement at orphanages and community centres run by the Foundation of Goodness in Colombo, Sri Lanka.

I would definitely recommend CHARLTON BROWN® as a study destination for both Australian and International students. The knowledge the trainers have and provide is outstanding and they are so passionate about what they teach their students.

Course: Certificate III in Children’s Services

College: CHARLTON BROWN®

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All of our courses have an ideal balance of theory and practical experience ensuring all students graduate ready for work. Our range of Children’s Services courses allows you to gain an understanding of child development, how to care for children, workplace health and safety regulations and leadership skills. On graduating, you could find employment as a Nanny in Australia or overseas, as a child care centre employee or manager, as a casual babysitter or after-hours school care worker. Our courses also offer pathways to university – you can even gain credit towards further studies in Education or a similar field. A Certificate III in Children’s Services is a great starting point for your career in Child Care.

This course provides pathways for further study at CHARLTON BROWN® such as the Diploma of Children’s Services or the Advanced Diploma of Children’s Services. This course is even offered as a dual qualification, with the Certificate III in Disability or the Professional Nanny Award program.
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All of our courses have an ideal balance of theory and practical experience ensuring all students graduate ready for work. Our range of Disability Care courses allows you to gain an understanding of supporting people with a disability, helping them integrate with the community and developing care programs. On graduating, you could find yourself employed as a disability support worker, personal care worker or disability employment coordinator. Our courses also offer pathways to university - you can even gain credit towards further studies.

A Certificate III in Disability is a great starting point for your career in Disability work. This course provides pathways for further study at CHARLTON BROWN®, such as the Certificate IV in Disability and the Diploma of Disability (new for 2013).

This course is even offered as a dual qualification, with the Certificate III in Children’s Services or the Certificate III in Aged Care.

Evocca College is a nationally accredited registered training organisation (RTO) whose mission is to deliver an exceptional education, inspiring educators and an outstanding experience to all students. Evocca takes a flexible approach to learning, offering learning plans tailored to the needs of each individual student and a blended learning model that allows students to study at the college, undertake self-paced study at home, or complete their course online with e-learning.

With a Diploma in Community Services Work, you will develop the skills and knowledge necessary to work with people and communities and assist them through a range of personal and social issues.

The Diploma of Community Services Work is a 12 month course consisting of 20 units of study that are broken up into 4 major clusters of learning. Units cover a range of key competencies including working with and empower young people, the Diploma of Youth Work is a 12 month course consisting of 15 units of study that are broken up into 4 major clusters of learning.

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With a Diploma of Youth Work, you will learn the skills and knowledge to work with and empower young people. The Diploma of Youth Work is a 12 month course consisting of 15 units of study that are broken up into 4 major clusters of learning.

Units cover a range of key competencies including developing programs and services for young people, supporting young people in crisis, advocating for young people, networking with other agencies, working in a culturally diverse environment, and operating within an ethical framework. You will develop real-world skills, including the opportunity to complete 200 hours of vocational placement within the community sector to practice your skills.

Evocca really is “college your way,” because you choose what to study, when to study, where to study and how you study.
**Course:** Bachelor of Applied Design (Communication)  
**College:** Billy Blue College of Design  
**Code:** N/A  
**Web:** www.billyblue.edu.au

Over the past 25 years Billy Blue College of Design has grown into an inspirational space for design education. Billy Blue is proud to claim an iconic and affectionate place in the hearts and minds of the design community. For 25 years, Billy Blue College of Design has been producing some of Australia’s most creative and successful design graduates. Originally founded by industry professionals, Billy Blue is a creative hub where current practicing professionals come to teach and collaborate with students and staff. The three year Bachelor of Applied Design (Communication) covers everything students need to know to become a successful communication designer. Communication designers develop and prepare information for publication with particular emphasis on clearly communicating to a target audience. The information they deal with not only requires a sound understanding of text based communication but also requires them to skilfully use the communication properties of symbols, colours and pictures. They prepare concept layouts and mock-ups to discuss project details with clients. They prepare or subcontract diagrams, illustrations and photography. They resolve all communication elements into a final format to suit the required offline or digital media. The Bachelor of Applied Design (Communication) introduces students to a comprehensive range of communication design disciplines including typography, branding, publication design, advertising, image making, packaging, interface design and information design. Billy Blue campuses are located in Brisbane, Sydney and Melbourne.

**Course:** Bachelor of Applied Design (Branded Fashion)  
**College:** Billy Blue College of Design  
**Code:** N/A  
**Web:** www.billyblue.edu.au

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**Course:** Diploma of Graphic Design  
**College:** CATC Design School  
**Code:** CUV50311  
**Web:** www.catc.edu.au

CATC Design School, previously known as Commercial Arts Training College, was established in Brisbane in 1982 and is one of Australia’s largest private vocational design schools. CATC Design School delivers diploma level qualifications in Graphic Design, Interior Design and Photography, and offers more than just an education! They are passionate about the success of their students, and the focus is on helping students become the best designers they can be.

In addition to their online campus, CATC Design School has centrally located campuses in Sydney, Melbourne, Brisbane and the Gold Coast, all with specifically designed studio spaces.

The college boasts a vibrant, interactive and creative environment, where students are presented with opportunities to combine their skills and talents in real life projects with CATC Design School’s industry partners. Through strong academic leadership and a dedicated focus on portfolio development, CATC Design School develops savvy professionals that stand out from other graduates.

For more information about how you can start your career as a qualified designer or photographer visit the CATC Design School Website.

**Course:** Diploma of Fashion Design  
**College:** CATC Design School  
**Code:** N/A  
**Web:** www.catc.edu.au

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The Diploma of Graphic Design is an exceptional hands-on course designed to make students the best designers they can be. The diploma is a unique and very interactive course that teaches essential graphic design skills such as typography, layout and composition, computer graphics (Adobe CS), advertising techniques and concepts, identity systems, packaging and promotional design, as well as commercial illustration (amongst others). Via practical project based learning this course aims to give students greater design awareness, while becoming an effective and creative communicator with using their own individual style.

Course duration – 1 year Full Time On Campus, 2 years Part Time On Campus. 2 years Part Time Online.
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The Diploma of Design and Decoration at CATC Design School aims to develop design awareness and bring out students individual style. It pushes creativity to the limit, and takes into consideration aesthetics, function, marketing and manufacturing, along with marketability, the construction of products, and materials and environments for the benefit of the user. Graduates of the Diploma of Design and Decoration work with large design firms, architects, builders and developers. At a more senior level of interior roles, there’s a whole host of brilliant career opportunities ahead, including:

- Residential Interior Design
- Commercial Interior Design
- Retail/Resort Space Design
- Set/Exhibit Design
- Visual Merchandising
- Colour Consulting
- Textile Design

Course duration – 1 year Full Time On Campus, 2 years Part Time On Campus, 2 years Part Time Online.

### Success Story

#### Martin College

**Course:** Diploma of Graphic Design
**Name:** Megan Hume

Megan Hume, CATC Design School graduate believes there is no greater feeling than knowing you can influence feelings and emotions of complete strangers through designed environments. Megan has been interested in design for as long as she can remember! Luckily for Megan she grew up being surrounded by people who encouraged her to be as creative as possible. After High School Megan spent a few years travelling throughout Australia and eventually embarked upon a once in a lifetime trip to Europe, which inspired her to turn the love she had for creative spaces and appreciation for form and function into a career. Megan did a lot of research before deciding where to study and how to launch her career in the creative industries. She eventually decided on CATC because of their reputation, active association with the industry, small class sizes and real world approach to learning. The Diploma of Interior Design at CATC Design School is structured to showcase the potential of variety within the design industry. Megan believes the hands on subjects and real industry projects are great for visual learners and coupled with the large amount of contact she had with lecturers was core to increasing her confidence and ability to generate strong concepts. Megan is now looking forward to a successful future within the design industry,

#### Martin College

**Course:** Diploma of Graphic Design
**Name:** Beverley Pugliese

Beverley Pugliese, graduated from Martin College with a Diploma of Graphic Design. Speaking about her time at the college, Beverley said ‘I really enjoyed my year of study at Martin College. I made wonderful friends from all over the world and I really enjoyed my course.

