

Construction, Allied Trades, Electrotechnology and Mining

No matter where you are in life, or what study or career goals you may have for your future, TasTAFE has a qualification or training program that is right for you!

The construction, allied trades and electrotechnology and mining industries offer a wide range of career opportunities from specific trades through to supervisory and management roles.

Nation-wide skill shortages currently exist in the building, construction and allied trades industries, which means there is a high demand and great career prospects for capable, motivated people to work in these areas.

General construction can involve low- or high-rise commercial, industrial and/or residential buildings, carports and garages, and can include new work extensions, renovations or repairs and maintenance of buildings. Depending on where you work, you may also have the opportunity to work on large concrete, steel and timber structures such as bridges, dams, power stations and civil engineering projects.

TasTAFE offers pre-employment and apprenticeship training in these areas as well as a range of certificate courses. Certificate II programs will help you develop the skills and knowledge you need to allow entry into Certificate III programs (you will need to be employed in the industry to undertake Certificate III programs).

Electrotechnology is a fundamental part of our everyday lives, and if you are interested in working in a high-tech industry, an Electrotechnology qualification is the course for you!

Undertaking a course in Electrotechnology will cover all aspects of electrical, electronic, instrumentation and communication technologies. Working in this industry may lead to a specialised job doing anything from light and power, to designing and installing new hardware platforms, conducting networking and automation, operating virtual enterprises and/or working with the internet and fibre-optics.

Electrotechnology has an incredible future, and as the world relies increasingly on modern technology, demand for people to work in this dynamic industry will continue to grow.

There are plenty of highly-paid, cutting-edge jobs out there in a diverse range of industry areas... the tricky bit will be deciding on the one that suits you best!

TasTAFE also works collaboratively with a number of mining companies to provide on-the-job training and assessment in a number of aspects of the mining industry, both above and below ground.



For more information on the courses and qualifications we offer in Construction, Allied Trades, Electrotechnology and Mining, please search our Course Finder online at www.tastafe.tas.edu.au or call us on 1300 655 307.

"I decided to come to TasTAFE and study a Certificate II qualification as I'd like to get a job out of it, and TasTAFE is a really good, practical option. Having a Cert II makes it easier to get a job in the construction industry."

Brody, Certificate II in Construction and Certificate II in Drainage

