



39227QLD Diploma of Visual Art

Program Description This Program is designed to provide you with the opportunity to develop skills and techniques relevant to employment within the visual arts industry. It includes core competencies in visual culture and professional practice plus elective competencies in studio areas such as painting, sculpture, printmaking, digital media, drawing, ceramics, jewellery and community projects.

Entry Requirements Recommended Education Level: Year 12 or Equivalent

You are required to have strong literacy and numeracy skills, have the ability to undertake research tasks and be able to work independently. Drawing ability at an intermediate to advanced level is necessary. You are required to present a folio of work at interview. Achievement at a Very High Level in Year 12 Visual Art will replace a folio.

Career Opportunities Individual art practice, arts administration, public and private gallery administration, art retail industry, art writing/criticism/review and teaching/consultancy, self employment, collaboration with other artists, in allied fields such as legal, copyright and consulting.

Campus Location Hervey Bay Campus

Method of Study On Campus
Full Time
Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL)
QTAC Entry

Program Intake/s Semester 1

Program Duration 1 year. 20 hours per week in class, plus 15 hours per week study in your own time.

Admission Method QTAC/Application

First year applicants must apply through the Queensland Tertiary Admissions Centre (QTAC).
Telephone: 1300 467 822.
Email: qtac@qtac.edu.au
Web: www.qtac.edu.au

Entry to the program for full time students is initially by allocation of a place through the QTAC process. However, once QTAC allocations have been filled, a limited number of additional places may be available.

Once QTAC offers have been finalised you can apply online at www.widebay.tafe.qld.gov.au/resources/pdf/tafe-application-form.pdf or over the phone on 1300 656 188. An interview with the teacher may be required, this can help identify the appropriate levels of enrolment and ensure you are undertaking the most suitable program.

Requirements to Achieve Qualification Core Competencies: 5
Elective Competencies: 8
Semester 1 Competencies: S1
Semester 2 Competencies: S2

CORE COMPETENCIES

- S1 VACOR51A Critically evaluate contemporary culture
- S2 VACOR52A Interpret artwork through analysis of cultural histories
- S2 VACOR53A Produce artworks
- S2 VACOR54A Exhibit artworks
- S2 VACOR55A Establish a viable arts practice



1300 656 188

www.widebay.tafe.qld.gov.au

WideBayTAFE

TAFE Queensland



39227QLD Diploma of Visual Art

ELECTIVE COMPETENCIES

- S1 CUEMAR02B Undertake market research
- S1 VADRW52A Produce drawings from life
- S2 VADRW53A Draw using contemporary techniques
- S1 VADRW54A Produce drawings using mixed media
- S1 VAPAI51A Paint series and sequences
- S2 VAPAI54A Paint using mixed media
- S2 VAPAI52A Paint concepts and social context
- S1 VAPAI53A Produce paintings using traditional media

Certificate 4 competencies also required:

- S1 CUVVSP14B Apply techniques to produce drawings
- S1 CUVVSP34B Apply techniques to produce paintings
- S1 CUVCOR13B Research and critically analyse history and theory to inform artistic practice

Assessment Method Practical Task
Written Task/Assignment
Project

Further Study ARTICULATION ARRANGEMENTS: Pathways to universities may exist for this program (Australian Catholic University, CQ University Australia, University of the Sunshine Coast, James Cook University and University of Southern Queensland). For information regarding eligibility, please contact the relevant university to make sure you have correct and up-to-date information on credit/application procedures.

Important Dates Semester 1 2012:
First day of class: 30/01/12
Last day of class: 22/06/12
.
Semester 2 2012:
First day of class: 09/07/12
Last day of class: 23/11/12

Orientation Monday 30/01/12 at 10.00am in L Block at the Hervey Bay Urraween Road Campus

Vocational Placement No, not required.

Approximate Fees and Other Costs *Please choose carefully – your fees are not refundable once the program has commenced. An Instalment Plan is a credit arrangement. If you have signed an Instalment Plan and you withdraw from, or fail to participate in the program, the balances of any fees remain payable to Wide Bay TAFE. Please refer to the full Refund Policy available at: <http://www.widebay.tafe.qld.gov.au/resources/pdf/refund-policy.pdf>. Fees indicated are approximate and should be used as a guide only, until your enrolment has been finalised. Fees may vary for non-Queensland residents.*

Full Fee: \$1309.00
Concession Fee: \$625.00



1300 656 188

www.widebay.tafe.qld.gov.au

WideBayTAFE

TAFE Queensland



39227QLD Diploma of Visual Art

- Additional Materials** You will be required to provide your own art materials. Please refer to the attached Materials List.
- Important Information** Please note: Information is correct at time of creation but may change without notice.
Program commencement may be contingent on minimum enrolment numbers being achieved.
WideBay TAFE regularly updates programs to ensure the latest training package is offered. In doing so, some programs may be in the process of registration. Registration will be sought for the new National Training Package qualifications when they become available, at which time students will be transitioned to the new program as soon as it is feasible.
- Recognition of Prior Learning** This means your existing knowledge, skills and/or training may be formally recognised and/or taken into account when you study our programs. Please contact customer care for further details.



1300 656 188

www.widebay.tafe.qld.gov.au

WideBay TAFE

TAFE Queensland