

FREE TAFE

Victoria University Polytechnic

Free TAFE at VU Polytechnic

The state government announced the Free TAFE initiative to enable eligible students to enrol in courses identified as high employment areas:

- ◆ Construction
- ◆ Community Services and Health
- ◆ Pre-vocational apprenticeships

Free TAFE will:

- ◆ give more Victorians the chance to study at TAFE.
- ◆ Waive tuition fees for eligible students (still pay course materials and ancillary fee).

At VU Polytechnic:

- ◆ Approximately 35% of all VU Polytechnic courses are on the Free TAFE list and we anticipate that more courses will be added in 2020.
- ◆ Our courses are based on our multi award-winning Blended Learning Model – supported e-learning, face-to-face sessions and practical demonstration.
- ◆ Our staff and programs are open and accessible to match diverse students into the right course at the right time.



Why choose Free TAFE at VU Polytechnic?

Construction and Trades

Sunshine campus

- ◆ Multi-million dollar trades facility
- ◆ Real work projects on campus or with employers



Werribee East campus

- ◆ State-of-the-art equipment
- ◆ Tunnel simulator and virtual reality learning with industry oversight



Women in trades

- ◆ Welcoming environment
- ◆ Committed to opportunity



Community Services and Health

Community health

- ◆ Simulation workplace and clinics, aged care and disability equipment
- ◆ Practical placements for hands-on learning



Community services

- ◆ Hands-on training
- ◆ Industry connections – 25% of course is through practical placement



Early childhood education and support

- ◆ Diploma – work after 1 year and then study the Bachelor for a further 2 years
- ◆ Practical placement with strong employment outcomes



Technology

Certificate II – IV in Digital Technologies

- ◆ Cisco partnership and IT industry led programs
- ◆ Cyber Security Operations Centre to open in St Albans in July 2019



Image is reference only

Sunshine Skills Hub

- ◆ Future Skill Accelerator
- ◆ Providing individuals in the West of Melbourne an iconic place to come and learn new technology skills that will enhance their employment opportunities.



The VU Way

Victoria University is a dual-sector University offering circular pathways between and across programs and disciplines.

Zahra Rezia – her story:

Certificate IV in Information Technology

Bachelor of Information Technology

Master of Applied Information Technology



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Thank you!

Pathways @ VU

Dual Sector Advantage



Multiple entry and exit points
across Vocational and Higher
Education courses

All levels from pre-vocational
certificates to PhDs



What is a Pathway

- ◆ Any course that takes you on your journey to your dream job
- ◆ A course not defined by your score
- ◆ You can work in your field of discipline while you study
- ◆ You can 'try before you buy'



Types of Pathways

FORMAL PATHWAYS

- ◆ Cognate/matching discipline
- ◆ Stepped progression through AQF qualification levels
- ◆ Often with credit



BUSINESS PATHWAY

BUSINESS

PATHWAY COURSE AND CODE	COURSE CREDITS
ASSOCIATE DEGREE IN HOSPITALITY AND HOTEL MANAGEMENT - VAHH	192
ADVANCED DIPLOMA OF HOSPITALITY MANAGEMENT – SIT60316	144
DIPLOMA OF ACCOUNTING – FNS50215	96
DIPLOMA OF HOSPITALITY MANAGEMENT – SIT50416	96
DIPLOMA OF LEADERSHIP AND MANAGEMENT – BSB51915	96
DIPLOMA OF LOGISTICS – TLI50415	96
DIPLOMA OF BUSINESS (ENTERPRISE) – VDDE	96
FOUNDATIONS AT VU – JYAC	0
CERTIFICATE IV IN TERTIARY PREPARATION – 22313VIC	0
GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN MANAGEMENT – 22230VIC	48



UNIVERSITY COURSE AND CODE
BACHELOR OF BUSINESS – BBMS
MAJORS:
ACCOUNTING
EVENT MANAGEMENT
FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT
HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT
INFORMATION SYSTEMS MANAGEMENT
TOURISM AND HOSPITALITY MANAGEMENT
INTERNATIONAL TRADE
MANAGEMENT AND INNOVATION
MARKETING
SUPPLY CHAIN AND LOGISTICS MANAGEMENT



MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION – BMPE
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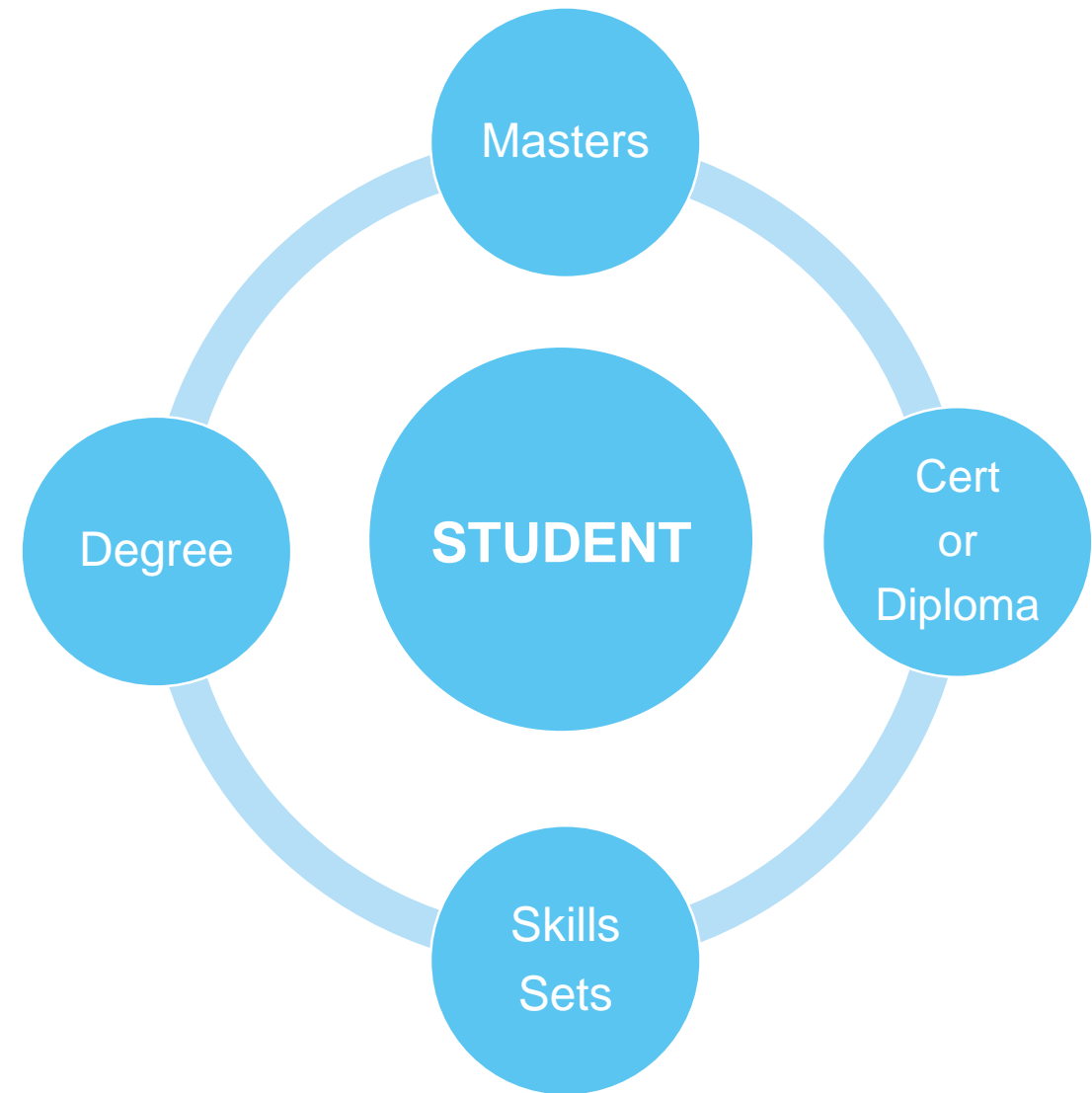
CIRCULAR PATHWAYS

LEARNING BITES

- ◆ VE units or skill sets in UG/PG degrees

VE CERTIFICATES & DIPLOMAS

- ◆ Study concurrently with undergraduate or Postgraduate degrees



FOUNDATION AND TERTIARY PREPARATION PATHWAYS

FOUNDATION PATHWAYS

- ◆ Alternative pathway to vocational education
- ◆ Fully funded 13-week enabling course
- ◆ Small classes
- ◆ Core and elective units in English, Communication, Maths, Chemistry, Biology, Business studies
- ◆ Pathways into Arts, Education, Health, Biomedical Science, Sport, Legal Studies, Business, Information Technology degrees and Higher Education Diplomas



CERTIFICATE IV IN TERTIARY PREPARATION



- ◆ Suits those returning to study or those who may want to enhance or add to their skills before undertaking further study
- ◆ Suits VCAL and non-scored VCE students
- ◆ Supports development of academic and study skills including critical thinking, problem solving, collaborative team work and research skills
- ◆ Offers a multitude of pathways into Diploma and Undergraduate degrees

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Thank you!

Q&A