The experience I gained at Martin College with all the hands-on site training as well as the subjects covered really made studying heaps of fun, and got me to where I am in my career today.’ Soon after graduating, Beverley landed her job with Graphic Design company the room, where she is now the Production and Studio manager. ‘As a graduate of Martin College, I was a lot more confident going into the workplace as opposed to leaving school. In my role as Production and Studio Manager, I look after numerous retail clients across Australia and manage their account from start to finish. What I love most about my career in Graphic Design, is that every day is a new day you really don’t know what job will come into the studio. It’s really exciting to see an idea come to life!’ We asked Beverley what advice she would give to aspiring Graphic Designers. She told us,

‘In this industry you need to start from the bottom and be eager to learn all the ropes and take on anything just to get your foot in the door. Believe me, it will be rewarding!’
**Course:** Diploma of Venues and Events  
**College:** Martin College  
**Code:** CUE50403  
**Web:** www.martincollege.edu.au/events

Martin College has been providing career-focused education since 1976 and is now one of Australia’s largest and best recognised career colleges. Our qualifications allow graduates to launch straight into an exciting career, or take a pathway to a university degree.

Event management plays an increasingly important role in the marketing and communications mix for all businesses.

The Diploma of Venues & Events Program develops skills in organising and running events, and in managing events venues. Students will develop competency in event industry software Summit Event Management Pro and achieve a broad knowledge base in key business areas such as management, budgeting, communications and marketing.

As part of the course, you will receive hands-on experience in the management of event projects and provide on-site event and venue management services. Possible job titles relevant to this qualification include Event Coordinator and Conference Coordinator.

Successful completion of the Diploma of Venues and Events also offers a number of credit transfer options with leading Australian universities.

Study Online or Study On-Campus.

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**Course:** Diploma of Tourism  
**College:** Martin College  
**Code:** SIT50107  
**Web:** www.martincollege.edu.au/tourism

Martin College has been providing career-focused education since 1976 and is now one of Australia’s largest and best recognised career colleges. Our qualifications allow graduates to launch straight into an exciting career, or take a pathway to a university degree.

Our respected, industry recognised Diploma of Tourism program teaches students to create international fares and tickets, including e-tickets, in addition to professional itineraries.

Galileo, a travel industry-based computerised reservations system, is the central focus of the tourism course which ensures that what is being delivered in the classroom correlates with what is being used in the industry.

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Martin College currently has a more up-to-date version of Galileo software than most Travel Agencies, and the course is delivered by Galileo accredited teachers. Students will achieve two additional accredited qualifications in the industry standard reservations system Galileo. Possible job titles relevant to this qualification include Operations Manager, Retail Travel Agency Manager, Senior Travel Consultant, or Reservations Manager.

Successful completion of the Diploma of Tourism also offers a number of credit transfer options with leading Australian universities.

Study Online or Study On-Campus.

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**Why you should choose to study at an ACPET College**

- **High standards** – only quality independent training organisations are ACPET members
- **Choice** – ACPET members offer accredited courses across a wide range of occupations and industries, as well as hard-to-find specialist courses
- **Experience and commitment** – teaching staff are industry professionals themselves and experts in current industry practices
- **Security** – tuition assurance schemes are in place to protect your student fees
- **Flexibility** – adaptable courses that respond to the latest industry developments and are linked to real employment opportunities
- **Focus on service** – student demands are the number one priority
- **Professional practice** – ACPET members adhere to a strict Code of Ethics.

When you are looking for a private college to study with, start by looking for the ACPET logo on the website or course materials. If you are still unsure, contact us: 07 3210 1628  
qld@acpet.edu.au
Course: Certificate IV in Fitness, the Complete Personal Trainer
College: The Australian Institute of Personal Trainers
Code: SIS40210
Web: www.aipt.edu.au

Personal Trainers belong in gyms, not classrooms, so why not learn in one? The Australian Institute of Personal Trainers is Australia’s leading provider of practical fitness education. Our courses are based in REAL gyms, taught by REAL fitness professionals, and offer more opportunities to gain REAL hands-on experience.

We offer a range of fitness qualifications; from the Certificate III in Fitness up to the Diploma of Fitness and Diploma of Business, which qualify for VET FEE-HELP study assistance. At the Australian Institute of Personal Trainers we offer students practical education and industry experience to ensure they are job-ready upon graduation. Our courses are designed by leading fitness experts and offer highly-sought after qualifications. Over 80% of our graduates gain employment, many of whom start working in the gym where they were taught. The Australian Institute of Personal Trainers is committed to delivering fitness educational excellence.

As a Registered Training Organisation, our company adheres to the highest vocational training standards in accordance with the Vocational Education Training (VET) Duality Framework. You will also have the benefit of working with REAL personal trainers and business owners, providing you with the skills to run your own business and market yourself in the fitness industry.

Marieke Schemkes is one of the newest additions to the Goodlife Team at Chermside. A qualified Personal Trainer and business owner, Marieke obtained her Certificate IV in Fitness – Complete Personal Trainer qualification at the Australian Institute of Personal Trainers through the Fast Track Program. The AIPT Fast Track Program provided Marieke with a comprehensive approach to all aspects of her Personal Training qualification. The practical workshops through the AIPT Campus equipped Marieke with real-world industry knowledge and training that focused on all aspects of being a successful Personal Trainer. The AIPT Campus Director supported her learning immensely and gave her the confidence to commit to a career in Personal Training. Marieke studied for the better."

Course: Diploma of Fitness
College: FIAFitnation
Code: SIS50210
Web: www.fiafitnation.com.au/fitness

The strength behind FIAFitnation makes it a force to be reckoned with in fitness education. 45 years of combined experience has created world-renowned courses that qualify as highly desirable professionals. Our team of instructors includes Dieticians, Exercise Physiologists and Scientists, Physiotherapists and Nutritionists. These experts have both the technical knowledge and applied experience to lead in their respective fields. For our students this means inspired and passionate teaching to help achieve fitness goals.

Specialised Exercise Trainers conduct screenings of new clients and assess their fitness using a variety of methods and implement specific training programs to suit their needs. Diploma of Fitness students plan and deliver exercise programs in a variety of settings, in conjunction with allied health and/or medical professionals as well as plan and deliver sports conditioning programs. In addition, students undertake management tasks, project management and guide health promotion activities. The FIAFitnation Specialised Exercise Trainer program has been developed to promote the highest level of competence in this specialised field and is regarded as the Gold Standard in the fitness industry. This program is a perfect fit for those students who wish to develop their knowledge and skills in the delivery and instructing of exercise programs in a clinical setting working with allied health professionals with clients who have special needs.

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College: FIAFitnation
Code: SIS40210

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Personal Trainers conduct screenings of new clients and assess their fitness using a variety of methods to develop training programs to suit their needs. They also teach correct exercise techniques and use an array of exercise equipment to achieve results. The FIAFitnation Personal Trainer program has been developed to promote the highest level of competence in Personal Training and is regarded as the Gold Standard in the fitness industry.

This program is a perfect fit for those students who wish to develop their knowledge and skills in the delivery and instructing of exercise programs in fitness centre settings or outdoor environments for individual clients or small groups.
The University of Queensland Foundation Year

International Education Services (IES) is a Brisbane-based, not-for-profit organisation that provides educational products and services specifically for the international education sector. IES commenced in 1997 with the principal function to manage and operate the University of Queensland Foundation Year (UQFY).

UQFY is a program designed to prepare international students for entry into the first year of all undergraduate courses at The University of Queensland (UQ) in Brisbane, Australia.

This accredited Foundation Year Program provides students with the option of participating in either the Standard, Standard PLUS or Express course, depending on a student's English proficiency and academic results at High School. Students enjoy an enriching academic program while preparing for university life.

