# PROSPECTUS 2024-2025 MCAST

## **Apprenticeships and Work-Based Learning**Your route to success

At MCAST, we are determined to create an environment that helps you in your journey to accomplish what you love. As a Vocational Education and Training (VET) Institution, MCAST firmly believes this can be achieved through Work-Based Learning (WBL). WBL is an integral and core activity of high-value vocational education and training for all students. MCAST is responsible for designing, developing, and implementing WBL within several areas of economic activity, spanning various disciplines across all levels of the Qualifications Framework. WBL provides you with an excellent opportunity to develop employability skills.

The MCAST Apprenticeship and Work-Based Learning Department is there to support and assist you in finding vacancies for on-the-job training that fuels your interest, motivation, skills and competences in your area of study. The apprenticeship scheme allows you to work and learn with one of MCAST's partners throughout your learning journey.

Your employability matters to us

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## **Mission Statement**

To provide universally accessible vocational and professional education and training with an international dimension, responsive to the needs of the individual and the economy.

## II-Missjoni tal-Kulleģģ

Biex jipprovdi edukazzjoni u taħriġ vokazzjonali u professjonali li jintlaħqu minn kulħadd, b'dimensjoni internazzjonali, u li jaqdu l-bżonnijiet tal-individwu u tal-ekonomija.

Checkered colours that flicker like pixels on a screen or a woven pattern. At MCAST, we want your learning journey to be inspiring and colourful. Our approach to learning encompasses the value of the artisans' craft while encouraging the exploration of new technology. Connectedness is key; creating links between diverse disciplines and sectors matters to us. It's the weaving together of the talents, creativity and efforts of our staff and students that create the fabric of our community. We pride ourselves in an inclusive community, like a rich tapestry.

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Professor Joachim James Calleja Principal and CEO



Professor Ian Refalo, President of the Board of Governors

## Welcome

Education, creativity and innovation are at the heart of our MCAST community. We want you to thrive in a vibrant and dynamic environment. We believe your learning, knowledge, and skills matter in a rapidly changing and technology-driven world. We value the importance of skills, trades and heritage while taking a future-looking approach. Learning should be a rich tapestry which brings together different talents and perspectives.

The College aims to provide the best possible learning experience for all learners. We want to address your specific needs at different course levels while providing a seamless progression. All learning at all levels matters to us.

At MCAST, you can expect real-world experiences preparing you for your future career. We have built a strong network of industry partners to help you get the necessary experience that prepares you for the workplace of the future. Even our teaching and learning spaces are designed to facilitate learning by doing.

Our course offer leads to careers in almost all sectors of the economy, from aviation to engineering, artificial intelligence and IT, social care, animal care and agribusiness, finance, accounting and management, nursing, the maritime sector, the creative industries and the applied sciences such as green, food and chemical technologies and environmental health.

This prospectus offers a glimpse into the unique experience provided by the College as a centre of excellence in vocational education and training. We want to support your interests and career aspirations.

Join the MCAST community as we work together for your success!



### Merħba

L-edukazzjoni, il-kreattività u l-innovazzjoni huma fil-qalba tal-komunità tal-MCAST. Nixtiequ li tirnexxi f'ambjent vibranti u dinamiku. Nemmnu li t-tagħlim, l-għarfien u l-ħiliet tiegħek huma importanti f'dinja li qed tinbidel malajr u fejn it-teknoloġija qed tingħata aktar importanza. Napprezzaw l-importanza tal-ħiliet, tas-snajja' u tal-wirt kulturali filwaqt li nħarsu lejn il-futur. It-tagħlim għandu jinseġ it-talenti u perspettivi differenti

L-MCAST jaħdem bla waqfien biex jilħaq il-mira tiegħu li jipprovdi l-aħjar esperjenza possibbli ta' tagħlim lill-istudenti tiegħu. Il-Kulleġġ għandu l-għan li jindirizza l-ħtiġijiet speċifiċi tiegħek f'kull livell, waqt li nassiguraw li jkollok il-possibilità li timxi mingħajr diffikultà għall-korsijiet ta' livelli ogħla. It-tagħlim kollu fil-livelli kollha huwa importanti għalina.

FI-MCAST, noffru esperjenzi tad-dinja reali li jippreparawk għall-karriera tiegħek. Bnejna netwerk b'saħħtu ta' msieħba fl-industrija biex ngħinuk tikseb l-esperjenza meħtieġa li tħejjik għall-futur tiegħek fuq il-post tax-xogħol. Kemm it-tagħlim kif ukoll il-faċilitajiet tagħna ġew imfassla biex l-istudenti jitgħallmu permezz tal-prattika.

II-korsijiet li noffru jwasslu għall-karrieri f'bosta setturi tal-ekonomija: l-avjazzjoni u l-inġinerija, l-intelliġenza artifiċjali u l-IT, il-kura soċjali, il-kura tal-annimali u l-agrikoltura, il-finanzi, l-accounting u n-negozju, is-settur tas-saħħa, il-marittimu, l-industrija kreattiva u x-xjenza applikata bħat-teknoloġiji tal-ikel u l-kimika u s-saħħa ambjentali.

Permezz ta' dan il-prospett tista' tagħti titwila lejn l-esperjenza unika li joffri l-Kulleġġ bħala ċentru ta' eċċellenza fl-edukazzjoni vokazzjonali u t-taħriġ. L-interessi u l-aspirazzjonijiet għall-karriera tiegħek huma importanti għalina.

Ingħagad mal-komunità tal-MCAST biex flimkien naħdmu għas-suċċess tiegħek!

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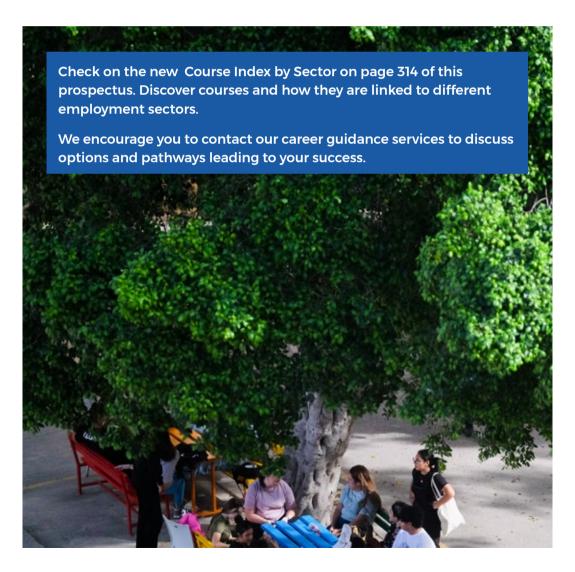
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This is a guide to help you choose your learning and career path. Choosing the right course can be exciting and overwhelming. Here are some steps to help you navigate the different courses and career paths:

- · Discover the different subjects and courses
- · Check the career paths and employment sectors that interest you
- · Check entry requirements
- · Look at the different levels offered, from entry-level to bachelor's or master's
- · Contact our career guidance for help at careerguidance@mcast.edu.mt
- · Check our website and follow our social media for updates
- · Visit our Campus and talk to staff and students





# 1 Hands-on experience

Work-based learning (WBL) is central to your learning at MCAST. You will be learning by doing, and you will have an excellent opportunity to develop employability skills. The MCAST Apprenticeship and Work-Based Learning Department supports and assists you in finding vacancies for on-the-job training that fuels your interest, motivation, skills and competences in your area of study.

## 2 Student Support

Our services are designed to help students throughout the entire learning journey. MCAST takes a proactive approach to help you better cope with the academic. Safeguarding your well-being is what drives us in everything that we do. We are here to ensure that you have access to services and support appropriate to your needs and circumstances.

The Wellbeing Hub offers the following services:

- · Counselling and Psychotherapy services
- · Addiction-Related issues
- · Psychiatric services
- · Nutritional advice
- · Tobacco Cessation support
- · Sexual Health services
- Social Work services

You'll find services designed to help you grow and make new connections.

The Youth Hub
The Integration Office
Career Guidance Service
Student Liaison Office
Grievance Office
MCAST Salesian Chaplaincy Team
Community Social Responsibility

# **3** A place for everyone

Our mission is to embrace everyone. As a Community College for all, we hold no barriers. Our courses are designed with inclusivity and access in mind. As a prospective student, we want you to know about the support you will have available at the College. We will provide you with the education assistance needed. Students with specific needs or disabilities such as dyslexia, autism, and visual/hearing impairment can register with the Inclusive Education Unit (IEU). The services are available at all levels and institutes.

MCAST's commitment to creating an inclusive and safe environment for all was recognised with the award of the Equality Certification Mark in 2023. We want you to feel valued and respected in an environment that promotes fairness and inclusivity irrespective of gender, age, religion, sexual orientation, disability or any other characteristic.

## 4 An international community

At MCAST, we have no geographic or academic borders. Students from over 90 countries have chosen MCAST and Malta as their place to learn and further their studies. The College has been working with leading educational institutions across the globe to deliver outstanding teaching, exchange opportunities and research.

The attraction of studying in the heart of Europe and the value of high-quality education and excellent career prospects make Malta a truly exciting and unique experience for all students.

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# **5** Mobility and Opportunities

The MCAST Erasmus+ Projects and Mobility Office identifies international opportunities to provide students with experience abroad, both in their studies and in the world of work, mainly through the Erasmus+ programme. We support students before, during and after their mobility to get the best possible exposure to the work environment. Apart from providing a learning/training experience, Erasmus+ helps students grow up, mature and learn about different European people and cultures. We have partners across Europe.

# **6** A Vibrant Campus

Each year, we invest in new facilities to make sure you can enjoy campus life to the full. Activities are organised all throughout the year, including Freshers' activities, Expos, Open Days, exhibitions, conferences, talent shows and sports days.

The Library at the MCAST Resource Centre (MRC), with its modern concept and design and its seating capacity of 340, lends itself to contemporary student needs and has seen a substantial and welcome increase in the number of users, both from students who are after group study as well as from those who prefer silent areas of study. While the Library has become a must-see for visitors from international delegations, it has also hosted a number of high-profile national events, exhibitions, and book launches. It has increased its investment in physical books, e-books, and magazines, as well as databases such as EBSCO, Emerald, IEEE, ProQuest, and WebLinks. It has also extended its opening hours to accommodate users after College hours.

You are welcome to use our sports facilities whether you are a serious athlete, a casual gym-goer, or need to unwind before, in between or after lectures. Football, basketball, handball, tennis courts, and pitches are available to all students and staff. You can also visit our Fitness Centre and get a chance to speak with a staff member for advice to help you get started or follow your programme.

## **7** Student Life

You will also have the opportunity to join student organisations and to make your voice heard. This creates opportunities to grow through discussions, debates and encounter with other members of our community.

The KSM (Kunsill Studenti MCAST) is an independent, unaffiliated body at the heart of the College, whose sole purpose is to represent and safeguard the rights of each MCAST student.

The KSM executive is composed of members directly elected by the students in the yearly council election. Student organisations and independent candidates contest this election and present candidates for each role within the executive.

# 8 Our Institutes

#### **INSTITUTE OF APPLIED SCIENCES**

At the Institute of Applied Sciences, learners are prepared for technological careers within the health, pharmaceutical, environmental, and food and beverage sectors. Students learn to appreciate the fundamental principles of science related to technological operations at the workplace while developing the skills to work in laboratories, hospitals, farms, and with environmental technologies and methodologies. The Institute also caters to Agriculture, Aquatics, and Animal Sciences students. The facilities for these Agriculture courses are based at our campus in Qormi.

#### **INSTITUTE OF BUSINESS MANAGEMENT & COMMERCE**

The Institute of Business Management and Commerce offers courses ranging from Financial Services and Accounting to Marketing and Procurement. At the lower levels, courses are of a generic nature and offer a taste of different sectors. Across the spectrum of studies, course content becomes more specific, helping learners attain a better focus on their career path. An integral characteristic of VET programmes of study is that learners benefit thoroughly from different forms of industry experience.

#### **INSTITUTE OF COMMUNITY SERVICES**

The Institute of Community Services equips learners with the required holistic skills in Sports, Health and Social Care, Early Years, Beauty, Hairdressing, Inclusive Education and Protection, Security and Enforcement. The programmes amalgamate theory and practice to provide a hands-on experience to the learners, which reflects the workplace and its requirements. This Institute is equipped with a number of resources to enable this approach to learning, such as a fully functional hair salon, a beauty salon, and a care room.

#### **INSTITUTE FOR THE CREATIVE ARTS (Mosta Campus)**

The Institute for the Creative Arts offers a growing portfolio of courses, ranging from art and design to graphic design and printing, creative media production, photography and journalism, fashion design and performing arts, and cultural heritage skills. The Institute works closely with the industry to provide students with realistic assignment briefs and experiences. The creative arts play a crucial role in communicating visions and ideas which words alone cannot fully express.

#### **INSTITUTE OF ENGINEERING & TRANSPORT**

The Institute of Engineering and Transport is equipped with the latest technology in related training programmes. The Institute is organised into a number of Centres and Departments, covering the respective areas, namely Aviation Maintenance and Training, Building and Construction, Electrical and Electronics, Mechanical Engineering, Automotive Engineering, and Maritime Studies. Learners interested in embarking on a career in these areas can start off their studies at an entry-level, progressing towards the achievement of prestigious exit-level qualifications.

#### INSTITUTE OF INFORMATION & COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY

The Information and Communication Technology is the natural choice for qualifications serving the ICT industry. The Institute offers various entry points to successfully obtain the required qualifications with the possibility to continue furthering one's studies at higher levels. Qualifications focus on networking, software development, and business analytics. This Institute works closely with the industry to keep courses relevant to their needs while providing the best training using the latest tools and emerging technologies.

#### **GOZO CAMPUS**

The MCAST Gozo Campus offers a selection of full-time day courses ranging from MQF Levels 1 to 6 and covering a broad spectrum of vocational disciplines. Some of these programmes lead learners directly to employment, whilst others lead to higher-level studies in Gozo and/or Malta. MCAST training programmes delivered at the Gozo Campus fulfil the same quality assurance standards that are applicable to the same programmes delivered at the respective MCAST Institutes in Malta, ensuring that Gozitan students benefit from the same quality of service on their home ground.

#### **MCAST Programme Regulations and Student Handbook**

In order to ensure the best possible student experience, prospective students are advised to read the respective MCAST Programme Regulations and the MCAST Student Handbook.

## Mode of Teaching, Learning and Assessment and Total Learning Hours (Qualifications at EQF/MQF Levels 1 to 6)

All full-time courses at MCAST are delivered through face-to-face learning in accordance with directives issued by the Health Authority.

The total learning hours required for each unit or module are determined as indicated below:

(ECTS)	Indicative Contact Hours	Total Student Workload (hours)	Self-Learning and Assessment Hours
1	5-10 hrs	25 hrs	20-15 hrs*
6	30-60 hrs	150 hrs	120-90 hrs*
12	60-120 hrs	300 hrs	240-180 hrs*

\*The Self-Learning and Assessment Hours amount to the difference between contact hours and total student workload. For ECTS allocated to respective units, please refer to the Course Outline on the MCAST website.

## Mode of Teaching, Learning and Assessment and Total Learning Hours (Qualifications at EQF/MQF Level 7)

The Masters programmes offered are professional in nature and entail both theoretical lectures delivered in classes as well as practical elements that are delivered in laboratories, workshops, simulators as the module requirements dictate. Programmes are delivered in blended learning form (a combination of face-to-face and online learning) in accordance with directives issued by the Health Authority. The ratio of face-to-face and online learning is provided in the respective Course Outlines available on the MCAST website.

#### Korsijiet tal-MCAST - Regolamenti u I-iStudent Handbook

Studenti prospettivi huma mħeġġa jaqraw ir-Regolamenti tal-MCAST dwar il-kors partikolari tal-għażla tagħhom kif ukoll l-MCAST Student Handbook. Dan sabiex jassiguraw li l-esperjenza tagħhom fil-Kulleġġ tkun waħda mill-agwa.

#### Metodu tat-Tagħlim, Studju u Valutazzjoni tat-Tagħlim u n-Numru Totali ta' Sigħat ta' Tagħlim (Kwalifiki minn Livell 1 sa Livell 6 skont il-Qafas tal-Kwalifiki Ewropew/Malti)

Fl-MCAST il-korsijiet kollha full-time isiru wiċċ imb' wiċċ, filwaqt li jiġu osservati d-direttivi maħruġa mill-Awtorità tas-Saħħa.

lt-total ta' sigħat ta' tagħlim meħtieġa għal kull unità ta' studju jew modulu huma stabbiliti skont kif jidher hawn taħt:

(ECTS)	Indikazzjoni tan-Numru ta' Sigħat ta' Kuntatt Dirett	Numru ta' Sigħat ta' Xogħol li mistennija jagħmlu b'kollox I-Istudenti	Numru ta' Sighat fi Studju Indipendenti u Valutazzjoni tat-Taghlim
1	5-10 sigħat	25 siegħa	20-15-il siegħa*
6	30-60 siegħa	150 siegħa	120-90 siegħa*
12	60-120 siegħa	300 siegħa	240-180 siegħa*

\*Is-Sigħat ta' Studju Indipendenti u l-Ħin ta' Valutazzjoni jammontaw għad-differenza bejn is-sigħat ta' kuntatt dirett u n-numru totali ta' sigħat ta' xogħol li kull student/a huwa/hija mistenni/ja li jagħmel/tagħmel tul il-kors.

#### Metodu tat-Tagħlim, Studju u Valutazzjoni tat-Tagħlim u n-Numru Totali ta' Sigħat ta' Tagħlim (Kwalifiki tal-Livell 7 skont il-Qafas tal-Kwalifiki Ewropew/Malti)

Il-programmi li jwasslu għal kwalifika ta' Master u li huma offruti mill-MCAST huma programmi ta' natura professjonali li jinvolvu kemm lezzjonijiet ta' teorija mgħallma fil-klassi kif ukoll taħriġ dwar elementi prattiċi li jsir f'laboratorji, workshops jew permezz ta' eżerċizzji ta' simulazzjoni, skont ma jkun jirrikjedi l-modulu partikolari. Il-forma tat-tagħlim tkun waħda mħallta (lezzjonijiet li jsiru wiċċ imb' wiċċ imżewqa b'oħrajn onlajn), waqt li dejjem jiġu osservati d-direttivi maħruġa mill-Awtorità tas-Saħħa. Jekk tixtieq tkun taf il-proporzjon ta' kemm lezzjonijiet isiru fil-klassi u kemm isiru onlajn, żur il-websajt tal-MCAST u ara l-Course Outline tal-kors speċifiku li jinteressak.



#### **Conditions for Application**

#### 1. A new applicant is:

**Either:** One who up to June 2024 was not attending a full-time course at MCAST, **Or:** An MCAST student who completely failed all units forming part of the first year of a full-time course of studies and wishes to re-apply to start the same course from scratch,

**Or:** A student who up to June 2024 attended a course at MCAST but now wishes to start a different course, not through progression, but in a different area of study, **Or:** A student registered as an MCAST student up to June 2024 but who stopped attending for some reason and now wishes to come back to proceed with their studies at MCAST.

- 2. All applicants must fill in the official online Application Form, which is made available through the MCAST Web Portal .... How to Apply Online Section throughout the application time window. During the application time window, applicants will find guides and resources on the same Web Portal to find online applications easier to handle. Application time windows will be published on the MCAST Web Portal. Where applicants possess a local and active e-ID, applications are submitted using that e-ID. International applicants are guided to present their online applications by communicating with internationalappl@mcast.edu.mt. In the case of International non-EU applicants, the last possible date of application is 15th August 2024 unless otherwise published on the MCAST Web Portal.
- 3. Applications submitted without all the necessary documentation cannot be processed. Only official MATSEC / SEC result documents must be uploaded (and not screenshots of SMSs sent by MATSEC). In the case of the SSC&P (Secondary School Certificate & Profile), all four pages of the document are to be uploaded. Any other Certificates / Transcripts or documents showing qualification achievement are to be uploaded with no parts clipped off. In all such documents, the bearer's full name and surname and where applicable the ID Number is to be clearly shown. Uploads that are not clear cannot be processed. Applicants are kindly asked to label all the scans they upload using their full name and surname and the type of document uploaded to the scan. On the Online Application Uploads section one will find further guidance on uploading the required documents.
- 4. Grades 5/C or better are considered as 'O' level passes. In the case of 'O' level passes in Maltese, Italian and Religion, only the SEC results are accepted.
- 5. Applicants who sit for examinations of Overseas Examination Boards and at the time of receipt of applications are still waiting for results, may submit a provisional application as long as the results are presented by the end of the last week in August. The grades of these subjects are to be listed as 'Provisional'.
- 6. After the closing date for the receipt of applications, no changes in application forms are accepted except for the results of Overseas Boards for Provisional subjects.



#### **ACCESS ARRANGEMENTS**

- 7. MCAST strives to be an equal opportunities College and welcomes students with learning difficulties and disabilities. Special needs students are required to:
  - · Have the necessary entry qualifications
  - · Discuss their needs with a member of the MCAST Inclusive Education Unit (IEU)
  - Produce recent professional documents on their special requirements to follow the course
  - Set up an appointment to discuss particular educational needs by contacting the Inclusive Education Unit on 2398 7127.

#### SELECTION OF APPLICANTS AND FURTHER INFORMATION

- 8. Applicants in possession of any other qualifications not listed as an entry requirement in this Prospectus will have their application received as 'Provisional'. The application will be considered by the MCAST Admissions Board.
- If applicants cannot find the desired progression route, their application will be received as 'Provisional', and the MCAST Admissions Board will consider their application.
- 10. Applications received after the final closing date will not be considered.
- 11. a. When the number of places available on a course is limited, and the number of applicants who choose the course and satisfy the entry requirements exceeds the number of available places, an order of merit is drawn up for all applicants selecting the course. On the other hand, it is to be noted that an MCAST full-time course will take off only if there is a minimum number of eligible applicants.
  - b. Students who, in July 2024, successfully completed a course at MCAST and apply to progress (Form B) to a higher course in the same area of study will be given priority over those applicants who apply for the same course from outside MCAST.
  - c. Aptitude Tests and/or Interviews In those cases where an aptitude test and/or an interview is carried out, the admission of applicants will be based on the number of points acquired based on their qualifications after having passed the aptitude test and/or interview.
  - d. Initial Assessment Tests Applicants having an unrated SSC&P will be required to sit for the Initial Assessment Tests in Maltese, English Language and Mathematics. Applicants found to require significant support will be guided to join the Level 1 Introductory Certificate course. Applicants with SEC/O-Levels at grades 6 or 7 in at least two subjects from Maltese, English Language and Mathematics or an SSC&P with an overall rating of Level 1 or Level 2 will be exempted from the Initial Assessment Tests and will start directly at Level 2.



- e. Applicants are selected for the Level 1 or Level 2 courses based on the results obtained in their SSC&P or on the results obtained in the Initial Assessment Tests in cases where the SSC&P is not available or is unrated.
- 12. All grades of SEC Ordinary, Intermediate and Advanced level examination results are allocated a number of points, as shown in the following table:

<b>Ordinary Level</b>		Intermediate Level		Advanced Level	
Grade	Points	Grade	Points	Grade	Points
1/A	10	Α	16	Α	26
2	9	В	15	В	24
3/B	8	С	14	С	22
4	7	D	13	D	20
5/C	6	Е	12	E	18
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- 13. After an applicant is considered eligible for a course, the number of points is worked according to the course requirements;
  - a. The total points for Compulsory subjects are multiplied by 5;
  - b. The total points for Preferred subjects are multiplied by 3;
  - c.The total of all the points obtained by an applicant indicates the place in the order of merit for admission into a course.
- 14. For the application to be considered complete, the applicant must fill in the GDPR Consent Form granting MCAST permission to process the data accordingly. In instances of applicants under 18 years of age (at the date of application submission), parental consent through the same online application portal is required.
- 15. If there are courses where places are still available after the first call for applications, there will be other calls for application. The application time windows are mainly defined by the MATSEC results publication dates before the start of the academic year.
- 16. Any application to join a course or any request to change a course application must go through the Admissions and Records Department within the Office of the Registrar and will not be accepted beyond a date agreed upon by the Council of Institutes unless approved by the MCAST Registrar.
- 17. When the number of applicants for a course is not viable, the College reserves the right not to offer the course, and applicants will be given the opportunity to change their course choice.

#### **VOCATIONAL DEGREES**



18. Holders of a full Level 5 Higher Diploma issued by MCAST or equivalent may request to access directly the final year of the Bachelor's Degree programme subject to validation by the MCAST Admissions Board. Appropriate considerations in line with MCAST Regulations and Procedures in this aspect will be taken by the mentioned Board. Applicants with equivalent HNDs from approved Further Education Institutions may be considered for eligibility. Applicants with other qualifications as approved by the College will be considered after following the appropriate College procedures for such cases.

#### APPLICATIONS SUBMITTED UNDER THE MATURITY CLAUSE

- 19. Applicants who satisfy the following conditions may apply for consideration to join MCAST programmes as mature students:
  - Be in possession of a School Leaving Certificate and other certificates achieved at various levels depending on the course level one is aspiring to follow.
  - Have, by the end of the same calendar year, attained:
     a. the age of 27 years for entry to programmes at MQF Level 7
     b. the age of 23 years for entry to programmes at MQF Levels 5/6
     c. the age of 21 years for entry to programmes at MQF Level 4
    - d. the age of 19 years for entry to programmes at MQF Level 3.
  - Demonstrate that they stand to benefit and show that they can follow the chosen programme of study. This is done through an interview held for the purpose and any other possible actions that gauge the applicant's standing and sound preparation for the chosen programme of studies. Shortlisted applicants will be called for an interview to assess their suitability for the selected programme. Age is not the only criteria for eligibility. The Maturity Clause Selection Board may require candidates to undertake additional studies as part of their acceptance. The Board may recommend an alternative programme where this is considered appropriate. The Board reserves the right to evaluate the applicant's competences through various modes of assessment.
- 20. Prospective applicants who may wish to be considered through avenues that are alternative to the entry requirements set in this Prospectus are guided to look at the following important policies found on the MCAST Web Portal:
  - · Recognition of Prior Certified Learning (RPCL)
  - · Recognition of Prior Experiential Learning (RPEL).
- 21. Vocational programmes for secondary schools (BTEC L2 Extended Certificate) shall enjoy the same parity of esteem as one SEC/O Level at:

Distinction = Grade 1

Merit = Grade 3

Pass = Grade 5.

Please refer to the "How to Apply Online" Section on mcast.edu.mt, for the latest updates related to "Conditions for Applications", as well as resources to guide in the online application process.

All students who successfully complete an MQF Level 3 MCAST programme of studies will be eligible to progress to any MQF Level 4 MCAST programme, provided they fulfil any applicable compulsory entry requirements.

## How to Apply online

#### Kundizzjonijiet għal min japplika

#### 1. Applikant gdid huwa:

Jew: Xi ħadd li sa Ġunju 2024 ma kien jattendi l-ebda kors full-time l-MCAST, Jew: Student tal-MCAST li ma għadda mill-ebda unità tal-ewwel sena tal-kors full-time li kien jattendi, u jixtieq jerġa' japplika biex jibda l-istess kors mill-ġdid, Jew: Student li attenda kors l-MCAST sa Ġunju 2024 imma jixtieq li, minflok ikompli, bl-istudji tiegħu fl-istess kors, jibda kors fˈqasam totalment differenti, Jew: Student li sa Ġunju 2024 kien reġistrat l-MCAST bħala student imma li, għal xi raġuni, waqaf jattendi u issa jixtieq jerġa lura l-MCAST biex ikompli l-istudji tiegħu.

- 2. L-applikanti kollha għandhom jimlew il-Formola ta' Applikazzjoni uffiċjali li tinkiseb online mill-MCAST Web Portal tul iż-żmien kollu li fih ikunu qed jintlaqgħu l-applikazzjonijiet. Applikanti li għandhom e-ID lokali valida għandhom jużaw dik l-e-ID biex jissottomettu l-applikazzjoni tagħhom. Applikanti barranin jiġu ggwidati biex jissottomettu l-applikazzjoni tagħhom online billi jikkomunikaw ma' internationalapps@mcast.edu.mt.
- 3. Applikazzjonijiet li jiġu sottomessi mingħajr id-dokumenti kollha meħtieġa ma jkunux jistgħu jiġu pproċessati. Għandhom jiġu uploaded biss ir-riżultati uffiċjali tal-MATSEC/SEC (u mhux screenshots tal-SMSs mibgħuta mill-MATSEC). Fil-każ tal-SSC&P (Secondary School Certificate & Profile) għandhom jiġu uploaded I-erba' paġni tad-dokument. Ċertifikati / Transcripts jew dokumenti oħra li juru I-kisba ta' kwalifiki għandhom jiġu uploaded mingħajr ma tinqata' ebda parti. F'dawn id-dokumenti kollha, I-isem u I-kunjom tal-applikant, kif ukoll in-numru tal-ID fejn applikabbli għandhom ikunu jidhru ċari. Uploads li ma jkunux ċari ma jkunux jistgħu jiġu pproċessati. L-applikanti huma ġentilment mitluba jimmarkaw I-iscans kollha li japplowdjaw billi jniżżlu isimhom sħiħ, kunjomhom u t-tip ta' dokument li jkun qed jiġi applowdjat fl-iscan.
- 4. Il-gradi 5/C jew aħjar huma meqjusa bħala pass fil-Livell Ordinarju. Fil-każ ta' passes fil-Livell Ordinarju fil-Malti, it-Taljan u r-Reliġjon jiġu aċċettati biss ir-riżultati tas-SEC.
- 5. Applikanti li jagħmlu eżamijiet ta' Bordijiet ta' Eżamijiet Barranin u li fiż-żmien li jkunu qed jintlaqgħu l-applikazzjonijiet ikunu għadhom jistennew ir-riżultati, jistgħu jissottomettu applikazzjoni proviżjorja basta r-riżultati jiġu ppreżentati sa tmiem l-aħħar ġimgħa ta' Awwissu. Il-gradi ta' dawn is-suġġetti għandhom jitniżżlu bħala 'Proviżorji'.
- 6. Wara li tagħlaq id-data li fiha jintlaqgħu l-applikazzjonijiet, ma jiġi aċċettat li jsir ebda tibdil fil-formoli ta' applikazzjoni barra dak fis-suġġetti Proviżorji wara li joħorġu r-riżultati tal-Bordijiet tal-Eżamijiet Barranin.

#### ARRANGAMENTI SPECJALI

7. L-MCAST jaħdem bis-sħiħ biex ikun Kulleġġ li joffri opportunitajiet indaqs lil kulħadd u għalhekk jilqa' studenti b'diffikultajiet fit-tagħlim u b'diżabilità. Studenti bi bżonnijiet speċjali huma meħtieġa li:



- · Ikollhom il-kwalifiki tad-dħul neċessarii
- · Jiddiskutu I-ħtiġijiet tagħhom ma' membru tal-Inclusive Education Unit (IEU) tal-MCAST
- · Jipproduću dokumenti rićenti, maħruġa minn professjonisti, dwar il-bżonnijiet spećjali li għandhom biex ikunu jistgħu jsegwu l-kors
- · Jagħmlu appuntament biex jiddiskutu bżonnijiet partikolari għat-tagħlim billi jikkuntattjaw lill-Inclusive Education Unit fug 2398 7127.

