

Postgraduate Certificate in Cultural & Creative Practice Information for Applicants

<https://www.aut.ac.nz/study/study-options/art-and-design/courses/postgraduate-certificate-in-cultural-and-creative-practice>

Thank you for your interest in the **Postgraduate Certificate in Cultural & Creative Practice** programme (Code: **AK1336**).

Intake: There are two intakes each year: February and July

Venue: City Campus

Application deadlines:

	Programme beginning Semester 1, 2020	Programme beginning Semester 2, 2020
Semester begins	25 February 2020	13 July 2020
Applications close	1 December 2019	1 June 2020
Scholarship applications close	15 November 2019	15 June 2020

Late applications will be accepted if places are available.

The **Postgraduate Certificate in Cultural & Creative Practice** (PGCertCCP) is a 60 point, one semester full time study taught qualification aimed at those interested in exploring ideas and concepts related to cultural expression. The PGCertCCP will enable you to take three papers of your choice from the elective table plus the compulsory core paper Contextual Review. The PGCertCCP can stairway into the 180 point [Master's degree](#) that has 120 points of taught papers and a 60 point research project (one and a half years full time study). The PGCertCCP will enable you to build on your existing skills and experience: you can select three elective papers that open up for further study a diverse array of cultural and creative subject areas, for example; Arts Management, Cultural Production, Curatorial Practices, the Interarts, Interactive and Mixed Reality, Heritage Promotion and Cultural and Creative Production.

Programme structure

The Postgraduate Certificate in Cultural & Creative Practice is a one-semester (12 week) programme of taught study, if enrolled full time. Part time options are available. The elective papers are 6 weeks in duration and Contextual Review is 12 weeks.

Students enrolled in this programme are required to complete 60 points of course work. On completion of the PGCertCCP with a B grade average or higher you can apply to continue in the [Master of Cultural & Creative Practice](#).

CORE PAPER: ARDN808 Contextual Review - 15 points

Critically consider perspectives and methods for identifying, situating and focusing knowledge in the fields of cultural and creative production, reception and experience. Students will contextually establish a critical position in relation to their practice.

Select 45 points from the Cultural & Creative Practice elective table

A selection of elective papers from this table will be taught in each semester.

Code	Title	Points	Pre/Corequisites
ARDN809	Soundculture and Sonic Practice	15	
ARDN810	Creative Enterprise	15	
ARDN811	Creative Leadership	15	
ARDN812	Mediated Practice	15	
ARDN813	Culture and Sovereignty	15	
ARDN814	Curatorial Practice	15	
TVSP870	Kaupapa Māori Media	15	

Entry criteria

In order to be admitted to the Postgraduate Certificate in Cultural and Creative Practice an applicant must have completed one of the following or equivalent:

- (a) A bachelor's degree.
- (b) A relevant professional qualification or professional experience approved by the dean (or representative) to be equivalent to a bachelor's degree.

English Language Requirements

All applicants for admission to Art & Design postgraduate programmes are expected to have an appropriate level of proficiency in English. The **English Language requirement** is an IELTS (Academic) result of no less than **6.5 overall**, with no band less than 6.0, or recognised equivalent.

Applicants for whom English or Māori is not their first language should provide one of the following:

- An International English Language Testing System (IELTS) results card (Academic), gained within the last two years.
- Evidence of a comparable pass in an equivalent language test gained within the last two years or other recognised English proficiency equivalency.

Application process

Apply online: <https://apply.aut.ac.nz/>

Upload all of the following documents to support your application:

1. **Academic transcript/results and completion certificates** of your qualifications.
2. **Current CV** briefly outlining any previous experience relevant to your application for postgraduate study.

Note: Current AUT students are not required to upload these documents.

Outcome of application

We will contact you after AUT Admissions receives your complete application. In most cases the School invites applicants for an interview (in person, by phone or via Skype/WeChat)). The purpose of the interview is to discuss your interests in more depth, to clarify any matters related to your application, and to check that you are applying for the postgraduate programme most suitable for your purposes.

Fees

Fees for 2020 have not yet been set. However, 2019 domestic and international tuition fees are listed here:

https://www.aut.ac.nz/study/fees-and-scholarships/fees-to-study-at-aut/tuition-fees-at-aut#art_and_design

There is also a compulsory Student Services Fee and a Building Levy, details here:

<https://www.aut.ac.nz/study/fees-and-scholarships/fees-to-study-at-aut/compulsory-student-services-fee>

Scholarships

Information and application requirements can be found online at:

<https://www.aut.ac.nz/study/fees-and-scholarships/scholarships-and-awards-at-aut>

Search [AUT's Scholarships database](#) using Level = postgraduate and Subject Area = Art and Design

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