The program enrolls students from more than 40 countries around the world. Currently there are approximately 550 students enrolled, many preparing for entry into disciplines such as Vet Science, Pharmacy, Dentistry, Biotechnology, Law, Commerce, Social Sciences, Information Technology and Engineering – all areas for which The University of Queensland is renowned. With guaranteed entry* to UQ for successful students and a strong record of ongoing undergraduate performance, UQFY has been the perfect starting point for over 3750 international students since 1998.

* (quota restrictions apply in some courses)

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Success Story

Sheila Horas – Indonesia

Attending UQFY before going to university gave me the advantage of fully exploring my academic program on campus and life outside study. After UQFY, I studied a Bachelor of Economics at UQ. University life is totally different from UQFY.

I believe UQFY gave me confidence to speak English. It also gave me a general idea of how Australian education works, and how to do well in every subject. IES also helped me make new friends at university, which has broadened my network and opened doors to opportunities in the future.

I was selected as a Brisbane International Student Ambassador. As part of the program, I took part in many Brisbane events, such as Brisbane Horse Racing, EKKA festival and international events.

I also met Brisbane City Council's Lord Mayor and did some volunteering for their events.

This program is an amazing way to develop yourself. It is once in a lifetime opportunity that should not be missed.

I personally recommend Brisbane as your study destination and all the advantages are yours.

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Tertiary Preparation Program

The University of Queensland Foundation Year

The Tertiary Preparation Program (TPP) at UQ College offers a supportive education model that builds confidence and helps students gain the necessary skills to improve their QTAC rankings for future undergraduate studies. The Tertiary Preparation Program can provide life changing opportunities for students from many different backgrounds. The Tertiary Preparation Program is delivered over 28 weeks in two trimester periods to domestic students only.

The program offers nine quality assured pre-university courses with a choice of electives, providing students with diverse options to customise and shape their learning plans to meet their differing pathways to future programs. The program is offered full-time at UQ Ipswich Campus in January and May and UQ St. Lucia Campus in September.

There are no tuition fees. Students are required to purchase the required text books and to print off materials as required. This program prepares you for success at university and equips you to achieve your ambitions.

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UQ College

UQ College provides high quality educational opportunities through academic programs that provide more than just entry into university; we equip students with the knowledge and skills to succeed in their chosen degree.

In 2012, over 85% of UQ College graduates were successful in gaining entry into an undergraduate degree. UQ College meets the needs of people looking for a new way to access university study, mature-age people seeking a career change and people who are building on a VET qualification or apprenticeship. Your time at UQ College will begin as a student within the unique environment of UQ College.

The College provides life-changing opportunities for people from many different backgrounds. College programs prepare you for success at university and equip you to achieve your ambitions. Whether you elect to study the 28 week UQ College Tertiary Preparation Program or a 16 month Associate Degree, you will experience the College's welcoming and purposeful environment.

A key element of the college is the relationship between staff and students which assist you to achieve at your highest possible level. UQ College is here to make sure that you are not deprived of opportunities to become engaged in, and to benefit from, further learning.
Golf Industry

On the verge of its 20th anniversary the PGA's International Golf Institute now spreads its web globally.

Based on the Gold Coast the PGA IGI has cemented its place as a crucial part of the golf industry network in Australasia.

"We are very proud of our outcomes and successes," says the institute’s Dean & Executive Officer, Dominic O’Brien, who graduated through the program more than a decade ago. "We are certainly getting more traction with former students now moving through to the upper echelon of golf roles. "For example Marcus Sullivan the General Manager at Pacific Harbour is one of our graduates. So is Nick Thornton, the PGA’s General Manager – Commercial, and also the Head Professional at the Lonsdale Golf Club is one of ours. "Globally we are also making our mark. The Head of Instruction at the Hong Kong Golf Club is a former graduate and we have others in the Arab Emirates." The PGA IGI offers a one-year full time golf industry diploma or a three-year program which will result in students gaining their IGI diploma and a degree through Griffith University.

As O’Brien explains the PGA-owned IGI gives graduates wide ranging golf industry skills and opportunities. "We are concentrating on the guys and girls who are just sub-elite golfers, but who want to stay in the sport and have a career in the game – general managers, operations managers, directors of golf, etc. “Students coming out the other side can do a fourth year, a professional year, with the PGA and become PGA members. With the added PGA qualification the career options multiple again into different avenues.

Whether you are interested in a playing or coaching career, or a career in administration (i.e. General Management, Golf Operations), PGA IGI programs and courses will assist you in getting there.

The PGA IGI prepares its graduates for a career in the business and management of golf as an industry. Owned by the PGA of Australia, the IGI has articulation agreements with multiple universities across Australia. These links provide the opportunity to choose different career pathways within the golf industry and business sectors.

Our graduates have been placed in positions as head golf professionals, teaching professionals, tournament directors, golf administrators, general managers of golf clubs, and sales representatives of leading golf club and apparel companies.

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Golf Operations

Ever wondered if golf could be your vehicle to travel the world? Graduates from the PGA International Golf Institute (PGA IGI) now based at the world class Sanctuary Cove Golf and Country Club on the Gold Coast do exactly that in a variety of fields. Offering education in areas of golf operations and club management, the PGA IGI curriculum of business courses combined with golf skills prepares students for a career in the golf industry. Golf can now become your avenue into university. Via the IGI you can keep developing your game and earn the kind of golf specific qualifications that employers are looking for. Owned by the Professional Golfers Association (PGA) of Australia, the PGA IGI has an articulation agreement with Griffith University which provides students with options to choose different career pathways. Now with VET Fee Help (like HECS) and international scholarships via Griffith University, potential students have every opportunity to follow their dreams. With a strong emphasis on vocational and practical learning, our graduates have employability skills to join the work force and progress within the industry. Combine these workplace skills with Griffith’s Business degree (ranked in the top 4% of business schools in the world with AACSB ranking) and you’ll have the head start you need to build your career in golf and sport.

Certificate III in Sport Career Orientated Participation (Elite Golf)

The PGA International Golf Institute (IGI) offers education through its combined curriculum of business courses and golf skills to prepare you for a career in the golf industry.

The PGA International Golf Institutes’ coaches and facilities are PGA AAA rated and 5 star to give you every opportunity to achieve your dreams!

Our Elite Golf Program is delivered by Australian PGA professionals and can be delivered across numerous sites via our network of facilities. Each student will have a maximum 1:4 coach to player ratio which ensures that your game will receive the attention it deserves.

It incorporates all the services available to top ranking tour professionals and can be undertaken under an IGI student education visa.

Diploma of Golf Management

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The MIG Foundations program

Our Certificate III is broken into two distinct programs.

• The MIG institutional program

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An additional 8 month program for those students who wish to continue on after the foundations program and complete the Certificate III in full

• This program is a pathway designed for mature age students who are experienced in service industries
• Detailed information, including how the MIG Certificate III foundations and institutional programs can lead to a career in Hairdressing, visit our pathways page.

Or call us to discuss how this program can be tailored for your specific needs.

The things that set us apart:

• Flexible delivery of hairdressing qualifications.
• Close ties to the hairdressing industry
• Constant adaption of training packages to reflect the needs of employers
• Professional trainers linked with the best hairdressing salons to ensure they are current, creative and cutting edge
• Our Certificate III is broken into two distinct programs.
• A 4 month program that produces graduates who gain approximately 6 months credit toward a 3 year apprenticeship
• This program is designed and recommended as the path for younger people

Course: Certificate III in Hairdressing

College: MIG Training

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Web: www.mattersingray.com.au

Course: Certificate IV in Hairdressing

College: Brisbane School of Hairdressing

Valentin Stefanov

Valentin hailed from Bulgaria and started with BSH in March 2011. Fast forward two years and Valentin is working at Rokstarr, one of Brisbane’s trendiest salons, received a Top 5 nomination for IHS Queensland’s 2012 photographic competition ‘The Look’. and was crowned winner of the RAWartists Organisation ‘2012 RAWards Hairsylist of the Year’. He also featured as a guest artist at the BSH, Be inspired. Be creative. Be a HAIRDRESSER! Competition! Originally enrolled in Certificate III in Hairdressing and Diploma of Salon Management with a two year student visa, Valentin has completed his Certificate III, and currently studying his Diploma.

