



DESIGN & CREATIVE INDUSTRY

Channel your passion and develop your creative talents to forge a rewarding and fulfilling career. You could learn to design amazing brand and advertising campaigns, beautiful interiors, innovative products and equipment, 3D art and animation, or provide administrative support to the art and design industry. At TAFE NSW, our talented teachers will foster your artistic gifts and develop your design skills and techniques, to ensure you are properly set up for a successful career.



Job opportunities

Specialised Design services in Australia provide job opportunities in commercial art design, fashion design, graphic design, interior design, jewellery design, printing, textile design, photography and digital design.



Industry partnerships

Design students are introduced to prominent design professionals from a range of discipline areas, industry experts that provide industry with up to date materials, technology and software, in opportunities such as a workplace visits, competitions, online webinars and guest speaker programs.



Annual growth +13.6%[^]

Projected employment in Australia for Design disciplines is forecast to positively grow by 13.6% in the areas for Graphic and Web Designers, and Illustrators. Fashion, Industrial and Jewellery Design is projected to grow 20.1%, Photography by 13.5%, Interior Design by 18.3%.



Earning potential[^]

Graphic Designers earn a median salary of \$1,280 per week.

QUALIFICATIONS YOU CAN EARN AT TAFE NSW

Whether you are looking for a hands-on creative career working with pencils, paints, or pottery, or if you're more interested in the digital side of artistic expression, there is a TAFE NSW course to help you become qualified. Taught by industry-experienced teachers, TAFE NSW courses give you the professional skills and knowledge you need to find employment, and kickstart your career.

Course	Code	Duration
Bachelor of 3D Art and Animation	HE20520	3 years
Bachelor of Creative Practice	HE20534	3 years
Bachelor of Fashion Design	HE20506	3 years
Bachelor of Design (Interior Design)	HE20501	3 years
Advanced Diploma of Graphic Design	CUA60315*	36 weeks
Advanced Diploma of Creative Product Development	CUA60415*	36 weeks
Advanced Diploma of Live Production and Management Services	CUA60213*	36 weeks
Diploma of Graphic Design	CUA50715*	38 weeks
Diploma of Live Production and Technical Services (Costume for Performance)	CUA50415*	36 weeks
Diploma of Live Production Design	CUA50513*	36 weeks
Diploma of Applied Fashion Design and Merchandising	MST50119	36 weeks

Course	Code	Duration
Diploma of Ceramics	CUA51215*	1-2 years
Diploma of Photography and Digital Imaging	CUA50915*	1 year
Diploma of Visual Arts	CUA51115*	1-2 years
Advanced Diploma of Visual Arts	CUA60715*	36 weeks - 2 years
Advanced Diploma of Applied Fashion and Merchandising	MST60119	26 weeks - 2 years
Diploma of Interior Design	MSF50218	1-3 years
Certificate IV in Photography and Digital Imaging	CUA41115*	16-36 weeks
Certificate IV in Design	CUA40715*	18-36 weeks
Certificate IV in Interior Decoration	MSF40118	17-36 weeks
Certificate III in Design Fundamental	CUA30715*	18 weeks-1.5 years

FEES FOR YOUR COURSE

A range of criteria apply for course fees, access to government subsidised training, student loans, payment by instalment, fee concessions and fee exemptions that are available to eligible students. The training for all/some of the courses listed is subsidised by the NSW Government under Smart and Skilled funding. Visit tafensw.edu.au/enrol/fees.

[^] SOURCE: JobOutlook ANZSCO IDs 2324/2323/2133/2325. *This course is superseded. You can still enrol in this course, and you will be contacted if you need to transition into the next version when it is available.
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SHORT COURSES YOU CAN STUDY AT TAFE NSW

There is a wide selection of short courses available to study at TAFE NSW. Some are designed to help you build professional qualifications for a variety of creative careers, and others are simply designed to help you expand your range of artistic abilities, or further develop your existing skills.