#### L-GHAŻLA TAL-APPLIKANTI U IKTAR INFORMAZZJONI

- 8. L-applikazzjoni ta' applikanti li jkollhom kwalifiki oʻhra li mhumiex imnizzlin fʻdan il-Prospett bʻhala kwalifiki gʻhad-dhul, tintlaqa' bʻhala 'Provizorja' u tigʻi kkunsidrata mill-MCAST Admissions Board.
- 9. L-applikazzjoni ta' dawk l-applikanti li ma jkunux jistgħu jsibu l-progression route mixtiega, tintlaga' bħala 'Proviżorja' u tiġi kkunsidrata mill-MCAST Admissions Board.
- 10. Applikazzjonijiet li jaslu wara li jagħlaq iż-żmien biex jintlaqgħu l-applikazzjonijiet ma jiġux aċċettati.
- a. Meta n-numru ta' postijiet disponibbli f'kors ikun limitat, u n-numru ta' applikanti li jissodisfaw ir-rekwiżiti tad-dħul u li jagħżlu l-kors jeċċedi n-numru ta' postijiet disponibbli, isir ordni tal-mertu għall-applikanti kollha li japplikaw għall-kors.
  - b. Studenti li f'Lulju 2024 ikunu temmew kors I-MCAST b'suċċess u japplikaw biex javvanzaw għal kors ta' livell ogħla fl-istess qasam ta' studju, jingħataw prijorità fuq applikanti li ma jkunux studenti tal-MCAST u japplikaw għall-istess kors.
  - ć. Aptitude Tests u/jew Intervisti F'dawk il-każi fejn isiru Aptitude Test u/jew Intervista, I-għażla tal-applikanti tkun ibbażata fuq in-numru ta' punti miksuba mill-kwalifiki li jkollhom l-applikanti, wara li dawn ikunu għaddew mit-test u/jew mill-intervista.
  - d. Initial Assessment Tests Applikanti li jkollhom I-SSC&P mhux ikklassifikat, ikunu meħtiega joqogħdu għal Initial Assessment Tests fil-Malti, fil-Lingwa Ingliża u fil-Matematika. Dawk I-applikanti li jinstabu li jkollhom bżonn ta' ħafna għajnuna jiġu ggwidati biex jidħlu fil-kors tal-Livell 1 li jwassal għal Introductory Certificate. Applikanti li jkollhom grad 6 jew 7 tal-Livell Ordinarju tas-SEC f'mill-inqas żewġ suġġetti minn fost il-Malti, il-Lingwa Ingliża u I-Matematika, jew li jkollhom SSC&P bi klassifikazzjoni ġenerali ta' Livell 1 jew Livell 2, jiġu eżentati mill-Initial Assessment Tests u jibdew direttament fil-Livell 2.
  - e. Applikant jintgħażel biex jidħol f'kors tal-Livell 1 jew f'kors tal-Livell 2 skont ir-riżultati miksuba fl-SSC&P jew, f'każ li ma jkollux l-SSC&P jew dan ma jkunx ikklassifikat, fuq ir-riżultati miksuba fl-Initial Assessment Tests.
- 11. Il-gradi kollha miksuba fir-riżultati tal-eżamijiet tas-SEC fil-Livell Ordinarju, fil-Livell Intermedju u fil-Livell Avvanzat jiġu allokati numru ta' punti kif jidher fit-tabella ta' hawn taħt:



Livell Ordinarju		Livell Intermedju		Livell Avvanzat	
Grad	Punti	Grad	Punti	Grad	Punti
1/A	10	А	16	А	26
2	9	В	15	В	24
3/B	8	С	14	С	22
4	7	D	13	D	20
5/C	6	Е	12	Е	18
				0	6

- 12. Wara li applikant jiġi meqjus eliġibbli għal kors, in-numru ta' punti jiġi maħdum skont ir-rekwiżiti tal-kors:
  - a. il-punti totali għas-suġġetti Obbligatorji jiġu mmultiplikati b'5;
  - b. il-punti totali għal suġġetti Ppreferuti jiġu mmultiplikati bi 3;
  - ć. it-total ta' punti miksuba jindika l-post tal-applikant fl-ordni tal-mertu għad-dħul fil-kors.
- 13. Biex I-applikazzjoni tiġi kkunsidrata kompluta, I-applikant irid jimla I-Formola ta' Kunsens tal-GDPR li tagħti permess lill-MCAST jipproċessa I-informazzjoni skont il-bżonn. Fil-każ ta' applikanti li ma jkunux għalqu t-18-il sena, ikun meħtieġ il-kunsens tal-ġenituri, jew tal-persuna/i li I-applikanti jkunu taħt il-ħarsien u I-kustodja tagħha/hom.
- 14. F'każ ta' korsijiet fejn jibqa' postijiet disponibbli wara l-ewwel sejħa għal applikazzjonijiet, jinħarġu sejħiet oħra għal applikazzjoni. Id-data tal-għeluq għal dawn l-applikazzjonijiet tiddependi mid-data tal-pubblikazzjoni tar-riżultati tal-MATSEC. Postijiet li jibqgħu ma jimtlewx wara numru ta' sejħiet għal applikazzjoni jiġu offruti fuq il-bażi ta' min jiġi l-ewwel jinqeda l-ewwel. L-informazzjoni dwar il-perjodu ta' żmien meta jintlaqgħu l-applikazzjonijiet tiġi ppublikata fuq www.mcast.edu.mt kif ukoll tixxandar f'midja differenti.
- 15. Kull applikazzjoni għal dħul f'kors u kull talba biex tinbidel applikazzjoni għal kors trid tgħaddi mill-Admissions Office tal-Uffiċċju tar-Reġistratur u ma tiġix aċċettata wara d-data li tkun ġiet maqbula mill-Council of Institutes sakemm dan ma jiġix approvat mir-Reġistratur tal-MCAST.
- 16. Il-Kulleġġ jirriżerva d-dritt li ma jiftaħx il-kors jekk in-numru ta' applikazzjonijiet ma jkunx vijabbli. F'dan il-każ, l-applikanti jingħataw iċ-ċans li jagħżlu kors ieħor.

#### **DEGREES VOKAZZJONALI**

17. Individwi li jkollhom Higher Diploma shiha (Livell 5) mahruga mill-MCAST, jew xi kwalifika ekwivalenti, jistghu jitolbu li jidhlu direttament fl-ahhar sena ta' programm li jwassal ghal bacellerat, dejjem jekk il-kwalifika tigi accettata bhala valida mill-Admissions Board tal-MCAST. Dawn il-kazi jinghataw konsiderazzjoni xierqa minn dan il-Bord fid-dawl tal-prowedimenti tar-Regoli u l-Proceduri tal-MCAST. Tista' wkoll tigi kkunsidrata l-eligibilità ta' applikanti li jkollhom Higher National Diplomas



miksuba minn Istituzzjonijiet ta' Edukazzjoni Ulterjuri approvati.

Applikanti li jkollhom kwalifiki oʻhrajn approvati mill-Kullegʻgʻ jigʻu kkunsidrati wara li jigʻu segwiti I-proceduri tal-Kullegʻgʻ applikabbli gʻhal talbiet bʻhal dawn.

#### APPLIKAZZJONIJIET LI JAQGHU TAHT IL-KLAWSOLA TA' MATURITÀ

- 18. Applikanti li jissodisfaw il-kundizzjonijiet ta' hawn taħt jistgħu japplikaw biex jiġu kkunsidrati biex jidħlu f'korsijiet tal-MCAST bħala studenti maturi:
  - · Ikollhom iċ-Ċertifikat tat-Tmiem tal-Iskola
  - · Sal-aħħar tal-istess sena kalendarja, ikunu:
    - a. laħqu l-età ta' 27 sena biex jidħlu fi programmi tal-Livell 7 tal-Qafas Malti tal-Kwalifiki
    - b. laħqu l-età ta' 23 sena biex jidħlu fi programmi tal-Livelli 5/6 tal-Qafas Malti tal-Kwalifiki
    - ć. laħqu l-età ta' 21 sena biex jidħlu fi programmi tal-Livell 4 tal-Qafas Malti tal-Kwalifiki
    - d. laħqu l-età ta' 19-il sena biex jidħlu fi programmi tal-Livell 3 tal-Qafas Malti tal-Kwalifiki.
  - Juru li huma kapaći jsegwu u jistgħu jibbenefikaw mill-programm magħżul permezz ta' intervista li ssirilhom għal dan il-għan u bl-użu ta' metodi oħra li jistgħu jiġu applikati biex jiġi vverifikat li l-applikant għandu l-preparazzjoni neċessarja. L-applikanti li jiġu shortlisted jintalbu jattendu intervista biex jiġi stabbilit jekk il-kors magħżul hux addattat għalihom. Il-Bord ta' Selezzjoni għal Studenti Maturi jista' jitlob lill-kandidati jagħmlu studji addizzjonali bħala kundizzjoni biex jiġu aċċettati. Il-Bord jista' jirrakkomanda kors alternattiv fejn jinħass li dan ikun aktar addattat għall-kandidat rispettiv. Il-Bord jirriżerva d-dritt li jevalwa l-kompetenzi talapplikant permezz ta' assessment.
- 19. Kandidati prospettivi li jixtiequ li l-applikazzjoni tagħhom tiġi kkunsidrata fuq kriterji li huma differenti mir-rekwiżiti tad-dħul stabbiliti f'dan il-Prospett, għandhom jaqraw id-dokumenti importanti li jidhru hawn taħt:
  - Recognition of Prior Certified Learning (RPCL)
  - · Recognition of Prior Experiential Learning (RPEL).

Wiehed jista' jsib dawn id-dokumenti fuq il-Web Portal tal-MCAST.

20. Programmi vokazzjonali għall-iskejjel sekondarji (BTEC L2 Extended Certificate) ikollhom l-istess valur ta' suġġett wieħed tas-SEC fil-Livell Ordinarju, kif jidher hawn taħt:

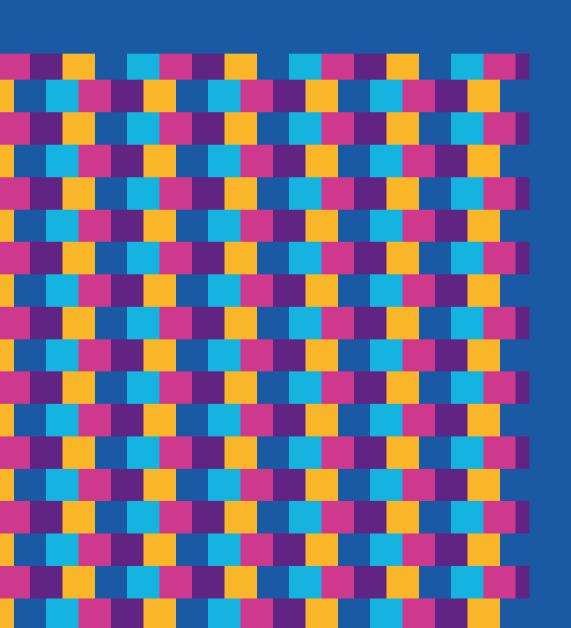
Distinction = Grad 1

Merit = Grad 3

Pass = Grad 5

Jekk joghģbok irreferi ghat-Taqsima "Kif Tapplika Onlajn" fuq mcast.edu.mt, ghall-ahhar aģģornamenti relatati ma' "Il-Kundizzjonijiet ghall-Applikazzjonijiet", kif ukoll riżorsi dwar kif tapplika onlajn.
L-istudenti kollha li jtemmu b'suċċess programm ta' studji tal-MCAST fil-Livell 3 se jkunu eliġibbli biex jimxu lejn kwalunkwe programm fil-Livell 4 tal-MCAST, jekk jissodisfaw ir-rekwiżiti ta' dhul obbligatorji.

# **CENTRE FOR LEARNING**& EMPLOYABILITY



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# Award in Vocational Skills (Introductory Level A)

The Award in Vocational Skills (Introductory Level A) supports students with learning disabilities / learning difficulties to acquire the skills required to gain and maintain employment or to further their education. Students are trained in one of the following vocational areas: Hospitality and Retail, Office and Digital Skills. They are also assessed in Key Skills which include Maltese, English, Mathematics, PSHE, IT, Creative Self-Expression, and Daily Living and Community Skills and Customer care and Employability skills. A work placement experience within the College is also provided according to the vocational area being studied. Before enrolling in the programme, students are required to attend an induction session to assess the suitability of the course and identify the vocational area according to their abilities.

L-Award in Vocational Skills (Introductory Level A) jgħin lill-istudenti b'diżabilità jew b'diffikultà fit-tagħlim jiksbu l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex isibu u jżommu impjieg jew biex ikomplu jistudjaw. L-istudenti jiġu mħarrġa f'wieħed mill-oqsma vokazzjonali li ġejjin: Ospitalità u Bejgħ, Ħiliet tal-Uffiċċju u Ħiliet Diġitali. Huma jiġu ttestjati wkoll fil-Ħiliet Ewlenin, li jinkludu l-Malti, l-Ingliż, il-Matematika, il-PSHE, l-IT, il-Creative Self-Expression, u l-Ħiliet għall-Ħajja ta' Kuljum u dik Komunitarja u l-Ħiliet tal-Kura tal-Klient u tal-Impjegabbiltà. L-istudenti jingħataw iċ-ċans li jagħmlu esperjenza ta' taħriġ fil-post tax-xogħol fil-Kulleġġ stess, skont il-qasam vokazzjonali li jkunu qed jistudjaw għalih. Qabel ma jirreġistraw għall-programm, l-istudenti jkunu meħtieġa jattendu laqgħa ta' evalwazzjoni ġewwa l-MCAST biex jiġi kkonfermat li l-kors hu tajjeb għalihom u jiġi identifikat il-qasam vokazzjonali addattat għall-abbiltajiet tagħhom.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
Finished Compulsory Education	1 Year Full-time	Introductory Level A
Provision of documents including School		
Leaving Certificate.		Credits
A recent psychological report (issued no more		30 ECTS
than 3 years before the date of application)		
and school reports including the last Individual		
Education Plan (IEP).		
Adapt to both class-based and community-		
based learning - to be ascertained through an		
induction session at MCAST, attendance for		
which is compulsory.		
Other Entry Requirements		

# Award in Vocational Skills (Introductory Level B)

The Award in Vocational Skills (Introductory Level B) is a programme of study following the MCAST Award in Vocational Skills (Introductory Level A) that helps students with learning disabilities / learning difficulties consolidate the skills necessary to gain and maintain employment or to further their education. Students will have the opportunity to further their studies in the vocational area chosen in the MCAST Award in Vocational Skills (Introductory Level A), namely Hospitality and Retail or Office and Digital Skills. They are also assessed in Key Skills which include Maltese, English, Mathematics, PSHE, IT, Creative Self-Expression, Daily Living & Community Skills and Customer care and Employability skills. A work placement experience in industry is also provided according to the vocational area being studied.

L-Award in Vocational Skills (Introductory Level B) huwa programm ta' studju li jsegwi l-MCAST Award in Vocational Skills (Introductory Level A) u jgħin lill-istudenti bʻdiżabilità jew bʻdiffikultà fit-tagħlim jiżviluppaw il-ħiliet meħtieġa biex isibu u jżommu impjieg jew biex ikomplu jistudjaw. L-istudenti jkollhom l-opportunità li jkomplu l-istudji tagħhom fil-qasam vokazzjonali magħżul fl-MCAST Award in Vocational Skills (Introductory Level A), jiġifieri Ospitalità u Bejgħ jew Ħiliet tal-Uffiċċju u Ħiliet Diġitali u l-Ħiliet tal-Kura tal-Klient u tal-Impjegabbiltà. Huma jiffukaw ukoll fuq il-Ħiliet Ewlenin, li jinkludu l-Malti, l-Ingliż, il-Matematika, il-PSHE, l-IT, u l-Ħiliet għall-Ħajja ta' Kuljum u dik Komunitarja. Barra minn hekk, l-istudenti jingħataw iċ-ċans li jagħmlu esperjenza ta' taħriġ fʻpost tax-xogħol fl-industrija, skont il-qasam vokazzjonali li jkunu qed jitħarrġu għalih.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Award in Vocational and Employability	1 Year Full-time	Introductory Level B
Skills (Introductory Level A)		Credits
Adapt to both class-based and community-		
based learning - to be ascertained through the		30 ECTS
previous year.		
Career Opportunities		
Hospitality - Housekeeping assistant · Kitchen		
hand · Factory hand · Laundry worker		
Clerical - Office assistant · Library assistant		

#### **Award in Basic Office Skills**

This programme provides the learners with a hands-on experience to gain the basic skills required to work in an office environment. Learners need to have a genuine interest to work in posts related to basic customer care and office work. The course tackles both the use of basic office equipment as well as the soft skills required to be able to behave in an appropriate manner in an office environment.

Dan il-programm jipprovdi lill-istudenti esperjenza prattika biex jiksbu l-ħiliet bażići meħtieġa biex jaħdmu f'ambjent ta' uffiċċju. L-istudenti jeħtieġ li jkollhom interess ġenwin li jaħdmu f'postijiet relatati ma' assistenza bażika tal-klijenti u xogħol tal-uffiċċju. Il-kors jittratta kemm l-użu ta' tagħmir bażiku tal-uffiċċju, kif ukoll il-ħiliet personali meħtieġa biex wieħed ikun jista' jġib ruħu kif xierag f'ambjent ta' uffiċċju.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
Finished Compulsory Education, documented	1 Year Full-time	1
by the SSC&P (Secondary School Certificate and Profile).		Credits
Applicants are required to present a recent psychological report (issued no more than 3 years before date of application) and school reports including most recent Individual Education Plan (IEP).		30 ECTS
Adapt to both class-based and community- based learning - to be ascertained through an induction session at MCAST, attendance for which is compulsory.		
Career Opportunities		

## **Award in Hospitality**

Through this award programme, learners will start to become familiar with the hospitality industry, as well as have the opportunity to identify such industries, locally and abroad. Different roles and duties found within the hospitality industry will be explored, as will be the understanding of the hierarchy and responsibility one would have to deal with in such roles. Learners will also discuss and understand the importance of hygiene at work, including personal hygiene, as well as the importance of keeping safe and working in a safe and healthy environment. This would also include being ethical and using adequate etiquette.

Permezz ta' dan il-programm ta' għotja, l-istudenti jibdew isiru familjari malindustrija tal-ospitalità, kif ukoll ikollhom l-opportunità li jidentifikaw dawn l-industriji, kemm lokalment kif ukoll barra mill-pajjiż. Huma jesploraw ir-rwoli u d-dmirijiet differenti marbuta mal-industrija tal-ospitalità, kif ukoll jitgħallmu dwar il-ġerarkija u r-responsabbiltà li wieħed ikollu jiffaċċja f'dawn ir-rwoli. L-istudenti jiddiskutu u jifhmu wkoll l-importanza tal-iġjene fuq il-post tax-xogħol, inkluża l-iġjene personali, kif ukoll l-importanza li wieħed iżomm ruħu 'l bogħod mill-periklu u li jaħdem f'ambjent sikur u tajjeb għas-saħħa. Dan ikun jinkludi wkoll l-etika u l-użu ta' manjieri tajbin.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
Finished Compulsory Education, documented by the SSC&P (Secondary School Certificate and Profile).	1 Year Full-time	1
		Credits
Applicants are required to present a recent		
psychological report (issued no more than 3 years before date of application) and school reports including the most recent Individual Education Plan (IEP).		30 ECTS
Adapt to both class-based and community-		
based learning - to be ascertained through an		
induction session at MCAST, attendance for		
which is compulsory.		
Career Opportunities		
Assistant in kitchen · Assistant in restaurant		
· Assistant in housekeeping		

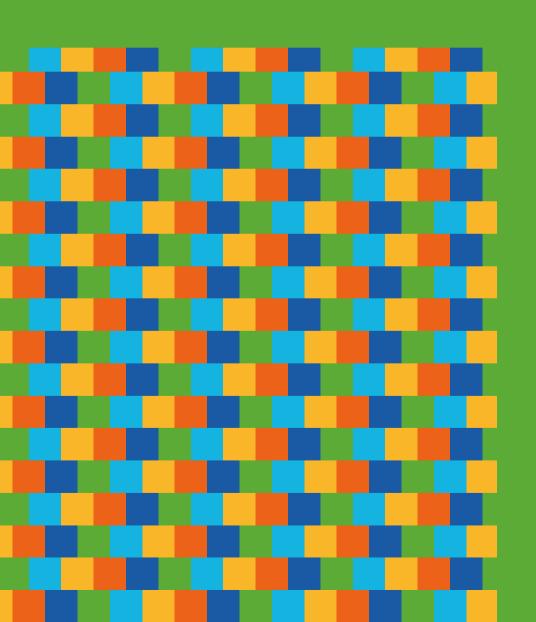
#### **Award in Retail**

This programme is intended for learners who would like to become familiar with the local retailing sector, in particular small retail shops. Learners who apply for this course need to be genuinely interested and willing to work in a post related to the retail sector. Learners will become familiar with the basic business concepts, including the principles of stock management. They will also be made aware of different types of customers and situations that people who work in a retail environment would typically face. To achieve this, learners will be exposed to the importance of, and the skills required for good communication, as well as teamwork.

Dan il-programm huwa maħsub għall-istudenti li jixtiequ jsiru familjari mas-setturi lokali ta' bejgħ għall-konsumatur, b'mod partikolari ħwienet żgħar. L-istudenti li japplikaw għal dan il-kors jeħtieġ li jkollhom interess ġenwin u li jkunu lesti li jaħdmu f'post relatat mas-settur tal-bejgħ għall-konsumatur. L-istudenti jsiru familjari mal-kunċetti bażiċi tan-negozju, inklużi l-prinċipji tal-immaniġġjar tal-istokk. Huma jsiru konxji wkoll dwar it-tipi differenti ta' konsumaturi u sitwazzjonijiet li normalment jiffaċċjaw il-persuni li jaħdmu f'ambjent ta' bejgħ għall-konsumatur. Għal dan il-għan, l-istudenti jsiru konxji mill-importanza ta' komunikazzjoni tajba u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex din isseħħ, kif ukoll mill-importanza ta' ħidma f'tim.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Finished Compulsory Education, documented by the SSC&P (Secondary School Certificate and	1 Year Full-time	1
Profile).		Credits
Applicants are required to present a recent psychological report (issued no more than 3		30 ECTS
years before the date of application) and school reports including the most recent Individual	Career Opportunities	
Education Plan (IEP).	Shop Assistant · Store	Assistant
Adapt to both class-based and community-		
based learning - to be ascertained through an		
induction session at MCAST, attendance for		
which is compulsory		
Other Entry Requirements		

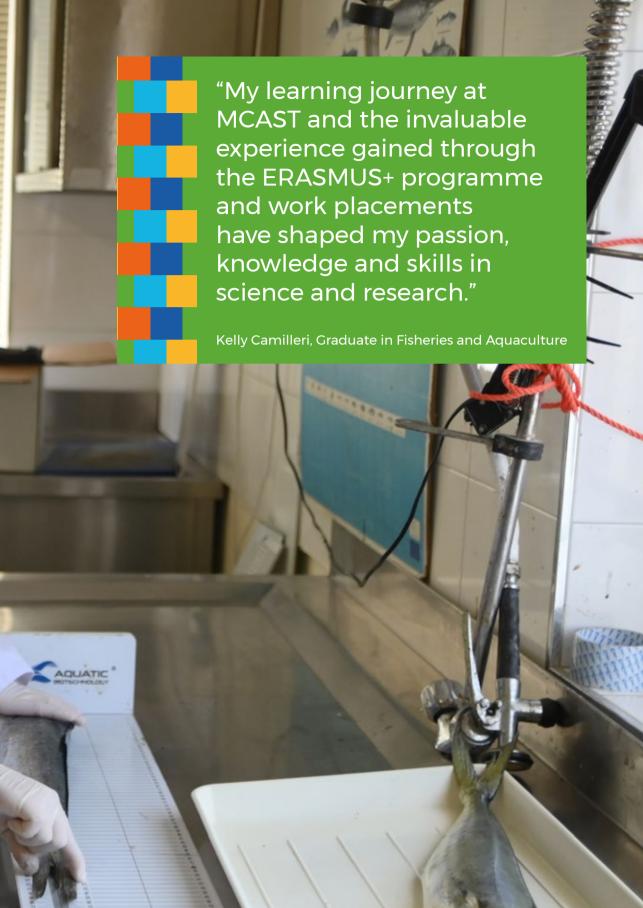
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# **Introductory Certificate in Applied Science**

This programme of study aims to provide the learner with the basic knowledge of science and technology and how these apply to everyday life. The study units deal with the different disciplines of science, hence giving the learner an overview of all the main scientific concepts necessary as a basis for further vocational studies within the science sector.

Dan il-programm ta' studju għandu l-għan li jipprovdi lill-istudent l-għarfien bażiku tax-xjenza u t-teknoloģija u kif dawn japplikaw għall-ħajja ta' kuljum. L-unitajiet ta' studju jindirizzaw id-dixxiplini differenti tax-xjenza u għaldaqstant jagħtu lill-istudent ħarsa ģenerali lejn il-kunċetti xjentifiċi ewlenin kollha li huma meħtieġa bħala bażi għal studji vokazzjonali ulterjuri fis-settur tax-xjenza.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level	
Finished Compulsory Education Initial Assessment Tests (as may be applicable)	1 Year Full-time	1	_
mittal Assessment Tests (as may be applicable)		Credits	
		40 ECTS	_

## **Foundation Certificate in Applied Science**

This programme of study is aimed at giving learners the opportunity to further their studies in several diverse science-related areas including environmental, health and industrial sciences. Learners will cover various topics such as Chemistry, Physics, Biology, English, Maltese, Mathematics and IT which will be taught in an applied manner that is relevant to the various science sectors in which employment may be sought with a higher qualification. This programme is particularly suitable for learners who have a scientific or technical aptitude, even if they have not decided fully on their ultimate career choice.

Dan il-programm ta' studju għandu l-għan li jagħti lill-istudenti l-opportunità biex ikomplu l-istudji tagħhom f'diversi oqsma differenti relatati max-xjenza inklużi x-xjenzi ambjentali, tas-saħħa u industrijali. L-istudenti jkopru diversi suġġetti bħall-Kimika, il-Fiżika, il-Bijoloġija, l-Ingliż, il-Malti, il-Matematika u l-IT li se jiġu mgħallma b'mod applikat li jkun rilevanti għad-diversi setturi tax-xjenza li fihom jistgħu jsibu impjieg bi kwalifika ogħla. Dan il-programm huwa partikolarment xieraq għall-istudenti li għandhom xeħta għal suġġetti xjentifiċi jew tekniċi, anke jekk ma jkunux għadhom iddeċidew liema karriera se jaqbdu.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
MCAST Introductory Certificate	1 Year Full-time	2
or Finished Compulsory Education		Credits
Initial Assessment Tests (as may be applicable)		60 ECTS

## **Diploma in Applied Science**

This programme of study provides a strong grounding in fundamental science and technology principles, as well as an initial exposure to vocational science subjects related to health, environment, food and engineering industries. The learner will be able to understand the fundamental principles and laws of science, and how these are applied within the industrial sector. The learner will also be able to understand the science of different materials, and gain an awareness of the principles behind certain technologies.

Dan il-programm ta' studju jipprovdi bażi b'saħħitha għall-prinċipji fundamentali tax-xjenza u t-teknoloģija, kif ukoll introduzzjoni għal suġġetti tax-xjenza vokazzjonali relatati mal-industriji tas-saħħa, l-ambjent, l-ikel u l-inġinerija. L-istudent ikun jista' jifhem il-prinċipji fundamentali u l-liġijiet tax-xjenza, u kif dawn huma applikati fis-settur industrijali. L-istudent ikun jista' jifhem ukoll ix-xjenza ta' materjali differenti, u jikseb għarfien dwar il-prinċipji wara ċerti teknoloġiji.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Foundation Certificate	1 Year Full-time	3
or		
2 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes from	Mode	Credits
the following subjects: English Language,		
Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, Biology,	May include the	60 ECTS
Design and Technology, Health and Social Care	possibility of Work-	
	Based Learning	

## **Advanced Diploma for Pharmacy Technician**

This programme of study is designed to provide learners with the skills, knowledge and competences necessary for a career as pharmacy technicians. Learners will be exposed to scientific and pharmaceutical principles and will be given a sound knowledge of health related material, resulting in a holistic approach to effectively and competently embark on a career as a pharmacy technician. This programme of study is designed to provide learners with all the technical skills, knowledge of procedures, legislation and responsibilities required for such a career and includes work-related training and practice. Successful candidates will be eligible to apply for Registration with the Pharmacy Council of Malta.

Dan il-programm ta' studju huwa mfassal biex jipprovdi lill-istudenti l-ħiliet, l-għarfien u l-kompetenzi meħtieġa għal karriera bħala tekniċi farmaċewtiċi. L-istudenti jitgħallmu prinċipji xjentifiċi u farmaċewtiċi u jingħataw għarfien sod ta' suġġetti relatati massaħħa, bil-għan li jkunu ppreparati sewwa biex jaħdmu bħala tekniċi farmaċewtiċi u jwettqu xogħolhom b'mod effettiv u kompetenti. Dan il-programm ta' studju huwa mfassal biex jipprovdi lill-istudenti l-ħiliet tekniċi, l-għarfien tal-proċeduri, il-leġiżlazzjoni u r-responsabbiltajiet kollha meħtieġa għal din il-karriera u jinkludi taħriġ u prattika relatati max-xogħol. L-istudenti li jtemmu l-kors b'suċċess ikunu eliġibbli biex japplikaw għar-Reġistrazzjoni mal-Kunsill tal-Ispiżjara ta' Malta.

Course Duration

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Diploma in Applied Science	2 Years Full-time	4
or MCAST Diploma in Health and Social Care (with additional module in Chemistry)	Mode	Credits
or MCAST Diploma in Social Care (with additional module in Chemistry) or	Includes Work Placement	120 ECTS
Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma, whilst being in possession of the compulsory subjects as indicated hereunder or	Career Opportunities	
4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes Compulsory: English Language and Mathematics and Chemistry	Pharmacy technician	

#### **Other Entry Requirements**

Entry Dequirements

Applicants will be subject to an occupational health screening to establish their suitability for the Placement which is a mandatory part of this programme. Once course would have started, failure to present a successful health screening, will result in not being in a position to go on work placements which will preclude from a successful completion of course. Applicants must also provide evidence of a clean police conduct certificate.

MOE Level

## **Advanced Diploma in Applied Science**

This programme of study is aimed at learners who wish to embark on a scientific career in a range of industries such as petrochemical, life sciences, health, pharmaceutics and the environment. The programme of study contains a wide range of science and technology study units that reflect aspects of employment within relevant industries. The learners will appreciate how the fundamental principles of science relate to the technological operations of the workplace. They will develop the necessary skills to work in a laboratory environment within the manufacturing industry, and to apply basic principles within the workplace.

Dan il-programm ta' studju huwa mmirat lejn studenti li jixtiequ jibdew karriera xjentifika fʻfirxa ta' industriji bħal dawk relatati mal-petrokimika, ix-xjenzi tal-ħajja, is-saħħa, il-farmaċewtika u l-ambjent. Il-programm ta' studju jinkludi firxa wiesgħa ta' unitajiet ta' studju fix-xjenza u t-teknoloġija li jirriflettu aspetti tal-impjiegi fʻindustriji rilevanti. L-istudenti jirrikonoxxu kif il-prinċipji fundamentali tax-xjenza jirrelataw mal-operat teknoloġiku tal-post tax-xogħol. Huma jiżviluppaw il-ħiliet neċessarji biex jaħdmu fʻambjent ta' laboratorju fl-industrija tal-manifattura, u biex japplikaw il-prinċipji bażiċi fil-post tax-xogħol.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Diploma in Applied Science	2 Years Full-time	4
Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma, whilst being in possession of the compulsory subjects as	Mode	Credits
indicated hereunder	Apprenticeship	120 ECTS
or 4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes from the following list: English Language, Mathematics,	Career Opportunities	
Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Design and	Laboratory analyst · Labo	ratory technologist

Technology

# Advanced Diploma in Environmental Sustainability

Awareness of environmental sustainability and related environmentally-based sectors is growing rapidly in Europe, with the Maltese government recently introducing various laws and standards on reducing global warming, climate change, low carbon emissions and the need for conservation in general. This programme of studies includes topics related to environmental monitoring, even within manufacturing industries, that are fundamental to the development of environmental awareness, and provides the necessary practical skills and techniques. Employment is typically within environmental sustainability sector-based organisations, as well as within medium to large organisations that face many environmental challenges, such as waste management, alternative energy sources, traffic management and pollution, on a daily basis.

Il-kuxjenza dwar is-sostenibbiltà ambjentali u s-setturi relatati li huma bbażati fuq l-ambjent qed tikber b'mod rapidu fl-Ewropa, u dan l-aħħar il-gvern Malti introduċa diversi liġijiet u standards dwar it-tnaqqis tat-tisħin globali, it-tibdil fil-klima, il-livell baxx ta' emissjonijiet tal-karbonju u l-ħtieġa għall-konservazzjoni b'mod ġenerali. Dan il-programm ta' studji jinkludi suġġetti relatati mal-monitoraġġ ambjentali, anke fi ħdan industriji tal-manifattura, li huma fundamentali għall-iżvilupp ta' kuxjenza ambjentali u jipprovdu l-ħiliet u t-teknika prattika neċessarji. L-impjieg huwa tipikament f'organizzazzjonijiet ibbażati fuq is-settur tas-sostenibbiltà ambjentali, kif ukoll fi ħdan organizzazzjonijiet medji sa kbar li jiffaċċjaw ħafna sfidi ambjentali fuq bażi ta' kuljum, bħall-immaniġġjar tal-iskart, is-sorsi alternattivi ta' enerġija, il-ġestjoni tat-traffiku u t-tniġġis.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Diploma in Applied Science	2 Years Full-time	4
or		
MCAST Diploma in Mechanical Engineering	Mode	Credits
or		
MCAST Diploma in Engineering (Electronics)	Includes Work	120 ECTS
or	Placement	
Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma, whilst being		
in possession of the compulsory subjects as	<b>Career Opportunities</b>	
indicated hereunder		
or	Project technical assista	ant · Environmental
4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes, of which	technologist · Environm	nental analyst
three (3) subjects must be from the following		
list: English Language, Mathematics, Physics,		
Chemistry, Biology, Design and Technology,		

Computer Studies, Environmental Studies

### **Advanced Diploma in Health Sciences**

This programme of study has been developed to prepare individuals for health related careers. The study units deal with the anatomy and physiology of the human body and the physical and psychological changes due to ageing, and will help learners to build competences that will help when dealing with people with health issues and challenging behaviour. Through work placements, learners will get the opportunity to develop the skills and competences required to work within the health sector.