In April 2013, he will then continue his study by commencing his Certificate IV in Hairdressing with BSH to extend his hairdressing knowledge even further.

Through training at Brisbane School of Hairdressing Valentin was given multiple experiences on photoshoots, fashion parades and support for his competition hairdressing entries, to make him an award winning hairdresser. It’s the hands-on experience and superior education on offer that allows our students to be award winning!

Success Story

Course: Certificate III in Hairdressing

College: Brisbane School of Hairdressing

Brisbane School of Hairdressing have been training hairdressers for over 30 years. With its two locations in Brisbane & Gold Coast, training both apprentices and full-time students, you can guarantee a large number of hairdressers across south-east Queensland have walked through the doors of BSH. Over the years graduates have gained employment in boutique salons, large chains such as Oscar & Oscars and Webster & Wood Hairdressers, with some students opening their own successful salons. You will find BSH graduates working in every corner of the globe from top salons in London to a little salon in Italy & LOreal in Taipei and even back stage at fashion week. With training focusing on a great balance of theory and hands-on practical training BSH teaches students to be job ready. BSH are passionate about the industry. "We have seen a lot of changes within the industry! From the 80’s perm revolution and streaking caps to the much loved foiling technique. Now we are seeing many other colouring techniques emerge which enable us to customise individual creative colours to give luminous and diverse results" Said Lina Wood, founder of BSH. The hairdressing industry is always evolving making it an exciting career choice for any stylist. BSH are proud of the quality of hairdressing education on offer.

After being founded over 3 decades ago there is a good reason why BSH is still standing strong and at the forefront of hairdressing education in Queensland.

Course: Certificate III in Hairdressing

College: Brisbane School of Hairdressing

Brisbane School of Hairdressing has been established for over 30 years and focus all training within the hairdressing and beauty sector.

Our practical approach to hairdressing utilises hands-on training with real clients. It’s the combination of kinesthetic learning and values at BSH that makes you the best hairdresser you can be.

Our most popular course is Certificate III in Hairdressing which boasts small class sizes. This fast-track course allows full-time students to complete their formal hairdressing qualification in one year. You’ll follow a sequence of practical exercises to prepare you for a fringe trim right up to chemical straightening services.

By taking these baby steps you can grasp the concepts of hairstyling and learn the fundamentals of cutting, colouring, perming, upstyling.

Course: Certificate III in Hairdressing

College: Brisbane School of Hairdressing

Brisbane School of Hairdressing

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Evocca College is a nationally accredited registered training organisation (RTO) whose mission is to deliver an exceptional education, inspiring educators and an outstanding experience to all students. Evocca takes a flexible approach to learning, offering learning plans tailored to the needs of each individual student and a blended learning model that allows students to study at the college, undertake self-paced study at home, or complete their course online with e-learning.

With our Diploma of Information Technology, you will learn the skills and knowledge required to administer and manage information and communications technology (ICT) in a variety of workplace settings. You will also develop higher-level technical skills in areas such as networking, IT support, database development, programming, and web development, so you'll be at the centre of the big decisions your business makes. The Diploma of Information Technology is a 12 month course consisting of 20 units of study that are broken up into 4 major clusters of learning. Units cover a range of key competencies including identifying IT requirements in any business, spotting and rectifying network problems, understanding how to design, configure and test a network server, managing network security, and setting up an enterprise virtual computing environment.

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With our Diploma of Website Development, you will get the design skills needed to build and manage highly engaging, user-friendly websites. You will also develop the know-how to work as an indie developer or as part of a development team. Employing best practice web development techniques, the latest hardware and industry leading training, our Diploma will set you apart from the IT crowd.

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With our Diploma of Digital Media Technologies, you will discuss and research the latest digital media trends. The Diploma of Digital Media Technologies is a 12 month course consisting of 18 units of study that are broken up into 4 major clusters of learning. Units cover a range of key competencies including implementing emerging web technology trends, designing and building dynamic digital effects, carrying out basic video and sound editing for film production, and coordinating interactive media production.

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With our Diploma of Digital and Interactive Games, you will learn the skills and knowledge required to design, configure and test a network server, managing network security, and setting up an enterprise virtual computing environment.

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Laboratory Operations

**Course: Diploma of Journalism**
**College: Jschool: Journalism Education & Training**
**Code: 30793gld**
**Web: www.jschool.com.au**

Jschool is a specialist journalism college based in Brisbane and offering both on-campus and on-line vocational education in journalism. Established in 2001, Jschool is highly regarded by media professionals. The Diploma of Journalism is a hands-on course emphasising practical learning and providing constant reporting and writing practice. The one-year course can be studied part-time over two or more years. Subjects include reporting and news writing, court reporting, political reporting, multimedia, shorthand as well as contextual studies in history, literature, ethics, law and politics. Students have the opportunity to complete internships and to contribute to Jschool’s online newspaper, Newsbytes.

**Course: Certificate III in Laboratory Skills**
**College: Alan Bartlett Consulting**
**Code: MSL30109**
**Web: www.abconsulting.edu.au**

Alan Bartlett Consulting was established in 1997 to provide specialist services to the Laboratory industry, in the vocational education and training sector. The company delivers training and assessment in all states and territories of Australia via classroom and correspondence or a combination of both, utilising the latest innovative teaching technologies. Laboratory personnel work in a diverse group of technical and scientific occupations located across the whole of industry. In reality, the groups covered include scientific and technical employees involved in a variety of occupations across many industries. Although knowledge of science and/or engineering would be a benefit, you need no previous experience or knowledge in most cases, to undertake laboratory training. This training addresses the training and recognition needs of samplers, testers and laboratory personnel working in a wide range of enterprises and industry sectors including: process manufacturing, construction materials testing, food and beverage processing, wine making, biotechnology, biomedical research, pathology testing, environmental monitoring and technology, mining, mineral assay, calibration, chemical, forensic, environmental analysis, education. Working in a laboratory could see you sampling and testing soil or concrete in the laboratory/ field, to performing sampling and testing of food or water, to high level forensic/scientific/engineering testing in a specialised laboratory.

**Success Story**

**College: Alan Bartlett Consulting**
**Course: Diploma in Laboratory Operations**
**Name: Michael (Freddy) Davies**

Whilst still in Year 12, I decided, I didn’t wish to pursue further studies in a class environment. My life had always been spent mainly outdoors. I applied for and was successful in attaining a traineeship at Kingaroy Shire Council. This was a traineeship in Soil Testing, I completed that traineeship, through the now amalgamated South Burnett Shire Council. I continued with my studies using Alan Bartlett Consulting as my RTO. I have now studied to the level of a Diploma of Laboratory Technology specialising in construction materials testing. Last year, I decided/took the step to form my own business, Burnett Soil Testing. As the business begins to grow, I still wish to study to upgrade and improve my knowledge levels and skills. So to that end, I have re enrolled with Alan Bartlett Consulting to now study an Advanced Diploma of laboratory operations. As discussed, I didn’t see myself going to university.

The career pathway I took has suited me and through my RTO, with flexible on the job training, I’ve been able to achieve my goals. I was able to earn a wage, whilst still learning. For me personally, this was a win/ win situation. With this style of study, I found I could combine both inside/outside work, allowing the best of both worlds. This form of education doesn’t impede me in any way, but does allow me flexibility to earn and learn. And further down the track, if I wish, I can enrol in a tertiary institution.
The Australasian College of Natural Therapies (ACNT) provides outstanding health education to students, preparing them for a successful and fulfilling career in the expanding natural therapies industry. Since its inception in 1982 ACNT has developed highly educated and professional practitioners to meet the health and wellness needs of society. Over the past 30 years ACNT has grown into one of the largest, most reputable colleges in complementary health and wellness in Australia; with its courses being recognised by many leading industry and Government organisations that are strongly based in science and traditional practice. ACNT courses can be studied on-campus in Brisbane and Sydney and online. The Diploma of Remedial Massage is a continuation of the Cert IV in Massage Therapy Practice (also offered at ACNT) and teaches a range of advanced massage techniques, including trigger points, myofascial release and lymphatic drainage to treat a variety of ailments and in juries associated with the musculoskeletal system. ACNT teaches students to identify musculoskeletal conditions and develop comprehensive treatment plans to assist in pain management or recovery from injury. The course includes practical clinical training at ACNT’s on-campus Student Clinic, allowing students to observe and participate in the care of real patients, under the guidance of qualified Supervisors.

