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Training Package Version Guide

Training Package	Version @ 6/2/13
CPP07 Property Services Training Package	Version 13
FNS10 Financial Services Training Package	Version 4
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2013 - WA Training Awards

Critical dates for the WA Training Awards 2013 are below, with more information to follow in due course.

Applications open: Friday 15 March 2013

Applications close: Friday 10 May 2013

Semi-finalists Judging Day (individual category interviews): Friday 19 July 2013

Site visits (organisation categories): 22 July – 2 August 2013

WA Training Awards Presentation Dinner: 20 September 2013

Australian Training Awards Presentation Dinner (Perth): Friday 22 November 2013

New State Training Provider Appointments

Four new Managing Directors have been appointed to State Public Training Providers (formerly TAFE) in Western Australia. Congratulations to:

- Kevin Doig, Managing Director, Goldfields Institute of Technology;
- Jill Jamieson, Managing Director, Polytechnic West;
- Duncan Anderson, Managing Director, South West Institute of Technology; and
- Michelle Hoad, Managing Director, West Coast Institute of Training



New Standards for the WACE in 2016

The School Curriculum and Standards Authority has listened to the feedback from teachers, principals and other stakeholders and will adapt the Western Australian Certificate of Education to address the issues that have been raised. The course structure in senior secondary schooling and the requirements to achieve a WACE have been revised to provide students with the best possible opportunities in years 11 and 12.



For further details on what changes will be made to the WACE in the lead up to implementation in 2016, [click here](#).

New School Based Apprenticeship and Traineeship Policy

The Department of Training and Workforce Development has released its new *School Based Apprenticeship and Traineeship Policy*, effective 1 January 2013. The new policy provides clarity for stakeholders on their responsibilities, procedures and compliance requirements. In 2013, the Department will conduct professional development workshops in metropolitan and regional areas to assist stakeholders understand their obligations under the new policy.



For further information, and to view the policy, [click here](#).

WestOne



WestOne collaborates with clients within the VET sector to build capacity for flexible learning in innovation and areas of VET Training & Learning Materials and e-learning services.

WestOne creates a wide range of VET teaching and learning resources that can be produced in a variety of formats. The resources include; Training resources, Assessment resources and Professional development resources. The resources take the form of vision (video), DEV, CD online and printed publications. For further information please visit: <http://www.westone.wa.gov.au/Pages/Home.aspx>.

Leadership and Management Review – National Consultation

Over the last decade and a half a number of investigations have been undertaken into the importance of management development, and the knowledge and skills managers need to perform effectively in the workplace.



Innovation and Business Skills Australia (IBSA) has engaged Precision Consultancy to undertake research to:

- identify contemporary and emerging skill needs of Australian leaders and managers, and
- consider options for how the VET system can best meet these needs

IBSA is seeking feedback from stakeholders and will be undertaking National consultation which will commence in December 2012. A Discussion Paper has been prepared to support this process, [it can be found here](#).

Written responses to the Discussion Paper must be **received by COB 15th February 2013**. Responses should be sent to Rosalie Flynn from Precision Consultancy, at rosalie@precisionconsultancy.com.au. Your feedback can take the form of a simple email, a formal written submission provided as an attachment, or you can submit your answers to the questions posed in the Discussion Paper.

IBSA Business Services Training Package Workshops

Innovation & Business Skills Australia (IBSA) is delivering new workshops across Australia on 'Changes to the Business Services Training Package' presented by Tony Cusack from February to May 2013 and 'The new WHS qualifications – leaner, focused and up to date' presented by Ross Armstrong from April to May 2013.

Event management will be facilitated by Velg Training under an exciting new partnership arrangement with IBSA that provides significant cost savings to attendees.

Changes to the Business Services Training Package <<http://ibsa.us2.list-manage2.com/track/click?u=84aa4f6b4fbf30236b8b413ca&id=0a73aca658&e=8bbbd45e02>>

February to May 2013 – Adelaide, Brisbane, Canberra, Darwin, Melbourne, Perth, Sydney

Facilitated by Tony Cusack, Industry Manager at IBSA, this series will cover the major changes to the Business Services Training Package. Participants will gain an insight into the wider changes to the Project Management, Human Resources, and Work Health and Safety qualifications.

Key topics covered within this workshop

- * Specific changes to Training Package content
- * Planning transition and implementing qualifications in v7.0 and v8.0 of BSB07
- * Drivers for change in the WHS, Project Management and Human Resources workforce development
- * Industry research findings.

The new WHS qualifications – leaner, focused and up to date <<http://ibsa.us2.list-manage.com/track/click?u=84aa4f6b4fbf30236b8b413ca&id=1a40494c6f&e=8bbbd45e02>>

April to May 2013 – Adelaide, Brisbane, Melbourne, Perth, Sydney

The review and major redevelopment of the Work Health and Safety (WHS) qualifications (Certificate III, Certificate IV, Diploma and Advanced Diploma) and units of competency was completed in 2012, with endorsement by the NSSC at its December 2012 meeting. The four generic WHS units used in a range of other qualifications were also revised and endorsed. This workshop will include an overview of the new WHS qualifications and units of competency, a detailed look at the changes to the qualifications and units of competency and a discussion around implementation issues.

Key topics covered within this workshop

- * Background to the review
- * Overview of WHS qualifications and units of competency in the BSB07 Business Services Training Package
- * Changes to the qualifications and units of competency (content, form, assessment, sequencing and resourcing)
- * Implementation issues.

[http://www.ibsa.org.au/Portals/ibsa.org.au/images/Events/workshops/Velg_logo.JPG]Full day workshop prices:

These are IBSA and Velg partnered events, with full day workshops offered in multiple locations.

Security RTO Network Meeting

FAPSTC will hold a Security RTO Network Meeting on Wednesday 27th February 2013 commencing at 9.30am.

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