Dan il-programm ta' studju ģie žviluppat biex iħejji lill-istudenti għal karrieri relatati mas-saħħa. L-unitajiet ta' studju jindirizzaw l-anatomija u l-fiżjoloģija tal-ģisem tal-bniedem u t-tibdil fiżiku u psikoloģiku minħabba x-xjuħija, u jgħinu lill-istudenti jiżviluppaw kompetenzi li jgħinuhom jitgħallmu kif iġibu ruħhom ma' persuni bi problemi ta' saħħa u bi mġiba diffiċli. Permezz ta' taħriġ fuq il-post tax-xogħol, l-istudenti jkollhom l-opportunità li jiżviluppaw il-ħiliet u l-kompetenzi meħtieġa biex jaħdmu fis-settur tas-saħħa.

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Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Diploma in Applied Science	2 Years Full-time	4
or		
MCAST Diploma in Health and Social Care	Mode	Credits
or		_
MCAST Diploma in Social Care	Includes Work	120 ECTS
or	Placement	
Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma, whilst being		
in possession of the compulsory subjects as	Career Opportunities	5
indicated hereunder		
or	Allied health assistan	t · Paramedic aide
4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes		

#### **Other Entry Requirements**

Mathematics and Biology

Compulsory: English Language and

Applicants will be subject to an occupational health screening to establish their suitability for the Placement which is a mandatory part of this programme. Once course would have started, failure to present a successful health screening, will result in not being in a position to go on work placements which will preclude from a successful completion of course. Applicants must also provide evidence of a clean police conduct certificate.

## **Advanced Diploma in Food Technology**

The food and beverage industry is a dynamic sector which requires a number of highly skilled technical people to cope with constantly changing customers' demands and new innovative production technologies. Food technologists monitor day-to-day manufacturing activities; ensure that safety and quality standards are met; improve existing products and design innovative foods and drinks. This is a multidisciplinary programme offered across four Institutes and includes topics on food analysis, product manufacturing, food safety, cost accounting and product design. The programme provides learners with the opportunity to gain knowledge of the industry and insights into the relevant tools and skills through work-based elements. This programme prepares learners for employment within SMEs as well as medium to large organisations which produce a range of food and drink products.

L-industrija tal-ikel u x-xorb hija settur dinamiku li jirrikjedi għadd ta' persuni tekniċi bi kwalifiki għoljin biex ilaħħqu mad-domandi tal-konsumaturi li dejjem jinbidlu u mat-teknoloġiji tal-produzzjoni ġodda u innovattivi. It-teknoloġisti tal-ikel jissorveljaw attivitajiet ta' manifattura minn jum għall-ieħor; jiżguraw li jiġu sodisfatti l-istandards ta' sikurezza u ta' kwalità; itejbu prodotti eżistenti u jiddisinjaw ikel u xarbiet ġodda u innovattivi. Dan huwa programm multidixxiplinari offrut f'erba' Istituti u jinkludi suġġetti dwar l-analiżi tal-ikel, il-manifattura tal-prodott, is-sikurezza tal-ikel, il-kontabilità tal-ispejjeż u d-disinn tal-prodott. Il-programm jipprovdi lill-istudenti l-opportunità li jiksbu għarfien dwar l-industrija u l-għodod u l-ħiliet rilevanti permezz ta' elementi bbażati fuq ix-xogħol. Dan il-programm iħejji lill-istudenti għal impjieg fl-SMEs, kif ukoll f'organizzazzjonijiet medji u kbar li jipproduċu firxa ta' prodotti ta' ikel u xorb.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Diploma in Applied Science	2 Years Full-time	4
or		
MCAST Diploma in Mechanical Engineering	Mode	Credits
Or		
MCAST Diploma in Engineering (Electronics)	Apprenticeship	120 ECTS
or		
Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma, whilst being	<b>Career Opportunities</b>	
in possession of the compulsory subjects as		
indicated hereunder	Food analyst · Food tecl	hnologist · Food product
or	development technolog	gist · Food production
4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	supervisor · Food qualit	y assurance technician

## Advanced Diploma for Dental Surgery Assistants

Dental Surgery Assistants are Allied Health personnel who play an important role in the performance of dental procedures. The aim of this course is to provide both the theoretical and the clinical practical techniques necessary for future dental personnel to be considered competent to assist the dental team. The objectives of this course are to instruct the candidate in basic knowledge of: (i) teeth anatomy, pathology, oral care and instruments, (ii) the health and safety of dental surgeries, (iii) patient care prior, during and post dental treatments, (iv) maintaining good communication with patients and (v) maintaining records and appointments and placing orders for materials in use in the dental surgery.

Dental Surgery Assistants jappartjenu għal waħda mill-professjonijiet kumplimentari għall-mediċina u għandhom rwol importanti fit-twettiq ta' proċeduri dentali. Dan il-kors huwa mmirat biex l-istudenti jitgħallmu t-teorija u l-prattika relatati mal-ħiliet kliniċi li huma meħtieġa jkollhom biex fil-futur ikunu kkunsidrati kompetenti biex jassistu tim ta' dentisti. Il-kors għandu l-għan li l-istudenti jiksbu għarfien bażiku dwar: (i) l-anatomija tas-snien, il-patoloġija relatata, il-kura tal-ħalq u l-istrumenti wżati fid-dentistrija, (ii) is-saħħa u s-sigurtà meħtieġa fi kliniċi dentali; (iii) il-kura tal-pazjent qabel, waqt u wara t-trattamenti dentali, (iv) iż-żamma ta' komunikazzjoni tajba mal-pazjenti, u (v) iż-żamma tar-records u l-appuntamenti tal-pazjenti u kif jagħmlu ordnijiet ta' materjali użati fil-kirurġija dentali.

#### **Course Duration Entry Requirements MOF Level** 2 Years Full-time 4 MCAST Diploma in Applied Science MCAST Diploma in Health and Social Care Mode Credits MCAST Diploma in Social Care Includes Work **120 ECTS** Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma, whilst being in possession of the compulsory subjects as Placement indicated hereunder or **Career Opportunities** 4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes Compulsory: English Language and Mathematics and Biology Dental surgery assistant

Applicants will be subject to an occupational health screening to establish their suitability for the Placement which is a mandatory part of this programme. Once course would have started, failure to present a successful health screening, will result in not being in a position to go on work placements which will preclude from a successful completion of course. Applicants must also provide evidence of a clean police

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conduct certificate.

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# **Bachelor of Science (Honours)** in Chemical Technology

This undergraduate course offers an opportunity to learners to gain a foundation in the core chemistry concepts and the manufacture of chemical products, such as pharmaceuticals, polymers, foods, beverages and petrochemicals. The knowledge, skills and competences attained give individuals an opportunity to succeed in employment in a wide range of manufacturing and processing industries, consulting firms, government, research and educational institutions. The course exposes learners to the development and design of chemical processes at different scales and creates a bridge between science and manufacturing, by applying the principles of chemistry and engineering to solve problems involving the production or use of chemicals. The programme also provides opportunities for learners to focus on the development of higher level skills in a scientific and technological context.

Dan il-kors li jwassal għal baċellerat joffri opportunità lill-istudenti biex jiksbu bażi soda fil-kunċetti ewlenin tal-kimika u l-manifattura ta' prodotti kimiċi, bħal prodotti farmaċewtiċi, polimeri, ikel, xorb u prodotti petrokimiċi. L-għarfien, il-ħiliet u l-kompetenzi miksuba jagħtu lill-individwi l-opportunità biex jirnexxu fl-impjieg f'firxa wiesgħa ta' industriji tal-manifattura u tal-ipproċessar, ta' ditti ta' konsulenza, mal-gvern, u ma' istituzzjonijiet ta' riċerka u edukattivi. Il-kors jesponi lill-istudenti għall-iżvilupp u d-disinn ta' proċessi kimiċi fi skali differenti u joħloq pont bejn ix-xjenza u l-manifattura, bl-applikazzjoni tal-prinċipji tal-kimika u l-inġinerija biex jiġu solvuti problemi li jinvolvu l-produzzjoni jew l-użu ta' sustanzi kimiċi. Il-programm jipprovdi wkoll opportunitajiet għall-istudenti biex jiffokaw fuq l-iżvilupp ta' ħiliet ta' livell ogħla f'kuntest xjentifiku u teknoloġiku.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Applied Science	3 Years Full-time	6
or		
2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes	Mode	Credits
Compulsory A-Level: Chemistry		_
	Internship	180 ECTS
Career Opportunities		
Senior laboratory analyst · Laboratory		
administrator · Validation specialist · Chemical		
plant administrator		

## Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Environmental Science and Sustainable Technologies

The protection of natural resources,  $\mathrm{CO}_2$  emissions, climate change and its effects, and demographic changes, are increasingly important topics in the local and international context. The programme merges classical engineering with natural sciences. Environmental Engineering Sciences and Sustainable Technologies deal with engineering solutions for environmentally relevant challenges of our future. This course provides learners with the ability to use problem-solving approaches for dealing with ecological and technical challenges, in order to creatively arrive at a situation of resource sustainability. The course is a challenging, technically-oriented programme that offers learners a broad range of fields of application. Graduates can be active in the planning, construction and operation of environmental technological facilities, in research and teaching, environmental organisations, administration, and consultancy businesses of their own.

Il-protezzjoni tar-riżorsi naturali, l-emissjonijiet tas-CO<sub>2′</sub> it-tibdil fil-klima u l-effetti tiegħu, u t-tibdil demografiku, huma suġġetti li qed isiru dejjem aktar importanti fil-kuntest lokali u internazzjonali. Il-programm jgħaqqad l-inġinerija klassika max-xjenzi naturali. Dan il-kors jittratta soluzzjonijiet tal-inġinerija għal sfidi ambjentali li se niffaċċjaw fil-futur u jwassal biex l-istudenti jkunu kapaċi jsibu soluzzjonijiet li jindirizzaw sfidi ekoloġiċi u tekniċi bil-għan li tintlaħaq sitwazzjoni ta' sostenibbiltà tar-riżorsi. Il-kors huwa programm impenjattiv, orjentat lejn it-teknoloġija u joffri lill-istudenti firxa wiesgħa ta' oqsma ta' applikazzjoni. Il-gradwati jkunu jistgħu jaħdmu fl-ippjanar, fil-kostruzzjoni u fit-thaddim ta' faċilitajiet teknoloġiċi ambjentali, fir-riċerka u t-tagħlim, f'organizzazzjonijiet ambjentali, fl-amministrazzjoni u f'negozji ta' konsulenza tagħhom stess.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Environmental Sustainability	3 Years Full-time	6
or	Mode	Credits
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Applied Science		
or	Internship	180 ECTS
2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes		
Compulsory: One from the following list of	<b>Career Opportunities</b>	
subjects at either I- or A-Level - Physics or		
Mathematics (Pure or Applied) or Biology or	Water project manage	er · Alternative energy

manager • Environmental sales personnel •
Environmental regulator • Environmental officer

· Environmental site manager

Chemistry or Geography or Environmental Studies

# **Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Health Sciences (Physiological Measurements)**

This degree programme is intended for learners who wish to pursue studies which will provide them with the appropriate competences for the measurement and imaging of the human body's physiological activity. Scientists qualified in this field team up with various other health professionals and provide the diagnostic information which is vital to the medical profession in the treatment of several medical conditions. This three-year programme will provide the learner with the knowledge, clinical training and skills necessary to gain the professional qualifications required to work as a healthcare science practitioner in the area of clinical physiology.

Dan il-programm li jwassal għal baċellerat huwa maħsub għall-istudenti li jixtiequ jkomplu bl-istudji tagħhom foqsma li jipprovdulhom il-kompetenzi xierqa biex jiksbu tagħrif dwar l-attività fiżjoloġika tal-ġisem tal-bniedem. lx-xjentisti kwalifikati f'dan il-qasam jingħaqdu ma' diversi professjonisti oħra fil-qasam tas-saħħa u jipprovdu l-informazzjoni dijanjostika li hija vitali għall-professjoni medika fir-rigward tat-trattament ta' diversi kundizzjonijiet mediċi. Dan il-programm ta' tliet snin jipprovdi lill-istudent ittagħrif, it-taħriġ kliniku u l-ħiliet neċessarji biex jikseb il-kwalifiki professjonali meħtieġa biex jaħdem bħala prattikant xjentifiku kkwalifikat fil-qasam tal-fiżjoloġija klinika.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Advanced Diploma for Pharmacy	3 Years Full-time	6
Technicians		
or	Mode	Credits
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Health Sciences		_
or	Internship	180 ECTS
MCAST Advanced Diploma for Dental Surgery		
Assistants	Career Opportunities	S
or		
2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes	Health practitioner (F	Physiological
Compulsory A-Level: Biology	measurements)	

Course Duration

MOE Level

#### **Other Entry Requirements**

Entry Dequirements

Applicants will be subject to an occupational health screening to establish their suitability for the Placement which is a mandatory part of this programme. Once course would have started, failure to present a successful health screening, will result in not being in a position to go on work placements which will preclude from a successful completion of course. Applicants must also provide evidence of a clean police conduct certificate.

## **Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Nursing**

The Bachelor of Science (Hons) Nursing prepares learners with the necessary competences and qualifications required to register as a first level nurse both in Malta and in all EU member states. This entails the provision of safe and effective care delivered in an evidence-based, holistic manner to patients and their significant others. The learners will pursue a minimum of 4600 hours over a three-year period, as stipulated by EU Directive 2005/36/EC. These are divided into 2300 theoretical hours and 2300 practice hours, most of which are carried out on clinical placements, and are supervised by qualified nurse mentors. The learners will be equipped with an evidence-based skill set and soft skills that will enable them to be fully capable of practicing independently. Learners must cover all the necessary hours and obtain a pass in all theoretical and practical units to be able to apply for registration with the Nursing and Midwifery Council of Malta. This course is recognised across all the EU member states. Applicants will be subject to a values-based interview, followed by the presentation of an occupational health-screening certificate and a clean police conduct certificate. These documents will serve to establish the suitability of applicants for Nursing and ultimately act towards the final selection of course participants.

Il-Bacellerat tax-Xjenza (Hons) Nursing jipprepara studenti bil-kompetenzi u l-kwalifiki meħtieġa biex jirreġistraw bħala infermier tal-ewwel livell kemm f'Malta kif ukoll fl-istati membri kollha tal-UE. Dan jinvolvi l-provvista ta' kura sigura u effettiva u bbażata fuq l-evidenza u mogħtija b'mod olistiku lill-pazjenti u qraba. L-istudenti se jsegwu minimu ta' 4600 siegħa fuq perjodu ta' tliet snin, kif stipulat mid-Direttiva tal-UE 2005/36/KE. Dawn huma maqsuma f'2300 siegħa teoretika u 2300 siegħa ta' prattika, li l-biċċa l-kbira minnhom isiru fuq placements kliniċi, u huma ssorveljati minn infermiera kwalifikati. L-istudenti se jkunu mgħammra b'sett ta' ħiliet ibbażati fuq l-evidenza u soft skills li jippermettulhom li jipprattikaw b'mod indipendenti. L-istudenti jridu jkopru s-sigħat kollha meħtieġa u jiksbu pass fit-taqsimiet teoretiċi u prattiċi kollha biex ikunu jistgħu japplikaw għar-reġistrazzjoni mal-Kunsill tal-Infermiera u l-Qwiebel ta' Malta. Dan il-kors huwa rikonoxxut fl-istati membri kollha tal-UE. L-applikanti jkunu soġġetti għal intervista, kif ukoll ikunu jridu jippreżentaw ċertifikat ta' skrining tas-saħħa fuq il-post tax-xogħol u ċertifikat ta' kondotta nadifa tal-pulizija. Dawn id-dokumenti se jservu biex naraw li l-applikanti huma adegwati għall-Infermiera u fl-aħħar mill-aħħar issir l-għażla finali tal-parteċipanti tal-kors.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Health Sciences or	3 Years Full-time	6
MCAST Advanced Diploma for Dental Surgery Assistants or	Mode	Credits
MCAST Advanced Diploma for Pharmacy Technicians or	Internship (Assessed	180 ECTS
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Health and Social Care	Clinical Placement)	
or MCAST Advanced Diploma in Social Care or	Career Opportunities	
2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes Preferred A-Levels: Biology, English, Psychology, Sociology, Chemistry Preferred I-Levels: Chemistry, Mathematics, Sociology, English	State registered nurse	

#### **Other Entry Requirements**

Applicants will be subject to an occupational health screening to establish their suitability for the Placement which is a mandatory part of this programme. Once course would have started, failure to present a successful health screening,

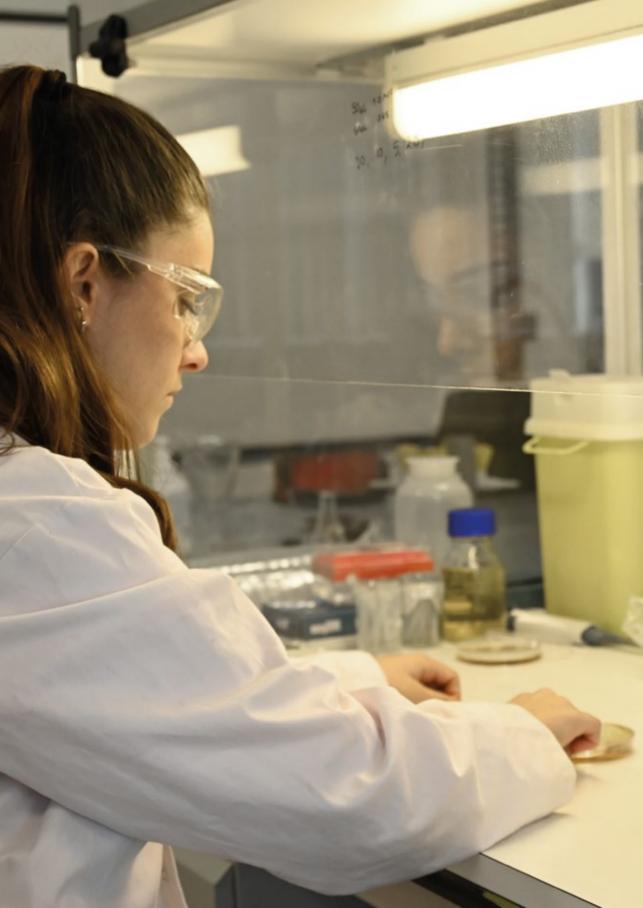
will result in not being in a position to go on work placements which will preclude from a successful completion of course. Applicants must also provide evidence of a clean police conduct certificate.

# **Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Environmental Health**

Prospective learners following this programme will be dealing with the various, often inter-related, facets of environmental health that include: public health; environmental health and safety; food and water safety; health aspects relating to domestic, leisure and workplace environments, and the impact of these various factors on the individual and on society at large. Learners will gain the knowledge, skills and competences on how to assess, analyse, devise and implement efficient solutions to environmental health issues, with a view that successful candidates may be employed in advisory, enforcement or educational positions. They will also learn about current local policies and legal frameworks that oversee the governance of these environmental health factors. Successful candidates will be eligible to apply for Registration with the Council for the Professions Complementary to Medicine of Malta.

L-istudenti prospettivi li jsegwu dan il-programm se jkunu jħabbtu wiċċhom maddiversi aspetti, ħafna drabi relatati ma' xulxin, tas-saħħa ambjentali li jinkludu: is-saħħa pubblika; is-saħħa u s-sikurezza ambjentali; is-sikurezza tal-ikel u tal-ilma; l-aspetti ta' saħħa relatati ma' ambjenti domestiċi, ta' divertiment u tal-post tax-xogħol, u l-impatt ta' dawn id-diversi fatturi fuq l-individwu u fuq is-soċjetà inġenerali. L-istudenti jiksbu l-għarfien, il-ħiliet u l-kompetenzi dwar kif jivvalutaw, janalizzaw, ifasslu u jimplimentaw soluzzjonijiet effiċjenti għal kwistjonijiet ta' saħħa ambjentali, bil-għan li dawk li jtemmu l-kors b'suċċess isibu xogħol f'pożizzjonijiet ta' konsulenza jew ta' infurzar, jew anke fil-qasam edukattiv. Huma jitgħallmu wkoll dwar il-politika lokali u l-oqfsa legali kurrenti li jirregolaw dawn il-fatturi ta' saħħa ambjentali. L-istudenti li jtemmu l-kors b'suċċess ikunu eliġibbli biex jirreġistraw mal-Kunsill għall-Professjonijiet Kumplimentari għall-Mediċina ta' Malta.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Health Sciences	3 Years Full-time	6
or MCAST Advanced Diploma for Dental Surgery	Mode	Credits
Assistants		
or	Internship	180 ECTS
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Environmental		
Sustainability	<b>Career Opportunities</b>	
or		
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Food Technology	Environmental health	officer
or		
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Applied Science		
or		
2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes		
Compulsory A-Level: Biology		



## **Master of Science in Advanced Clinical Practice**

The Master of Science in Advanced Clinical Practice is intended for those qualified nurses who want to improve their skills across the four pillars of advanced clinical practice. The programme will equip prospective candidates with the knowledge, skills and professional behaviours (values and attitudes) to work at an advanced clinical level, exercise autonomy and decision-making in the context of complexity, uncertainty and varying levels of risk, and hold accountability for the decisions that they are required to make.

Prospective students for the Advanced Clinical Practice course are envisaged to come from a range of clinical nursing areas and are working in a variety of specialties, settings or sectors. They will have the opportunity to gain the skills and knowledge that will allow them to extend their scope of practice to better meet the needs of the patients under their care. Developing advanced clinical practice skills is considered an important component of contemporary workforce planning.

#### FEES: Fees apply - Further information through MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry)

Il-Master of Science in Advanced Clinical Practice huwa maħsub għal dawk l-infermiera kwalifikati li jridu jtejbu l-ħiliet tagħhom fl-erba' pilastri tal-klinika prattika avvanzata. Il-programm se jgħin lill-kandidati prospettivi bl-għarfien, il-ħiliet u l-imgieba professjonali (valuri u attitudnijiet) biex jaħdmu f'livell avvanzat, jeżerċitaw awtonomija u jieħdu deċiżjonijiet fil-kuntest ta' kumplessità, inċertezza u livelli varji ta' riskju, u jieħdu responsabbiltà għad-deċiżjonijiet li huma meħtieġa. L-istudenti prospettivi għall-kors jistgħu jiġu minn diversi oqsma tal-infermiera klinka u li jaħdmu f'varjetà ta' speċjalitajiet, ambjenti jew setturi. Huma se jkollhom l-opportunità li jiksbu l-ħiliet u l-għarfien li jippermettulhom jestendu l-ambitu tal-prattika tagħhom biex jissodisfaw aħjar il-ħtiġijiet tal-pazjenti taħt il-kura tagħhom. L-iżvilupp ta' ħiliet fil-klinika avvanzata huwa meqjus bħala aspett importanti tal-ippjanar fil-qasam tax-xogħol kontemporanju.

MIŻATI: Japplikaw ħlasijiet - Aktar informazzjoni permezz ta' MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry)

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
A first degree (MQF Level 6) in Nursing and in possession of a valid registration.	PT 6 Semesters	7
	Mode	Credits
Candidates who are not in possession of a valid		
warrant, will be able to start off the programme,	Blended	90 ECTS
but will not be in a position to complete the full		
Master programme until they achieve such.		

## Master of Science in Professional Health Practice

The Master of Science in Professional Health Practice is a multi-professional programme of study which is not only aimed at practitioners aspiring to develop and work at an advanced level of practice but is also tailored for those individuals who are already working at an advanced level within their area of practice. The programme will equip prospective candidates with the knowledge, skills and professional behaviours (values and attitudes) to work at an advanced clinical level, exercise autonomy and decision-making in the context of complexity, uncertainty and varying levels of risk and holding accountability for the decisions that they are required to make.

Prospective students are envisaged to come from a range of regulated healthcare professions such as nursing, pharmacy, therapeutic or diagnostic radiography, physiotherapy, paramedics and occupational therapy, and who work in a variety of specialties, settings or sectors. They will have the opportunity to study in an interdisciplinary environment which will provide a more holistic approach to their clinical skills.

FEES: Fees apply - Further information through MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry)

II-Master of Science in Professional Health Practice huwa programm ta' studju multiprofessjonali li mhux intiż biss għal dawk li qed jeżerċitaw il-professjoni tagħhom u qed jaspiraw li jiżviluppaw il-ħiliet tagħhom biex jaħdmu flivell aktar avvanzat, iżda huwa maħsub ukoll għal dawk l-individwi li l-prattika tagħhom hija diġà waħda ta' livell avvanzat. Il-programm jarma lill-kandidati prospettivi bl-għarfien, il-ħiliet, l-imġiba professjonali (valuri u attitudnijiet) biex jagħmlu xogħol kliniku ta' livell avvanzat, jeżerċitaw l-awtonomija u jieħdu deċiżjonijiet f'kuntesti ta' komplessità, inċertezza u livelli varji ta' riskju, filwaqt li jżommu ruħhom responsabbli għad-deċiżjonijiet li jkollhom jieħdu.

L-istudenti prospettivi huma mistennija li jigu minn għadd ta' professjonijiet regolati fil-kura tas-saħħa, bħan-nursing, il-farmaċija, ir-radjografija terapewtika jew djanjostika, il-fiżjoterapija, il-paramediċi u l-occupational therapists, li jaħdmu fi speċjalitajiet, ambjenti u setturi differenti. Dawn ikollhom l-opportunità li jitgħallmu f'ambjent interdixxiplinarju, u hekk irawmu fihom perspettiva aktar ħolistika fir-rigward tal-ħiliet kliniċi tagħhom.

MIŻATI: Japplikaw ħlasijiet - Aktar informazzjoni permezz ta' MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry)

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
A relevant professional first degree (MQF Level 6) in the Health profession.	PT 6 Semesters	7
F	Mode	Credits
	Blended	90 ECTS

years or older

## Master of Science in Applied Environmental Science (General)

The Master of Science in Applied Environmental Science takes an interdisciplinary approach into the investigation of processes that control the earth and its environment. The programme will deliver all necessary knowledge and skills to seize opportunities presented by new developments in areas such as global cycles, biogeochemistry, sustainable technologies, waste and water treatment, environmental pollution assessment and remediation, and natural hazard. Students will be exposed to a wide variety of environmental issues, with topics related to the analysis, understanding and management of human-environmental systems by exploring the basics of system analysis and ecosystem theory. By understanding human-environmental interactions through land-use conflicts between agriculture, environmental protection, urban expansion, water management, tourism etc., students will be able to link advanced methods of system analysis and ecological modelling with modern methods of natural resource management. Issues associated with the relationship between material/energy resources, the environment and sustainable development will be a recurring theme in this programme.

#### FEES: Fees apply - Further information through MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry)

II-Master of Science fix-Xjenza Ambjentali Applikata juża metodu interdixxiplinarju flinvestigazzjoni tal-processi li jikkontrollaw id-dinja u l-ambjent tagħha. II-programm se jagħti l-għarfien u l-ħiliet kollha meħtieġa biex l-istudenti jaħtfu l-opportunitajiet ippreżentati minn żviluppi ġodda f'oqsma bħaċ-ċikli globali, il-bijoġeokimika, itteknoloġiji sostenibbli, it-trattament tal-iskart u tal-ilma, il-valutazzjoni u r-rimedju tattniġġis ambjentali, u l-periklu naturali. L-istudenti se jkunu esposti għal varjetà wiesgħa ta' kwistjonijiet ambjentali, b'suġġetti relatati mal-analiżi, u l-immaniġġjar tas-sistemi umani-ambjentali billi jesploraw il-bażi tal-analiżi tas-sistema u t-teorija tal-ekosistema. Billi jifhmu l-interazzjonijiet bejn il-bniedem u l-ambjent permezz ta' kunflitti bejn l-użu tal-art u l-agrikoltura u l-protezzjoni ambjentali, l-espansjoni urbana, l-immaniġġjar tal-ilma, it-turiżmu eċċ., l-istudenti jkunu jistgħu jgħaqqdu metodi avvanzati ta' analiżi tas-sistema u mudellar ekoloġiku ma' metodi moderni ta' ġestjoni tar-riżorsi naturali. Kwistjonijiet assoċjati mar-relazzjoni bejn ir-riżorsi materjali/enerġija, l-ambjent u l-iżvilupp sostenibbli se jkunu tema rikorrenti f'dan il-programm.

MİŻATI: Japplikaw ħlasijiet - Aktar informazzjoni permezz ta' MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry)

#### **MQF** Level **Entry Requirements Course Duration** · First degree (Level 6) in Engineering; FT 3 Semesters Environment; physics; geography; biology; PT 5 Semesters chemistry or any related field OR **Credits** · Relevant degree (Level 5) qualification and Mode adequate professional experience are also 90 ECTS considered Blended · Mature students: Mature students must be 27

# Master of Science in Environmental and Water Resource Management

Meeting the often-competing demands for freshwater in semi-arid coastal and island regions whilst ensuring the protection of natural freshwater resources for future generations requires a creative and integrated approach to water management. The MSc in Environmental and Water Resource Management at MCAST provides students with the opportunity to learn and explore a wide range of interdisciplinary subjects, all of which will provide essential knowledge and tools required in the development of the next generation of water professionals.

FEES: Fees apply - Further information through MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry)

Id-domanda għall-ilma ħelu freġjuni kostali u gżejjer semi-aridi u l-protezzjoni tar-riżorsi naturali tal-ilma ħelu għall-ġenerazzjonijiet futuri joħolqu l-ħtieġa ta' metodu kreattiv u integrat għall-immaniġġjar tal-ilma. Il-MSc in Environmental and Water Resource Management fl-MCAST jipprovdi lill-istudenti bl-opportunità li jitgħallmu u jesploraw firxa wiesgħa ta' suġġetti interdixxiplinari, li kollha se jipprovdu għarfien essenzjali u għodod meħtieġa fl-iżvilupp tal-ġenerazzjoni li jmiss ta' professjonisti tal-ilma.

MIŻATI: Japplikaw ħlasijiet - Aktar informazzjoni permezz ta' MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry)

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
· First degree (Level 6) in Engineering;	FT 3 Semesters	7
Environment; physics; geography; biology;	PT 5 Semesters	
chemistry or any related field OR		Credits
· Relevant degree (Level 5) qualification and	Mode	
adequate professional experience are also		90 ECTS
considered	Blended	
· Mature students: Mature students must be 27		

years or older

# Master of Science in Environmental Resource Management

Given that human activities significantly influence the natural environment, the MSc in Environmental Resource Management will provide students with an in-depth understanding of what the implications of such activities on the environment are and what mitigation measures are needed in order to reduce such influences. Like any long-term strategy, understanding and safeguarding the environment requires a holistic perspective; since safeguarding one aspect today might have ripple effects on other factors eventually. The programme is characterised by several modules that will allow students to develop technical solutions needed to solve, attenuate or control environmental issues. Specialised modules include Renewable Energy and Green Technologies, which aims to examine the technical, economic, and political aspects of renewable energy, as well as evaluate the successes and failures of implementing alternative energies at the local, national, and regional levels. The Food-Energy-Water Nexus unit will provide students with a thorough understanding of the complex and dynamic interrelationships between water, energy and food. Essentially, this will enable the use and management of such resources sustainably. Ecotoxicology aims to assess the effects of different classes of pollutants on individual organisms and on species in food webs, enabling students to predict the negative implications on entire populations, ecosystems and on human food resources.

#### FEES: Fees apply - Further information through MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry)

Minħabba li l-attivitajiet umani jinfluwenzaw l-ambjent naturali, il-MSc fl-Immaniġġjar tar-Riżorsi Ambjentali se jipprovdi lill-istudenti fehim fil-fond ta' x'inhuma l-implikazzjonijiet tal-attivitajiet fuq l-ambjent u liema miżuri ta' mitigazzjoni huma meħtieġa. Bħal kull strateģija fit-tul, il-ħarsien tal-ambjent jeħtieģ perspettiva ħolistika; peress li aspett wieħed illum jista' jkollu effetti fuq fatturi oʻhra eventwalment. Il-programm huwa kkaratterizzat minn diversi moduli li se jippermettu lill-istudenti jižviluppaw soluzzjonijiet teknići mehtiega biex isolvu, inaggsu jew jikkontrollaw kwistjonijiet ambientali. Moduli spećjalizzati jinkludu Energija Rinnovabbli u Teknologiji Hodor, li għandhom l-għan li jeżaminaw l-aspetti teknici, ekonomići u politići tal-energija rinnovabbli, kif ukoll jevalwaw is-suććessi u l-fallimenti tal-implimentazzjoni ta' enerģiji alternattivi fil-livelli lokali, nazzjonali u reģjonali. L-unità Food-Energy-Water Nexus se tipprovdi lill-istudenti gharfien shih tal-interrelazzionijiet kumplessi u dinamići bejn I-ilma, I-enerģija u I-ikel. Essenzjalment, dan se jippermetti l-użu u l-immaniġġjar ta' riżorsi b'mod sostenibbli. L-ekotossikoloġija għandha l-għan li tivvaluta l-effetti ta' klassijiet differenti ta' sustanzi li jniģģsu fuq organizmi individwali u fuq spečijiet u xbieki tal-ikel, li tippermetti lill-istudenti jbassru l-implikazzjonijiet negattivi fuq popolazzjonijiet sħaħ, ekosistemi u fuq ir-riżorsi tal-ikel tal-bniedem.