Course: Diploma of Remedial Massage  
College: Australian College of Natural Therapies  
Code: HLT50307  
Web: www.acnt.edu.au

I began my coaching and massage career at the Australasian College of Natural Therapies (ACNT). My first qualification was a Certificate IV Massage Therapy Practice, learning the fundamentals of Swedish massage. After meeting some great and inspiring lecturers and friends I decided to further my massage qualification and completed the Diploma of Remedial Massage. During my time studying massage at ACNT I was fortunate enough to complete weekly clinic hours at Tennis Queensland. Through this experience I met some of Queensland’s best physiotherapists and many up and coming tennis stars. Since graduating from the Diploma of Remedial Massage I have been working at a successful clinic in Stafford, where I have built a strong client base over a short period of time. I have also begun my own soccer coaching company, and in order to build this business I am furthering my studies at ACNT with a Diploma of Sports Development. This qualification is teaching me how to get the best out of athletes and manage each individual. My company is currently coaching a Year 8 soccer team at Churches Boys School, an Eastern Suburbs Football Club, and I’m in talks with a number of Australian Premier League clubs about coaching the next season. My experience with ACNT has lead me to where I am today will assist me to grow professionally into the future.

College: Australian College of Natural Therapies  
Course: Diploma of Remedial Massage (Graduated), Certificate IV Massage Therapy Practice (Graduated)  
Diploma of Sports Development (Current)  
Name: Mitchell Edwards

The Australasian College of Natural Therapies (ACNT) provides health education to students, preparing them for a successful and fulfilling career in the expanding natural therapies industry. Since its inception in 1982 ACNT has developed highly educated and professional practitioners to meet the health and wellness needs of society. Due to the practical learning available at ACNT opportunities for massage students are abundant. In addition to working at the ACNT on campus clinic and volunteering for various charity events, students are encouraged to take advantage of the array of associations the college has with outside organisations. In Brisbane students have weekly opportunities to work on elite athletes through a program run in conjunction with Tennis Queensland. As a result of this strong relationship Tennis Queensland have invited ACNT students to work at a number of high profile tennis events, including as the Brisbane International. At these events students have been able to work in whatever area they are interested in, such as event management, reception and player liaison. This additional experience is unique and greatly assists students with their confidence, customer service skills and ultimately their career in the health industry. Students are also presented with countless opportunities to network with top grade physiotherapists, dieticians, sports coaches and promoters. As a result of ACNT’s innovation and industry relevant courses they have grown into one of the largest, most reputable colleges in complementary health and wellness in Australia; with their courses being recognised by many leading industry and Government organisations that are strongly based in science and traditional practice.

Provider

Course: Diploma of Remedial Massage  
College: Endeavour College of Natural Health  
Code: HLT50307  
Web: www.endeavour.edu.au/massage

Endeavour College of Natural Health is Australia’s largest dual sector provider of natural health education. The College offers Bachelor of Health Science degrees in Acupuncture, Musculoskeletal Therapy, Naturopathy, Nutritional Medicine and Homeopathy, and Vocational Education and Training (VET) qualifications in Homeopathy, Massage, TCM and Population Health. With a truly national footprint Endeavour campuses are located in six capital cities. All around the globe, Endeavour College graduates are helping their clients prevent ill health and achieve wellbeing.

The Diploma provides students with an in depth understanding of anatomy and physiology as well as equipping them to physically assess, treat and manage clients and interact with other health care practitioners. Remedial massage is effective for a range of conditions, and patients with a limited range of motion, pain and soft tissue problems are most likely to benefit from this type of treatment. Diploma level graduates use their additional skills and knowledge to offer more advanced manual treatment, for example to those suffering from sports or work related injuries. Remedial massage therapists most commonly work as practitioners or as part of a multidisciplinary practice with other health care professionals.
Q Academy is a college specialized in health care and is known for providing in-depth, science based training with unmatched student support in a fun learning environment. We have modern campus facilities and clinics in Brisbane, the Gold Coast and the Sunshine Coast and a state of the art on-line study program for those that can’t enjoy the on-campus experience. We offer both VET FEE HELP funding as well as very attractive personal payment plans if you don’t want a study debt. As a bonus for students that choose our personal payment plan option is our unique “student for life” package where you can come back and re-sit the entire course, at any time, free of charge. This allows you to keep your skills fresh and up to date with the latest research. One of the course features our students appreciate is that at Q Academy there are NO BIG SCARY FINAL EXAMS, just many multiple choice questionnaires as you go through your course. If you want to become a world class Massage Therapist and enjoy the learning journey, then visit us at Q Academy and we can tell you all about the many career options in the Health Care industry and how we can help you achieve your goals.

Course: **Diploma of Remedial Massage (inc Certificate IV in Massage)**  
**Code:** HLT50307  
**Provider:** Q Academy  

The Diploma of Remedial Massage (HLT50307) is a high level qualification in the Massage Industry. The Certificate IV in Massage Therapy Practice (HTLA0312) is a mandatory pre-requisite where you will learn Sports massage, Swedish relaxation massage as well as Neuro Muscular Techniques.

A key differentiating feature of our Diploma of Remedial Massage course is that it includes extensive orthopaedic testing and mobilisation techniques for the whole body. The focus is on identifying and then treating musculoskeletal dysfunctions.

Our Remedial Diploma gives you credit points with Charles Sturt University and Southern Cross University towards a number of their Bachelor Degree courses.

**Course Duration:** 2 Semesters (Full or Part Time)  
**Course Funding:**  
- VET FEE HELP  
- Pay-in-Full (with Discount)  
- Payment Plans  
**Available in Brisbane, Gold Coast & Sunshine Coast Campuses and Online.**

Course: **Advanced Diploma of Remedial Massage (MYOTHERAPY)**  
**Code:** 21920VIC  
**Provider:** Q Academy  

The Myotherapy course bridges the gap between Remedial Massage and Physiotherapy. As a Remedial Massage Therapist you develop a treatment plan and working diagnosis from subjective and objective examinations, much the same as Osteopathy and Physiotherapy.

The scope of treatment techniques used to effect myofascial pain, soft tissue restriction and limited joint movement typically include massage, neuromuscular technique, myofascial release, positional release, muscle energy, stretching and joint articulations, all common to Osteopathy. Myotherapy expands your clinical knowledge of anatomy, pathology, pharmacology, and range of treatment options. The additional skills gained with an Advanced Diploma (Myotherapy) include dry needling (Acupuncture), strapping and taping, corrective exercise prescription and the use of therapeutic modalities such as TENS and ultrasound.

As an Allied Health Professional with an Advanced Diploma of Remedial Massage (Myotherapy), you’re one step closer to a career working with sports teams and the highly respected primary contact health practitioners; Physiotherapists, Osteopaths or Chiropractors.

**Course Duration:** 5 Semesters (Full or Part Time)  
Semester 1 & 2 is Diploma of Remedial Massage  
Semester 3,4,5 is the Advanced Diploma (Myotherapy)  
**Course Funding:**  
- VET FEE HELP  
- Pay-in-Full (with Discount)  
- Payment Plans  
**Available in Brisbane Only.**

**Success Story**

**Cecilia P – Online Study Method**

I really enjoyed the online Certificate IV massage therapy course. I loved how it allowed me the flexibility to study from anywhere. I was able to continue studying even when I visited my family back in the United States for a few weeks. Following the instructors in the videos made it easy to learn new massage techniques, and I was never short on volunteers from friends and family. I felt like the course content was very thorough and informative from both a scientific and holistic approach. I believe the online course as well as the team at Q Academy helped prepare me for work in the massage industry.

