

GRADUATE DIPLOMAS WITH WORK OPPORTUNITIES

New Zealand is creating more opportunities for international graduates to turn their study into valuable work experience.

Choosing to study at Ara strengthens your pathway from a quality New Zealand qualification to career-building experience in a country known as a great place to live and work.

Why study a graduate diploma with Ara?

- Designed for degree holders from a wide range of disciplines
- Ideal for career changers, upskillers and graduates seeking a competitive edge
- Complete your qualification in just one year
- Gain practical, industry-relevant skills employers value
- Benefit from small classes and personalised support
- Study in Christchurch, one of New Zealand's most affordable major cities
- Explore post-study work opportunities in New Zealand*

**Subject to eligibility, graduates may be eligible for a post-study work visa. Learn more at [Immigration New Zealand](#)*



Eligible graduate diploma study options at Ara

STUDY AREA	GRADUATE DIPLOMA PROGRAMME	INTAKES
Business & Management Build practical business skills and leadership capabilities to help organisations innovate, grow and succeed in a rapidly changing global environment.	Graduate Diploma in Business Transformation and Strategy	February
	Graduate Diploma in Human Resource Management*	February
	Graduate Diploma in Marketing and Sales*	February
	Graduate Diploma in Operations and Product Management	July
	Graduate Diploma in Project Management*	July
	Graduate Diploma in Supply Chain Logistics*	July
Tourism, Hospitality & Events Develop the knowledge and professional skills needed to create exceptional visitor experiences and manage events, tourism and hospitality operations.	Graduate Diploma in Event Management	February
	Graduate Diploma in Hotel and Tourism Management	February
	Graduate Diploma in Sustainability and Outdoor Education	February
Construction Gain industry-relevant expertise in construction projects, cost management and the built environment sector.	Graduate Diploma in Construction Management	February, July
	Graduate Diploma in Quantity Surveying	February, July
Science & Computing Apply scientific and technological knowledge in practical settings, preparing for careers in laboratories, information technology and innovation-driven industries.	Graduate Diploma in Information and Communication Technologies	February, July
	Graduate Diploma in Laboratory Technology [^]	February, July

[^]A science degree or recent relevant experience is required for admission to the Graduate Diploma in Laboratory Technology.

*These programmes are subject to NZQA approval.

Ara Graduate Diploma - Key Information

LEVEL	DURATION	LOCATION
7	1 year full-time	Christchurch, New Zealand



Enhance your career opportunities in business. Apply now to start your journey at Ara Institute of Canterbury in Christchurch!

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