MIŻATI: Japplikaw ħlasijiet - Aktar informazzjoni permezz ta' MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry)

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
· First degree (Level 6) in Engineering:	FT 3 Semesters	7
Environment; physics; geography; biology; chemistry or any related field OR	PT 5 Semesters	Credits
· Relevant degree (Level 5) qualification and adequate professional experience are also considered	Mode	90 ECTS
Mature students: Mature students must be 27 years or older	Blended	

## Master of Science in Urban Environmental Science Management

Master in urban environmental science management offers an interdisciplinary approach into the investigation of processes that control the earth and its environment. The course introduces students to the necessary knowledge and skills to seize opportunities presented by new developments in areas such as global cycles, biogeochemistry, sustainable technologies, environmental pollution assessment and remediation, and natural hazard. This is achieved through a balance between policy, mathematical modelling, ecosystem management and research methods all related to the environmental field. The course focusses on resource management and allocation through three specialised units. Urban planning provides a holistic approach to the analysis and design of basic infrastructural requirements within regions. Resource management is aimed at understanding the potential of the resources available in order to make the best use of them through specialised scientific calculations. Solid waste management technologies aims to give an overview on various hazardous and non-hazardous waste management processes.

#### FEES: Fees apply - Further information through MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry)

Il-Masters fil-maniġment tax-xjenza ambjentali urbana joffri metodu interdixxiplinarju fl-investigazzjoni ta' proċessi li jikkontrollaw id-dinja u l-ambjent. Il-kors jintroduċi lill-istudenti għall-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex jaħtfu l-opportunitajiet ta' żviluppi ġodda f'oqsma bħal ċikli globali, il-bijoġeokimika, it-teknoloġiji sostenibbli, il-valutazzjoni u rimedju tat-tniġġis ambjentali, u periklu naturali. Dan jinkiseb permezz ta' bilanċ bejn politika, mudellar matematiku, ġestjoni tal-ekosistema u metodi ta' riċerka kollha relatati mal-qasam ambjentali. Il-kors jiffoka fuq it-tmexxija u l-allokazzjoni tar-riżorsi permezz ta' tliet unitajiet speċjalizzati. L-ippjanar urban jipprovdi mod sħiħ għall-analiżi u d-disinn tar-rekwiżiti infrastrutturali bażiċi fir-reġjuni. Il-maniġment tar-riżorsi huwa mmirat biex tifhem il-potenzjal tar-riżorsi sabiex isir l-aħjar użu minnhom permezz ta' kalkoli xjentifiċi speċjalizzati. It-teknoloġiji tal-immaniġġjar tal-iskart solidu għandhom l-għan li jagħtu ħarsa ġenerali lejn diversi proċessi tal-immaniġġjar tal-iskart perikoluż u mhux perikoluż.

MIŻATI: Japplikaw ħlasijiet - Aktar informazzjoni permezz ta' MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry)

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
· First degree (Level 6) in Engineering;	FT 3 Semesters	7
Environment; physics; geography; biology;	PT 5 Semesters	
chemistry or any related field OR		Credits
· Relevant degree (Level 5) qualification and	Mode	
adequate professional experience are also		90 ECTS
considered	Blended	
$\cdot$ Mature students: Mature students must be 27		

years or older

# Introductory Certificate in Animal Husbandry and Horticultural Skills

This basic programme of study equips learners with a range of skills, enabling them to begin to understand what various land-based animal and crop activities involve. The learner will have the opportunity to handle a variety of farm animals as well as work on crop fields and fruit trees. This course of study includes topics about soil management, establishing crops, animal management, livestock nutrition and farm maintenance. Learners will have the opportunity to feed various animals such as rabbits and poultry, incubate eggs and hatch chicks whilst gaining the required hands-on experience in the horticulture and animal husbandry sector.

Dan il-programm bażiku ta' studju jipprovdi lill-istudenti firxa ta' ħiliet li permezz tagħhom huma jibdew jifhmu x'jinvolvu diversi attivitajiet tal-annimali u l-għelejjel. L-istudent ikollu l-opportunità li jieħu ħsieb varjetà ta' annimali tal-irziezet, kif ukoll li jaħdem fl-għelieqi tal-għelejjel u fuq is-siġar tal-frott. Dan il-kors ta' studju jinkludi suġġetti dwar il-ġestjoni tal-ħamrija, l-istabbiliment ta' għelejjel, il-ġestjoni tal-annimali, in-nutrizzjoni tal-bhejjem u l-manutenzjoni tal-irziezet. L-istudenti jkollhom l-opportunità li jagħlfu diversi annimali bħal fniek u tjur, jużaw l-inkubatur tal-bajd u jfaqqsu l-flieles, filwaqt li jiksbu l-esperjenza prattika meħtieġa fl-ortikultura u fit-trobbija tal-annimali.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Finished Compulsory Education	1 Year Full-time	1
Initial Assessment Tests (as may be applicable)		Credits
		40 ECTS

## Foundation Certificate in Horticulture and Animal Care

This programme of study is designed to equip learners with a range of basic skills and competences enabling them to become competent in various land-based activities related to the agricultural sector. This programme of studies includes a significant amount of vocational practice that will provide a clear idea of the nature of the area that the learner may wish to follow in the future. Learners will have the opportunity to gain hands-on experience with farm animals, exotic animals and plants. Special focus will be given to soil, crop and animal management, livestock nutrition and farm maintenance.

Dan il-programm ta' studju huwa mfassal biex jipprovdi lill-istudenti firxa ta' ħiliet u kompetenzi bażići sabiex isiru kompetenti f'diversi attivitajiet li jinvolvu l-art u li huma relatati mas-settur agrikolu. Dan il-programm ta' studju jinkludi ammont sinifikanti ta' prattika vokazzjonali li tagħti idea ċara tan-natura tal-qasam li l-istudent jista' jkun jixtieq jinvolvi ruħu fih fil-futur. L-istudenti jkollhom l-opportunità li jiksbu esperjenza prattika ma' annimali tal-irziezet, annimali eżotići u pjanti. Tingħata attenzjoni speċjali lill-ġestjoni tal-ħamrija, tal-għelejjel u tal-annimali, in-nutrizzjoni tal-bhejjem u l-manutenzjoni tal-irziezet.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
MCAST Introductory Certificate	1 Year Full-time	2
or		
Finished Compulsory Education		Credits
Initial Assessment Tests (as may be applicable)		
		60 ECTS

## **ALP+ Extended Diploma in Animal Care**

This course is aimed at learners who have successfully completed their studies at the Alternative Learning Programme of the Ministry for Education and are interested in pursuing further vocational studies at MQF Level 3 related to working with and handling farm animals and pets. This course focuses on the knowledge and skills required for eventual employment at assistant technician level in the animal care sector. The combination of practical experience and theoretical knowledge gained by successfully completing the course will equip learners with the knowledge and skills with which they will be able to access the labour market, or alternatively, they will be eligible to continue their studies at MQF level 4 at MCAST, by selecting one of the various Advanced Diplomas offered by the College, in their preferred area of study.

This programme of study offers an introduction to working with and handling farm animals and pets, and provides the necessary related hands-on experience. It provides the practical skills and background knowledge required to form a solid foundation in animal care. The learner will have the opportunity to acquire knowledge on various habitat designs that can be used as accommodation for farm and pet animals, and study feeding procedures and how to identify and solve animal health problems. A learner who opts for this programme of study will be expected to attend scheduled husbandry duties which form part of this course. This practical experience, coupled with motivation and responsibility, will back up the theoretical knowledge gained during lectures.

Dan il-kors huwa mmirat lejn studenti li jkunu temmew b'suċċess l-istudji tagħhom fil-Programm ta' Tagħlim Alternattiv (I-ALP) tal-Ministeru għall-Edukazzjoni, u huma interessati li jkomplu bit-tagħlim vokazzjonali fil-Livell 3 tal-MQF, relatat mal-ħidma u t-trattament tal-annimali u l-annimali domestiċi. Dan il-kors jiffoka fuq l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex eventwalment iwasslu għal impjieg fil-livell ta' assistent tekniku fis-settur tal-annimal. L-esperjenza prattika u l-għarfien teoretiku li jakkwistaw l-istudenti li jispiċċaw il-kors, jgħin biex dawn ikollhom l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex jaħdmu, jew inkella, ikunu eliġibbli biex ikomplu l-istudji tagħhom fil-livell 4 tal-MQF fl-MCAST, billi jagħżlu wieħed mill-bosta korsijiet tad-Diploma Avvanzata fil-qasam li jippreferu..

Dan il-programm ta' studju joffri introduzzjoni għall-ħidma mal-annimali tal-irziezet u l-annimali domestiċi u t-trattament tagħhom, flimkien mal-esperjenza prattika relatata meħtieġa. Il-kors jipprovdi l-ħiliet prattiċi u l-għarfien bażiku biex tiġi ffurmata bażi soda fir-rigward tal-kura tal-annimali. L-istudent ikollu l-opportunità li jakkwista għarfien dwar diversi disinji ta' abitazzjoni li jistgħu jintużaw bħala akkomodazzjoni għall-annimali tal-irziezet u l-annimali domestiċi, u li jistudja dwar il-proċeduri tal-għalf u kif jidentifika u jsolvi problemi ta' saħħa tal-annimali. Student li jagħżel li jsegwi dan il-programm ta' studju se jkun mistenni jaqdi dmirijiet skedati tat-trobbija tal-annimali li jiffurmaw parti minn dan il-kors. Din l-esperjenza prattika, flimkien mal-motivazzjoni u r-responsabbiltà, se jsaħħu l-għarfien teoretiku li l-istudent ikun kiseb matul il-lezzjonijiet.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
SSC&P at MQF level 2 (Students are expected to	2 Year Full-time	2/3
have completed the one-year ALP programme		
and obtained at least an MQF Level 1 in Maltese,	Mode	Credits
English and Mathematics and an MQF Level 2 in		
TWO vocational subjects)	College-based with	36 ECTS at MQF Level
	work-based learning	2 and 60 ECTS at MQF
		Level 3



### **ALP+ Extended Diploma in Horticulture**

This course is aimed at learners who have successfully completed their studies at the Alternative Learning Programme of the Ministry for Education and are interested in pursuing further vocational studies at MQF Level 3 related to horticulture. This course focuses on the knowledge and skills required for eventual employment at assistant technician level in the horticulture sector. The combination of practical experience and theoretical knowledge gained by successfully completing the course will equip learners with the knowledge and skills with which they will be able to access the labour market, or alternatively, they will be eligible to continue their studies at MQF level 4 at MCAST, by selecting one of the various Advanced Diplomas offered by the College, in their preferred area of study.

This programme of study consists of four different modules: viticulture, floral design, gardening and nursery production, crop production and processing. Practical sessions and work experience form an integral part of the programme of study, providing the learners with the required skills and competences to improve employment opportunities. The course also provides a good foundation for future career prospects in the respective fields as well as for progression to a more advanced qualification.

Dan il-kors huwa mmirat lejn studenti li jkunu temmew b'suċċess l-istudji tagħhom fil-Programm ta' Tagħlim Alternattiv (I-ALP) tal-Ministeru għall-Edukazzjoni, u huma interessati li jkomplu bittagħlim vokazzjonali fil-Livell 3 tal-MQF, relatat mal-ortikultura. Dan il-kors jiffoka fuq l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex eventwalment iwasslu għal impjieg fil-livell ta' assistent tekniku fis-settur tal-ortikultura. L-esperjenza prattika u l-għarfien teoretiku li jakkwistaw l-istudenti li jispiċċaw il-kors, jgħin biex dawn ikollhom l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex jaħdmu, jew inkella, ikunu eliġibbli biex ikomplu l-istudji tagħhom fil-livell 4 tal-MQF fl-MCAST, billi jagħżlu wieħed mill-bosta programmi tad-Diploma Avvanzata fil-qasam li jippreferu.

Dan il-programm ta' studju jikkonsisti fʻerba' unitajiet differenti: il-vitikultura, id-disinn tal-fjuri, il-ġardinaġġ u t-tkabbir tal-pjanti, il-produzzjoni u l-ipprocessar tal-għelejjel. Sessjonijiet prattici u esperjenza ta' xogħol jiffurmaw parti integrali mill-programm ta' studju u jipprovdu lill-istudenti l-ħiliet u l-kompetenzi meħtieġa biex itejbu l-opportunitajiet tagħhom li jsibu impjieg. Il-kors jipprovdi wkoll bażi tajba għal prospetti ta' karriera fl-oqsma rispettivi fil-futur, jew biex l-istudent ikompli jistudja f'livell aktar avvanzat.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
SSC&P at MQF level 2 (Students are expected to	2 Year Full-time	2/3
have completed the one-year ALP programme		
and obtained at least an MQF Level 1 in Maltese,	Mode	Credits
English and Mathematics and an MQF Level 2 in		
TWO vocational subjects)	College-based with	36 ECTS at MQF Level
	work-based learning	2 and 60 ECTS at MQF
		Level 3

# ALP+

## **ALP+ Extended Diploma in Fish Husbandry**

This course is aimed at learners who have successfully completed their studies at the Alternative Learning Programme of the Ministry for Education and are interested in pursuing further vocational studies at MQF Level 3 related to fish farming and aquatics industries. This course focuses on the knowledge and skills required for eventual employment at assistant technician level in the fish husbandry sector. The combination of practical experience and theoretical knowledge gained by successfully completing the course, will equip learners with the knowledge and skills with which they will be able to access the labour market, or alternatively, they will be eligible to continue their studies at MQF level 4 at MCAST, by selecting one of the various Advanced Diplomas offered by the College, in their preferred area of study.

This programme of study introduces the learner to the basics of fish husbandry and provides the knowledge and skills required by the learner for eventual employment in related industries such as the fish farming and aquatics industries. Being the only course in Malta that is solely dedicated to fish husbandry, this programme offers an excellent opportunity for employment in this industry, which has now become an important economic sector in the Maltese Islands. The learner will develop the knowledge and practical skills needed, provided that one attends all the practical sessions which are vital to enhance the theoretical knowledge gained during lectures.

Dan il-kors huwa mmirat lejn studenti li jkunu temmew b'suċċess l-istudji tagħhom fil-Programm ta' Tagħlim Alternattiv (I-ALP) tal-Ministeru għall-Edukazzjoni, u huma interessati li jkomplu bit-tagħlim vokazzjonali fil-Livell 3 tal-MQF, relatat trobbija tal-ħut u tal-akkwatika. Dan il-kors jiffoka fuq l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex eventwalment iwasslu għal impjieg fil-livell ta' assistent tekniku fis-settur tat-trobbija tal-ħut. L-esperjenza prattika u l-għarfien teoretiku li jakkwistaw l-istudenti li jispiċċaw il-kors, jgħin biex dawn ikollhom l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex jaħdmu, jew inkella, ikunu eliġibbli biex ikomplu l-istudji tagħhom fil-livell 4 tal-MQF fl-MCAST, billi jagħżlu wieħed mill-bosta programmi tad-Diploma Avvanzata fil-qasam li jippreferu.

Dan il-programm ta' studju jintrodući lill-istudent għall-aspetti bażići tat-trobbija tal-ħut u jipprovdi l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex eventwalment isib impjieg f'industriji relatati, bħal dawk tat-trobbija tal-ħut u tal-akkwatika. Billi huwa l-uniku kors f'Malta ddedikat biss għat-trobbija tal-ħut, dan il-programm joffri opportunità eċċellenti għal impjieg f'din l-industrija, li issa saret settur ekonomiku importanti fil-Gżejjer Maltin. L-istudent jiżviluppa l-għarfien u l-ħiliet prattiċi meħtieġa, ladarba jattendi s-sessjonijiet prattiċi kollha li huma kruċjali biex jissaħħaħ l-għarfien teoretiku miksub waqt il-lezzjonijiet.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
SSC&P at MQF level 2 (Students are expected to	2 Year Full-time	2/3
have completed the one-year ALP programme		
and obtained at least an MQF Level 1 in Maltese,	Mode	Credits
English and Mathematics and an MQF Level 2 in		
TWO vocational subjects)	College-based with	36 ECTS at MQF Level
	work-based learning	2 and 60 ECTS at MQF
		Level 3

### **Diploma in Animal Care**

This programme of study offers an introduction to working with and handling farm animals and pets, and provides the necessary related hands-on experience. It provides the practical skills and background knowledge required to form a solid foundation in animal care. The learner will have the opportunity to acquire knowledge on various habitat designs that can be used as accommodation for farm and pet animals, and study feeding procedures and how to identify and solve animal health problems. A learner who opts for this programme of study will be expected to attend scheduled husbandry duties which form part of this course. This practical experience, coupled with motivation and responsibility, will back up the theoretical knowledge gained during lectures.

Dan il-programm ta' studju joffri introduzzjoni għall-ħidma mal-annimali tal-irziezet u l-annimali domestiċi u t-trattament tagħhom, flimkien mal-esperjenza prattika relatata meħtieġa. Il-kors jipprovdi l-ħiliet prattiċi u l-għarfien bażiku biex tiġi ffurmata bażi soda fir-rigward tal-kura tal-annimali. L-istudent ikollu l-opportunità li jakkwista għarfien dwar diversi disinji ta' abitazzjoni li jistgħu jintużaw bħala akkomodazzjoni għall-annimali tal-irziezet u l-annimali domestiċi, u li jistudja dwar il-proċeduri tal-għalf u kif jidentifika u jsolvi problemi ta' saħħa tal-annimali. Student li jagħżel li jsegwi dan il-programm ta' studju se jkun mistenni jaqdi dmirijiet skedati tat-trobbija tal-annimali li jiffurmaw parti minn dan il-kors. Din l-esperjenza prattika, flimkien mal-motivazzjoni u r-responsabbiltà, se jsaħħu l-għarfien teoretiku li l-istudent ikun kiseb matul il-lezzjonijiet.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
MCAST Foundation Certificate	1 Year Full-time	3
2 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Career Opportunities	May include the possibility of Work-	60 ECTS
Animal groomer assistant · Pet shop assistant ·	Based Learning	

## **Diploma in Horticulture**

This programme of study consists of four different modules: viticulture, floral design, gardening and nursery production, crop production and processing. Practical sessions and work experience form an integral part of the programme of study, providing the learners with the required skills and competences to improve employment opportunities. The course also provides a good foundation for future career prospects in the respective fields as well as for progression to a more advanced qualification. This programme also gives the learner the possibility to choose one's own combination of different modules leading to certification of an award for each individual stand-alone module that the learner has successfully completed.

Dan il-programm ta' studju jikkonsisti f'erba' unitajiet differenti: il-vitikultura, id-disinn tal-fjuri, il-ġardinaġġ u t-tkabbir tal-pjanti, il-produzzjoni u l-ipproċessar tal-għelejjel. Sessjonijiet prattiċi u esperjenza ta' xogħol jiffurmaw parti integrali mill-programm ta' studju u jipprovdu lill-istudenti l-ħiliet u l-kompetenzi meħtieġa biex itejbu l-opportunitajiet tagħhom li jsibu impjieg. Il-kors jipprovdi wkoll bażi tajba għal prospetti ta' karriera fl-oqsma rispettivi fil-futur, jew biex l-istudent ikompli jistudja f'livell aktar avvanzat. Dan il-programm jagħti lill-istudent il-possibiltà li jagħżel huwa stess il-kombinazzjoni ta' unitajiet differenti, li jwasslu biex l-istudent jikseb ċertifikat ta' għotja għal kull unità li jtemm b'suċċess.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Foundation Certificate	1 Year Full-time	3
2 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Career Opportunities	May include the	60 ECTS
Plant nursery assistant · Horticulture farm/ greenhouse aide · Florist assistant · Viticulture attendant	Based Learning	

## **Diploma in Fish Husbandry**

This programme of study introduces the learner to the basics of fish husbandry and provides the knowledge and skills required by the learner for eventual employment in related industries such as the fish farming and aquatics industries. Being the only course in Malta that is solely dedicated to fish husbandry, this programme offers an excellent opportunity for employment in this industry, which has now become an important economic sector in the Maltese Islands. The learner will develop the knowledge and practical skills needed, provided that one attends all the practical sessions which are vital to enhance the theoretical knowledge gained during lectures.

Dan il-programm ta' studju jintroduċi lill-istudent għall-aspetti bażiċi tat-trobbija tal-ħut u jipprovdi l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex eventwalment isib impjieg f'industriji relatati, bħal dawk tat-trobbija tal-ħut u tal-akkwatika. Billi huwa l-uniku kors f'Malta ddedikat biss għat-trobbija tal-ħut, dan il-programm joffri opportunità eċċellenti għal impjieg f'din l-industrija, li issa saret settur ekonomiku importanti fil-Gżejjer Maltin. L-istudent jiżviluppa l-għarfien u l-ħiliet prattiċi meħtieġa, basta jattendi s-sessjonijiet prattiċi kollha li huma vitali biex jissaħħaħ l-għarfien teoretiku miksub waqt il-lezzjonijiet.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Foundation Certificate	1 Year Full-time	3
or 2 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Career Opportunities	May include the possibility of Work-	60 ECTS
Fish farm assistant · Aquarium shop assistant	Based Learning	

## Advanced Diploma in Animal Management and Veterinary Nursing

This course of study provides learners with a broad knowledge of the animal management and animal care industry. It delves into various topics related to a wide range of companion and livestock animals. The programme of study offers a wide perspective on the latest practices in the animal management, husbandry and care sectors as well as their interconnectivity with entrepreneurship and the related business sector. Learners will be encouraged to relate theory to practice at all stages through assignments, projects, practical work and work placements. Scheduled practical livestock husbandry and veterinary nursing duties form an integral part of the curriculum.

Dan il-kors ta' studju jipprovdi lill-istudenti għarfien wiesa' fir-rigward tal-industrija tal-ġestjoni u l-kura tal-annimali. Jidħol fid-dettall dwar suġġetti relatati ma' firxa wiesgħa ta' annimali domestiċi u dawk li jitrabbew fl-irziezet. Il-programm ta' studju joffri perspettiva wiesgħa dwar il-prattiċi l-aktar riċenti fis-setturi tal-ġestjoni, it-trobbija u l-kura tal annimali, kif ukoll ir-rabta tagħhom mal-intraprenditorija u s-settur kummerċjali relatat. L-istudenti jiġu mħeġġa jorbtu t-teorija mal-prattika fl-istadji kollha tal-kors permezz ta' assignments, proġetti, ħidma prattika -u esperjenzi ta' xogħol. Id-dmirijiet skedati tat-trobbija prattika tal-bhejjem u tal-infermiera veterinarji huma parti integrali mill-kurrikulu.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma	2 Years Full-time	4
4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
	Includes Work Placement	120 ECTS
	Career Opportunities	s
	Listed Veterinary Nurse · Veterinary Auxiliary · Farm operator · Animal sanctuary warden	

### **Advanced Diploma in Horticulture**

This programme of study provides learners with an understanding of the horticultural industry including crop management of a wide range of crops, an introduction to garden design, floristry, pest and nutrient management, and studies in rural development and agricultural policies. The programme of study offers a wide perspective on the latest technologies used in the agricultural sector as well as its interconnectivity with entrepreneurship, business and the hospitality sector in relation to garden design and agri- and ecotourism. Learners will be encouraged to relate theory to practice at all stages of learning through assignments, projects and practical work. Scheduled practical crop husbandry duties form an integral part of the curriculum.

Dan il-programm ta' studju jipprovdi lill-istudenti fehim dwar l-industrija tal-ortikultura, inkluż il-ġestjoni ta' firxa wiesgħa ta' għelejjel, id-disinn tal-ġonna (introduzzjoni), il-produzzjoni u l-bejgħ tal-fjuri, il-ġestjoni tal-pesti u tan-nutrizzjoni, u studji tal-politika dwar l-iżvilupp rurali u l-agrikoltura. Il-programm ta' studju joffri perspettiva wiesgħa dwar it-teknoloġiji l-aktar riċenti użati fis-settur agrikolu, kif ukoll ir-rabta tiegħu mal-intraprenditorija u s-setturi kummerċjali tal-ospitalità fir-rigward tad-disinn tal-ġonna, l-agrituriżmu u l-ekoturiżmu. L-istudenti jiġu mħeġġa jorbtu t-teorija mal-prattika fl-istadji kollha tal-kors permezz ta' assignments, proġetti, u ħidma prattika. Dmirijiet skedati fil-kura prattika tal-għelejjel jiffurmaw parti integrali mill-kurrikulu.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma	2 Years Full-time	4
4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
	Includes Work Placement	120 ECTS
	Career Opportunities	s
	Horticulture assistant inspector · Garden design assistant · Vegetable/fruit grower · Rural development operator	

### **Advanced Diploma in Fish Management**

This programme of study offers learners a wide perspective of different aspects of fish management and will provide them with a broad knowledge and aptitude related to the fish husbandry sector and industry. Learners will acquire knowledge, skills and competences in both the farmed and ornamental fish husbandry industries. This programme of study also exposes learners to key concepts related to wild stock fisheries management. The programme will give an opportunity to learners to gain experience while learning new skills. They are constantly encouraged to relate theory to practice at all stages through assignments, projects, practical work and work placements. Scheduled fish husbandry duties form an integral part of the curriculum.

Dan il-programm ta' studju joffri lill-istudenti perspettiva wiesgħa ta' aspetti differenti tal-ġestjoni tal-ħut u jipprovdilhom għarfien u kapaċitajiet mifruxa relatati mas-settur u l-industrija tat-trobbija tal-ħut. L-istudenti jakkwistaw l-għarfien, il-ħiliet u l-kompetenzi meħtieġa fl-industriji tat-trobbija tal-ħut, kemm f'dik tal-fish farms kif ukoll f'dik ornamentali. Dan il-programm ta' studju jesponi wkoll lill-istudenti għal kunċetti ewlenin relatati mal-ġestjoni tas-sajd tal-ħut selvaġġ. Il-programm jagħti opportunità lill-istudenti biex jiksbu esperjenza filwaqt li jitgħallmu ħiliet ġodda. Huma jiġu kontinwament imħeġġa li jorbtu t-teorija mal-prattika fl-istadji kollha tal-kors, permezz ta' assignments, proġetti, ħidma prattika u esperjenzi ta' xogħol. Dmirijiet skedati tat-trobbija prattika tal-ħut jiffurmaw parti integrali mill-kurrikulu.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma	2 Years Full-time	4
4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
	Includes Work Placement	120 ECTS
	Career Opportunities	5
	Fish farm attendant · Aquaculture/Aquatic technician · Hatchery assistant · Aquarium maintenance technician	

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# Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Animal Management and Veterinary Nursing

This Bachelor's degree aims at providing learners with the opportunity to specialise in the veterinary nursing profession whilst also learning subjects related to other aspects of livestsock management and animal care. The students will have the opportunity to study various aspects of veterinary nursing of various animals whilst practising clinical skills throughout the duration of the course. The course will also tackle subjects related to wildlife sciences and the business components of animal enterprises. Furthermore, learners will undertake a research project whereby they will be expected to select a topic for investigation following an established methodology.

Dan il-kors, li jwassal għal baċellerat, għandu l-għan li jipprovdi lill-istudenti l-opportunità li jispeċjalizzaw fil-professjoni ta' infirmier/a veterinarju filwaqt li jinkludi fih suġġetti relatati mal-ġestjoni tat-trobbija u l-kura tal-annimali. L-istudenti jkollhom l-opporunita` li jistudjaw aspetti varji sabiex ikunu kapaċi jassistu fil- kura lil annimali differenti filwaqt li jipprattikaw dawn il-ħiliet kliniċi matul il-kors kollu. Dan il-kors jittratta wkoll suġġetti differenti li għandhom x'jaqsmu max- xjenzi relatati mal-fawna salvaġġa u aspetti kummerċjali ta' intrapriżi relatati mal-annimali. L-istudenti jwettqu wkoll proġett ta' riċerka li għalih ikunu mistennija jagħżlu suġġett biex jinvestigawh billi jsegwu metodoloġija stabbilita.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Animal	3 Years Full-time	6
Management and Veterinary Nursing		
or	Mode	Credits
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Fish Management		
or	Internship	180 ECTS
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Horticulture		
or	<b>Career Opportunities</b>	
2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes		
	Registered veterinary nurse · Veterinary technician, farm manager · Nutritional adviser	

## Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Horticulture

This programme gives learners skills in the latest horticultural practices with the use of modern technology. Learners will have the opportunity to study and practise different aspects related to their main area of study, with the aim of seeking employment at management level in private enterprise, in research and development and/or in regulatory services both locally and internationally. This programme offers the required knowledge and competences related to crop production, pest management, landscaping, viticulture and many others. Furthermore, learners will undertake a research project whereby they will be expected to select a topic for investigation following an established methodology.

Dan il-programm jagħti lill-istudenti ħiliet fil-prattiċi ortikulturali l-aktar riċenti bl-użu ta' teknoloġija moderna. L-istudenti jkollhom l-opportunità li jistudjaw u jipprattikaw aspetti differenti relatati mal-qasam prinċipali tal-istudju tagħhom, bil-għan li jsibu impjieg fil-livell maniġerjali fl-intrapriża privata, fir-riċerka u l-iżvilupp u/jew fis-servizzi regolatorji, kemm lokalment kif ukoll barra mill-pajjiż. Dan il-programm joffri l-għarfien u l-kompetenzi meħtieġa relatati mal-produzzjoni tal-għelejjel, ġestjoni ta' pesti, disinn ta' ġonna/pajsaġġ, vitikultura u ħafna oħrajn. Matul dan il-kors l-istudenti jkunu meħtieġa li jaħdmu fuq proġett ta' riċerka fejn jagħżlu suġġett sabiex jinvestigawh, u jagħmlu riċerka skont metodoloġija stabbilità.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Fish Management	3 Years Full-time	6
or MCAST Advanced Diploma in Animal	Mode	Credits
Management and Veterinary Nursing or	Internship	180 ECTS
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Horticulture or	Career Opportunities	
2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes		

Farm advisory services provider · Farm inspector · Farm manager · Professional landscaper · Garden designer · EU/National regulatory control manager

# **Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Fisheries and Aquaculture**

This programme of study provides learners with a very thorough understanding of aquaculture and fisheries sciences and includes a wide range of aspects that will provide a better understanding of these sectors. The study units revolve around the aquaculture and fisheries sciences to provide an in-depth understanding of the production and management of aquaculture facilities, and the highly complex field of fisheries. This programme of study is intended for those who want to delve deeper into the fish management sciences and who want to start a career in this sector.

Dan il-programm ta' studju jipprovdi lill-istudenti għarfien dettaljat tax-xjenzi tal akkwakultura u s-sajd u jinkludi firxa wiesgħa ta' aspetti li jgħinuhom jifhmu aħjar dawn is-setturi. L-unitajiet ta' studju jduru madwar ix-xjenzi tal-akkwakultura u s-sajd u jirrigwardaw il-produzzjoni u l-ģestjoni ta' facilitajiet tal-akkwakultura li jipprovdu informazzjoni dettaljata dwar l-produzzjoni u l-ģestjoni tal-facilitajiet tal-akkwakultura, u il-gasam kumpless tas-sajd. Dan il-programm ta' studju huwa maħsub għal dawk li jixtiequ jidhlu aktar fil-fond fix-xjenzi tal-ģestjoni tas-sajd u li ghaldagstant jixtiegu jibdew karriera f'dan is-settur.

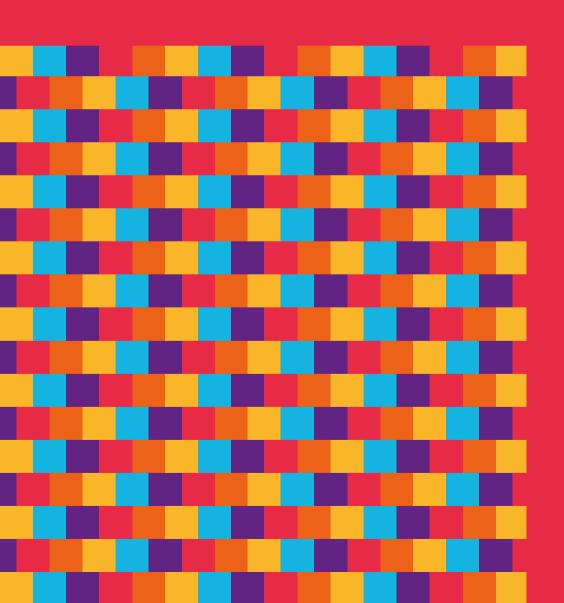
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Animal
Management and Veterinary Nursing
or
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Fish Management
or
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Horticulture
or
2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes

**Entry Requirements** 

Course Duration	MQF Level
3 Years Full-time	6
Mode	Credits
Internship	180 ECTS
Career Opportunities	

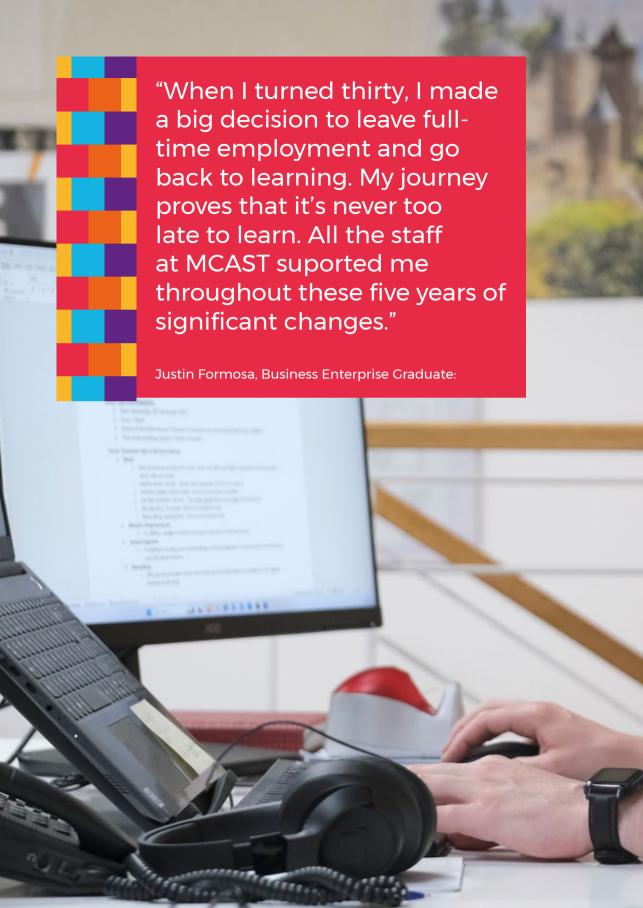
Fisheries inspector · Fish farm manager · Aquarist · Fish enterprise manager · EU/National regulatory control manager

# BUSINESS MANAGEMENT AND COMMERCE



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### **Introductory Certificate in Business**

This programme is aimed at learners who would like to explore the world of studying business-related subjects. During the programme, learners will be exposed to the basics of business concepts including organisational structures and different business areas. The course will also provide learners with skills related to subjects such as English, Mathematics and Maltese as well as other key skill units which will help them in their progression towards further studies.

