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Integrated Articulation and Credit Transfer Project

Project Extension

The IACT Project team is pleased to announce the project has been extended until 31 December 2011.

Progress Update

undertaking Project Team has been dissemination of project findings (Phase 6) through the development of research papers, presentations and journal articles. An article entitled 'Engagement of Sustainable Communities: industry as the driver in tertiary education pathway development' has been published in the autumn edition of the AUCEA available iournal also www.usq.edu.au/iactproject.

Phase 7 (project evaluation), which will include consolidating the research findings and compiling the final project report, will be the focus during September/October.

Pathology Industry Collaboration

The IACT Project, in collaboration with representatives from: USQ, CQU, USC, SBIT, Sullivan Nicolaides, QML and Pathology Queensland, has been involved in the development and implementation of a new qualification and pathway from VET to HE within the medical science discipline.

The Bachelor of Medical Science and a new Associate Degree in Medical Science are now being delivered at USQ as a result of this collaboration and USC will be delivering their new Associate Degree in 2012. Pathways from VET qualifications at Certificate IV through to Advanced Diploma are currently under development.

Resource Development

The project team has been working very closely with creative consultants to develop engaging, user-friendly resources. These resources are the culmination of all the research undertaken throughout the project and includes:

- Content Mapping for VET to HE Credit Transfer
- The Corporate Strategy Approach to Articulation
- Articulation Pathway Models A Visual Guide
- Workforce Driven Engagement Model
- Student Pathway Options
- Student Transition Factors

This 'toolbox' of resources will be housed at www.3Darticulation.com.au and will be accessible to all interested stakeholders from 27 October 2011.

Project Launch

An official launch of the project website and resources will be held in Brisbane on 27th October 2011.

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