

# Certificate IV in Christian Ministry 30268QLD



## Study on Campus

At Hope College we're dedicated to helping Christians know what they believe, why they believe it, how to live it and how to share it.

This qualification prepares Christians for effective ministry within their local church, community and professional marketplace. Some denominations require a Certificate IV for ordination as a Pastor.

### Benefits of Studying on Campus

- **Face-to-face training** by qualified, experienced and innovative trainers providing personal mentoring support.
- **Dynamic class participation**, group work and role-plays enrich the learning process
- **Specialist guest speakers**

### Entry Criteria

Applicants will need a reference from their local Pastor and must fulfil all enrolment requirements. Applicants under 18 years of age must have parental/guardian approval. Overseas students require IELTS level 5.5.

### Course Structure

The Certificate IV in Christian Ministry requires the successful completion of 12 subjects over 4 terms (3 subjects per term). Overseas students are required to complete an extra subject each term (total of 16 subjects).

### New Topics for 2008

- Responding to the Call of God
- Ministry in Diversity
- Community Impact
- Dynamic Team Building

### Assessment

Exercises, questions, case scenarios, research and workplace competency.

### Vocational Placement (VP)

In addition to study time students are required to complete 240 hours of volunteer work within their local church or a community based organisation. This volunteer work is called "Vocational Placement" and includes ministry within the church e.g. serving in a ministry team such as hospitality, music, children or administration; and/or ministry within a community organisation e.g. youth work, chaplaincy, RE in schools. Attending meetings does not qualify.

<b>Dates for 2008</b>	<b>Weekly timetable</b>
Term 1: 4 <sup>th</sup> Feb to 4 <sup>th</sup> April	Monday 8.30am - 3pm
Term 2: 14 <sup>th</sup> April to 27 <sup>th</sup> June	Tuesday 6pm - 9pm
Term 3: 21 <sup>st</sup> July to 19 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Thursday* 9am – 2pm
Term 4: 6 <sup>th</sup> Oct to 28 <sup>th</sup> Nov	*Overseas students only
Graduation 2 <sup>nd</sup> December	

### On-going Education Options

Completion of this course qualifies you for entry into the Diploma of Christian Ministry and will provide partial Direct Credit Transfer into the following: Certificate IV in Business, Certificate IV in Community Services Work, Certificate IV in Youth Work, Certificate IV in Mental Health Work – (Non-clinical) and a range of other nationally recognised qualifications.

### Recognition of Prior Learning

Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) is a process where students may be granted credit towards a qualification in recognition of their prior skills and knowledge gained through work experience, life experience and/or formal training. The process requires students to gather evidence of their skills. Fees apply. Ask Hope College for an RPL application form.

### Centrelink Study Allowance

This course is Centrelink approved. You may qualify for Austudy, Youth Allowance, Abstudy or PES. For information on your eligibility, contact Centrelink <http://www.centrelink.gov.au>

### Workload

Full time: 3 subjects plus 60 hours VP per term (4 terms)  
 Overseas students: 4 subjects plus 60 hours VP per term (4 terms)  
 Part time: 1 subject per term

### Fees

Application Fee: \$100 non-refundable  
 Tuition full time: \$660 per term (4 terms)  
 Overseas students: \$890 per term (4 terms)  
 Part time: \$220 per subject

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