Short Courses for Design	Code	Duration	Included Units of Study
Statement of Attainment in Printing	SG00008033	6 weeks	ICPSUP262* Communicate in the workplace
ICPSUP260 Maintain a safe work environment	900-80389	1 day	BSBCUS301* Deliver and monitor a service to customers BSBLIB402* Consolidate and maintain industry knowledge BSBWHS401* Implement and monitor WHS policies, procedures and programs to meet legislative requirements CUAEMP403* Install and dismantle exhibition elements
ICPSUP203 Prepare and maintain the work area	800-000178	18 weeks	Non-Nationally Recognised Training
ICPSUP202 Prepare, load and unload product on and off machine	800-000178	18 weeks	Non-Nationally Recognised Training
Statement of Attainment in Advanced Digital Photoshop Techniques	900-82037	8 weeks	CUAILL401 Develop and refine illustrative work
CUAACD503 Select and refine a specialised drawing technique	800-000183	18 weeks	Non-Nationally Recognised Training
Statement of Attainment in Screen Printing for Graphic Design	900-82029	6 weeks	CUAPRI201* Develop printmaking skills
CUAPPR301 Produce creative work	800-000185	18 weeks	Non-Nationally Recognised Training
Statement of Attainment in Drawing for Graphic Design	900-82013	6 weeks	CUAACD301* Produce drawings to communicate ideas CUAACD303* Produce technical drawings
Statement of Attainment in Design Screenprinting	900-82005	1 week	CUAACD201 Develop drawing skills to communicate ideas CUAPRI301* Produce prints
Statement of Attainment in Illustration & Drawing for Designers	900-81128	8 weeks	CUAILL401 Develop and refine illustrative work CUADRA401 Experiment with techniques to produce drawings
Statement of Attainment in Photoshop Foundations	900-80875	5 weeks	CUADIG304 Create visual design components CUAACD512* Work with photomedia in creative practice
Statement of Attainment in Design for Events and Festivals	900-80558	9 weeks	CUAPPR301* Produce creative work CUAPPR401* Realise a creative project
Statement of Attainment in Digital Illustration Techniques	900-80553	9 weeks	CUAPPR301* Produce creative work CUADIG405* Produce innovative digital images
Statement of Attainment in Introduction to Digital Design Skills	900-80540	6 weeks	CUAACD302* Produce computer-aided drawings ICTWEB303* Produce digital images for the web ICPPRP221* Select and apply type
Statement of Attainment in Introduction to Graphic Design Skills	900-80539	8 weeks	CUADIG303 Produce and prepare photo images ICPPRP224 Produce pages using a page layout application CUAACD303* Produce technical drawings

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Short Courses for Animation and Game Art	Code	Duration	Included Units of Study
Statement of Attainment in Game Art Basics for Game Development	900-82011V01	1 week	CUADIG304 Create visual design components CUAACD101 Use basic drawing techniques
Statement of Attainment in Character Design for Illustration	900-82002	9 weeks	CUAACD201 Develop drawing skills to communicate ideas CUAPAI501* Refine painting techniques
Statement of Attainment in Introduction to Motion Graphics	900-80672	8 weeks	CUADIG509* Investigate technologies for the creation of digital art CUADIG508* Refine digital art techniques
Statement of Attainment in Make a Stop Frame Animation	900-80555	9 weeks	CUAPPR301* Produce creative work CUACAM401* Shoot a wide range of screen content

Short Courses for Creative	Code	Duration	Included Units of Study
Statement of Attainment in Traditional Illustration Techniques	900-80533	9 weeks	CUAPPR301* Produce creative work CUAACD301* Produce drawings to communicate ideas
Statement of Attainment in Illustrating Books for Children	900-80554	9 weeks	CUAPPR301* Produce creative work CUAPPR501* Realise a body of creative work
Statement of Attainment in Visual Design	900-80908	8 weeks	CUAPHI302* Capture photographic images CUADIG405* Produce innovative digital images
Statement of Attainment in Figure Drawing for Illustration	900-82001	9 weeks	CUADRA201 Develop drawing skills CUAPPR201* Make simple creative work
Statement of Attainment in Drawing	900-82047	16 weeks	CUAACD502* Create observational drawings

Short Courses for Photography	Code	Duration	Included Units of Study
Statement of Attainment in Build Creative Digital Imaging Skills	901-00009	1 week	CUAPHI302* Capture photographic images
Statement of Attainment in Product Presentation Photography (for Small Business)	900-80545	8 weeks	CUAPHI302* Capture photographic images CUAGR301* Prepare files for publication CUAPPR301* Produce creative work
Statement of Attainment in Photography and Digital Camera Skills	900-81810	8 weeks	CUAPHI302* Capture photographic images CUAACD401* Integrate colour theory and design processes CUADIG305* Produce digital images

