



Training Accreditation Council
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Quality Indicator Information Sessions

Dr Hamish Coates from the Australian Council for Educational Research (ACER) conducted six Quality Indicator sessions in Perth on the 24-25 March 2009. Dr Coates helped develop an understanding of the AQTF 2007 Quality Indicators, and associated instruments and collection systems to the 400 people representing over 250 RTOs that attended over the two days.

If you missed out on the workshops ACER will be podcasting one of the information sessions which will be available on the [ACER website](#). RTOs will be notified as soon as this is live.

The questions from the sessions in WA, and those asked in other jurisdictions are currently being collated and the FAQ sheet will be posted on the TAC Website over the coming weeks.

WA Training Award 2009

The Council is supporting the WA Training Awards 2009, by sponsoring the **WA Trainer of the Year** category. The Awards recognise and reward individuals and organisations that have excelled in vocational education and training – from apprentices, trainees and vocational students, to training professionals, training providers and employers committed to the training and development of their staff.

There are a number of award categories and people and organisations from across Western Australia and from all areas of training are encouraged to nominate for the Awards.

The Council is proud to support the WA Trainer of the Year category and encourages all RTOs to promote the awareness of the Awards within their organisations and colleagues within the vocational education and training sector.

Nomination forms are available at: www.trainingawards.det.wa.edu.au, by emailing trainingawards@det.wa.edu.au or calling 9264 4980.

Nominations close at 5pm on Friday May 22, 2009 and the Awards will be announced at a presentation ceremony in Perth in early September.

Transition arrangements from 51629 Course in Contribute to Safe Tilt-Up Construction to CPCCCM1007A Carry out tilt-up work safely.

The Training Accreditation Council and Worksafe have released a joint communiqué detailing the transition arrangements for those RTOs registered to deliver the *51629 Course in Contribute to Safe Tilt-Up Construction* to add *CPCCCM1007A Carry out tilt-up work safely*. Before applying to deliver the new unit please review the communiqué which is available on the [TAC Website](#).

In Memory of Susan Holland

The Training Accreditation Council members and staff are saddened to hear of the passing of Professor Susan Holland.

Professor Holland served as the Chair of the Training Accreditation Council in 2002 and 2003 and more recently undertook the role of Chair for the Higher Education Advisory Committees for the Department of Education Services.

Professor Holland's contribution to the sector will be long remembered.



DET Training Forum

The DET Training Forum will be held on the 11th & 12th May at the Perth Convention Exhibition Centre.

TAC has a booth at the Training Forum so please feel free to drop in and say hello.

For more information please contact the VET Teaching and Learning Directorate, via phone 9264 4681, email vet.reg@det.wa.edu.au or visit the website www.vetinfonet.det.wa.edu.au.



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