Dan il-programm huwa mmirat għal studenti li jixtiequ jesploraw id-dinja tal-istudju ta' suġġetti relatati man-negozju. Matul il-programm, l-istudenti se jiltaqgħu mal-kunċetti bażiċi tan-negozju, inklużi strutturi organizzattivi u oqsma differenti tan-negozju. Il-kors se jipprovdi wkoll lill-istudenti l-ħiliet relatati ma' suġġetti bħall-Ingliż, il-Matematika u l-Malti, kif ukoll unitajiet ta' ħiliet ewlenin oħra li jgħinuhom jimxu 'l quddiem biex ikunu jistgħu jkomplu jistudjaw.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Finished Compulsory Education Initial Assessment Tests and/or Interview (as may	1 Year Full-time	1
be applicable)		Credits
		40 ECTS

### **Foundation Certificate in Business**

This programme provides learners with an introduction to business-related topics such as Basic Bookkeeping and Financial Literacy, Human Resources, Sales and Business Concepts. These different topics are introduced at a basic level through a variety of teaching methods as well as assessment techniques with the aim of catering for different learning styles.

Dan il-programm jintrodući lill-istudenti għal suġġetti relatati man-negozju, bħall-Bookkeeping bażiku u l-Litteriżmu Finanzjarju (l-abbiltà li wieħed jifhem u juża ċerti ħiliet marbuta mal-finanzi), ir-Riżorsi Umani, il-Bejgħ u Kunċetti tan-Negozju. Dawn is-suġġetti differenti huma introdotti f'livell bażiku permezz ta' varjetà ta' metodi ta' tagħlim u modi ta' valutazzjoni differenti bil-għan li dawn jolqtu stili differenti ta' kif wieħed jitgħallem.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
MCAST Introductory Certificate	1 Year Full-time	2
or Finished Compulsory Education		Credits
Initial Assessment Tests (as may be applicable)		60 FCTS



## **ALP+ Extended Diploma in Business**

This course is aimed at learners who have successfully completed their studies at the Alternative Learning Programme of the Ministry for Education and are interested in pursuing further vocational studies at MQF Level 3 related to different areas of business. This course focuses on the knowledge and skills required for eventual employment at assistant technician level in the business sector. The combination of practical experience and theoretical knowledge gained by successfully completing the course, will equip learners with the knowledge and skills with which they will be able to access the labour market, or alternatively, they will be eligible to continue their studies at MQF level 4 at MCAST, by selecting one of the various Advanced Diplomas offered by the College, in their preferred area of study.

This programme is aimed at preparing learners to further their studies in different areas of business. The course aims to allow learners to improve in the areas of written and spoken English and Maltese as well as in their Mathematical and IT skills. The course however also goes into more detail, while starting from the very basics of different business areas and functions such as Accounts, Human Resources, Marketing, Purchasing, and others. This generic background allows the students to bring their academic level up to scratch, while acquiring enough knowledge about the different business areas to be able to progress onto further studies.

Dan il-kors huwa mmirat lejn studenti li jkunu temmew b'suċċess l-istudji tagħhom fil-Programm ta' Tagħlim Alternattiv (I-ALP) tal-Ministeru għall-Edukazzjoni, u huma interessati li jkomplu bit-tagħlim vokazzjonali fil-Livell 3 tal-MQF, relatat ma' diversi oqsma tan-negozju. Dan il-kors jiffoka fuq l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex eventwalment iwasslu għal impjieg fil-livell ta' assistent tekniku fissettur tan-negozju. L-esperjenza prattika u l-għarfien teoretiku li jakkwistaw l-istudenti li jispiċċaw il-kors, jgħin biex dawn ikollhom l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex jaħdmu, jew inkella, ikunu eliġibbli biex ikomplu l-istudji tagħhom fil-livell 4 tal-MQF fl-MCAST, billi jagħżlu wieħed mill-bosta korsijiet tad-Diploma Avvanzata fil-qasam li jippreferu.

Dan il-programm huwa mmirat lejn it-thejjija ta' studenti biex ikomplu l-istudji tagħhom fʻoqsma differenti tan-negozju. Il-kors għandu l-għan li jgħin lill-istudenti jtejbu l-ħiliet tagħhom fl-oqsma tal-kitba u t-taħdit bl-Ingliż u bil-Malti, kif ukoll il-ħiliet tagħhom fil-Matematika u l-IT. Madankollu, il-kors jidħol ukoll f'ħafna aktar dettall, filwaqt li jibda mill-kunċetti verament bażiċi ta' oqsma u funzjonijiet differenti tan-negozju bħall-Accounts, ir-Riżorsi Umani, il-Marketing, ix-Xiri u oħrajn. Dan l-isfond ġeneriku jippermetti lill-istudenti jtejbu l-livell akkademiku tagħhom sa standard aċċettabbli, filwaqt li jiksbu biżżejjed għarfien dwar l-oqsma differenti tan-negozju sabiex ikunu jistgħu jkomplu jistudjaw f'livell aktar avvanzat.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
SSC&P at MQF level 2 (Students are expected to	2 Year Full-time	2/3
have completed the one-year ALP programme and obtained at least an MQF Level 1 in Maltese,	Mode	Credits
English and Mathematics and an MQF Level 2 in		
TWO vocational subjects)	College-based with	36 ECTS at MQF Level
	work-based learning	2 and 60 ECTS at MQF
		Level 3



### **Diploma in Business**

This programme is aimed at preparing learners to further their studies in different areas of business. It is a preparatory course for those wishing to further their studies at MCAST on to MQF Level 4. The course aims to allow learners to improve in the areas of written and spoken English and Maltese as well as in their Mathematical and IT skills. The course however also goes into more detail, while starting from the very basics of different business areas and functions such as Accounts, Human Resources, Marketing, Purchasing, and others. This generic background allows the students to bring their academic level up to scratch, while acquiring enough knowledge about the different business areas to be able to progress onto further studies.

Dan il-programm huwa mmirat lejn it-thejjija ta' studenti biex ikomplu l-istudji taghhom fʻoqsma differenti tan-negozju. Huwa kors preparatorju biex wiehed ikompli l-istudji tieghu fl-MCAST sal-Livell 4 tal-MQF. Il-kors ghandu l-ghan li jghin lill-istudenti jtejbu l-hiliet taghhom fl-oqsma tal-kitba u t-tahdit bl-Ingliż u bil-Malti, kif ukoll il-hiliet taghhom fil-Matematika u l-IT. Madankollu, il-kors jidhol ukoll fʻhafna aktar dettall, filwaqt li jibda mill-kuncetti verament bażici ta' oqsma u funzjonijiet differenti tan-negozju bhall-Accounts, ir-Riżorsi Umani, il-Marketing, ix-Xiri u ohrajn. Dan l-isfond generiku jippermetti lill-istudenti jtejbu l-livell akkademiku taghhom sa standard accettabbli, filwaqt li jiksbu biżżejjed gharfien dwar l-oqsma differenti tan-negozju sabiex ikunu jistghu jkomplu iistudjaw f'livell aktar avvanzat.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
MCAST Foundation Certificate	1 Year Full-time	3
or 2 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes Applicants with a good working knowledge of	Mode	Credits
the English Language will better benefit from a positive learning experience throughout the course.	May include the possibility of Work- Based Learning	60 ECTS
Career Opportunities		
Clerical assistant · Shop cashier		

# Advanced Diploma in Business and Administration

This programme will allow learners to study the different areas of business and office administration. It is aimed either at students who aspire to one day open up their own business or follow in their family business, or else to work in the administration of a company at a junior level. This generic course offers a good basis into the main areas of business administration including office administration, accounts, IT application skills, logistics and operations management, project management, marketing, recruitment, and business law among others. The course, which is assessed through a variety of scenario related assessments, also sees learners go out on Apprenticeship where a holistic handson and practical approach is adopted.

Dan il-programm jippermetti lill-istudenti jistudjaw l-oqsma differenti dwar in-negozju u l-amministrazzjoni tal-uffiċċju. Il-kors huwa mmirat lejn studenti li jaspiraw li xi darba jiftħu n-negozju tagħhom jew ikomplu jmexxu n-negozju tal-familja tagħhom, jew inkella biex jaħdmu fl-amministrazzjoni ta' kumpanija mhux f'livell għoli. Dan il-kors ġeneriku joffri bażi tajba fl-oqsma ewlenin tal-amministrazzjoni tan-negozju inklużi l-amministrazzjoni tal-uffiċċju, l-accounts, IT, il-marketing, ir-reklutaġġ, il-loġistika u l-gestjoni tal-operat, l-immaniġġjar tal-proġetti u l-liġi tal-kummerċ fost oħrajn. Il-kors, li huwa vvalutat permezz ta' varjetà ta' valutazzjonijiet relatati max xenarju, jipprovdi wkoll Apprendistat għall-istudenti biex hekk jiksbu esperjenza prattika.

#### **Entry Requirements**

Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma or

4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes Applicants with a good working knowledge of the English Language will better benefit from a positive learning experience throughout the course.

Course Duration MQF Le
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2 Years Full-time 4

Mode Credits

Apprenticeship 120 ECTS

#### **Career Opportunities**

Clerk · Administrative assistant · Human resource assistant · Marketing Assistant · Front office coordinator · Purchasing officer · Field research officer · Supply chain / logistics officer

# Advanced Diploma in Finance and Insurance

This course is aimed at people who would like to venture in one of the many careers related to financial services. The first year of studies introduces learners to generic areas of financial services including the world of insurance. In the second year of studies, learners will then choose an area of specialisation. Specialisation can be either in financial services or else in insurance. This approach ensures that any learner following this course is exposed to different areas of the financial services world, thus giving them better flexibility in career prospects. Learners choosing the main area of expertise will be very strong in the specific area chosen, while having a good understanding of the other area.

Dan il-kors huwa mmirat għal studenti prospettivi li qegħdin jaspiraw għal karriera fid-dinja tas-Servizzi Finanzjarji. L-ewwel sena tal-kors hija maħsuba biex tintroduċi lill-istudenti għas-setturi differenti tal-industrija tasservizzi finanzjarji, inkluż l-assigurazzjoni. Fit-tieni sena tal-kors, l-istudenti jagħżlu li jispeċjalizzaw jew fil-qasam tas-servizzi finanzjarji u bankarji jew inkella fl-istudji tal-assigurazzjoni. B'dan il-mod, fl-ewwel sena l-istudenti jieħdu bażi soda tal-aspetti u l-oqsma kollha tas-servizzi finanzjarji u għaldaqstant ikollhom aktar flessibbiltà mil-lat ta' impjiegi. Permezz tal-għażla ta' speċjalizzazzjoni fit-tieni sena, l-istudenti jieħdu għarfien aktar fil-fond fis-settur tal-għażla tagħhom filwaqt li jkollhom għarfien adegwat fis-setturi l-oħra.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level	
Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma	2 Years Full-time	4	_
or 4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits	
Compulsory: English Language and Mathematics	Apprenticeship	120 ECTS	_
Career Opportunities			

Within the insurance industry:

Account handler · Claims handler · Insurance claims surveyor · Insurance clerk

Within the financial services industry:

Bank cashier · Clerical and other Officer roles
within banks and other financial services
institutions

assistant · Credit management officer

### **Advanced Diploma in Accounting**

This programme aims to give learners a very good grounding in the studying of Accounts. Study areas range from aspects of financial management accounting to the use of accounting software and more generic areas of key skills. The course includes hands-on experience through Apprenticeship where students will learn by doing and gain experience first-hand on the application of the theory. Students who finish the course will have sufficient accounting knowledge and skills to commence employment in an accountancy field, or to enable them to further their studies to obtain qualifications from recognised chartered accountancy bodies.

Dan il-programm għandu l-għan li jipprovdi lill-istudenti bażi tajba ħafna fl-istudju tal-Accounts. L-oqsma tal-istudju jvarjaw minn aspetti ta' financial management accounting għall-użu ta' software li huwa speċifiku għall-accounting u oqsma ta' ħiliet ewlenin aktar ġeneriċi. Il-kors jinkludi esperjenza prattika bis-saħħa ta' Apprendistat li matulu l-istudenti jitgħallmu billi jagħmlu b'idejhom u jakkwistaw esperjenza prattika fl-applikazzjoni tatteorija. Studenti li jtemmu l-kors ikollhom biżżejjed għarfien u ħiliet biex jaqbdu jaħdmu fil-qasam tal-accountancy, jew biex ikomplu jistudjaw biex jiksbu kwalifiki minn korpi rikonoxxuti ta' chartered accountancy.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma	2 Years Full-time	4
or		
4 SEC O' Level Passes	Mode	Credits
Compulsory English Language and Mathematics		_
	Apprenticeship	120 ECTS
Career Opportunities		
Accounts clerk · Accounts administrator · Audit		

### **Advanced Diploma in Marketing**

This programme is aimed at giving learners the knowledge and knowhow of the main areas related marketing. Learner will address areas of Digital Marketing, Sales, Advertising, Public Relations and Customer Care, amongst others in some detail. The insight in these different areas provides the student with the ability to work in different areas of marketing. The learner will also have the opportunity to apply the theory learned in class in practice through the Apprenticeship placement.

Dan il-programm għandu l-għan li jipprovdi lill-istudenti l-għarfien u l-kompetenza firrigward tal-aspetti ewlenin relatati mal-marketing. L-istudenti se jidħlu f'ċertu dettall floqsma tal-Marketing Diġitali, il-Bejgħ, ir-Reklamar, ir-Relazzjonijiet Pubbliċi u l-Assistenza tal-Klijenti, fost oħrajn. L-għarfien f'dawn l-oqsma differenti jwassal biex l-istudent ikun kapaċi jaħdem f'oqsma differenti tal-marketing. L-istudent ikollu wkoll l-opportunità li, waqt l-Apprendistat, japplika t-teorija li jkun tgħallem fil-klassi.

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Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma or 4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes

Compulsory: English Language

#### **Other Entry Requirements**

Applicants with basic IT skills and knowledge of basic office applications will better benefit from a positive learning experience throughout the course.

#### Course Duration

2 Years Full-time

Mode

Apprenticeship

#### **MQF** Level

4

Credits

120 ECTS

#### **Career Opportunities**

Brand/sales executive · Customer care coordinator · Digital marketing assistant/ executive · Media officer · Social media coordinator · Public relations officer · Sales representative · Selling and sales coordinator

· Project Manager Assistant

# **Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Business Enterprise**

This degree provides specialist content which is constantly applied to real life business and management scenarios. Learners will be prepared to become proficient in a number of areas as the course allows the students to develop appropriate analytical, critical and research skills in a range of business related areas ranging from Human Resources to Operations Management, and from Purchasing to Project Management and Marketing Management. These are only some of the areas that students will cover during their studies. This 360 degree approach gives the learners maximum flexibility in the workplace as graduates will be able to deal with a wide range of responsibilities.

Dan il-bacellerat jipprovdi lill-istudenti kontenut specjalizzat li huwa applikat b'mod kostanti f'xenarji tan-negozju u tal-manigment fil-ħajja reali. L-istudenti jithejjew biex isiru proficjenti f'għadd ta' oqsma, billi l-kors jippermetti lill-istudenti jizviluppaw ħiliet analitici, kritici u ta' ricerka f'firxa ta' oqsma relatati man-negozju, li jvarjaw mir-Rizorsi Umani sal-ġestjoni tal-Operati, u mix-Xiri sal-Immaniġġjar ta' Proġetti u l-Immaniġġjar tal-Marketing. Dawn huma biss xi wħud mill-oqsma li l-istudenti se jkopru waqt l-istudji tagħhom. Dan l-approcċ komprensiv jagħti lill-istudenti flessibbiltà massima fuq il-post tax-xogħol, billi l-gradwati jkunu jistgħu jidħlu għal firxa wiesgħa ta' responsabbiltajiet.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Marketing	3 Years Full-time	6
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Administrative and Secretarial Studies	Mode	Credits
or	Includes Internship	180 ECTS
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Finance and Insurance or MCAST Advanced Diploma in Financial Services	Career Opportunities	
or	Business development	3
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Insurance or	resources manager · Op Project manager · Rese	earch manager · Business
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Business Administration	analyst	
or		
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Aviation Operations or		
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Transportation and Logistics Management		
or 2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes		

Compulsory A-Level: Accounts or Marketing or

**Economics** 

### Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Procurement and Finance

This three-year bachelor degree intends to provide learners with a strong basis of procurement processes and supporting aspects. By applying theory to both public procurement procedures as well as those adopted within the private sector, this degree will expose learners to the various aspects of procurement management. This is coupled with a detailed understanding of the finance function, which in itself provides the students with the capability to carry out work more effectively. Management studies are also incorporated in the programme of studies, in a way as to provide the students with a launch pad into the heart of effective operations coordination in this dynamic area.

Dan il-kors ta' tliet snin li jwassal għal baċellerat huwa maħsub biex jipprovdi lill-istudenti bażi b'saħħitha dwar il-proċessi ta' akkwist u aspetti relatati. Filwaqt li tiġi applikata t-teorija kemm għall-proċeduri ta' akkwist pubbliku, kif ukoll għal dawk adottati fis-settur privat, din id-degree tesponi lill-istudenti għad-diversi aspetti tal-immaniġġjar tal-akkwist. Dan isir flimkien ma' fehim dettaljat tal-funzjoni tal-finanzi, li fiha nnifisha twassal lill-istudenti sabiex ikunu kapaċi jwettqu x-xogħol b'mod aktar effettiv. L-istudji tal-maniġment huma inkorporati wkoll fil-programm ta' studji, b'tali mod li jipprovdu lill-istudenti b'mezz biex jidħlu direttament fil-qalba tal-koordinazzjoni effettiva tal-operat f'dan il-qasam dinamiku.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Business Administration	3 Years Full-time	6
or	Mode	Credits
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Accounting		
or	Includes Internship	180 ECTS
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Finance and		
Insurance	<b>Career Opportunities</b>	
or		
2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes Compulsory A-Level: Accounts or Marketing or	J	r · Supply chain manager urchasing and inventory

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coordinator

MCAST Advanced Diploma in Aviation

2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes

and Logistics Management

MCAST Advanced Diploma in Transportation

Compulsory A-Level: Accounts or Marketing or

Operations

**Economics** 

# **Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Financial Services**

Targeting one of Malta's strongest economic sectors, this degree in Financial Services offers learners the opportunity to get a detailed insight into the various aspects of financial services, an industry which offers a range of career opportunities ranging from Risk Management to Fund Administration and Wealth Management. Apart from the more technical aspects related to financial services, learners will also gain the required analytical, critical and research skills that are required to work in such a high profile and demanding industry. Learners graduating from this degree find themselves in a very strong position in terms of employment as they are well geared to work in different sectors within this industry.

Filwaqt li għandha fil-mira tagħha wieħed mis-setturi ekonomiċi l-aktar b'saħħithom f'Malta, din id-degree fis-Servizzi Finanzjarji toffri lill-istudenti l-opportunità li jiksbu għarfien dettaljat tad-diversi aspetti tas-servizzi finanzjarji, industrija li toffri firxa ta' opportunitajiet ta' karriera li jvarjaw mill-Ġestjoni tar-Riskju sal-Amministrazzjoni tal-Fondi u l-Immaniġġjar tal-Ġid. Minbarra l-aspetti aktar tekniċi relatati mas-servizzi finanzjarji, l-istudenti jiksbu wkoll il-ħiliet analitiċi, kritiċi u ta' riċerka meħtieġa biex jaħdmu f'industrija ta' profil għoli u eżiġenti bħal din. L-istudenti li jiggradwaw minn dan il-kors isibu ruħhom f'pożizzjoni b'saħħitha ħafna fir-rigward ta' impjieg, billi jkunu kisbu l-ħiliet biex jaħdmu f'setturi differenti f'din l-industrija.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Finance and	3 Years Full-time	6
or MCAST Advanced Diploma in Financial Services	Mode	Credits
or MCAST Advanced Diploma in Marketing or	Includes Internship	180 ECTS
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Administrative and Secretarial Studies	<b>Career Opportunities</b>	
or MCAST Advanced Diploma in Insurance or MCAST Advanced Diploma in Business Administration	Banking adviser · Compl Financial adviser · Financ Analyst · Risk manageme	cial Analyst • Credit
or	<ul> <li>Fund Accountant</li> </ul>	

### **ACCA Qualification**

The ACCA Qualification is a world leading accountancy qualification which prepares students to become internationally recognised Chartered Certified Accountants. It is a rewarding and intense course with 13 examinations, three years professional experience and an ethics module. The ACCA Qualification encompasses valuable skills and knowledge which are highly sought after by employers in industry and in the financial sector. The ACCA Qualification is equivalent to degree standard (MQF Level 6) after completing the first nine papers (the Fundamentals level). After passing from the remaining four papers (the Professionals level), it is equivalent to a master's degree (MQF Level 7). Learners incur fees payable to ACCA for membership and examinations, and to MIA (Malta Institute of Accountants) for membership.

L-ACCA hija kwalifika fl-accountancy li hija meqjusa bħala kwalifika ewlenija mad-dinja kollha, u li tipprepara lill-istudenti biex isiru Chartered Certified Accountants rikonoxxuti internazzjonalment. Dan huwa kors intens imma li jagħti ħafna sodisfazzjon, u li jikkonsisti fi 13-il eżami, tliet snin esperjenza professjonali u modulu dedikat għall-etika. Il-kwalifika tal-ACCA tiġbor fiha ħiliet ta' siwi kbir u għarfien li huma mfittxija ferm minn min iħaddem fl-industrija u fis-settur finanzjarju. Kandidat li jgħaddi mill-ewwel disa' eżamijiet (il-livell Fundamentali) ikun kiseb kwalifika li hija ekwivalenti għal baċellerat (Livell 6 tal-QMK). Meta jgħaddi mill-erba' eżamijiet li jifdal (il-Livell Professjonali), huwa jitqies li jkollu kwalifika ekwivalenti għal master (Livell 7 tal-QMK). L-istudenti jkunu meħtieġa jħallsu l-miżati għas-sħubija u l-eżamijiet lill-ACCA, u l-miżata tas-sħubija lill-MIA (l-Istitut Malti tal-Accountants).

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MCAST Advanced Diploma in Accounting or

MCAST Advanced Diploma in Administrative and Secretarial Studies

or

MCAST Advanced Diploma in Business Administration

or

MCAST Advanced Diploma in Finance and Insurance

or

MCAST Advanced Diploma in Financial Services or

2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes Compulsory A-Levels or I-Level or O-Level: Mathematics and English Language Preferred A-Level or SEC/O-Level: Economics, Accounts

#### **Course Duration**

4 Years Full-time

#### Mode

May include the possibility of Work-

Based Learning

#### **Career Opportunities**

Accountant · Financial controller · Financial analyst · Business analyst · Corporate finance specialist · Project finance accountant

**MOF Level** 

6/7

**Credits** 

**202 ECTS** 

#### **Other Entry Requirements**

Admission to the course is conditional to the student's acceptance by the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants (ACCA) as an ACCA student.

In Malta, the ACCA qualification is run as a joint scheme between ACCA and the Malta Institute of Accountants. More information on the ACCA qualification and relevant topics such as examination progression rules, study materials, PER, minimum entry, exemptions, study guides, past examination papers and the ethics module can be obtained from:

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ACCA website: www.accaglobal.com/gb/en/student.html

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MIA website: www.miamalta.org





# Master of Business Administration for the Small Business (MBA)

The Master in Business Administration (MBA) is a part-time degree that provides theoretical knowledge in business management. It provides the fundamentals that one needs in order to understand the business organisation and helps the individual identify ways of innovation possibilities and growth potentials within a strategic business unit (SBU). The final aim is to develop own managerial skills within an organisation, be it Public or Private. This degree emphasizes on project planning, organisational behaviours, strategic management, and analytic skills needed within an organisation amongst others. This programme comprises 10 modules and a final Masters Dissertation, and has three sequential exit points relating to 30, 60 and 90 ECTS accumulated totals entitling the student to a Post-Graduate Certificate, Post-Graduate Diploma and finally a Master in Business Administration.

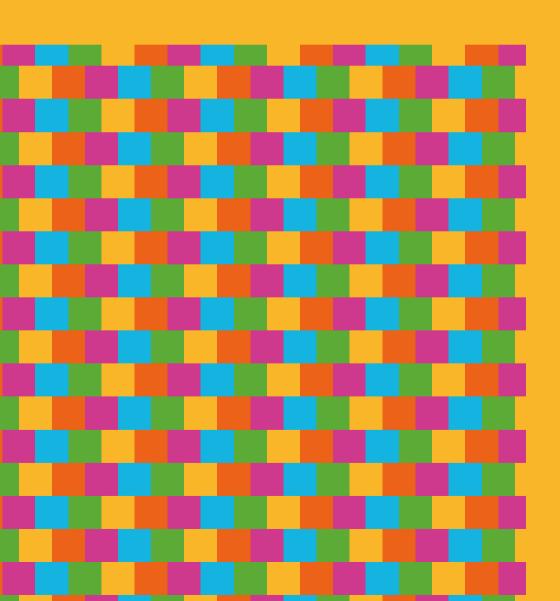
#### FEES: Fees apply - Further information through MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry)

II-kors Master in Business Administration (MBA) huwa programm part-time li jipprovdi gharfien teoretiku fil-ģestjoni tan-negozju. Dan il-kors jipprovdi I-prinċipji fundamentali li wiehed jehtieģ sabiex jifhem I-organizzazzjoni tan-negozju u jghin lill-individwu jidentifika possibbiltajiet ta' innovazzjoni u potenzjali ta' tkabbir fi hdan I-unità ta' negozju strateģika (SBU). L-ghan ahhari hu li jiģu žviluppati I-hiliet maniģerjali fi hdan organizzazzjoni, kemm jekk tkun Pubblika jew Privata. Dan il-programm jiffoka fuq I-ippjanar tal-proģetti, I-imģieba organizzattiva, il-ģestjoni strateģika u I-hiliet analitići mehtieģa fi hdan organizzazzjoni. Dan il-programm jinkludi 10 moduli u proģett tarričerka li jsir fi tmiem il-kors tal-Masters, u ghandu tliet punti ta' hruģ relatati mannumru ta' ECTS miksuba - 30, 60 u 90 ECTS li jintitolaw lill-istudent ghal Post Graducate Certificate, Postgraduate Diploma u finalment Master in Business Adminsitration.

MIŻATI: Japplikaw ħlasijiet - Aktar informazzjoni permezz ta' MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry)

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
An MQF Level 6 qualification with a minimum of 180 ECTS, awarded by a recognised institution	FT 3 Semesters/18 months	7
Other Entry Requirements	PT 6 Semesters	Credits
	Mode	90 ECTS
MQF Level 5 qualification and adequate professional experience are also considered.	Blended	-

# COMMUNITY SERVICES



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# **Introductory Certificate in Community Care Services**

This programme of studies is an ideal start to a career in Social Care or Early Years for those learners who have just finished their compulsory education with minimum certification. This one-year full-time programme does not qualify the learner to work in the sector. However, the vocational and key skills modules which make up the course specifications will help the learner to progress to higher levels of study. The course includes both practical and theoretical lectures which cover the basics of social care including basic nutrition, interpersonal communication with different service-users, integrity, dignity, and anti-discrimination.

Dan il-programm ta' studju huwa l-bidu ideali għal karriera fil-Kura Soċjali u s-Snin Bikrini għal dawk l-istudenti li jkunu għadhom kemm temmew l-edukazzjoni obbligatorja tagħhom bi ftit jew xejn ċertifikati. Dan il-programm full-time ta' sena ma jagħtix lill-istudent biżżejjed kwalifiki biex jaħdem fis-settur. Madankollu, l-unitajiet vokazzjonali u tal-ħiliet ewlenin li jiffurmaw l-ispeċifikazzjoni tal-kors iwasslu lill-istudent biex javvanza bil-mod għal livelli ogħla ta' studju. Il-kors jinkludi lezzjonijiet prattiċi kif ukoll ta' teorija li jkopru l-elementi bażiċi tas-saħħa u l-kura soċjali, inklużi n-nutrizzjoni bażika, komunikazzjoni ma' dawk li jużaw is-servizzi, li tkun tirrifletti r-rispett, l-integrità, id-dinjità u n-nuggas ta' diskriminazzjoni.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
Finished Compulsory Education Initial Assessment Tests (as may be applicable)	1 Year Full-time	1
milital Assessment lests (as may be applicable)		Credits
		40 ECTS

### **Introductory Certificate in Hairdressing**

This programme of studies introduces the learner to hairdressing modules. This programme will cover the different types of equipment and products typically found in hairdressing salons, customer care services, communication skills, professional attitudes, window-dressing, personal appearance and care. The study units incorporate basic theoretical aspects of hairdressing as well as practical sessions. Learners are also given the opportunity to strengthen their key skills subjects which are delivered in a way that helps render the vocational units more relevant to the learners. Learners are required to purchase the necessary hairdressing and beauty accessories at the beginning of the academic year.

Dan il-programm ta' studju jintroduċi lill-istudenti għal modules fil-hairdressing. Il-kors ikopri t-tipi differenti ta' tagħmir u prodotti li normalment insibu fʻsalons tal-hairdressing, is-servizzi tal-kura tal-klijenti, il-ħiliet ta' komunikazzjoni, l-attitudnijiet personali, l-arranġament tal-vetrini tas-salon, id-dehra u l-iġjene personali. L-unitajiet ta' studju jinkorporaw aspetti teoretiċi tal-hairdressing, kif ukoll sessjonijiet prattiċi. L-istudenti jingħataw ukoll l-opportunità li jsaħħu l-ħiliet ewlenin tagħhom li huma mogħtija b'mod li jgħin biex l-unitajiet vokazzjonali jsiru aktar rilevanti għall-istudenti. L-istudenti huma mitluba jixtru l-aċċessorji meħtieġa tax-xagħar u tas-sbuħija fil-bidu tas-sena akkademika.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
Finished Compulsory Education Initial Assessment Tests (as may be applicable)	1 Year Full-time	1
mittal Assessment rests (as may be applicable)		Credits
		40 ECTS

# **Foundation Certificate in Community Care Services**

This programme of studies is aimed at those individuals who wish to embark on a future career in the Social Care or Early Years sector. During the year the learners will have a variety of lectures which will give them an understanding of basic concepts related to these sectors. Lectures will focus on human behaviour and development and what constitutes a safe working environment. Learners will also be given the opportunity to strengthen their key skills and become acquainted with organisations in the sector.

Dan il-programm ta' studju huwa mmirat lejn dawk l-individwi li fil-futur jixtiequ jibdew karriera fis-settur tal-Kura Soċjalu u s-Snin Bikrin. Matul is-sena, l-istudenti jkollhom varjetà ta' lezzjonijiet li jwassluhom jifhmu l-kunċetti bażiċi relatati ma' dan is-settur. Illezzjonijiet jiffokaw fuq l-imġiba tal-bniedem, il-mod kif jaħdem il-ġisem u x'inhu dak li jagħmel ambjent tax-xogħol sikur. L-istudenti jingħataw ukoll l-opportunità li jsaħħu, millperspettiva vokazzjonali, is-suġġetti tal-ħiliet ewlenin tagħhom, inklużi l-Malti, l-Ingliż, il-Matematika u x-Xjenza. L-istudenti jkollhom l-opportunità li jżuru organizzazzjonijiet relatati ma' dan is-settur sabiex isiru familjari mal-ambjent.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
MCAST Introductory Certificate	1 Year Full-time	2
or Finished Compulsory Education		Credits
Initial Assessment Tests (as may be applicable)		60 ECTS

# Foundation Certificate in Hairdressing, Beauty and Wellbeing

This programme provides an overview of hair and beauty practices in preparation for a career in the industry. The modules on offer provide learners with basic knowledge in health and safety practices used in hairdressing and beauty salons. Other modules focus on an understanding of the basic scientific concepts related to all hair and beauty services and treatments, while introducing the learners to basic business concepts. The course also provides learners with real-life scenarios which will enable them to progress to further studies in hairdressing and beauty programmes. Learners are required to purchase the necessary hairdressing and beauty accessories at the beginning of the academic year.