Brad M - On Campus Study Method

“I have now just finished my third year of studying Osteopathic Medicine and the knowledge I gained from your massage course has been integral not only to my treatments, but also to my studies at unarch. On. The depth of content (including an extensive range of anatomy, physiology, patient assessment tools and treatment techniques) applied within your course in such a short time still assists me with my current studies. I am sure the amount of fun that I had at Q Academy helped the learning process greatly, together with a very high level of teaching skills and practical instruction.”
Mater Education Limited

Mater Education is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Mater Health Services and provides high-quality education, training and professional development services. As an RTO, Mater Education Limited (MEL) is registered with the national regulator, and operates under the Vocational Education and Training Quality Framework.

Mater’s Diploma of Nursing is an 18 month Program where students learn from contemporary clinical experts within Mater’s world class, tertiary health care facilities. Education and clinical training is delivered in a unique onsite training facility and within clinical areas across Mater’s seven hospitals. A faculty of contemporary expert clinicians and educators promote student learning through a practical, problem solving approach. Students may undertake clinical placement in specialities including:

- acute medical services
- acute surgical services
- rehabilitation services
- orthopaedics
- oncology services
- perinativer services
- maternity services
- paediatrics
- emergency services

Mater’s program is accredited with the Australian Nursing and Midwifery Accreditation Council. On completion of the program, graduates can apply to the Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency as an Enrolled Nurse for registration to practise throughout Australia. Courses are available full-time, on campus. Students can choose to commence their study in February or July each year.

Sarah Blake

Mater Education’s smaller class sizes, clinical placement opportunities and supportive environment caught Sarah Blake’s attention at a career expo and in July 2011. Sarah commenced Mater’s 18 month Diploma of Nursing qualification. Sarah was awarded Mater’s Enrolled Nurse Student of the Year at the 2012 Clinical Teaching and Learning Awards.

This award was for the student who has demonstrated exceptional initiative and commitment to their development as a health professional within the clinical environment, providing outstanding patient care within a collaborative team. Amongst many other initiatives, Sarah developed a flowchart diagram that was adopted as a visual aid for all levels of nursing across Mater Health Services.

In January 2013, Sarah started a full time position at Greenslopes Private Hospital as a Theatre Nurse in the scrub/scout role. This has seen Sarah caring for patients requiring brain surgery, to those needing orthopaedic intervention.

Sarah has recently used her qualification as a stepping stone into the second year of a Bachelor of Nursing qualification. Sarah believes once you immerse yourself in study, you become more enriched, more outgoing, and develop lifelong friends.

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Kyla Koorey

After graduating year 12 there were so many career options to consider that it was overwhelming. When I heard about Gray Clay I decided to go to their open night. After my experience that night it was so clear that this was the career path for me! Having the Gray Clay staff support me throughout the course duration made my time at the college so enjoyable.

The depth of knowledge and skills that I have gained from the course still continues to surprise me. I am so grateful for the way people perceive themselves and helping to increase their self-esteem.

I am currently working as an advanced dermal therapist at Qi Cosmetic Studio and have been a part of their team for almost a year. In the future I aim to further my studies at Gray Clay by completing their Vocational Graduate Certificate Of Cosmetic Nursing and opening a successful cosmetic clinic.

The Advanced Diploma of Cosmetic Dermal Science is a unique education combination of dermal science, enrolled nursing and medical assisting units, which have been contextualised to the field of cosmetic medicine and dermal therapies. The curriculum covers the key competencies required to work as a qualified Dermal Therapist within a cosmetic medical practice.

Scope of work includes performing dermal therapy procedures, assisting medical personnel with cosmetic surgical and non-surgical procedures, assisting with practice and patient management, and performing administration duties.

Kayla Koorey

When choosing the path for your future, it is comforting to know that when you study with GrayClay College your curriculum and lecturers all come from a professional medical aesthetic background. Simply put, we are born of the medical environment. What does this mean to you? Your curriculum and practical training are set at an advanced level to suit the relevant medical environments. Your lecturers are all either currently employed in or experienced within the advanced level to suit the relevant medical environments. Your lecturers are all either currently employed in or experienced within the advanced dermal and cosmetic/medical profession.

This means you have a significant head start when embarking on your career path in medical aesthetics.

The Advanced Diploma of Dermal Science is a unique education combination of dermal science, enrolled nursing and medical assisting
**College:** Jazz Music Institute

**Course:** Bachelor of Music in Jazz Performance

**Code:** BMus(JP)
**Web:** www.jazz.qld.edu.au

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**Unique** – JMI has a unique approach to teaching jazz harmony that has students improvising with immediate effect. We have a focus on transcribing solos and consuming the jazz language.

**Creative** – Students learn to compose music, arrange for small and large ensembles and gain the necessary skills to be a creative musician.

**Practical** – Students spend the majority of contact hours in performance based classes, giving them the opportunity to learn and refine playing skills in different areas. We cover the entire fundamental range of jazz styles; from New Orleans to Bebop to Modern.

The three year full-time degree is divided into three study areas:

- **Performance**
  - Principal Study (one-on-one lessons)
  - Concert Performance Practice (weekly student performances)
  - Ensembles

- **Core Studies**
  - Jazz Materials, music theory
  - Aural and Analysis (listening and transcription skills)
  - Jazz in Context (jazz history)
  - Business Studies

- **Creative Studies**
  - Improvisation Techniques
  - Presentation Skills

Electives we offer include Jazz Composition, Jazz Arranging, Jazz Research, Performance Project Study, Music Technology, Jazz in Australia.

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**Course:** Diploma of Music in Jazz Performance

**Code:** CUS50109
**Web:** www.jazz.qld.edu.au

Based in Bowen Hills, Brisbane, Jazz Music Institute (JMI) is a specialist jazz school delivering courses in jazz performance since 1997. JMI enjoys a national and international reputation as one of the best jazz institutes in the country, producing graduates with the musical and business skills needed to thrive in the music industry. All jazz courses offered at JMI are delivered by experienced and enthusiastic lecturers who have performed with some of the biggest names in jazz.

JMI’s mission to create a centre of excellence in jazz education and performance is being noticed by some of the jazz scene’s biggest names:

- “This is one of the first jazz curriculums that address the entire fundamental range of jazz styles; from New Orleans to Bebop to Modern, it’s all there. Dan Quigley has developed a template that should be followed by schools who are serious about the study and performance of jazz music.”
  - Wynton Marsalis, Multi-Grammy Award Winner

- “JMI is a unique school in Australia, offering jazz courses through to degree level that is all about playing the music. The knowledge and dedication of the staff, the curriculum and the passion of the students all go to make this a place that every aspiring jazz musician should experience.”
  - James Morrison, Multi-Instrumentalist, Jazz Virtuoso

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**College:** Jazz Music Institute

**Course:** Bachelor of Music in Jazz Performance

**Name:** Luke Bushell and Travis Jenkins

“I started studying at JMI in 2008 and graduated in 2011. I wanted to broaden my musical knowledge and become more proficient on my instrument. JMI helped me develop skills such as reading music, aural skills and theory which have been invaluable to me as a performer in jazz and other genres of music. I believe my favourite aspect of the course is that it is mostly practical. Most of the classes you’ll be playing your instrument in which is great. Studying at JMI gave me a pathway to pursue a post graduate education and after graduating I completed a Graduate Diploma in Education from the University of Queensland.” Luke Bushell, graduated student. “JMI creates a community vibe that is conducive to immersion in the culture surrounding Jazz while maintaining an emphasis of the academic aspect of the pursuit of musical knowledge. The weekly jam sessions and performances at the school club "The Turnaround" is an example of the social hub that is created and facilitates the culture in a modern context. The curriculum covers over a hundred years of musical discoveries from the foundations of western music, traditional New Orleans Jazz and the blues, a heavy emphasis on Bebop, right up to more modern improvisational concepts and ideas that I have personally found contextually relevant to every aspect of my own musical pursuits. The curriculum is delivered by a world class team of lecturers.” Travis Jenkins, current student.