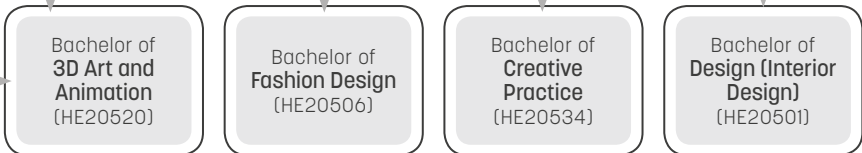
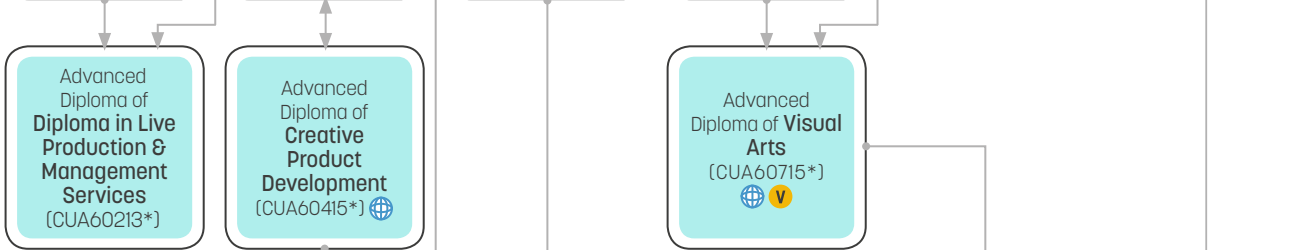
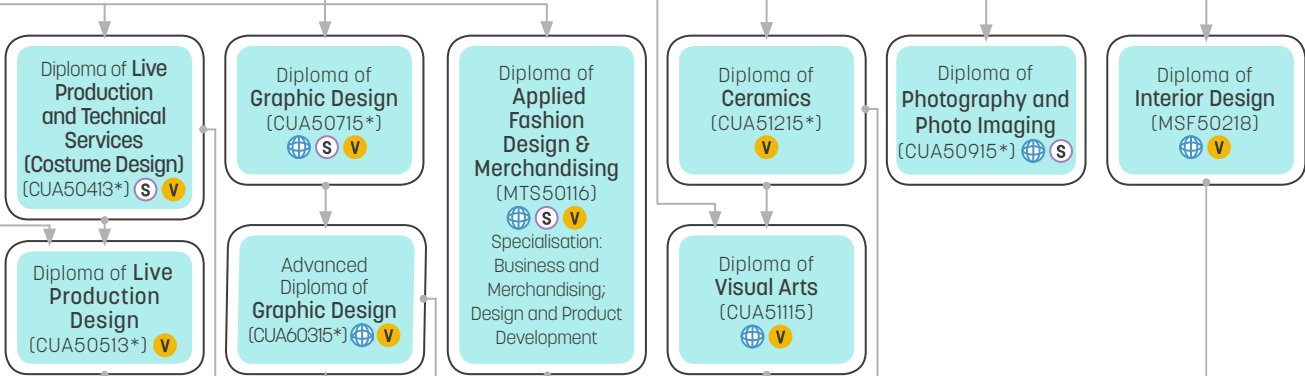
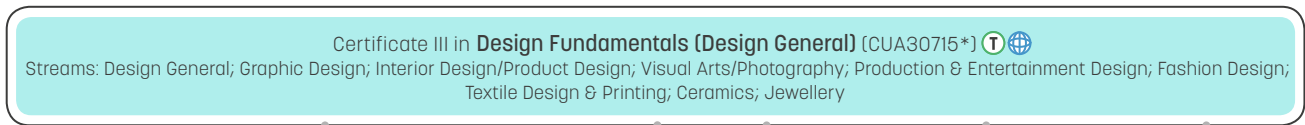
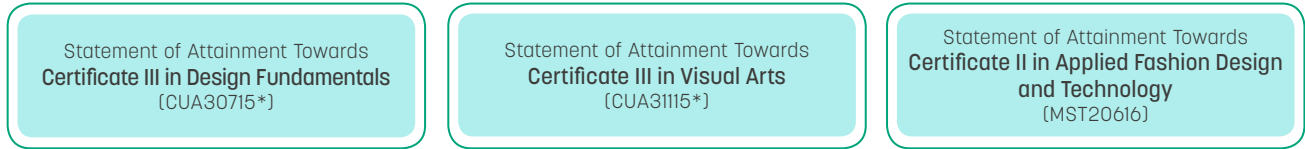
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Short Courses for Interior Design and Decoration	Code	Duration	Included Units of Study
Statement of Attainment in ArchiCAD Fundamentals	900-81355	8 weeks	CUAANM303* Create 3D digital models CUAACD302* Produce computer-aided drawings
Statement of Attainment in Interior Decoration Foundations	900-81141	8 weeks	BSBDES302* Explore & apply the creative design process to 2D forms BSBDES303* Explore & apply the creative design process to 3D forms BSBDES301* Explore the use of colour
Statement of Attainment in Furniture Design Foundations	900-81024	8 weeks	BSBCRT501* Originate and develop concepts MSFDN4001 Produce drawings from design concepts MSFFDT4012 Research furniture styles and movements
TAFE Statement in Sketch Up for Interiors Level 2	800-000611	8 weeks	Non-Nationally Recognised Training
TAFE Statement in Property Styling for Real Estate Workshop	800-000544	2 days	Non-Nationally Recognised Training
TAFE Statement in Kitchen Design Essentials	800-000538	6 weeks	Non-Nationally Recognised Training
TAFE Statement in Revit Foundations (Level 1)	800-000487	6 weeks	Non-Nationally Recognised Training
TAFE Statement in ArchiCAD Detailing for Interiors (Level 2)	800-000484	6 weeks	Non-Nationally Recognised Training
TAFE Statement in SketchUp for Interiors (Level 1)	800-000483	6 weeks	Non-Nationally Recognised Training

[Visit our website for more short courses.](#)

HOW YOU CAN GROW YOUR CAREER

When you study with TAFE NSW, there are any number of courses that lead to an even greater number of career opportunities. However, before you can earn certain qualifications, you may have to complete some pre-requisite courses. Below are some examples of career progression pathways you could follow.



- International
- Traineeship and School Based Traineeship
- Apprenticeship and School Based Apprenticeship
- Trade Related Pathway
- VET Student Loan Approved
- Smart and Skilled

Pathways to higher education include TAFE NSW degrees as well as other discipline related pathways with university partners to degrees. Additional information about articulation and credit transfer agreement can be located on the [TAFE NSW Credit transfer website](#) and the specific partner website.

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