Dan il-programm jipprovdi ħarsa ġenerali lejn is-settur tax-xagħar u tas-sbuħija bi tħejjija għall-karriera fl-industrija. Il-moduli jipprovdu għarfien bażiku fil-prattiki tas-saħħa u s-sigurtà f'dan il-qasam. Moduli oħra jiffokaw il-kunċetti xjentifiċi bażiċi relatati mas-servizzi u t-trattamenti kollha tax-xagħar u tas-sbuħija, filwaqt li jintroduċu lill-istudenti għall-kunċetti bażiċi tan-negozju. Il-kors jipprovdi tagħlim prattiku dwar sitwazzjonijiet reali li jippermettu li l-istudenti jimxu għal studju aktar avvanzat f'dan il-qasam. L-istudenti huma mitluba li jixtru l-aċċessorji tax-xagħar u tas-sbuħija fil-bidu tas-sena akkademika.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
MCAST Introductory Certificate	1 Year Full-time	2
or Finished Compulsory Education		Credits
Initial Assessment Tests (as may be applicable)		60 Credit

### **Foundation Certificate in Sport**

This programme of studies is the first step for those who want to become professionals within the sports industry. This course provides a comprehensive overview of practical units and the complementing theoretical foundations within sports and fitness related fields. The vocational study units cover the basics of health and active lifestyles, community sports and fitness training methods, and include an introduction to gymbased exercise. Concurrently, learners strengthen their knowledge of key skills.

Dan il-programm ta' studju jservi bhala pass lejn karriera futura ta' xoghol fis-settur tal-isport. L-istudent jesperjenza l-komponenti prattići li jikkumplimentaw dawk bażići fuq ghadd ta' suġġetti relatati mal-isport u ma' kundizzjoni fiżika tajba. L-unitajiet ta' studju vokazzjonali jkopru l-elementi bażići ta' saħha tajba u stili ta' hajja attiva, l-isport fil-komunità u metodi ta' taħriġ għal kundizzjoni fiżika tajba, u jinkludu introduzzjoni għall-eżerċizzju bbażat fil-gym. Fl-istess ħin, l-istudenti jsaħħu l-għarfien tagħhom tal-ħiliet ewlenin.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Introductory Certificate	1 Year Full-time	2
or		
Finished Compulsory Education		Credits
Initial Assessment Tests (as may be applicable)		
		60 ECTS
Other Entry Requirements		
Medical clearance is required.		



### **ALP+ Extended Diploma in Sport**

This course is aimed at learners who have successfully completed their studies at the Alternative Learning Programme of the Ministry for Education, and are interested in pursuing further vocational studies at MQF Level 3, related to sport. This course focuses on the knowledge and skills required for eventual employment at assistant technician level in the sport sector. The combination of practical experience and theoretical knowledge gained by successfully completing the course, will equip learners with the knowledge and skills with which they will be able to access the labour market, or alternatively, they will be eligible to continue their studies at MQF level 4 at MCAST, by selecting one of the various Advanced Diplomas offered by the College, in their preferred area of study.

This course has practical sessions included in the course but further emphasis is given to theoretical knowledge. The course covers the basics of Anatomy and Physiology in Sport, Fitness Testing, Fitness Instruction, Fundamental Methodology of Physical Activity and Sport, as well as the theory and practice of the mainstream sports. The syllabus incorporates a work-based learning component thus facilitating the transition into employment for those learners who do not wish to further their studies. By the end of the course, the learner will be able to assist a Fitness Instructor in the preparation and delivery of basic fitness training programmes. The learner will be encouraged to take part in various sports-related events that are organised on campus.

Dan il-kors huwa mmirat lejn studenti li jkunu temmew b'suċċess l-istudji tagħhom fil-Programm ta' Tagħlim Alternattiv (I-ALP) tal-Ministeru għall-Edukazzjoni, u huma interessati li jkomplu bit-tagħlim vokazzjonali fil-Livell 3 tal-MQF, relatat mal-isport. Dan il-kors jiffoka fuq I-għarfien u I-ħiliet meħtieġa biex eventwalment iwasslu għal impjieg fil-livell ta' assistent tekniku fis-settur tal-isport. L-esperjenza prattika u I-għarfien teoretiku li jakkwistaw I-istudenti li jispiċċaw il-kors, jgħin biex dawn ikollhom I-għarfien u I-ħiliet meħtieġa biex jaħdmu, jew inkella, ikunu eliġibbli biex ikomplu I-istudji tagħhom fil-livell 4 tal-MQF fl-MCAST, billi jagħżlu wieħed mill-bosta korsijiet tal-Advanced Diploma fil-qasam li jippreferu.

Dan il-kors għandu sessjonijiet prattiċi inklużi fil-kors iżda tingħata aktar enfasi lill-għarfien teoretiku. Il-kors ikopri l-bażi tal-Anatomija u l-Fizjoloġija fl-Isport, l-Ittestjar tal-Fitness, l-Istruzzjoni tal-Fitness, il-Metodoloġija Fundamentali tal-Attività Fiżika u l-Isport, kif ukoll it-teorija u l-prattika tal isports principali. Is-sillabu jinkorpora komponent ta' tagħlim ibbażat fuq ix-xogħol biex b'hekk jiffacilita t-tranżizzjoni lejn l-impjieg għal dawk l-istudenti li ma jixtiequx ikomplu l-istudji tagħhom. Sal-aħħar tal-kors, l-istudent ikun kapaċi jassisti lill-Għalliem tal-Fitness iħejji u jgħallem programmi bażiċi ta' taħriġ għal kundizzjoni fiżika tajba. L-istudent jiġi mħeġġeġ jieħu sehem f'diversi avvenimenti relatati mal-isport li huma organizzati fil kampus minn żmien għal żmien.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
SSC&P at MQF level 2 (Students are expected to	2 Year Full-time	2/3
have completed the one-year ALP programme		
and obtained at least an MQF Level 1 in Maltese,	Mode	Credits
English and Mathematics and an MQF Level 2 in		
TWO vocational subjects)	College-based with	36 ECTS at MQF Level
	work-based learning	2 and 60 ECTS at MQF
		Level 3



# ALP+ Extended Diploma in Social Care

This course is aimed at learners who have successfully completed their studies at the Alternative Learning Programme of the Ministry for Education, and are interested in pursuing further vocational studies at MQF Level 3, related to social care. This course focuses on the knowledge and skills required for eventual employment at assistant technician level in the social care sector. The combination of practical experience and theoretical knowledge gained by successfully completing the course, will equip learners with the knowledge and skills with which they will be able to access the labour market, or alternatively, they will be eligible to continue their studies at MQF level 4 at MCAST, by selecting one of the various Advanced Diplomas offered by the College, in their preferred area of study.

Prospective candidates who enrol in this course should have an interest in working with adolescents in supported accomodation, elderly persons and persons with disabilities. Lectures include a number of varied topics such as effective communication, creativity, human development, safe practices, rights and dignity for different service users and delivering personal care. The programme offers an opportunity for learners to carry out work-based learning in two different host organisations in the sector. Here they will be expected to carry out a range of assigned tasks under supervision.

Dan il-kors huwa mmirat lejn studenti li jkunu temmew b'suċċess l-istudji tagħhom fil-Programm ta' Tagħlim Alternattiv (I-ALP) tal-Ministeru għall-Edukazzjoni, u huma interessati li jkomplu bit-tagħlim vokazzjonali fil-Livell 3 tal-MQF, relatat mal-kura soċjali. Dan il-kors jiffoka fuq l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex eventwalment iwasslu għal impjieg fil-livell ta' assistent tekniku fis-settur tal-kura soċjali. L-esperjenza prattika u l-għarfien teoretiku li jakkwistaw l-istudenti li jispiċċaw il-kors, jgħin biex dawn ikollhom l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex jaħdmu, jew inkella, ikunu eliġibbli biex ikomplu l-istudji tagħhom fil-livell 4 tal-MQF fl-MCAST, billi jagħżlu wieħed mill-bosta korsijiet tal-Advanced Diploma fil-gasam li jippreferu.

Il-kandidati prospettivi li jirreģistraw għal dan il-kors għandhom ikollhom interess li jaħdmu ma' adolexxenti fil-komunità, persuni anzjani u persuni b'diżabilità. Il-lezzjonijiet jinkludu għadd ta' suġġetti varjati bħal komunikazzjoni, il-kreattività, l-iżvilupp uman, prattiċi ta' sigurtà, id-dinjità u d-drittijiet tal-individwi u kura personali. Barra minn hekk, dan il-programm ta' studju joffri opportunità biex l-istudenti jirċievu tagħlim ibbażat fil-post tax-xogħol, f'żewġ organizzazzjonijiet ospitanti differenti li jiffurmaw parti mis-settur. Hawnhekk ikunu mistennija jwettqu, taħt superviżjoni, ix xogħol li huma jiġu assenjati.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
SSC&P at MQF level 2 (Students are expected to	2 Year Full-time	2/3
have completed the one-year ALP programme		
and obtained at least an MQF Level 1 in Maltese,	Mode	Credits
English and Mathematics and an MQF Level 2 in		
TWO vocational subjects)	College-based with	36 ECTS at MQF Level
	work-based learning	2 and 60 ECTS at MQF
		Level 3



# ALP+ Extended Diploma in Beauty Specialists

This course is aimed at learners who have successfully completed their studies at the Alternative Learning Programme of the Ministry for Education, and are interested in pursuing further vocational studies at MQF Level 3, related to beauty and complementary therapies. This course focuses on the knowledge and skills required for eventual employment at assistant technician level in the beauty sector. The combination of practical experience and theoretical knowledge gained by successfully completing the course, will equip learners with the knowledge and skills with which they will be able to access the labour market, or alternatively, they will be eligible to continue their studies at MQF level 4 at MCAST, by selecting one of the various Advanced Diplomas offered by the College, in their preferred area of study.

This programme of studies offers learners the possibility to seek employment in salons as Beauty Specialists. Alternatively, learners who complete successfully this full-time course may wish to consider furthering their studies by progressing to the Level 4 Advanced Diploma programme in Beauty and Complementary Therapies. Learners are taught how to develop and carry out individual treatment plans based on the specific requirements of each client. The programme of studies offers instruction on serveral treatments that include skin care, manicure and pedicure, depilation, nails, make-up services, eyebrow and eyelash treatments. Other modules relate to health and safety practices in the salon and business aspects including business plans, effective communication skills and proper conduct with clients. Learners are required to purchase the necessary hairdressing and beauty accessories at the beginning of the academic year.

Dan il-kors huwa mmirat lejn studenti li jkunu temmew b'suċċess l-istudji tagħhom fil-Programm ta' Tagħlim Alternattiv (I-ALP) tal-Ministeru għall-Edukazzjoni, u huma interessati li jkomplu bit-tagħlim vokazzjonali fil-Livell 3 tal-MQF, relatat fis-sbuħija u terapiji kumplimentari. Dan il-kors jiffoka fuq l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex eventwalment iwasslu għal impjieg fil-livell ta' assistent tekniku fis-settur tas-sbuħija. L-esperjenza prattika u l-għarfien teoretiku li jakkwistaw l-istudenti li jispiċċaw il-kors, jgħin biex dawn ikollhom l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex jaħdmu, jew inkella, ikunu eliġibbli biex ikomplu l-istudji tagħhom fil-livell 4 tal-MQF fl-MCAST, billi jagħżlu wieħed mill-bosta korsijiet tal-Advanced Diploma fil-qasam li jippreferu.

Dan il-programm ta' studji joffri lill-istudenti l-possibbiltà li jfittxu impjieg fis-salons bħala Speċjalisti tas-Sbuħija. Apparti dan, l-istudenti li jtemmu b'suċċess dan il-kors full-time ta' sena jistgħu jkomplu bl-istudji tagħhom billi jimxu lejn il-programm tad-Diploma Avvanzata fil-Livell 4 fis-Sbuħija u Terapiji Kumplimentari. L-istudenti jiġu mgħallma kif jiżviluppaw u jwettqu pjanijiet ta' trattament individwali bbażati fuq ir-rekwiżiti speċifiċi ta' kull klijent. Il-programm ta' studji joffri struzzjoni dwar diversi trattamenti li jinkludu kura tal-ġilda, manikjur u pedikjur, depilazzjoni, dwiefer, servizzi ta' make-up, trattamenti ta' xagħar u xagħar. Moduli oħra għandhom x'jaqsmu ma' prattiki ta' saħħa u sigurtà fis salon u aspetti tan-negozju inklużi pjanijiet ta' negozju, ħiliet ta' komunikazzjoni effettiva u kondotta xierqa mal-klijenti. L-istudenti huma mitluba jixtru l-aċċessorji meħtieġa tax xagħar u tas-sbuħija fil-bidu tas-sena akkademika.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
SSC&P at MQF level 2 (Students are expected to	2 Year Full-time	2/3
have completed the one-year ALP programme and obtained at least an MQF Level 1 in Maltese,	Mode	
English and Mathematics and an MQF Level 2 in		Credits
TWO vocational subjects)	College-based with	
	work-based learning	36 ECTS at MQF Level
		2 and 60 ECTS at MQF
		Level 3



# ALP+ Extended Diploma in Foundation Studies for Security, Enforcement and Protection

This course is aimed at learners who have successfully completed their studies at the Alternative Learning Programme of the Ministry for Education, and are interested in pursuing further vocational studies at MQF Level 3, related to the Disciplined Forces. This course focuses on the knowledge and skills required for eventual employment at assistant technician level in the security, enforcement and protection sector. The combination of practical experience and theoretical knowledge gained by successfully completing the course, will equip learners with the knowledge and skills with which they will be able to access the labour market, or alternatively, they will be eligible to continue their studies at MQF level 4 at MCAST, by selecting one of the various Advanced Diplomas offered by the College, in their preferred area of study.

This programme of studies is gaining a lot of popularity with learners who intend to seek future employment within the Disciplined Forces. Lecturers will discuss current and contemporary issues relating to security, enforcement and protection both in Malta and beyond our shores. Learners will also tackle topics related to equality, diversity, dignity and rights of individuals. Educational visits will be organised to different departments which form part of the Academy: the Civil Protection Department, the Police Force, the Armed Forces of Malta and the Law Courts.

Dan il-kors huwa mmirat lejn studenti li jkunu temmew b'suċċess l-istudji tagħhom fil-Programm ta' Tagħlim Alternattiv (I-ALP) tal-Ministeru għall-Edukazzjoni, u huma interessati li jkomplu bit-tagħlim vokazzjonali fil-Livell 3 tal-MQF, relatat mal-Forzi Dixxiplinati. Dan il-kors jiffoka fuq I-għarfien u I-ħiliet meħtieġa biex eventwalment iwasslu għal impjieg fil-livell ta' assistent tekniku mas-sikurezza, I-infurzar u I-protezzjoni. L-esperjenza prattika u I-għarfien teoretiku li jakkwistaw I-istudenti li jispiċċaw il-kors, jgħin biex dawn ikollhom I-għarfien u I-ħiliet meħtieġa biex jaħdmu, jew inkella, ikunu eliġibbli biex ikomplu I-istudji tagħhom fil-livell 4 tal-MQF fl-MCAST, billi jagħżlu wieħed mill-bosta korsijiet tad-Diploma Avvanzata fil-qasam li jippreferu.

Dan il-programm ta' studju qed jikseb ħafna popolarità mal-istudenti li għandhom l-intenzjoni li fil-futur isibu impjieg mal-Forzi Dixxiplinati. L-istudenti jiddiskutu kwistjonijiet kurrenti u kontemporanji relatati mas-sikurezza, l-infurzar u l-protezzjoni, kemm f'Malta kif ukoll lil hinn minn xtutna. L-istudenti jittrattaw ukoll suġġetti relatati mal-ugwaljanza, id-diversità, id-dinjità u d-drittijiet tal-individwi. Jiġu organizzati żjarat edukattivi f'dipartimenti differenti li jiffurmaw parti mill-Akkademja: id-Dipartiment tal-Protezzjoni Ćivili, il-Pulizija, il-Forzi Armati ta' Malta u l-Qrati.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
SSC&P at MQF level 2 (Students are expected to	2 Year Full-time	2/3
have completed the one-year ALP programme		
and obtained at least an MQF Level 1 in Maltese,	Mode	Credits
English and Mathematics and an MQF Level 2 in		
TWO vocational subjects)	College-based with	36 ECTS at MQF Level
	work-based learning	2 and 60 ECTS at MQF
		Level 3



# ALP+ Extended Diploma in Hairdressing - Women

This course is aimed at learners who have successfully completed their studies at the Alternative Learning Programme of the Ministry for Education, and are interested in pursuing further vocational studies at MQF Level 3, related to hairdressing. This course focuses on the knowledge and skills required for eventual employment at assistant technician level in the hairdressing sector. The combination of practical experience and theoretical knowledge gained by successfully completing the course, will equip learners with the knowledge and skills with which they will be able to access the labour market, or alternatively, they will be eligible to continue their studies at MQF level 4 at MCAST, by selecting one of the various Advanced Diplomas offered by the College, in their preferred area of study.

This programme of studies leads to a career in the hairdressing industry. This course allows learners to acquire skills which are relevant to succeed and be competitive in the hairdressing industry. Alternatively, learners may wish to consider furthering their studies by progressing to the Level 4 Advanced Diploma programme in Hairdressing Learners cover a variety of study units such as client consultation, hair cutting and styling for different occasions, hair colouring, perming and straightening. This includes experience within the inhouse salon at the Institute of Community Services as well as placements in industry as part of the Apprenticeship scheme. Other modules relate to health and safety practices in the salon and science of hairdressing. Learners will also further their skills and competencies. Learners are required to purchase the necessary hairdressing accessories at the beginning of the academic year.

Dan il-kors huwa mmirat lejn studenti li jkunu temmew b'suċċess l-istudji tagħhom fil-Programm ta' Tagħlim Alternattiv (I-ALP) tal-Ministeru għall-Edukazzjoni, u huma interessati li jkomplu bit-tagħlim vokazzjonali fil-Livell 3 tal-MQF, relatat mal-hairdressing. Dan il-kors jiffoka fuq l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex eventwalment iwasslu għal impjieg fil-livell ta' assistent tekniku mas-settur tal-hairdressing. L-esperjenza prattika u l-għarfien teoretiku li jakkwistaw l-istudenti li jispiċċaw il-kors, jgħin biex dawn ikollhom l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex jaħdmu, jew inkella, ikunu eliġibbli biex ikomplu l-istudji tagħhom fil-livell 4 tal-MQF fl-MCAST, billi jagħżlu wieħed mill-bosta korsijiet tad-Diploma Avvanzata fil-qasam li jippreferu.

Dan il-programm ta' studji jwassal għal karriera fl-industrija tal-hairdressing. Dan il-kors jippermetti lill-istudenti jiksbu ħiliet li huma rilevanti biex jirnexxu u jkunu kompetittivi fl-industrija tal-parrukkiera. Inkella, l-istudenti jistgħu jikkunsidraw li jkomplu bl-istudji tagħhom billi jkomplu il-programm ta' Livell 4 Diploma in Hairdressing.L-istudenti jkopru varjetà ta' unitajiet ta' studju bħal konsultazzjoni mal-klijenti, qtugħ tax-xagħar u grafika għal-okkażjonijiet differenti, kulur tax-xagħar, perming u drittar. Dan jinkludi esperjenza fis-salon fl-Istitut tas-Servizzi tal Komunità kif ukoll placement fl-industrija bħala parti mill-iskema tal-Apprendistat. L-istudenti se jsaħħu wkoll il-ħiliet u l-kompetenzi tagħhom. Moduli oħra għandhom x'jaqsmu mal-prattika tas-saħħa u s-sigurtà fis-salon u x-xjenza tal-hairdressing. L-istudenti huma meħtieġa jixtru l-aċċessorji meħtieġa għall-parrukkiera fil-bidu tas-sena akkademika.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
SSC&P at MQF level 2 (Students are expected to	2 Year Full-time	2/3
have completed the one-year ALP programme		
and obtained at least an MQF Level 1 in Maltese,	Mode	Credits
English and Mathematics and an MQF Level 2 in		
TWO vocational subjects)	College-based with	36 ECTS at MQF Level
	work-based learning	2 and 60 ECTS at MQF
		Level 3

### **Diploma in Social Care**

Prospective candidates who enrol in this course should have an interest in working with adolescents in supported accomodation, elderly persons and persons with disabilities. Lectures include a number of varied topics such as effective communication, creativity, human development, safe practices, rights and dignity for different service users and delivering personal care. The programme offers an opportunity for learners to carry out work-based learning in two different host organisations in the sector. Here they will be expected to carry out a range of assigned tasks under supervision. In the case of learners who do not wish to further their studies, this one-year programme provides a suitable exit point to seek employment as a care worker.

Il-kandidati prospettivi li jirreģistraw għal dan il-kors full-time għandhom ikollhom interess li jaħdmu ma' persuni anzjani u persuni b'diżabilità. Il-lezzjonijiet jinkludu għadd ta' suġġetti varjati bħal komunikazzjoni, il-kreattività, I-iżvilupp uman, prattiċi ta' sigurtà id-dinjità u d-drittijiet tal-individwi u kura personali. Barra minn hekk, dan il-programm ta' studju joffri opportunità biex I-istudenti jirċievu tagħlim ibbażat fil-post tax-xogħol, f'żewġ organizzazzjonijiet ospitanti differenti li jiffurmaw parti mis-settur. Hawnhekk ikunu mistennija jwettqu, taħt superviżjoni, ix xogħol li huma jiġu assenjati. Fil-każ ta' studenti li ma jixtiqux ikomplu I-istudji tagħhom, dan il-programm ta' sena jipprovdi punt ta' ħruġ xieraq biex wieħed isib impjieg bħala ħaddiem ta' appoġġ.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
MCAST Foundation Certificate	1 Year Full-time	3
or 2 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Other Entry Requirements	Includes Work Placement	60 ECTS
Prior to embarking on a Work Placement, learners need to:  satisfy the requirements of the Protection of	Career Opportunities	;
Minors Act (POMA);  • satisfy specific immunisation requirements; and	Care worker · Care ass worker	sistant • Support care

· present a clean Police Conduct Certificate

## **Diploma for Beauty Specialists**

This programme of studies offers learners the possibility to seek employment in salons as Beauty Specialists. Alternatively, learners who complete successfully this one-year full-time course may wish to consider furthering their studies by progressing to the Level 4 Advanced Diploma programme in Beauty and Complementary Therapies. Learners are taught how to develop and carry out individual treatment plans based on the specific requirements of each client. The programme of studies offers instruction on serveral treatments that include skin care, manicure and pedicure, depilation, nails, make-up services, eyebrow and eyelash treatments. Other modules relate to health and safety practices in the salon and business aspects including business plans, effective communication skills and proper conduct with clients. Learners are required to purchase the necessary hairdressing and beauty accessories at the beginning of the academic year.

Dan il-programm ta' studji joffri lill-istudenti l-possibbiltà li jfittxu impjieg fis-salons bħala Speċjalisti tas-Sbuħija. Apparti dan, l-istudenti li jtemmu b'suċċess dan il-kors full-time ta' sena jistgħu jkomplu bl-istudji tagħhom billi jimxu lejn il-programm tad-Diploma Avvanzata fil-Livell 4 fis-Sbuħija u Terapiji Kumplimentari. L-istudenti jiġu mgħallma kif jiżviluppaw u jwettqu pjanijiet ta' trattament individwali bbażati fuq ir-rekwiżiti speċifiċi ta' kull klijent. Il-programm ta' studji joffri struzzjoni dwar diversi trattamenti li jinkludu kura tal-ġilda, manikjur u pedikjur, depilazzjoni, dwiefer, servizzi ta' make-up, u trattament għall-ħuġġbejn u xagħar ta' xfar il-għajn. Moduli oħra għandhom x'jaqsmu ma' prattiki ta' saħħa u sigurtà fis-salon u aspetti tan-negozju inklużi pjanijiet ta' negozju, ħiliet ta' komunikazzjoni effettiva u kondotta xierqa mal-klijenti. L-istudenti huma mitluba jixtru l-aċċessorji meħtieġa tax-xagħar u tas-sbuħija fil-bidu tas-sena akkademika.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Foundation Certificate	1 Year Full-time	3
or 2 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Career Opportunities	Includes Work Placement	60 ECTS
Beauty specialist		



## **Diploma in Hairdressing**

This programme of studies leads to a career in the hairdressing industry. This course allows learners to acquire skills which are relevant to succeed and be competitive in the hairdressing industry. Alternatively, learners may wish to consider furthering their studies by progressing to the Level 4 Advanced Diploma programme in Hairdressing. Learners cover a variety of study units such as client consultation, hair cutting and styling for different occasions, hair colouring, perming and straightening. This includes experience within the inhouse salon at the Institute of Community Services as well as placements in industry as part of the Apprenticeship scheme. Other modules relate to health and safety practices in the salon and science of hairdressing. Learners will also further their skills and competencies. Learners are required to purchase the necessary hairdressing accessories at the beginning of the academic year.

Dan il-programm ta' studji jwassal għal karriera fl-industrija tal-hairdressing. Dan il-kors jippermetti lill-istudenti jiksbu ħiliet li huma rilevanti biex jirnexxu u jkunu kompetittivi fl-industrija tal-parrukkiera. Inkella, l-istudenti jistgħu jikkunsidraw li jkomplu bl-istudji tagħhom billi jkomplu il-programm ta' Livell 4 Diploma in Hairdressing.L-istudenti jkopru varjetà ta' unitajiet ta' studju bħal konsultazzjoni mal-klijenti, qtugħ tax-xagħar u grafika għal-okkażjonijiet differenti, kulur tax-xagħar, perming u drittar. Dan jinkludi esperjenza fis-salon fl-Istitut tas-Servizzi tal Komunità kif ukoll placement fl-industrija bħala parti mill-iskema tal-Apprendistat. L-istudenti se jsaħħu wkoll il-ħiliet u l-kompetenzi tagħhom. Moduli oħra għandhom x'jaqsmu mal-prattika tas-saħħa u s-sigurtà fis-salon u x-xjenza tal-hairdressing. L-istudenti huma meħtieġa jixtru l-aċċessorji meħtieġa għall-parrukkiera fil-bidu tas-sena akkademika.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
MCAST Foundation Certificate	1 Year Full-time	3
or 2 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Career Opportunities	Apprenticeship	60 ECTS
Assistant hair stylist for women · Sales representative for hair products		

## **Diploma in Early Years**

The programme of studies prepares learners with a strong foundation to work in child care settings in the capacity of assisting the childcare educator. The course offers class based learning that provides introductory knowledge required to understand the basic practice of the childcare educator and sets a good foundation for learners wishing to embark on a career in Early Years Education and Care. The course also provides hands on practice to support learners throughout their journey to fully immerse in the required skills to work in childcare.

Il-programm ta' studji jipprepara lill-istudenti biex jaħdmu fil-qasam tal-kura tat-tfal fil-kapaċità li jassistu lill-edukatur tal-kura tat-tfal. Il-kors joffri tagħlim ibbażat fil-klassi li jipprovdi għarfien introduttorju meħtieġ biex tifhem il-prattika bażika tal-edukatur u jkun hemm pedament tajjeb għall-istudenti li jixtiequ jibdew karriera fl-Edukazzjoni u l-Kura tas-Snin Bikrin. Il-kors jipprovdi wkoll prattika dwar kif tappoġġa lill-istudenti matul il-vjaġġ tagħhom biex b'hekk jiksbu l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex jaħdmu fil-kura tat-tfal.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Foundation Certificate	1 Years Full-time	3
or 2 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Career Opportunities	Includes Work Placement	60 ECTS
Assistant Childcare Educator (current national standards require applicant to be 23 years of		

age)

## **Diploma in Sport**

This programme of studies builds on the components covered in the Foundation Certificate in Sport and delves further into the topic. This is the course that leads to an MQF 4 Advanced Diploma in Sport (Development, and Fitness). This MQF Level 3, Diploma in Sport has practical sessions included in the course but further emphasis is given to theoretical knoweledge. The course covers the basics of Anatomy and Physiology in Sport, Fitness Testing, Fitness Instruction, Fundamental Methodology of Physical Activity and Sport, as well as the theory and practice of the mainstream sports. The syllabus incorporates a work-based learning component thus facilitating the transition into employment for those learners who do not wish to further their studies. By the end of the course, the learner will be able to assist a Fitness Instructor in the preparation and delivery of basic fitness training programmes. The learner will be encouraged to take part in various sports-related events that are organised on campus.

Dan il-programm ta' studji jibni fuq it-tagħlim li jkun sar fiċ-Ċertifikat tal-Fondazzjoni fl-Isport u jidħol aktar fis-suġġett. Dan huwa I-kors li jwassal għal Diploma Avvanzata MQF 4 fl-Isport (Żvilupp, u Fitness). Dan I-MQF Livell 3, Diploma fl-Isport għandu sessjonijiet prattiċi inklużi fil-kors iżda tingħata aktar enfasi lill-għarfien teoretiku. Il-kors ikopri I-bażi tal-Anatomija u I-Fizjoloġija fl-Isport, I-Ittestjar tal-Fitness, I-Istruzzjoni tal-Fitness, il-Metodoloġija Fundamentali tal-Attività Fiżika u I-Isport, kif ukoll it-teorija u I-prattika talisports prinċipali. Is-sillabu jinkorpora komponent ta' tagħlim ibbażat fuq ix-xogħol biex bʻhekk jiffaċilita t-tranżizzjoni lejn I-impjieg għal dawk I-istudenti li ma jixtiequx ikomplu I-istudji tagħhom. Sal-aħħar tal-kors, I-istudent ikun kapaċi jassisti lill-Għalliem tal-Fitness iħejji u jgħallem programmi bażiċi ta' taħriġ għal kundizzjoni fiżika tajba. L-istudent jiġi mħeġġeġ jieħu sehem f'diversi avvenimenti relatati mal-isport li huma organizzati fil-kampus minn żmien għal żmien.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
MCAST Foundation Certificate	1 Year Full-time	3
2 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Other Entry Requirements	Includes Work Placement	60 ECTS
Medical clearance is required.		
Career Opportunities		
Assistant fitness instructor · Sport fundamentals assistant coach		

# **Extended Diploma in Foundation Studies** for Security, Enforcement and Protection

This programme of study is gaining a lot of popularity with learners who intend to seek future employment within the Disciplined Forces. Lecturers will discuss current and contemporary issues relating to security, enforcement and protection both in Malta and beyond our shores. Learners will also tackle topics related to equality, diversity, dignity and rights of individuals. Educational visits will be organised to different departments which form part of the Academy: the Civil Protection Department, the Police Force, the Armed Forces of Malta and the Law Courts. This Extended Diploma course is delivered over two years. However, learners can opt to exit after the successful completion of their first year of studies. In this case, they will be eligible to attain a Level 3 Diploma in Foundation Studies for Security, Enforcement and Protection.

Dan il-programm ta' studju qed jikseb ħafna popolarità mal-istudenti li għandhom l-intenzjoni li fil-futur isibu impjieg mal-Forzi Dixxiplinati. L-istudenti jiddiskutu kwistjonijiet kurrenti u kontemporanji relatati mas-sikurezza, l-infurzar u l-protezzjoni, kemm f'Malta kif ukoll lil hinn minn xtutna. L-istudenti jittrattaw ukoll suġġetti relatati mal-ugwaljanza, id-diversità, id-dinjità u d-drittijiet tal-individwi. Jiġu organizzati żjarat edukattivi f'dipartimenti differenti li jiffurmaw parti mill-Akkademja: id-Dipartiment tal-Protezzjoni Ċivili, il-Pulizija, il-Forzi Armati ta' Malta u l-Qrati. Dan il-kors ta' Diploma Estiża jdum sentejn. Madankollu, l-istudenti jistgħu jagħżlu li jitilqu mill-kors wara li jlestu b'suċċess l-ewwel sena tal-istudji tagħhom. F'dan il-każ, ikunu eliġibbli biex jiksbu Diploma in Foundation Studies for Security, Enforcement and Protection tal-Livell 3.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Foundation Certificate	2 Years Full-time	3
or 2 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Other Entry Requirements	May include the	90 ECTS
Medical clearance is required.	WorkBased Learning	
Career Opportunities		
Careers in Disciplined Forces (further training may apply depending on the chosen career path)		

and

· present a clean Police Conduct Certificate

## **Advanced Diploma in Social Care**

This is a two-year full-time programme of studies during which the learner becomes better acquainted with the specialised services offered by different agencies and organisations in the care sector. Lectures deal with delivering personal care, sociological and psychological perspectives in care, legislation, communication skills and health practices. Lecturers will present scenarios which are dynamic and thought-provoking allowing the learners to be prepared to work in challenging environments dealing with vulnerable individuals. A work-based learning component is included in the framework of this programme.

