

# CUA40420 Certificate IV in Live Production and Technical Services

## DESCRIPTION

This qualification reflects the role of individuals working in a range of technical production jobs in creative arts industry environments. It applies to work in lighting and sound, music industry, entertainment customer service, entertainment technical operations, entertainment administration, staging, wardrobe, scenery and set construction, broadcasting production, live production and entertainment technical operations work environments.

They apply solutions to a defined range of unpredictable problems, and analyse and evaluate information from a variety of sources. They may provide leadership and guidance to others and have limited responsibility for the output of others.



## ELIGIBILITY/ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Individuals must provide evidence of their skills in live production and technical services and the ability to:

- produce a body of work demonstrating the ability to respond effectively to workplace requirements associated with live production and technical services in line with current industry standards
- apply a basic knowledge of trends and traditions in at least one area of technical production.

Skills and knowledge may have been acquired through experience or formal study.

To gain entry into CUA40420 Certificate IV Live Production and Technical Services candidates required to:

- Undertake a Language, Literacy and Numeracy (LLN) assessment to determine applicable support requirements.
- Be fit, active and able to function effectively in a tropical environment, as this is a physically demanding course.

All pre-requisite qualifications and experience will be assessed at a pre-enrolment interview.

## DELIVERY DETAILS

Location(s)	Duration*	Study mode
Casuarina	1 year full-time 2 years part-time	face-to-face, online, on the job

\* Duration will vary depending upon how long a student takes to reach the required competency level.

## 2023 FEES

The 2023 indicative fee for this course is \$3,048.50 for those who receive an NT Domestic Subsidised place or \$10,887.50 for Domestic Full fee places.

Please note: A limited number of NT Government subsidy places are available for eligible NT domestic students, so contact us now to secure your place for 2023.

Fees are subject to change annually. Indicative government-subsidised and full course fees are shown on this document. For further clarification and information on fees, payment options, instalment plans, and refunds, contact CDU on 1800 061 963 or refer to [VET Fees and Payments](#).

## ASSESSMENT

Assessments vary with each unit. You will be provided with an assessment guide.

## RECOGNITION OF PRIOR LEARNING (RPL)

RPL is a process that determines whether the skills, knowledge and experience you've gained through your previous study, work or life experience can count towards a vocational training qualification at CDU. For more information, [VET RPL](#).

## RESOURCES

Students are issued with learning materials and handouts for each unit. Students will also need to provide their own Personal Protective Equipment. This includes riggers gloves, closed shoes, safety glasses and ear plugs. It is recommended that students provide and carry a multi-tool pliers such as a Leatherman/Gerbe and a set of closed-back or over-ear headphones.

## STUDY AND CAREER PATHWAYS

Possible occupations relevant to this qualification include:

- Assistant Stage Manager
- Sound Technician
- Audiovisual Technician
- Venue Technician
- Production Technician
- Lighting Technician and Operator

## QUALIFICATION CONTENT

To achieve a Certificate in Live Production and Technical Services a total of 16 units of competency must be completed comprising four (4) core and twelve (12) elective units as detailed in the packaging rules and listed below.

## CORE UNITS

BSBCRT413	Collaborate in creative processes
CUAIND413	Communicate effectively with arts professionals
CUAMWB401	Develop and implement own self-care plan in the creative industries

CUAPPM421	Contribute to organising productions
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## ELECTIVE UNITS

<b>Group A – Safety Skills – One (1) unit</b>	
CPCCWHS1001	Prepare to work safely in the construction industry
<b>Group B – Technical Skills – Eight (8) units</b>	
CUALGT412	Implement lighting designs
CUALGT413	Set up and operate lighting cues and effects
CUAPPM432	Coordinate production operations
CUASOU412	Manage audio input sources
CUASOU413	Manage audio system control networks
CUASOU414	Manage wireless audio operations
CUASOU421	Mix audio for live productions
CUASTA411	Operate show control systems
CUAVSS401	Operate complex vision systems
RIIWHS204E	Work safely at heights
<b>Group C – Transferrable Skills – One (1) unit</b>	
BSBLDR414	Lead team effectiveness

## WITHDRAWING FROM A QUALIFICATION

You may withdraw from this qualification and receive, where relevant, a Statement of Attainment for all units of competency you have successfully completed.

## SUPPORT SERVICES

The University supplies support for students in many areas, including Accommodation, Careers and Employability, Counselling, Disability Services, Student Advocacy, Indigenous Tutorial Support Services, International Student Support Services, Library Services, and VET Learner Support Services.

More information is available at [Student Support](#).

## CONTACT DETAILS

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For further information regarding student life at CDU, please refer to <https://www.cdu.edu.au/study/student-life>.