

## **CERTIFICATE IV IN RESILIENCE (CLIMATE CHANGE ADAPTATION AND DISASTER RISK REDUCTION)**

### **DESCRIPTION**

This qualification provides learners with opportunities to continue to engage in the workforce and/or to assist, coordinate and lead teams in communities and government agencies to undertake monitoring and reporting of projects in Resilience. This includes services to communities, government and development partners on a particular field of Resilience (agriculture, energy and infrastructure, coastal management, fisheries, forestry, health, tourism, water resources), as well as developing community awareness on matters related to vulnerability, climate change adaptation, mitigation and disaster risk reduction.

### **CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

Job roles and titles vary across different industry sectors. Possible job titles relevant to this qualification include:

- Climate Change Advisor
- In-country Coordinator
- Project Coordinator
- Consultant on Climate Change and Resilience
- Climate Change Policy Advisor

### **LENGTH OF PROGRAMME**

Full Time	1 Semester
Part-Time	1 Year

### **ELIGIBILITY/ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS**

To be admitted to this programme, a person:

- (i) Pass in Senate recognised year 12 with English and a minimum of 2 years of relevant work experience; or
- (ii) Met the mature student admission criteria; or
- (iii) Completion of Certificate III in Resilience; or
- (iv) Any special case where the above requirements are not met can be approved by the Director or nominee on case by case basis

### **COURSE INFORMATION**

This programme has a total of four (4) courses.

<b>Course Code</b>	<b>Course Title</b>	<b>Semester</b>	<b>Delivery Mode</b>	<b>Campus</b>	<b>Fees (FJD)</b>
CER41	Hazard Identification and Risk Assessment	Cohort Basis	Blended	Selected Campuses	\$455
CER42	Institutional Frameworks in Resilience	Cohort Basis	Blended	Selected Campuses	\$455
CER43	Cost Benefit Analysis in Resilience	Cohort Basis	Blended	Selected Campuses	\$455
CER44	Workplace Communications	Cohort Basis	Blended	Selected Campuses	\$455

## **ASSESSMENT**

All courses are competency based and assessment varies with each course which may include observations, questions and answers, case studies, portfolios, work samples, assignments, written tasks, oral questioning, projects, training record books, practical demonstrations, and third party reports.

## **RECOGNITION OF PRIOR LEARNING**

Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) takes into account the knowledge and skills you have already gained through your previous education and work. This may be through formal or informal training, paid or unpaid work experience, and can earn you credits if relevant to the courses of this programme. Student may apply for RPL with \$100 application fee when enrolling for the programme. Student is to pay full course fee for the courses that have been awarded with an RPL.

## **CREDIT TRANSFER**

Do you already have a qualification, statements of attainment or academic statements for courses completed at another recognised institution? If yes, Pacific TAFE may award credit transfers after assessing: learning outcomes, content, credit points and assessment tools used; and ascertaining their relevance and appropriateness to this qualification. This one-off absolute decision lies with Pacific TAFE. There is no cost for this arrangement.

## **EXIT POINTS**

You may exit from this qualification and receive a Statement of Attainment for courses you have successfully completed.

## **LEARNING RESOURCES & SUPPORT SERVICES**

Students are issued with learning materials and hand-outs relevant to each course. Students will have full access to Library, Counselling Programmes, ITS Labs, email access, online learning support and Campus Life activities. Learning Support Team provides learning support via one-to-one consultation through an "open door" policy, Academic Skills Workshops and Industry Mentoring Programmes. Students can also access online learning support on "Moodle" which is USP's online learning management system.

## **USP'S OBLIGATIONS, STUDENTS' RIGHTS**

The Student Grievance Policy and Procedures apply to all students of the University. The Student Grievance Policy provides the guiding principles for resolving student grievances, and appealing decisions about grievances. The Policy is accompanied by the Student Grievance Procedures (together referred to as the 'Student Grievance Policy and Procedures'). Students enrolled in a course will automatically become members of the USP Students' Association.

## **FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:**

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