Dan huwa programm full-time ta' sentejn li matulu l-istudenti jsiru aktar familjari mas-servizzi specjalizzati offruti minn agenziji u organizzazzjonijiet differenti fis-settur tal-kura. Il-lezzjonijiet jittrattaw il-kura personali, perspettivi socjologici u psikologici, il-legizlazzjoni, il-ĥiliet tal-komunikazzjoni u l-bijologija tal-bniedem. L-għalliema jipprezentaw xenarji li huma dinamici u li jġiegħlu lill-istudenti jaħsbu, u l-istudenti jithejjew biex jaħdmu f'ambjenti ta' sfida ma' individwi vulnerabbli. Komponent ta' tagħlim ibbazat fuq ix-xogħol huwa inkluz fil-qafas ta' dan il-programm.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma	2 Years Full-time	4
4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Other Entry Requirements	Includes Work Placement	120 ECTS
Prior to embarking on a Work Placement,		
learners need to:  • satisfy the requirements of the Protection of	Career Opportunities	
Minors Act (POMA);  satisfy specific immunisation requirements;	Social support worker	



# **Advanced Diploma in Beauty and Complementary Therapies**

This programme of studies is made up of units intended to equip learners with the knowledge to provide relaxation and stress relief treatments as well as to improve skin conditions. Learners will have the opportunity to perform practical tasks during hands-on sessions within the inhouse salon at the Institute of Community Services. There will also be work placement experiences within established salons and spas as part of the course programme. Study units during the second year of studies include alternative therapies such as reflexology, hot stone therapy and aromatherapy. At the end of the first academic year, successful learners will have the option to exit their studies and be awarded the MCAST Award in Beauty Therapy. Upon completion of the full programme the learners will qualify as beauty therapists. Alternatively, learners who complete successfully this two-year full-time course may wish to consider furthering their studies by progressing to a Bachleor in Vocational Education and Training 4.0. which can lead to becoming a teacher in Vocational Education in secondary schools. Learners are required to purchase the necessary beauty accessories at the beginning of the academic year.

Dan il-programm huwa magħmul minn unitajiet maħsuba biex iħejju lill-istudenti bl għarfien biex jipprovdu trattamenti ta' rilassament u jtaffu mill-istress kif ukoll biex itejbu l-kundizzjonijiet tal-ġilda. L-istudent se jkollhom l-opportunità li jagħmlu l-prattika fis salon fl-Istitut tas-Servizzi fil-Komunità. Se jkun hemm ukoll work placements fis-salons u spas stabbiliti bħala parti mill-programm tal-kors. Taqsimiet ta' studju matul it-tieni sena ta' studji jinkludu terapiji alternattivi bħar-riflessoloġija, terapija tal-ġebel sħun u aromaterapija. Fi tmiem l-ewwel sena akkademika, l-istudenti li jirnexxu se jkollhom l-għażla li jieqfu mill-istudji tagħhom u jingħataw l-Award in Beauty Therapy. Meta jitlesta l-programm sħiħ l-istudenti jikkwalifikaw bħala terapisti tas-sbuħija. Inkella, l-istudenti li jtemmu b'suċċess dan il-kors full-time ta' sentejn jistgħu jikkunsidraw li jkomplu bl-istudji tagħhom billi javvanzaw għal Bachleor in Education and Vocation Training 4.0 li jista' jwassal biex isiru għalliema fl-Edukazzjoni Vokazzjonali fl-iskejjel sekondarji. L-istudenti huma mitluba jixtru l-aċċessorji meħtieġa tas-sbuħija fil-bidu tas-sena akkademika.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Diploma for Beauty Specialists	2 Years Full-time	4
ITEC Diploma for Beauty Specialists	Mode	Credits
Career Opportunities	Includes Work placement	120 ECTS
Beauty therapist		

## **Advanced Diploma in Hairdressing**

This programme of studies provides greater insight on advanced hairdressing techniques and better understanding of the requirements when working as a salon owner/manager. This course is aimed at learners who have obtained certification in the basic skills of hairdressing and want to proceed to more advanced techniques ranging from consulting to colouring, advanced cutting and styling. This course equips learners with the knowledge and skills to provide a holistic hair service to clients. Learners are given ample opportunity to practice through hands-on practical sessions and professional salon experience. As part of the course, the learners are expected to practice hairdressing services within the inhouse salon at the Institute of Community Services. The course also equips learners with competences required to manage a professional hairdressing salon including knowledge in areas such as human resources management, legislative measures, basic accounting and marketing concepts. The MCAST Advanced Diploma in Hairdressing also covers men's haircutting and barbering. Learners are required to purchase the necessary hairdressing accessories at the beginning of the academic year.

Dan il-programm ta' studji jipprovdi għarfien avvanzat dwar il-ħiliet ta' parrukkiera u r-rekwiżiti biex taħdem bħala sid/manager ta' salon. Dan il-kors huwa mmirat għal studenti li jkunu kisbu ċertifikazzjoni fil-ħiliet bażiċi tal-hairdressing u jridu jimxu għal-livell aktar avvanzat u ħiliet li jvarjaw minn konsulenza dwar kulur, qtugħ u stil avvanzat. Dan il-kors jgħammar lill-istudenti bl-għarfien u l-ħiliet biex jipprovdu servizz ħolistiku tax-xagħar lill-klijenti. L-istudenti jingħataw opportunità biżżejjed biex jipprattikaw permezz ta' sessjonijiet prattiċi u esperjenza professjonali f'salon. Bħala parti mill-kors, l-istudenti huma mistennija jipprattikaw is-servizzi ta' parrukkiera fi ħdan is-salon fl-Istitut tas-Servizzi fil-Komunità. Il-kors jgħammar ukoll lill-istudenti b'kompetenzi meħtieġa biex jimmaniġġjaw salon professjonali inkluż għarfien f'oqsma bħall-maniġment tar-riżorsi umani, miżuri leġiżlattivi, kontabilità bażika u kunċetti tal-marketing. L-MCAST Advanced Diploma in Hairdressing tkopri wkoll il-qtugħ tax-xagħar tal-irġiel u sengħa tal-barbiera. L-istudenti huma mitluba jixtru l-aċċessorji meħtieġa fil-bidu tas-sena akkademika.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level	
MCAST Diploma in Hairdressing (Women)	2 Years Full-time	4	
City and Guilds (UK) Hairdressing - Level 2	Mode	Credits	
Career Opportunities	Apprenticeship	120 ECTS	
Hair salon manager · Hair stylist	_		

## Advanced Diploma in Children's Care, **Learning and Development**

This programme of studies provides learners with practical experience in child care. This also entails pedagogical practices based on theories related to the Early Years. This programme also allows learners to delve into health and safety issues, research related to contemporary issues in the early years. Learners will gain experience from work placement programmes, one placement with a baby and another with a group of toddlers. Learners will observe, plan and implement age appropriate creative activities through the Emergent Curriculum approach. At the end of the first academic year, successful learners will have the option to exit their studies and be awarded the MCAST Award in Children's Care, Learning and Development, to work as Child Care Practitioners.

Dan il-programm ta' studju jipprovdi taghlim prattiku fit-taghlim tal-kura tat-tfal. Dan jinkludi prattika pedagologika fug il-principji bbażati fug is-snin bikrija. Dan il-programm jippermetti wkoll lill-istudenti jidħlu fil-qasam ta' saħħa u sigurtà, riċerka relatata ma' kwistjonijiet kontemporanji fis-snin bikrija l-istudenti se jiksbu esperjenza minn programmi ta' work placement, u ieħor ma' grupp ta' tfal żgħar. L-istudenti se josservaw, jippjanaw u jimplimentaw attivitajiet kreattivi addatti għall-età permezz tal-Kurrikulu Emergenti. Fi tmiem I-ewwel sena akkademika, I-istudenti ta' suċċess se įkollhom I-għażla li joħorġu mill-istudji tagħhom u jingħataw l-MCAST Award in Children's Care, Learning and Development biex jahdmu bhala Child Care Practitioners.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma	2 Years Full-time	4
4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes Compulsory: English Language, Maltese,	Mode	Credits
Mathematics	Includes Work Placement	120 ECTS
Other Entry Requirements	Career Opportunities	
Prior to embarking on a Work Placement,	Child Care Educator	

- · satisfy the requirements of the Protection of Minors Act (POMA);
- · present a clean police conduct certificate;
- · complete a Basic First Aid course;
- · complete a Paediatric First Aid course.'
- · Vaccination card with complete vaccination programme.

# Advanced Diploma in Sport (Development, Coaching and Fitness)

This is a full-time programme with a strong emphasis on the theoretical and practical components of sports and fitness. The course looks into coaching, fitness and sports development, basic sports science fundamentals and includes modules related to sports injuries and sports as a business venture. Placement experience provided throughout the course further strengthens these abilities. During the two years of this programme of studies, the learner will be exposed to an array of activities that will enrich their experience in the world of sports and fitness.

Dan huwa programm full-time b'enfasi qawwija fuq it-teorija u l-prattika fl-isports u l-fitness. Il-kors jittratta l-ikkowċjar, il-fitness, ix-xjenza bażika tal-isport u l-iżvilupp, u jinkludi unitajiet ta' studju relatati ma' korrimenti waqt l-isport u l-isport bħala negozju. L-esperjenza ta' xogħol waqt il-kors tkompli ssaħħaħ il-kapaċità tal-istudent f'dawn l-oqsma. Matul is-sentejn ta' studju, l-istudent jiġi espost għal varjetà ta' attivitjiet li jsaħħu l-esperjenza fid-dinja tal-isport u l-fitness.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma	2 Years Full-time	4
4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Other Entry Requirements	Includes Work Placement	120 ECTS
Medical clearance is required.	Career Opportunitie	s
	Fitness Instructor • Fo	

### **Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Early Years**

The degree prepares learners to work in an Early Years setting with children aged three to five. Throughout the first two years of the course, learners cover different components of the required learning that leads students to become practitioners with further specialisation in more specific areas. Throughout the course learners experience placement within an early years setting to progressively become adept at working with a group of children using the emergent curriculum approach.

Il-programm jipprepara lill-istudenti biex jaħdmu f'ambjent ta' Snin Bikrin ma' tfal ta' bejn tlieta u ħames snin. Matul I-ewwel sentejn tal-kors, I-istudenti jkopru komponenti differenti tat-tagħlim meħtieġ li jwassal lill-istudenti biex isiru prattikanti b'aktar speċjalizzazzjoni f'oqsma aktar speċifiċi. Matul il-kors, I-istudenti jkollhom esperjenza tax-xogħol mat-tfal biex b'mod progressiv isiru kapaċi jaħdmu ma' grupp ta' tfal u jużaw metodu tal-kurrikulu emerġenti.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Children's Care,	3 Years Full-time	6
Learning and Development		
or	Mode	Credits
2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes		
Compulsory A-Level or I-Level: Two subjects from	Includes Work	180 ECTS
Mathematics or English or Maltese	Placement	
and		
Compulsory: A pass at SEC/O-Level in the	<b>Career Opportunities</b>	
subject that is not presented at A-level or I-level		
or	Kinder Garten Educator	· Child Care Centre
Advanced Diploma in Health and Social Care	Manager	

#### **Other Entry Requirements**

Advanced Diploma in Social Care

or

Prior to embarking on a Work Placement, learners need to:

- satisfy the requirements of the Protection of Minors Act (POMA);
- · present a clean police conduct certificate;
- · complete a Basic First Aid course;
- · complete a Paediatric First Aid course;
- · vaccination card with complete vaccination programme

To progress to the third year of the course, students must have obtained a pass in

Maltese and English O'level (Grade 5 or better). Alternatively, students can attend the preparatory lectures in Maltese and English proficiency delivered throughout the second year of the course and obtain a mark of 50 or higher in the assessments. Only the proficiency tests acquired throughout the second year of the same course are accepted.

Any entry requirements presented in this Prospectus, are intended for educational purposes. Employers will eventually set their own job vacancy requirements which obviously need to be respected by all those applying for that particular vacancy.

## **Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Social Care** Management

The Social Care sector provides a number of professional career opportunities for successful learners to find engaging and rewarding employment at the end of this programme of studies. Throughout the duration of the three-year course, undergraduates are given the opportunity to participate in work placement experiences in related settings, once every year, to observe and learn different care practices and management styles. This programme of studies includes varied modules aimed at enhancing the undergraduates' knowledge in different social fields as well as skills and competencies in administration and management. Study units include Family Studies, Gender and Sexual diversity, European and Social Policy, Financial aspects and Quality assurance, and different units related to Management.

Is-settur tas-Saħħa u I-Kura Soċjali jipprovdi għadd ta' opportunitajiet ta' karriera biex l-istudenti li įtemmu dan il-kors b'success isibu impjieg motivanti u ta' sodisfazzjon fi tmiem dan il-programm ta' studji. Matul il-kors ta' tliet snin, l-istudenti jingħataw I-opportunità li jippartecipaw f'esperjenzi ta' work placement f'ambjenti relatati, darba kull sena, biex josservaw u jitgħallmu prattiċi ta' kura u stili ta' differenti. Dan il-programm ta' studji jinkludi moduli varjati mmirati biex itejbu l-għarfien f'ogsma soċjali differenti kif ukoll ħiliet u kompetenzi fl-amministrazzjoni u l-manigment. Tagsimiet ta' studju jinkludu Studji tal-Familja, id-diversità tas-Sessi u dawk sesswali, Politika Ewropea u Socjali, Aspetti Finanzjarji u Assigurazzjoni tal-Kwalità, u unitajiet differenti relatati mal-Manigment.

#### **Entry Requirements**

MCAST Advanced Diploma in Children's Care, Learning and Development

MCAST Advanced Diploma in Health and Social Care

or

MCAST Advanced Diploma in Social Care

MCAST Advanced Diploma in Applied Science

MCAST Advanced Diploma for Pharmacy **Technicians** 

MCAST Advanced Diploma in Health Sciences

2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes

Compulsory: SEC/O-Level Pass in English Language

Course Duration
Course Duration

**MQF** Level

3 Years Full-time 6

Mode **Credits** 

Includes Work Placement 180 ECTS

#### **Career Opportunities**

Administrative and/or managerial positions within the Health and Social Care sector

· Social welfare professional

Sociology, Psychology

## Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Inclusive Education

This programme of studies focuses on how educational institutions in general, and the classroom settings specifically, can become more inclusive to cater for different individual needs. The learners tackle a variety of study units aimed at identifying what barriers exist which may be preventing learners from accessing quality education. The study units also explore innovative techniques of how these barriers can be overcome so that all learners feel valued during compulsory schooling years. This course includes work placement opportunities held once every year aimed at observing good practices in educational settings and developing a mindset of promoting inclusive communities that celebrate diversity and cater for the diverse needs of different groups of learners. The course subjects include child development including main early years theories as well different aspects of learning to allow learners to integrate learning for a cross curricular pedagogy

Dan il-programm ta' studju jiffoka fuq kif l-istituzzjonijiet edukattivi b'mod ģenerali, u l-ambjenti tal-klassi b'mod speċifiku, jistgħu jsiru aktar inklużivi biex jilħqu ħtiġijiet individwali differenti. L-istudenti tal-baċellerat jittrattaw varjetà ta' unitajiet ta' studju li għandhom l-għan li jidentifikaw dawk l-ostakoli li jistgħu jkunu qegħdin iżommu lill-istudenti milli jkollhom aċċess għal edukazzjoni ta' kwalità. Barra minn hekk, l-unitajiet ta' studju jesploraw ukoll tekniki innovattivi dwar kif jistgħu jingħelbu dawn l-ostakoli sabiex l-istudenti kollha jħossuhom stmati matul is-snin ta' edukazzjoni obbligatorja, u possibilment anke wara. Dan il-kors jinkludi opportunitajiet ta' esperjenza ta' xogħol immirati biex l-istudenti jiżviluppaw mentalità li tippromwovi komunitajiet inklużivi li jiċċelebraw id-diversità u biex jissodisfaw il-ħtiġijiet diversi ta' gruppi differenti ta' studenti. Il-kors jinkludi suġġetti dwar l-iżvilupp tat-tfal u teoriji dwar is-snin bikrin, kif ukoll aspetti biex l-istudenti jintegraw l-aspetti tat-tagħlim fil-pedagoġija kurrikulari, immirati biex l-istudenti jiżviluppaw mentalità li tippromwovi komunitajiet inklużivi li jiċċelebraw id-diversità u biex jissodisfaw il-ħtiġijiet diversi ta' gruppi differenti ta' studenti.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Children's Care, Learning and Development	3 Years Full-time	6
or	Mode	Credits
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Health and Social		
Care	Includes Work	180 ECTS
or	Placement	
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Social Care		
or	<b>Career Opportunities</b>	
2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes		
Compulsory: One A-Level and one I-Level from	Learning support educ	cator (LSE)
Mathematics, English, Maltese, Philosophy,		

## Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Sport, Exercise and Health

This programme of studies covers modules that prepare the learners to work alongside medical and healthcare professionals in promoting physical activity and exercise, and are mapped to the rigorous standards upheld by various accrediting bodies in the field. The ultimate aim will be to improve the general health of the individual and of society as a whole. Throughout the three years, this course provides opportunities for learners to experience hands-on engagement in exercise, health and fitness programmes, conferences and events on and off campus. The learners will develop the knowledge and skills required to assist clients and patients in their various health challenges, noncommunicable diseases, health conditions, injuries or disabilities. The course has a strong research component, and provides an excellent platform for further progression in sports science and academia. Furthermore the degree programme also aims to facilitate the pursuit of a number of distinctive sport or Master's (Level 7) programmes.

Dan il-programm jkopri moduli li jippreparaw lill-istudenti biex jaħdmu flimkien ma' professjonisti mediċi u tal-kura tas-saħħa fil-promozzjoni tal-attività fiżika u l-eżerċizzju, u huma mfassla mal-istandards rigorużi mħarsa minn diversi korpi ta' akkreditazzjoni fil-qasam. L-għan aħħari se jkun li jitjieb il-livell ġenerali, is-saħħa tal-individwu u tas soċjetà kollha kemm hi.Tul it-tliet snin, dan il-kors jipprovdi opportunitajiet għall-istudenti biex jesperjenzaw involviment prattiku fi programmi ta' eżerċizzju, saħħa u fitness, konferenzi u avvenimenti ġewwa u barra l-kampus. L-istudenti se jiżviluppaw l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex jassistu lill-klijenti u l-pazjenti fid-diversi sfidi tas-saħħa tagħhom, mard li ma jitteħidx, kundizzjonijiet tas-saħħa, korrimenti jew diżabilitajiet. Il-kors għandu komponent ta 'riċerka b'saħħtu, u jipprovdi pjattaforma eċċellenti għal aktar tagħlim fix-xjenza tal-isport u l-akkademja. Barra minn hekk, il-programm għandu l-għan ukoll jgħin biex l-istudent jkompli diversi sports jew programmi ta Masters (Livell 7).

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Any MCAST MQF Level 4 Certificate	3 Years Full-time	6
or		
2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes	Mode	Credits
Compulsory A-Level or I-Level: Physics or		_
Chemistry or Biology or Physical Education	Includes Work	180 ECTS
and	Placement	
Compulsory: SEC/O-Level pass in English		
Language	<b>Career Opportunities</b>	
Other Entry Requirements	Personal Trainer · Profe	essional in Exercise for
	Health · Specialist Train	ner · ports Activity Manager
Medical clearance is required.	<ul> <li>Functional Sports Train</li> </ul>	iner · Sports Coach · Sports
	Activity Organiser • Spo	orts Activity Leader

# Bachelor of Vocational Education and Training 4.0 (Honours)

This Bachelor's programme aims to provide learners to become Education and Training practitioners. Learners are provided with the knowledge, skills and competences to work effectively, efficiently and confidently as professional teachers, supervisors, mentors, educational designers and agents of change in the fast changing reality of industry 4.0. This can take place in Education Institutions as well as leading learning at the workplace, focusing on pedagogical practices and teaching strategies. Participants on the programme will have the opportunity to build upon their existing disciplinary knowledge, while integrating it with the educational learning that is the core of the programme.

Dan il-programm ta' Baċellerat għandu l-għan li jipprovdi lill-istudenti biex isiru prattikanti tal-Edukazzjoni u t-Taħriġ Vokazzjonali. L-istudenti jingħataw l-għarfien, il ħiliet u l-kompetenzi biex jaħdmu b'mod effettiv, effiċjenti u kunfidenti bħala għalliema professjonali, mentors, disinjaturi edukattivi u aġenti tal-bidla fir-realtà tal-industrija 4.0 li qed tinbidel malajr. Dan jista' jseħħ kemm fl-Istituzzjonijiet tal-Edukazzjoni Vokazzjonali kif ukoll fit-tagħlim ewlieni fuq il-post tax-xogħol waqt li jiffukaw fuq prattika pedagoġika u strateġiji fit-tagħlim. Il-parteċipanti fil-programm se jkollhom l-opportunità li jibnu fuq l-għarfien dixxiplinarju eżistenti tagħhom, filwaqt li jintegrawh mat-tagħlim edukattiv li huwa l-qalba tal-programm.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
A full MCAST Level 4 qualification (120 ECTS) related to the area of specialisation with an	3 Years Full-Time	6
overall average Grade of C or better or	Mode	Credits
2 A-Level subjects (with a Grade C or better)	May include the	180 ECTS
and 2 I-Level subjects related to the area of	possibility of Work-	
specialisation as indicated in the regulations	Based Learning	
Other Entry Requirements	Career Opportunities	
Vaccination card with complete vaccination	Teacher in vocational e	education and training
programme	<ul> <li>Teacher of vocational</li> </ul>	and applied subjects
	in secondary educatio	n · Lead learning at the
	workplace	

### **Master in Social Care Practice**

The programme of studies targets professionals who have experience working in social care settings, or who wish to move into the field of social care practice. The programme of studies builds on an already acquired professional understanding to further broaden and deepen this with specialised units that provide leading and high quality care across the social care sector. The main aim of the programme is to enhance the professional and transferable skills of those working in the social sector so as to improve the care provided to service users and their communities. The objective here is to improve the experience of the service user to offer the vulnerable sector of our community better life chances.

FEES: Fees apply - Further information through MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry)

Dan il-programm ta' studju huwa mmirat għal professjonisti li għandhom esperjenza ta' xogħol fʻambjenti ta' kura soċjali, jew jixtiequ jsiru prattikanti fil-qasam tal-kura soċjali. Il-programm jibni fuq il-fehim professjonali li l-istudenti diġà jkollhom u jwessa' u japprofondixxi dan il-fehim permezz ta' unitajiet ta' studju speċjalizzati li jwasslu għal kura ta' kwalità għolja fis-settur tal-kura soċjali. L-għan ewlieni ta' dan il-programm ta' studju huwa li jiżdiedu l-ħiliet professjonali u trasferibbli ta' dawk li jaħdmu fis-settur soċjali sabiex titjieb il-kura pprovduta lil dawk li jużaw is-servizzi u lill-komunitajiet tagħhom. L-iskop huwa li titjieb l-esperjenza ta' dawk li jużaw is-servizzi biex is-sezzjoni vulnerabbli tal-komunità tagħna tiġi offruta opportunitajiet ta' ħajja aħjar.

MIŻATI: Japplikaw ħlasijiet - Aktar informazzjoni permezz ta' MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry)

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
A MQF Level 6 first degree in Social Care, Social Sciences, Humanities	PT 5 Semesters	7
or A relevant accredited degree programme	Mode	Credits
	Blended	90 ECTS

# Master of Science in Exercise and Sports Science

The Master of Science in Exercise and Sports Science presents a multidisciplinary focus on helping learners understand the relationship between health and human performance. As an academic programme, this Master of Science will introduce translational research and provide essential foundations from the bases of physiology, biomechanics, motor behaviour and psychology. Using the social ecological approach to addressing the needs for health and human performance for the workforce in Malta, the programme recognizes societal needs, introduces evidence-based strategies for intervention, and evaluates the impact of these services on health outcomes and productivity.

FEES: Fees apply - Further information through MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry)

Il-Master of Science in Exercise and Sports Science huwa ffukat fuq li jgħin lill-istudenti jifhmu r-relazzjoni bejn is-saħħa u l-prestazzjoni umana minn perspettiva multidixxiplinarja. Bħala programm akkademiku, dan il-Master of Science jintroduċi lill-istudenti għarriċerka traslazzjonali (li sservi bħala pont bejn ix-xjenza u l-prattika) u jipprovdi pedament essenzjali mil-lat tal-fiżjoloġija, il-bijomekkanika, il-movimenti tal-bniedem u l-psikoloġija. Il-programm juża l-approċċ ekoloġiku soċjali biex jiġu indirizzati l-ħtiġijiet tas-saħħa tal-haddiema f'Malta u l-prestazzjoni tagħhom, u hekk jirrikonoxxi l-bżonnijiet tas-soċjetà, jintroduċi strateġiji ta' intervent ibbażati fuq l-evidenza, u jevalwa l-impatt ta' dawn is-servizzi fuq is-saħħa u l-produttività.

MIŻATI: Japplikaw ħlasijiet - Aktar informazzjoni permezz ta' MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry)

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Sport, Exercise and Health	PT 5 Semesters	7
or	Mode	Credits
Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Health		
Sciences (Physiological Measurements)	Blended	90 ECTS
or		
Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Sport and		
Physical Activity		
or		
Bachelor of Education (Honours) in Physical		
Education		
or		
A relevant accredited degree programme		

## Master in Vocational Education Applied Research 4.0

The Master in Vocational Education and Training Applied Research 4.0 is intended for professionals who are involved in education. It provides pedagogical training through an experiential approach. Participants are provided with opportunities to extend their knowledge, thinking and behaviours to become effective educators within their area of expertise. The Master is a proactive response, shifting from the traditional education programmes to innovative practices, linking teaching and action research based on the Scholarship of Teaching This course includes two practice placements within an educational institution.

#### FEES:

Fees apply - Further information through MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry)

II-Master fl-Edukazzjoni Vokazzjonali u t-Taħriġ Riċerka Applikata 4.0 huwa maħsub għal professjonisti li huma involuti fl-edukazzjoni. Jipprovdi taħriġ pedagoġiku ibbażat fuq l-esperjenza. Il parteċipanti jingħataw opportunitajiet biex jestendu l-għarfien, il-ħsieb u l-imġieba tagħhom biex isiru professjonisti aktar effettivi fil-qasam tal-kompetenza tagħhom. Il Master huwa rispons proattiv, li jbiddel mill-programmi edukattivi tradizzjonali għal prattiċi innovattivi, li jgħaqqad it-tagħlim u r-riċerka ta' azzjoni bbażati fuq it-tagħlim fil-kuntest tal-edukazzjoni vokazzjonali fl-Edukazzjoni Avvanzata u Għolja. Dan il-kors jinkludi żewġ work placements fi ħdan istituzzjoni edukattiva.

#### **Course Description**

Master in Vocational Education Applied Research 4.0 (Business, Management and Commerce)

Master in Vocational Education Applied Research 4.0 (Health and Social Care)

Master in Vocational Education Applied Research 4.0 (Engineering and Transport)

Master in Vocational Education Applied Research 4.0 (Information and Communication Technology)

Master in Vocational Education Applied Research 4.0 (Media)

Master in Vocational Education Applied Research 4.0 (Hospitality)

Master in Vocational Education Applied Research 4.0 (Chemical Technology)

Master in Vocational Education Applied Research 4.0 (Environmental Technology)

Master in Vocational Education Applied Research 4.0 (Agribusiness)

Master in Vocational Education Applied Research 4.0 (Hairdressing and Beauty)

Master in Vocational Education Applied Research 4.0 (Design)

Master in Vocational Education Applied Research 4.0 (Arts)

Master in Vocational Education Applied Research 4.0 (Sports)

Master in Vocational Education Applied Research 4.0 (Maltese)

Master in Vocational Education Applied Research 4.0 (English)

Master in Vocational Education Applied Research 4.0 (Mathematics)

Master in Vocational Education Applied Research 4.0 (Science)

Master in Vocational Education Applied Research 4.0 (Personal, Social and Career Development

#### **Entry Requirements**

A Bachelor's degree in the relevant subject area or

Be a full-time academic member of staff at the Malta College of Arts, Science and Technology or

Be a full-time academic member of staff in another vocational education institution

#### **Other Entry Requirements**

Applicants must do two practice placements where they lead learning for a total of 13 weeks in an educational institution, as well as an industrial placement of 40 hours where they will fulfil duties in an area relevant to their area specialization.

All eligible candidates shall follow the Post-Graduate Certificate in Vocational Education unless they are already in possession of another teaching qualification recognised by the board towards Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL), in which case such candidates will register for the Award in Vocational Education.

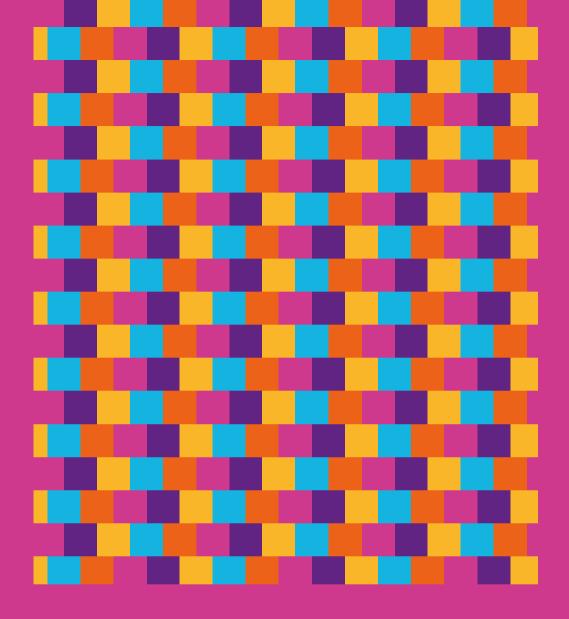
Course Duration	MQF Level	
3 Years Part-Time	7	
Mode	Credits	

**120 ECTS** 

#### **Career Opportunities**

Blended

Teacher in vocational education and training, Teacher of vocational and applied subjects in secondary education



## CREATIVE ARTS

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## **Introductory Certificate in the Creative Arts**

This programme of study provides learners, who completed their compulsory education and are in possession of their Secondary School Certificate and Profile (SSC&P), with an opportunity to follow an introductory course in the creative arts. The programme provides an introduction to a broad range of creative disciplines, and offers a structured education of theory and practice in the creative arts. This enables learners to understand better the vocation they intend to follow and prepares them for further studies in the field. Key skills subjects help learners improve their competences within basic areas such as language, numeracy, information technology, science and individual and social responsibility.

Dan il-programm ta' studju jipprovdi lill-istudenti, li temmew l-edukazzjoni obbligatorja tagħhom u li għandhom iċ-Ċertifikat u l-Profil tal-Iskola Sekondarja tagħhom (SSC&P), b'opportunità li jsegwu kors introduttorju fl-arti kreattiva. Il-programm jipprovdi introduzzjoni għal firxa wiesgħa ta' dixxiplini kreattivi, u joffri edukazzjoni strutturata ta' teorija u prattika fl-arti kreattiva. Dan jippermetti lill-istudenti jifhmu aħjar il-vokazzjoni li beħsiebhom isegwu u jippreparahom għal aktar studji fil-qasam. Is-suġġetti tal-ħiliet ewlenin jgħinu lill-istudenti jtejbu l-kompetenzi tagħhom f'oqsma bażiċi bħal-lingwa, innumri, it-teknoloġija tal-informazzjoni, ix-xjenza u r-responsabbiltà individwali u soċjali.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Finished Compulsory Education Initial Assessment Tests (as may be applicable)	1 Year Full-time	1
mittal Assessment rests (as may be applicable)		Credits
		40 ECTS

## Foundation Certificate in the Creative Arts

This programme of study provides an opportunity to learners in possession of the School Leaving Certificate and Profile (SSC&P) or MCAST Introductory Certificate to follow a structured programme of study that explores the basics of various creative art disciplines, namely art and design, media and performing arts. The programme includes a significant amount of vocational practice, as well as essential key skills subjects that will help learners form a clear idea of the nature of the vocation they intend to follow at higher levels while, at the same time, nurturing their competences within basic areas such as language, numeracy, information technology, science and personal development.

Dan il-programm ta' studju jipprovdi opportunità lill-istudenti fil-pussess taċ-Ċertifikat u l-Profil tal-Iskola (SSC&P) jew iċ-Ċertifikat Introduttorju tal-MCAST biex isegwu programm ta' studju strutturat li jesplora l-bażi ta' diversi dixxiplini tal-arti kreattiva, jiġifieri l-arti u d-disinn, il-midja u l-Arti Performattiva. Il-programm jinkludi ammont sinifikanti ta' prattika vokazzjonali, kif ukoll suġġetti essenzjali ta' ħiliet ewlenin li se jgħinu lill-istudenti jiffurmaw idea ċara tan-natura tal-vokazzjoni li bi ħsiebhom isegwu f'livelli ogħla filwaqt li, fl-istess ħin, irawmu l-kompetenzi tagħhom fi ħdan oqsma bħall-lingwa, in-numri, it teknoloġija tal-informatika, ix-xjenza u l-iżvilupp personali

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Any MCAST Introductory Certificate	1 Year Full-time	2
or Finished Compulsory Education		Credits
Initial Assessment Tests (as may be applicable)		



## ALP+ Extended Diploma in Performing Arts

This course is aimed at learners who have successfully completed their studies at the Alternative Learning Programme of the Ministry for Education and are interested in pursuing further vocational studies at MQF Level 3 related to performing arts industry. This course focuses on the knowledge and skills required for eventual employment at assistant technician level in the performing arts sector. The combination of practical experience and theoretical knowledge gained by successfully completing the course, will equip learners with the knowledge and skills with which they will be able to access the labour market, or alternatively, they will be eligible to continue their studies at MQF level 4 at MCAST, by selecting one of the various Advanced Diplomas offered by the College, in their preferred area of study.

