
To	Te Poari Mātauranga Academic Board	From	Simon Tries, Manager, Te Korowai Kahurangi
Title	Discontinued programmes update	Date	03 September 2019

Recommendation/s

That Te Poari Mātauranga receive the update on programmes being taught out and/or discontinued.

Purpose

The purpose of this report is to provide Te Poari Mātauranga with an update on the status of programmes being taught out and/or discontinued.

Background

Unitec is in the process of teaching out a number of programmes in response to both the Mandatory Review of Qualifications (MRoQ) and the 2018 Programme Renewal process, which resulted in a total of 21 programmes having their enrolments suspended.

A key concern in both instances is ensuring that appropriate transition arrangements are in place to manage students so they are able to complete the qualification they are enrolled in and are not disadvantaged as a result of the potential or actual closure of their programme, and oversee programmes to closing date.

The *Suspension and Withdrawal of Academic Provision Procedure* (AC1.10) provides guidance to ensure that an appropriate process is followed.

Commentary – Suspended Programmes

Since the last report, Te Korowai Kahurangi have received a number of completed Suspension and Withdrawal of Academic Provision forms. There are four programmes with no information updates. The trackers have been updated and assurances from either the APM or Head of School have notified Te Korowai Kahurangi that transition procedures are underway.

Te Korowai Kahurangi are continuing to audit and review the active students in these programmes. Active is defined as those students who have current enrolments in programmes within the last five to ten years (depending on programme). These students remain as active if they have not been formally withdrawn. Once this has been completed, greater situational clarity around this area can be reported.

Commentary – Expiring Qualifications

- Most pre-Mandatory Review of Qualifications (MRoQ) qualifications are being successfully taught out and/or students transitioned.
- Qualifications having a last graduation semester of 1192 or earlier have no enrolled EFTS in 2019, Semester 2 (1194).
- Qualifications having a last graduation semester of 1194 or 1196, have no EFTS in 2019, Semester 2 (1194), with the exception of the National Certificate in Motor Industry/Automotive Engineering (NCAEN). This programme has one student currently enrolled and is being closely monitored.

Attachments

2019 Suspended Qualifications 20190903

2019 Expiring Qualifications 20190903

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