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"SUCCESS STORY"
### Advanced Diploma of Nutritional Medicine
**College:** Australasian College of Natural Therapies  
**Code:** HLT61012  
**Web:** www.acnt.edu.au

The Australasian College of Natural Therapies (ACNT) provides quality health education to students, preparing them for a successful and fulfilling career in the expanding natural therapies industry. Since its inception in 1982 ACNT has developed highly educated and professional practitioners to meet the health and wellness needs of society. Over the past 30 years ACNT has grown into one of the largest, most reputable colleges in complementary health and wellness in Australia: with its courses being recognised by many leading industry and Government organisations that are strongly based in science and traditional practice. ACNT courses can be studied on-campus in Brisbane and Sydney and online. Nutritional medicine practitioners use diet, vitamins, minerals and amino acids to prevent disease and promote optimal health. This requires an in-depth understanding of the metabolic pathways involved in the breakdown of nutrients. It also involves the role of diet, vitamins, minerals and amino acid supplements. The comprehensive Advanced Diploma of Nutritional Medicine provides advanced training in nutrition and diet related fields – including the health sciences, diagnostics and treatment modalities. Some of the areas covered include nutritional management of renal, cardiovascular, gastrointestinal, endocrine and immune disorders; palliative care and pregnancy. The course includes practical clinical training at ACNT’s Wellbeing Clinic in Brisbane and Sydney, allowing students to observe and participate in the care of real patients, under the guidance of qualified Supervisors.

**Course duration:** 2 years full time on-campus, 4 years part time online.

### Advanced Diploma of Naturopathy
**College:** Australasian College of Natural Therapies  
**Code:** HLT60512  
**Web:** www.acnt.edu.au

The Australasian College of Natural Therapies (ACNT) provides outstanding health education to students, preparing them for a successful and fulfilling career in the expanding natural therapies industry. Naturopathy recognises that health care needs to be focused on the individual, not just the disease, and that there is more to health than just the absence of disease. Naturopaths seek to restore and improve the whole person, using nutrition, herbal medicine, and lifestyle modification.

The Advanced Diploma of Naturopathy covers offers strong grounding in the medical sciences and the traditions of naturopathy, followed by in depth training in herbal and nutritional medicine.

This course covers a wide range of subject topics including chemistry, biochemistry, pathology, symptomatology, diagnosis and pharmacology.

As the course progresses students learn the skills required to work as part of a health care team, and to manage their own health business. ACNT also introduces students to additional modalities such as iridology and homeopathy. The course includes more than 400 hours of practical clinical training at ACNT’s on-campus Student Clinics, allowing students to observe and participate in the care of real patients, under the guidance of qualified Supervisors. ACNT also offers an Advanced Diploma of Western Herbal Medicine, which can be studied online.

**Course duration:** 3 years full time on campus, 6 years part time online.

### Bachelor of Health Science (Acupuncture)
**College:** Endeavour College of Natural Health  
**Code:** BHSc (Acu)  
**Web:** www.endeavour.edu.au/acupuncture

Endeavour College of Natural Health is Australia’s largest dual sector provider of natural health education. The College offers Bachelor of Health Science degrees in Acupuncture, Musculoskeletal Therapy, Naturopathy, Nutritional Medicine and Homeopathy, and Vocational Education and Training (VET) qualifications in Massage, TCM and Population Health. With a truly national footprint Endeavour campuses are located in six capital cities. All around the globe, Endeavour College graduates are helping their clients prevent ill health and achieve wellbeing.

Acupuncture is a branch of Chinese medicine that stimulates special points on the body in order to regulate the flow of Qi (vital force) to balance the functions of the body, mind and spirit and restore health.

Chinese medicine combines theory (philosophy and principles) and practices such as acupuncture, Chinese herbs, medicinal diet, Qi Gong, exercise and massage (Tui Na). To support learning, students attend practical classes where they are expected to practice interviewing techniques, examination and treatment procedures on each other under the supervision of qualified instructors. Acupuncturists may practice independently as a sole trader, or provide treatment in a multidisciplinary setting.

Acupuncturists often work alongside other allied health practitioners such as Medical Doctors, Physiotherapists, Osteopaths, Chiropractors and Naturopaths.

### Bachelor of Health Science (Nutritional Medicine)
**College:** Endeavour College of Natural Health  
**Code:** BHSc (Nut Med)  
**Web:** www.endeavour.edu.au/nutritional-med

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Nutritional Medicine is a modality that considers food and nutrients in relation to health and disease. It looks at the quality of food that is harvested as well as its preparation, and the balance of macro- and micro-nutrients needed by an individual at various stages of life.

Nutrition primarily focuses on modifying a person’s consumption patterns to promote the building of healthier tissues, the release of excess fat, or the release of toxins from the body. To support learning students attend practical classes where they are expected to practice interviewing techniques, as well as examination and treatment procedures on each other under the supervision of qualified instructors.

Nutritional consultants counsel clients on modifying food selections as well as supplementing their diet with nutrients such as vitamins and minerals for the prevention and treatment of illnesses and disease, and for maintenance of optimum health.
In 1999 the qualification was the first of its kind to house the dedicated
Advanced Diploma of Homeopathy course. The Advanced Diploma of Homeopathy course equips students to practice in the
dynamic field of homeopathic health care. Homeopathy is the second
most used medical system in the world with over 550 million users
according to World Health Organisation. The homeopathic industry
landscape is changing rapidly.

Homeopathy is a whole medical system combining theory, philosophy,
principles and practice to support healing and treat a wide range of
physical, emotional and mental conditions. Endeavour’s Advanced
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Naturopathy is a whole medical system combining theory (philosophy
and principles) and practice that uses an array of natural therapies to
support healing and maintain health. Its core principle, "the healing
power of nature", guides the naturopath’s use of nutrition, dietary
counselling, herbal medicine, manual therapies, flower essences,
and therapy, lifestyle education, homeopathy and other modalities to treat illness
and restore health. Students gain significant clinical experience at
Endeavour’s Teaching Clinics under the supervision of qualified
practitioners. Our busy clinics provide the opportunity to develop and
hone clinical skills in patient assessment and management.

Many naturopaths work independently in private practice, setting their own
hours and developing and managing their own businesses.

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Musculoskeletal Therapy (MST) is a branch of manual medicine which
focuses on the treatment and management of musculoskeletal pain
and dysfunction. MST involves an extensive physical evaluation and an
integrated therapeutic approach in the treatment of affected muscles,
joints and nerves. It uses standard methods of assessment such as
postural evaluation, neurological and functional testing to determine the
particular cause of musculoskeletal pain and associated dysfunction.

To support learning, students attend practical classes where they are
expected to practice interviewing techniques, examination and treatment
procedures on each other under the supervision of qualified instructors.
Musculoskeletal Therapists may practice independently as a sole
trader, or provide treatment in conjunction with other health-
care professionals in a multidisciplinary setting.

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The Actors Workshop is situated in Trinity Lane, Woolloongabba the college is housed in the
historic Foresters Hall. The hall itself includes original stage and lighting
grid, costume and props store, front of house bar and a fully equipped
service kitchen for student use. Adjacent to the hall is the camera studio,
library and administration offices, courtyard and garden for student’s
recreation. The Actors Workshop only accepts sixteen students into its
Advanced Diploma of Film, Television and Theatre Acting and also offers
a Diploma of Film and Television and a Certificate IV in Film and
Television Acting within the course.

The Advanced Diploma of Film Television and Theatre Acting combines extended core training in Acting
Technique, Voice, Movement, Improvisation, Camera and Theatre.
In 1999 the qualification was the first of its kind to house the dedicated
application of both the live and camera mediums throughout the duration of
the entire course.

