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AQF LEVEL 7 CRITERIA –

PROGRAM LEARNING OUTCOMES

BACHELOR DEGREE

PURPOSE

The Bachelor Degree qualifies individuals who apply a broad and coherent body of knowledge in a range of contexts to undertake professional work and as a pathway for further learning.

KNOWLEDGE

Graduates of a Bachelor Degree will have a broad and coherent body of knowledge, with depth in the underlying principles and concepts in one or more disciplines as a basis for independent lifelong learning. Graduates of the Bachelor of Digital Media will demonstrate a broad and coherent understanding of the fundamental principles of Art and Design and their creative application, with depth in the underlying principles of innovation in a digital landscape. They will also have taken steps on a pathway to independent lifelong learning.

SKILLS

Graduates of a Bachelor Degree will have:

- cognitive skills to review critically, analyse, consolidate and synthesise knowledge
- cognitive and technical skills to demonstrate a broad understanding of knowledge with depth in some areas
- cognitive and creative skills to exercise critical thinking and judgement in identifying and solving problems with intellectual independence
- communication skills to present a clear, coherent and independent exposition of knowledge and ideas

Graduates of the Bachelor of Digital Media will have:

- cognitive skills to formulate a critical analysis that reflects upon the theory and practice of creative disciplines within a broader social, economic and political context
- cognitive and creative skills to work independently through an effective use of creative technologies
- cognitive technical and practical skills to investigate, analyse and synthesise complex and theoretical knowledge in relation to problem solving and generate innovative solutions
- cognitive and creative skills to exercise critical thinking and judgement in identifying and solving
 problems and investigate, analyse and synthesise information, concepts and theories to apply
 established theory to different bodies of knowledge and practice in the field of digital media
 with intellectual independence
- a high level of proficiency in written, oral and technological presentation skills
- communication skills to present a clear, coherent and independent exposition of knowledge and ideas in the field of digital media; orally, textually and visually, to a variety of audiences.

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APPLICATION OF KNOWLEDGE & SKILLS

Graduates of a Bachelor Degree will demonstrate the application of knowledge and skills:

- with initiative and judgement in planning, problem solving and decision making in professional practice and/or scholarship
- to adapt knowledge and skills in diverse contexts
- with responsibility and accountability for own learning and professional practice and in collaboration with others within broad parameters

Graduates of the Bachelor of Digital Media will demonstrate the application of knowledge and skills:

- with responsibility and accountability for own learning and professional practice and in collaboration with others to plan and execute applied creative thinking to deadlines and project briefs
- to adapt knowledge and skills in diverse contexts, effective deployment of creative and technological means to solve complex problems
- with initiative and judgement in planning, problem solving and decision making in professional practice and/or scholarship
- to adapt knowledge and skills in diverse contexts, with responsibility and accountability for own learning and professional practice and in collaboration with others within broad parameters
- to reflect on performance feedback, both independently and from external critique, to identify and action learning and self-improvement opportunities.

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