

NORTHERN COLLEGE OF THE ARTS & TECHNOLOGY

CUA31015 Certificate III in Screen and Media

Course Information Brochure (Video and Screen)



Description of Course

In the Screen Stream of the CUA31015 students develop skills in the area of film, audio and online. Students undertake practices of a creative individual and collaborative media products.

Activities/tasks

Units 1 & 2 - First Year

Students complete varied tasks to cover the qualification criteria which may include:

- Planning and recording of a short film
- Sound and audio editing leading to the production of podcasts
- Research on the industry and current trends, careers and professional development
- Collecting and organising content to create a media product for screen or audio

Second Year

- Writing content in response to a pitch
- Websites on a topic of students' choice with appropriate copy for the style of the website. Students will incorporate trainer feedback and test the product before delivery on the due date.
- Develop skills of presentation and production techniques
- Planning and recording of a television show

Assessment

The assessment involves a variety of methods including product assessment, observation and evidence of planning and production, like storyboards. It may involve some short tests. The assessment of overall competence will be undertaken by a qualified assessor and students' competence judged using all of the qualification's criteria.

Students will be given a fair and adequate assessment process that includes the option of an assessment re-sit. If students are still not yet competent after the re-sit then a fee will be charged, this will be the same as for RPL.

Eligibility and prerequisites

Basic language literacy and computer competency levels are pre-requisites. If you have any individual needs please contact the College.

COURSE CONTENTS

UNIT CODE UNIT TITLE

First YEAR Units 1 & 2

BSBCRT301 Develop and extend critical and creative thinking skills BSBWHS201 Contribute to the health and safety of self and others

CUACAM201 Assist with a basic camera shoot

CUAIND301 Work effectively in the creative arts industry
CUAPOS201 Perform basic vision and sound editing
BSBINN301 Promote innovation in a team environment

CUAPPM302 Plan and prepare program content

SECOND YEAR Units 3 & 4

CUADIG201 Maintain interactive content

CUADIG301 Prepare video assets

CUAAIR201 Develop techniques for presenting information on air CUABRD302 Provide production support for television productions

CUAWRT301 Write content for a range of media

Benefits of this training

The program prepares students to pursue further study in the area of Multimedia or related areas. IMPORTANT The second year of this Screen Stream course at NCAT is NOT scored assessed and will not contribute to your ATAR study score. However it can provide a 10% contribution as a fifth or sixth study.

Pathways

Students can go on to Certificate IV, Diploma and Advanced Diploma in Screen and Media at tertiary institutions or seek employment in the industry.

Course Materials Charges

VET students from other schools have separate fee arrangements with their own schools for VET course costs. All training resources are provided when classes commence. NCAT students please see the Payment Form - Material Charges.

Length of the Course

This course runs a half a day a week over two years from February to November. You will be provided with a schedule and training plan for completing assessment tasks for each unit.

Enrolment Process

Students enrolling as full time students must contact the college on Tel 9478 1333 for an interview. External students must apply through the VET coordinator at their home school and complete the enrollment form at the NCAT information evening.

Please note

For details regarding Access, Equity, Privacy Policy, Refunds Policy, Student Conduct, Recognition Processes, Access to Records, Complaints & Appeals Policy etc. please see the <u>VET & General Student Handbook</u> available on the NCAT website.

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