Specialised training areas include:
- Shakespeare • Monologues • American Accent • Host Presenting •
- Professional Development • Audition Technique • Stage Combat • Film
Analysis • Writing Structure • Phonetics • Group Devised Performance

There are twenty eight (28) contact hours of training per week and
40 weeks of intense training per year. The dual relationship of Film and
Theatre training gives graduates the competitive edge in seeking
employment as an actor, in the Film, Television and Theatre industries.
### Course: Bachelor of Psychological Science  
**College:** Australian Institute of Psychology  
**Code:** BPS01  
**Web:** [www.aip.edu.au](http://www.aip.edu.au)

The Australian Institute of Psychology is a specialist non-University private provider of Psychology. Our focus is to create an optimum learning environment and experience for our students. We offer innovative, contemporary Psychology courses and programs and our research initiatives are exciting and socially relevant, so you can make a real difference.

The Bachelor of Psychological Science is a three year undergraduate degree that introduces students to the broad discipline of psychology and its research basis. It meets the accreditation requirements of the Australian Psychology Accreditation Council (APAC) and as such is accredited as the first 3 years of study in the path to becoming registered as a Psychologist. It provides students with the opportunity to examine the field of psychology in depth whilst providing a pathway toward professional registration and practice. As a three year course of study, the Bachelor of Psychological Science also provides relevant qualification for preliminary work in such areas as counselling, human service organisations, personnel management, market research, health and community services. It can also be used as a prerequisite requirement for entry into 4th year graduate programs in psychology.

### Course: Diploma of Biblical Studies and Christian Ministry  
**College:** Rhema Bible Training Centre Australia Limited  
**Code:** 30893QLD  
**Web:** [www.rhema.org.au](http://www.rhema.org.au)

Rhema Bible Training Centre was founded in 1974 in the USA by Kenneth E Hagin and currently has over 60,000 graduates worldwide. As one of over 160 international campuses, Rhema Australia, located in Brisbane, opened in 2009 as a Registered Training Organisation. Rhema’s mandate is to train men and women to take part in ushering in the second coming of Jesus Christ, equipping them spiritually and relacionally with God to be followers of Jesus Christ and a leader in the local church, organisation and your own sphere in the marketplace, family and community.

Rhema offers a Bible-based curriculum, Spirit-lead instruction, inspiring seasoned instructors, practical ministry development, and a vibrant student life in Rhema Chapel, Prayer School, and Explosion Days – outreach and evangelism and a Mission Project. Through the Rhema outreach and evangelism and a Mission Project. Through the Rhema

Alumni Association (an association of graduates) you can stay connected with graduates from your campus and graduates around the world. Graduates may apply for ministerial ordination and licensing through Rhema Family Churches Australia, a network of churches and ministers nationally recognised by the Australia Government.

“Go into all the world and preach the Good News to everyone.”  
Mark 16:15

### Course: Certificate IV in Training and Assessment  
**College:** Mater Education Limited  
**Code:** TAE40110  
**Web:** [www.matereducation.qld.edu.au](http://www.matereducation.qld.edu.au)

Mater Education is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Mater Health Services and provides high-quality education, training and professional development services. As a Registered Training Organisation, Mater Education Limited (MEL) is registered with the national regulator: Mater Education’s Certificate IV in Training and Assessment (TAE40110) is a highly valued qualification designed to provide the knowledge and skills required for a variety of professionals in the Vocational Education and Training (VET) sector as well as workplace trainers and assessors. It is an essential qualification for the delivery and assessment of nationally recognised units of competence.

Mater Education’s program is presented within a dynamic learning environment with highly skilled and innovative trainers. Skills and knowledge in working as a trainer and assessor are learnt within enjoyable, interactive workshops and via experiential and self-directed learning. There are 10 units of competency necessary to gain this qualification, with all areas of training design, delivery and assessment explored with a network of other trainers and assessors from diverse backgrounds. Support and guidance is provided by our highly qualified trainers for all participants to ensure individualised learning needs are met.

### Course: Certificate IV in Training and Assessment  
**College:** MRWED Training and Assessment  
**Code:** TAE40110  
**Web:** [www.mrwed.edu.au](http://www.mrwed.edu.au)

MRWED Training and Assessment is Australia’s leading provider of Trainer Training. Currently the organisation services Australia through dedicated Training Centres in Brisbane, Sydney, Melbourne, Adelaide and Newcastle. MRWED also conducts regular training internationally throughout Asia, Africa and North America.

MRWED delivers courses that support the growth of beginning trainers, senior trainers and training managers via its popular Certificate IV in Training and Assessment (TAE40110) program. This qualification is designed to meet the current and future competency development needs of new and existing personnel participating in a variety of work functions and activities within Vocational Education and Training in Australia. This may include formal training in a structured training environment, on-the-job instruction, conducting of workplace assessments, one-to-

one training of apprentices, as well as the coaching and mentoring of staff. Achievement of this qualification (or a demonstrated equivalence) by trainers and assessors is a requirement within the VET Quality Framework. The program addresses key competency areas that represent the primary areas of work undertaken within organisations that provide training and assessment services.

Each of these areas is called a “Cluster”. The Clusters contained in the Certificate IV program are:

- Learning Design (DES)
- Assessment (ASS)
- Enterprise Trainer (ETR)
- Delivery and Facilitation (DEL).
Do you need student financial learning support?

Depending on your situation, you may be eligible for Government support payments to help with the costs of your study and associated fees.

**ABSTUDY**

Support for tuition costs for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Australians who are studying or undertaking an Australian apprenticeship.

For more information visit www.humanservices.gov.au

**AUSTUDY**

Financial help for full-time students and Australian Apprentices aged 25 or over, who are studying full-time in an approved course, or undertaking a full-time Australian apprenticeship or traineeship.

For more information visit www.humanservices.gov.au

**FEE-HELP**

FEE-HELP is a loan scheme that assists eligible fee paying students pay all or part of their tuition fees. It cannot be used for additional study costs such as accommodation or textbooks. The total amount of FEE-HELP you can use is known as the ‘FEE-HELP limit’. For more information visit www.studyassist.gov.au

**PENSIONER EDUCATION SUPPLEMENT**

To receive the Pensioner Education Supplement, you must be in a secondary or tertiary course at an educational institution approved by the Australian Government. You must also be receiving a qualifying pension or payment.

For more information visit www.humanservices.gov.au

**VET FEE HELP**

VET FEE-HELP is available to assist eligible students studying higher-level vocational education and training (VET) qualifications to pay their tuition fees. Higher-level VET qualifications are at the diploma level and above; VET FEE HELP is not available for certificate level courses. VET FEE HELP can be used to pay all or part of eligible students’ tuition fees, but cannot be used for additional study costs such as accommodation or textbooks.

For more information visit www.studyassist.gov.au

**YOUTH ALLOWANCE**

Youth Allowance provides financial help for young people aged between 16 and 24 who are studying full time, undertaking a full-time Australian Apprenticeship or looking for work.

For more information visit www.humanservices.gov.au

When choosing your course, talk to the college staff about how they might assist you with support and information on financial assistance.
Queensland Tertiary Studies and Careers Expo Events – Key Dates

Visit www.careerseven.com.au to find out the latest information on further training, tertiary studies and employment opportunities.

Meet with hundreds of representatives to discuss your future study and career options at an expo that is in a town near to you.

Admission is free for all visitors.

The 2013 series of events includes

**Sunshine Coast Daily Careers Expo**
Thursday 18th July 2013 USC Sports Stadium, Sippy Downs

**Tertiary Studies Expo (TSXPO)**
Saturday 20th & Sunday 21st July 2013 RNA Showgrounds, Brisbane

**Toowoomba Chronicle Careers Expo**
Tuesday 30th July 2013 Clive Berghofer Centre, USQ, Toowoomba

**Townsville Careers Expo**
Monday 12th August 2013, Townsville RSL Stadium, Murray Sports Complex

Showcasing the latest resources to all educators, the 6th Annual Queensland Education Resources Expo (QUEDREX), staged on the weekend 24–25 August, 2013 at the Brisbane Convention and Entertainment Centre, is an industry event for staff and management engaged across all school sectors. For further information on this event please visit www.quedrex.com.au

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