This course provides learners with an opportunity to familiarise themselves with the breadth of the performing arts industry. The course will provide a general introduction to the various aspects of this industry, the stakeholders and structures involved. At the same time, it will introduce learners to the industry's diverse disciplines and respective roles hands-on. The course provides an ideal foundation upon which to base further studies in the process of becoming a performing arts professional.

Dan il-kors huwa mmirat lejn studenti li jkunu temmew b'success l-istudji tagħhom fil-Programm ta' Tagħlim Alternattiv (I-ALP) tal-Ministeru għall-Edukazzjoni, u huma interessati li jkomplu bit-tagħlim vokazzjonali fil-Livell 3 tal-MQF, relatat mal-arti performattiva. Dan il-kors jiffoka fuq l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex eventwalment iwasslu għal impjieg fil-livell ta' assistent tekniku fis-settur tal-arti performattiva. L-esperjenza prattika u l-għarfien teoretiku li jakkwistaw l-istudenti li jispiccaw il-kors, jgħin biex dawn ikollhom l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex jaħdmu, jew inkella, ikunu eliġibbli biex ikomplu l-istudji tagħhom fil-livell 4 tal-MQF fl-MCAST, billi jagħżlu wieħed mill-bosta programmi tad-Diploma Avvanzata fil-qasam li jippreferu.

II-kors jesponi I-istudenti għall-industrija tal-arti performattiva. II-kors jipprovdi introduzzjoni ġenerali għad-diversi aspetti ta' din I-industrija, iI-partijiet interessati u I-istrutturi involuti. FI-istess ħin, jintroduċi liII-istudenti fid-dixxiplini differenti tal-industrija u r-rwoli rispettivi fil-prattika. II-kors jipprovdi pedament ideali li fuqu jibbażaw aktar studji fil-proċess li jsiru professjonisti tal-arti performattiva.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
SSC&P at MQF level 2 (Students are expected to	2 Year Full-time	2/3
have completed the one-year ALP programme		
and obtained at least an MQF Level 1 in Maltese,	Mode	Credits
English and Mathematics and an MQF Level 2 in		
TWO vocational subjects)	College-based with	36 ECTS at MQF Level
	work-based learning	2 and 60 ECTS at MQF
		Level 3



## **ALP+ Extended Diploma in Media**

This course is aimed at learners who have successfully completed their studies at the Alternative Learning Programme of the Ministry for Education and are interested in pursuing further vocational studies at MQF Level 3 related to creative media. This course focuses on the knowledge and skills required for eventual employment at assistant technician level in the creative media sector. The combination of practical experience and theoretical knowledge gained by successfully completing the course, will equip learners with the knowledge and skills with which they will be able to access the labour market, or alternatively, they will be eligible to continue their studies at MQF level 4 at MCAST, by selecting one of the various Advanced Diplomas offered by the College, in their preferred area of study.

The creative media sector is versatile and encompasses many job opportunities for young learners who are ready to take on this adventure. This programme aims to give learners an introduction to the various disciplines and elements that make up the creative media sector. It also allows learners to experience working on media-related projects first hand. This course provides learners with the ideal foundations upon which they can further specialise as media professionals.

Dan il-kors huwa mmirat lejn studenti li jkunu temmew b'suċċess l-istudji tagħhom fil-Programm ta' Tagħlim Alternattiv (I-ALP) tal-Ministeru għall-Edukazzjoni, u huma interessati li jkomplu bit-tagħlim vokazzjonali fil-Livell 3 tal-MQF, relatat mal-industrija tal-midja kreattiva. Dan il-kors jiffoka fuq l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex eventwalment iwasslu għal impjieg fil-livell ta' assistent tekniku fis-settur tal-midja kreattiva. L-esperjenza prattika u l-għarfien teoretiku li jakkwistaw l-istudenti li jispiċċaw il-kors, jgħin biex dawn ikollhom l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex jaħdmu, jew inkella, ikunu eliġibbli biex ikomplu l-istudji tagħhom fil-livell 4 tal-MQF fl-MCAST, billi jagħżlu wieħed mill-bosta korsijiet tal-Advanced Diploma fil-qasam li jippreferu.

Is-settur tal-midja kreattiva huwa versatili u jħaddan ħafna opportunitajiet ta' impjiegi għal studenti żgħażagħ li huma lesti jidħlu għal din I-avventura. Dan il-programm għandu I-għan li jintroduċi lill-istudenti għad-diversi dixxiplini u elementi li jiffurmaw is-settur tal-midja kreattiva u jippermetti wkoll li I-istudenti jaħdmu fuq proġetti relatati mal-midja b'mod dirett. Dan il-kors jipprovdi lill-istudenti I-bażi ideali li fuqha jistgħu jkomplu jispeċjalizzaw bħala professjonisti tal-midja.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
SSC&P at MQF level 2 (Students are expected to	2 Year Full-time	2/3
have completed the one-year ALP programme		
and obtained at least an MQF Level 1 in Maltese,	Mode	Credits
English and Mathematics and an MQF Level 2 in		
TWO vocational subjects)	College-based with	36 ECTS at MQF Level
	work-based learning	2 and 60 ECTS at MQF
		Level 3



# ALP+ Extended Diploma in Art and Design

This course is aimed at learners who have successfully completed their studies at the Alternative Learning Programme of the Ministry for Education, and are interested in pursuing further vocational studies at MQF Level 3, related to art and design. This course focuses on the knowledge and skills required for eventual employment at assistant technician level in the art and design sector. The combination of practical experience and theoretical knowledge gained by successfully completing the course, will equip learners with the knowledge and skills with which they will be able to access the labour market, or alternatively, they will be eligible to continue their studies at MQF level 4 at MCAST, by selecting one of the various Advanced Diplomas offered by the College, in their preferred area of study.

This programme gives learners the opportunity to explore two different areas, those of Art and Design. Learners are encouraged to experiment with different media, resistant and non-resistant materials used in the generic disciplines of art, 3D design (product and spatial) and fashion. Learners learn skills using different workshops and related tools and technology, as well as learn the theoretical aspects of various specialist areas, with awareness of health and safety. Another important aspect of the course is the development of the learners' communication skills.

Dan il-kors huwa mmirat lejn studenti li jkunu temmew b'suċċess l-istudji tagħhom fil-Programm ta' Tagħlim Alternattiv (I-ALP) tal-Ministeru għall-Edukazzjoni, u huma interessati li jkomplu bit-tagħlim vokazzjonali fil-Livell 3 tal-MQF, relatat mal-industrija tal-Arti u d-Disinn. Dan il-kors jiffoka fuq l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex eventwalment iwasslu għal impjieg fil-livell ta' assistent tekniku fis-settur tal-Arti u d-Disinn. L-esperjenza prattika u l-għarfien teoretiku li jakkwistaw l-istudenti li jispiċċaw il-kors, jgħin biex dawn ikollhom l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex jaħdmu, jew inkella, ikunu eliġibbli biex ikomplu l-istudji tagħhom fil-livell 4 tal-MQF fl-MCAST, billi jagħżlu wieħed mill-bosta korsijiet tal-Advanced Diploma fil-qasam li jippreferu.

Dan il-programm jagħti lill-istudenti l-opportunità li jesploraw żewġ oqsma differenti, dawk tal-Arti u d-Disinn. L-istudenti jkunu mħeġġa jesperimentaw b'midja differenti u b'materjali reżistenti u mhux reżistenti użati fid-dixxiplini ġeneriċi tal-arti, id-disinn Tridimensjonali (prodott u spazjali) u l-moda. L-istudenti jitgħallmu l-ħiliet billi jużaw workshops differenti u għodod u teknoloġija relatati, kif ukoll jitgħallmu l-aspetti teoretiċi ta' diversi oqsma speċjalizzati, filwaqt li jżommu f'moħħhom is-saħħa u s-sigurtà. Aspett importanti ieħor tal-kors huwa l-iżvilupp tal-ħiliet ta' komunikazzjoni tal-istudent.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
SSC&P at MQF level 2 (Students are expected to	2 Year Full-time	2/3
have completed the one-year ALP programme		
and obtained at least an MQF Level 1 in Maltese,	Mode	Credits
English and Mathematics and an MQF Level 2 in		
TWO vocational subjects)	College-based with	36 ECTS at MQF Level
	work-based learning	2 and 60 ECTS at MQF
		Level 3



## **Diploma in Performing Arts**

This course provides learners with an opportunity to familiarise themselves with the breadth of the performing arts industry. The course will provide a general introduction to the various aspects of this industry, the stakeholders, and the structures involved. At the same time, it will introduce learners to the industry's diverse disciplines and respective roles hands-on. The course provides an ideal foundation upon which to base further studies in the process of becoming a performing arts professional.

Il-kors jesponi I-istudenti għall-industrija tal-arti performattiva. Il-kors jipprovdi introduzzjoni ġenerali għad-diversi aspetti ta' din I-industrija, il-partijiet interessati u I-istrutturi involuti. FI-istess ħin, jintroduċi lill-istudenti fid-dixxiplini differenti tal-industrija u r-rwoli rispettivi fil-prattika. Il-kors jipprovdi pedament ideali li fuqu jibbażaw aktar studji fil-proċess li jsiru professjonisti tal-arti performattiva.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Foundation Certificate or	1 Year Full-time	3
2 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Other Entry Requirements	May include the possibility of Work-Basec	60 ECTS
Applicants may be asked to sit for an Interview and/or an Audition.	Learning	
·	Career Opportunities	
	Stage hand · Front of house officer · Relationship	

officer · Ticketing officer

## **Diploma in Media**

The creative media sector is versatile and encompasses many job opportunities for young learners who are ready to take on this adventure. This programme aims to give learners an introduction to the various disciplines and elements that make up the creative media sector and it also allows learners to experience working on media-related projects first hand. This course provides learners with the ideal foundations upon which they can further specialise as media professionals.

Is-settur tal-midja kreattiva huwa versatili u jħaddan ħafna opportunitajiet ta' impjiegi għal studenti żgħażagħ li huma lesti jidħlu għal din l-avventura. Dan il-programm għandu l-għan li jintroduċi lill-istudenti għad-diversi dixxiplini u elementi li jiffurmaw is-settur tal-midja kreattiva u jippermetti wkoll li l-istudenti jaħdmu fuq proġetti relatati mal-midja b'mod dirett. Dan il-kors jipprovdi lill-istudenti l-bażi ideali li fuqha jistgħu jkomplu jispeċjalizzaw bħala professjonisti tal-midja.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Foundation Certificate or	1 Year Full-time	3
2 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Other Entry Requirements	May include the possibility of Work-Base	60 ECTS
Applicants may be asked to sit for an Interview and/or present a Portfolio.	Learning	
	<b>Career Opportunities</b>	
	Production office assistant · Studio Assistant ·	

Photography assistant · Graphic Design Assistant

### **Diploma in Art and Design**

This programme gives learners the opportunity to explore two different areas, those of Art and Design. Learners are encouraged to experiment with different media, resistant and non-resistant materials used in the generic disciplines of art, 3D design (product and spatial) and fashion. Learners learn skills using different workshops and related tools and technology, as well as learn the theoretical aspects of various specialist areas, with awareness of health and safety. Another important aspect of the course is the development of the learners' communication skills.

Dan il-programm jagħti lill-istudenti l-opportunità li jesploraw żewġ oqsma differenti, dawk tal-Arti u d-Disinn. L-istudenti jkunu mħeġġa jesperimentaw b'midja differenti u b'materjali reżistenti u mhux reżistenti użati fid-dixxiplini ġeneriċi tal-arti, id-disinn Tridimensjonali (prodott u spazjali) u l-moda. L-istudenti jitgħallmu l-ħiliet billi jużaw workshops differenti u għodod u teknoloġija relatati, kif ukoll jitgħallmu l-aspetti teoretiċi ta' diversi oqsma speċjalizzati, filwaqt li jżommu f'moħħhom is-saħħa u s-sigurtà. Aspett importanti ieħor tal-kors huwa l-iżvilupp tal-ħiliet ta' komunikazzjoni tal-istudent.

#### **Entry Requirements**

MCAST Foundation Certificate\*

2 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes Compulsory: Art or Art and Design or Textiles and Design or Fashion and Textiles \*As from 2025-2026, progression shall be limited to students who would have attained

progression from the MCAST Foundation Certificate in the Creative Arts.

#### **Other Entry Requirements**

Applicants may be asked to sit for an Interview and/or present a Portfolio.

#### **Course Duration**

1 Year Full-time

#### Mode

May include the possibility of work-based 60 ECTS Learning

#### **Career Opportunities**

Assistant in an art studio · Assistant in the crafts sectors of Stone Works, Woodworking production, Ceramics, Jewellery, Textiles or Fashion

**MQF** Level

Credits

3

## **Advanced Diploma in Digital Design**

The course introduces common fundamental principles, skills and software related to contemporary fields of design. Minor streams in game art, graphic design and interactive media will allow learners to specialise in their field of interest and master the required skills in preparation for more independent study at undergraduate level. Exploratory exercises, real life work and the possibility of competitions all form part of the process for an effective learning experience. Taught by experienced visual and technical designers from interdependent fields, this course of study prepares learners to communicate ideas and solve problems through creative and interactive solutions.

Il-kors jintrodući lill-istudenti għal prinċipji fundamentali komuni, ħiliet u softwer relatati ma' oqsma kontemporanji tad-disinn. Studju f'oqsma speċifiċi tal-arti tal-logħob, id-disinn grafiku u l-midja interattiva jagħtu lill-istudenti ċ-ċans li jispeċjalizzaw fil-qasam li jinteressahom u li jsaħħu l-ħiliet meħtieġa bi preparazzjoni għal studju aktar indipendenti f'livell ta' baċellerat. Eżerċizzji esploratorji, xogħol ta' veru u l-possibiltà ta' parteċipazzjoni f'kompetizzjonijiet jiffurmaw parti mill-proċess li jwassal għal esperjenza effettiva tat-tagħlim. L-għalliema ta' dan il-kors ta' studju huma disinjaturi viżwali u tekniċi ta' esperjenza li huma ġejjin minn oqsma differenti imma interdipendenti. Huma jippreparaw lill-istudenti biex ikunu kapaċi jikkomunikaw l-ideat tagħhom u jsolvu problemi bis-saħħa ta' soluzzjonijiet kreattivi u interattivi.

#### **Entry Requirements**

MCAST Diploma in Printing

or

MCAST Diploma in Art and Design

or

MCAST Diploma in Media

or

Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma, whilst being in possession of the compulsory subject as indicated hereunder

or

4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes Compulsory: Art or a comparable award (in terms of both volume, content and Level of studies) related to Digital Design.

#### **Other Entry Requirements**

Applicants may be asked to sit for an Interview and/or present a Portfolio.

### Course Duration MQF Level

2 Years Full-time 4

Mode Credits

Includes Work 120 ECTS
Placement

#### **Career Opportunities**

Junior graphic designer · Junior web designer · Junior 2D artist · Junior game developer

## **Advanced Diploma in Performing Arts**

This programme is an opportunity to develop an advanced understanding of the performing arts industry, its structures and practices. In the first year, learners will develop a fundamental understanding of the performance, design, technical, and management aspects of the industry. Training in these areas will enable learners to contextualise past and present practices in the performing arts. They will also engage with well-being practices for a holistic preparation to more advanced learning and work in a complex industry. Following the successful progression from their first year, students have the opportunity to advance their training in four specific areas within the performance, design, technical and management domains. Learners will also develop entrepreneurial skills, and be given a work-based learning opportunity within a related private or public entity. They will also learn basic skills for performing in front of a camera. Ultimately, learners will be able to apply all their skills in the production and presentation of a performance. At the end of this course, learners will be geared to pursue a variety of work opportunities in the industry, or to further their studies in undergraduate performing arts programmes.

Dan il-programm huwa opportunità biex jigu żviluppati ħiliet avvanzati fl-industrija talarti performattiva, l-istrutturi u l-prattici tagħha. Fl-ewwel sena, l-istudenti jiżviluppaw ħiliet fundamentali għall-performer fid-disinn u aspetti teknici u maniġerjali tal-industrija. It-taħriġ fdawn l-oqsma u t-tagħlim, jippermetti lill-istudenti jikkontestwalizzaw il-prattika tal-passat u tal-preżent fl-arti performattiva. Se jimpennjaw ruħhom ukoll bi prattika tal-benessri għal tħejjija ħolistika għal tagħlim aktar avvanzat u jaħdmu findustrija kumplessa. Wara li jispiċċaw l-ewwel sena tagħhom, l-istudenti għandhom l-opportunità li javvanzaw it-taħriġ tagħhom ferba' oqsma speċifiċi – l-arti performattiva, id-disinn, teknika u fil-qasam tal-maniġment. L-istudenti jiżviluppaw ukoll ħiliet intraprenditorjali, u jingħataw opportunità ta' tagħlim ibbażat fuq ix-xogħol fi ħdan entità privata jew pubblika relatata. Huma jitgħallmu wkoll ħiliet meħtieġa għal quddiem kamera. Fl-aħħar mill-aħħar, l-istudenti jkunu jistgħu japplikaw il-ħiliet kollha tagħhom fil-produzzjoniet. L-istudenti jkunu mħeġġa li isegwu varjetà ta' opportunitajiet ta' xogħol fl-industrija, jew biex ikomplu bl-istudji tagħhom fi programmi tal-arti performattiva.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma	2 Years Full-time	4
4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Other Entry Requirements	Includes Work Placement	120 ECTS
As from academic year 2025/26, applicants may be asked to sit for an Interview and/or an Audition.	Career Opportunities	
	Assistant performing a	rts/events/stage/logistics

manager · Assistant designer (props, costumes) · Technical assistant (light/sound design) ·

Performer (acting, dance, music)

## **Advanced Diploma in Photography**

The photographic industry requires young creatives who want to take the plunge into the world of professional image making. The industry requires competitive young professionals who can meet the on-going clients' demands for fresh and unique ideas for images in a variety of contexts. This course focuses on giving prospective photographers a very near real-life educational experience of what can be experienced in the photographic industries. Learners are exposed to the specialist areas of location photography, editorial photography and studio photography. Towards the end of each academic year the learners develop their own thematic photographic concepts and produce two major photographic projects. The course also includes DSLR photography, studio photography, studio lighting, monochrome darkroom photographic printing, and relevant post-production techniques using Adobe Photoshop.

L-industrija tal-fotografija tirrikjedi persuni żgħażagħ kreattivi li jridu jidħlu fid-dinja tatteħid professjonali tal-immaġni. L-industrija tirrikjedi professjonisti żgħażagħ kompetittivi li jistgħu jissodisfaw id-domandi kontinwi tal-klijenti għal ideat friski u uniċi għat-teħid ta' immaġnijiet f'varjetà ta' kuntesti. Dan huwa kors vokazzjonali ta' sentejn li jagħti lil fotografi prospettivi esperjenza edukattiva realistika simili għal dik li jistgħu jesperjenzaw fl-industriji tal-fotografija. L-istudenti jkunu esposti għall-oqsma speċjalizzati ta' editorial photography, location photography u studio photography. Lejn l-aħħar ta' kull sena akkademika, l-istudenti jiżviluppaw il-kunċetti fotografiċi tematiċi tagħhom stess u jipproduċu żewġ proġetti fotografiċi ewlenin. Il-kors jinkludi wkoll DSLR photography, studio photography, studio lighting, monochrome darkroom photographic printing, u teknika relevanti ta' post-produzzjoni bl-użu tal-Adobe Photoshop.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma	2 Years Full-time	4
4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Other Entry Requirements	Includes Work Placement	120 ECTS
Applicants may be asked to sit for an Interview and/or present a Portfolio.	Career Opportunities	
	Assistant photographer	. Junior photo journalist

Assistant photographer · Junior photo journalist · Junior studio photographer · Junior photo editor · Photographer retail attendant · Junior photographer (corporate)



## **Advanced Diploma in Art and Design**

The programme provides guided vocational learning in art and design as well as relevant key competences. It equips learners with the foundations required to undertake further studies in various specialist areas at undergraduate level. During the course, learners build a portfolio of student work that hones in their skills and gradually orients their focus in the direction they intend to follow in their career. The programme has an element of work-based learning through which students experience some contact with industry. Special attention is also given to visual and written communication in preparation for self-promotion and entrepreneurship after their studies.

Il-programm jipprovdi tagħlim vokazzjonali fl-arti u d-disinn kif ukoll kompetenzi ewlenin rilevanti. Il-kors iħejji lill-istudenti bil-pedamenti meħtieġa biex iwettqu aktar studji f'diversi oqsma speċjalizzati fil-livell tal-lawrja. Matul il-kors, l-istudenti jibnu portafoll ta' xogħol li jtejjeb il-ħiliet tagħhom u jgħin biex jimxu gradwalment fid-direzzjoni li bi ħsiebhom isegwu fil-karriera tagħhom. Il-programm għandu element ta' tagħlim ibbażat fuq ix-xogħol li permezz tiegħu l-istudenti jkollhom esperjenza fl-industrija. Tingħata wkoll attenzjoni speċjali lill-komunikazzjoni viżiva u bil-miktub bi tħejjija li jippromwovu lilhom infushom u jkunu intraprenditorjali wara l-istudji tagħhom.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Diploma in Art and Design	2 Years Full-time	4
or		
Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma, whilst being	Mode	Credits
in possession of the compulsory subject as		_
indicated hereunder	Includes Work	120 ECTS
or	Placement	
4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes		
Compulsory: Art or Art and Design or Design	<b>Career Opportunities</b>	
and Technology or Graphical Communication or		
Textiles and Design* or Fashion and Textiles*	Craftsperson · Artisan	· Draughtsperson · Sales
	Design Assistant	
*As from 2025/2026 Textiles and Design* or		
Fashion and Textiles will no longer be required		
as compulsory.		

Applicants may be asked to sit for an Interview and/or present a Portfolio.

**Other Entry Requirements** 

## **Advanced Diploma in Video Production**

This programme is designed for prospective learners that wish to gain theoretical knowledge as well as practical skills and competences in the video production industry. The course, which focuses on hands-on learning, provides the learner with a solid foundation in audiovisual production, including the underlying concepts through practice. The student will also undertake a placement in industry to strengthen their competences in a working environment. Upon successful completion of the course, one can continue studies at degree level or enter the industry with a range of abilities to function in a modern and competitive industry.

Dan il-programm huwa mfassal għal studenti li jixtiequ jiksbu għarfien teoretiku kif ukoll ħiliet u kompetenzi prattiċi fl-industrija tal-produzzjoni tal-vidjow. Il-kors, li jiffoka fuq tagħlim prattiku, jipprovdi lill-istudent b'pedament sod fil-produzzjoni awdjoviżiva, inklużi l-kunċetti sottostanti permezz tal-prattika. Dan jinkludi wkoll prattika fl-industrija biex jissaħħu l-kompetenzi f'ambjent tax-xogħol. Wieħed jista' jkompli l-istudji fil-livell sitta jew jidħol fl-industrija fejn hemm bżonn ta' diversi ħiliet f'suq kompetittiv.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Diploma in Art and Design	2 Years Full-time	4
or		
MCAST Diploma in Media	Mode	Credits
or		
MCAST Diploma in Foundation Studies for	Includes Work	120 ECTS
Security, Enforcement and Protection *	Placement	
or		
Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma whilst being	<b>Career Opportunities</b>	;
in possession of the compulsory subject as		
indicated hereunder *	Camera person · Vide	o editor · Audio assistant ·
or	Production assistant •	Production runner
4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes		
Compulsory: Art or English Language or Music or	Other Entry Requirer	ments
Media Literacy Education**		
or	Applicants may be as	ked to sit for an Interview
4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes together	and/or present a Port	folio.
with Media Literacy (at Level 2) or Portfolio (to be		
evaluated with possible interview)		
*As from 2025/2026 internal progression will be		
limited to MCAST Diploma in Art and Design		
and MCAST Diploma in Media		

\*\*As from 2025/2026 Art or English Language or Music will no longer be required as compulsory

## **Advanced Diploma in Fashion and Retail**

This course is designed to address the skills shortages in the fashion design and production sector. Learners undertaking the course learn important skills required for the fashion retail sector, together with basic entrepreneurial knowledge to support those learners who would like to set up their own atelier in the future. The first year of the programme offers learners the cultural, theoretical and creative aspects of the subject. Another important area is pattern drafting and sewing techniques in preparation for the second year. The second year of studies provides learners with the opportunity to develop further their knowledge and skills in the specialisation. They will participate in apprenticeship as well as present their own design concepts in a fashion collection as their final major project.

Dan il-kors huwa mfassal biex jindirizza n-nuqqasijiet fil-ħiliet fis-settur tad-disinn u l-produzzjoni tal-moda. L-istudenti li jidħlu għall-kors jiksbu ħiliet importanti li huma meħtieġa fis-settur tal-bejgħ lill-konsumatur f'dan il-qasam, flimkien ma' għarfien intraprenditorjali bażiku li jgħin lil dawk l-istudenti li jixtiequ li jkollhom l-istudjo tagħhom fil-futur. L-ewwel sena tal-programm toffri lill-istudenti l-aspetti kulturali, teoretiċi u kreattivi tas-suġġett. Qasam importanti ieħor huwa t-tfassil u t-teknika tal-ħjata bi tħejjija għat-tieni sena ta' studju li tipprovdi lill-istudenti l-opportunità li jkomplu jiżviluppaw l-għarfien u l-ħiliet tagħhom fl-ispeċjalizzazzjoni. Huma jieħdu sehem f'apprendistat u jippreżentaw il-kunċetti tad-disinn tagħhom stess f'kollezzjoni tal-moda bħala l-proġett ewlieni finali tagħhom.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma	2 Years Full-time	4
or 4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Other Entry Requirements	Apprenticeship	120 ECTS
Applicants may be asked to sit for an Interview and/ or present a Portfolio.	Career Opportunities	
o, presenta i orașine.	Junior designer in the fashion industry · Jun producer in an atelier · Assistant in a fashion marketing department · Assistant in fashior merchandising · Assistant in fashion retail a	
	customer care	





## Advanced Diploma in Cultural Heritage Skills

This course addresses needs in the cultural heritage sector in order to support the management, conservation, preservation and care of such heritage. Successful candidates will be able to ethically collaborate with relevant stakeholders, and would work under the supervision of a heritage professional. The programme of studies provides the necessary applied theoretical material and ethical background in technical aspects of cultural heritage and heritage skills including stone, wood, metals, books, paper and textiles heritage skills, with training being carried out in workshops, laboratories and on site. The course also has an apprenticeship, which will allow learners the opportunity to work alongside professionals and immerse themselves in the world of cultural heritage while getting the necessary training in the learning environment. Graduands of this programme can access the Bachelor in Conservation and Restoration Studies (Hons) course at the same Institute.

Dan il-kors jindirizza ħtiġijiet fis-settur tal-Wirt Kulturali sabiex jappoġġja l-ġestjoni, il-konservazzjoni, il-preservazzjoni u l-kura ta' dan il-wirt. Kandidati li jirnexxu jkunu jistgħu jikkollaboraw etikament mal-partijiet interessati rilevanti, u jkunu jaħdmu taħt is superviżjoni ta' professjonist tal-wirt. Il-programm ta' studji jipprovdi l-materjal teoretiku applikat meħtieġ u l-isfond etiku fl-aspetti tekniċi tal-wirt kulturali u l-ħiliet tal-wirt inklużi l-ħiliet tal-wirt tal-ġebel, l-injam, il-metalli, il-kotba, il-karta u t-tessuti, b'taħriġ isir f'workshops, laboratorji u fuq siti. Il-kors għandu wkoll apprendistat, biex l-istudenti jkollhom l-opportunità li jaħdmu flimkien ma' professjonisti u jidħlu sew fid-dinja tal-wirt kulturali filwaqt li jieħdu t-taħriġ meħtieġ fl-ambjent tat-tagħlim. Gradwati ta' dan il programm jistgħu jaċċessaw il-kors ta' Bachelor in Conservation and Restoration Studies (Hons) fl-istess Istitut.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma or	2 Years Full-time	4
4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Other Entry Requirements	Apprenticeship	120 ECTS
Applicants may be asked to sit for an Interview.	Career Opportunities	
	Heritage skills technicia	n · Assistant to archivist/

curator/conservator-restorer in archives/ churches/palaces/stately homes/museums/sites

## **Advanced Diploma in Graphic Printing**

This course provides fundamental knowledge of printing, print production and finishing. The programme also provides a formation in a range of skills and techniques, personal qualities and attitudes essential for successful employment. Learners will harness theoretical knowledge at the Institute, backed up by practical apprenticeship within the printing industry.

Dan il-kors jagħti lill-istudenti għarfien fundamentali dwar is-sengħa tal-istampar u l-produzzjoni u l-irfinar tal-prodott. Il-programm ta' studju jipprovdi wkoll formazzjoni f'varjetà ta' ħiliet u tekniki, kwalitajiet personali u attitudnijiet li huma essenzjali biex wieħed jirnexxi fl-impjieg tiegħu. L-istudenti jitgħallmu t-teorija fl-Istitut, li tissaħħaħ bil-prattika waqt apprendistat prattiku li jagħmlu fl-industrija tal-istampar.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma	2 Years Full-time	4
4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes. Compulsory: English Language	Mode	Credits
	Apprenticeship	120 ECTS
Other Entry Requirements	Career Opportunities	
Applicants may be asked to sit for an Interview		
and/or present a portfolio.	Offset printer · Printing	finisher • Machine

minder · Pre-press operator



Entry Dequirements

Applicants may be asked to sit for an Interview

and/or present their Portfolio.

### **Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Fine Art**

This degree programme is a synthesis of the most important elements of professional fine art practice as it concerns underpinning knowledge, fundamental skills and understanding. Learners have the opportunity to appreciate and develop a range of practical fine art disciplines, including drawing, sculpture, painting, photography, print making and digital imaging. They will be encouraged to investigate the multidimensional aspect of fine art theory and practice, as well as a broad variety of subject matters, such as spiritual, moral, ethical, as well as environmental and socio-cultural issues. This degree programme will stimulate learners in developing both their own personal advancement and the right assets to establish a studio practice.

Dan il-programm fil-livell ta' bacellerat huwa sintezi tal-aktar elementi importanti tal-prattika tal-arti professjonali billi jikkoncerna l-għarfien, il-ħiliet u l-fehim fundamentali. L-istudenti jkollhom l-opportunità li japprezzaw u jiżviluppaw firxa ta' dixxiplini tal-arti prattika, li jinkludu t-tpinġija, l-iskultura, il-pittura, il-fotografija, l-istampar u l-iżvilupp ta' immaġni diġitali. Huma jiġu mħeġġa jinvestigaw l-aspett multidimensjonali tat-teorija u l-prattika tal-arti, kif ukoll varjetà wiesgħa ta' suġġetti, bħal dawk spiritwali, morali u etiċi, kif ukoll kwistjonijiet ambjentali u soċjokulturali. Dan il-programm fil-livell ta' bacellerat jistimula lill-istudenti sabiex jiżviluppaw kemm fir-rigward ta' progress fl-istudji tagħhom kif ukoll fit-trawwim tal-attributi meħtieġa biex jiftħu l-istudjo tagħhom.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Art and Design	3 Years Full-time	6
or MCAST Advanced Diploma in Digital Design	Mode	Credits
or		_
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Photography	Live Cases	180 ECTS
or		
2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes	Career Opportunities	S
Compulsory A-Level: Art		
	2D artist · 3D artist · D	Digital artist · Multimedia
Other Entry Requirements	artist · Prop artist · Cra	aftsman · Gallery assistant ·
	Assistant to a curator	· Various roles within the

Course Duration

cultural sector

MOE Level



### **Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Game Art**

This degree programme has been developed in response to the increased demand for trained artists and designers who are able to produce visual concepts and assets for digital games. Learners will acquire grounding in essential art and design principles as well as basic knowledge in game creation using industry-standard software. They will continuously reinforce applied skills while relating relevant theories in game and visual design, storytelling, and IP development. In their final year of studies, learners will be able to team up with students from the Interactive Digital Media programme to create functional video games.

Dan il-programm fil-livell ta' bacellerat ģie žviluppat minħabba d-domanda kbira għal artisti u disinjaturi mħarrġa li huma kapaċi jipproduċu kunċetti viżwali għal-logħob diġitali. L-istudenti se jakkwistaw ħiliet fl-arti u l-prinċipji tad-disinn, kif ukoll għarfien bażiku fil-ħolqien tal-logħob bl-użu ta' software li jintuża fl-industrija. Huma ser isaħħu kontinwament il ħiliet applikati u jsiru jafu it-teoriji rilevanti fid-disinn tal-logħob, irrakkont tal-istejjer, u l-iżvilupp tal-IP. Fl-aħħar sena ta' studji tagħhom, l-istudenti jkunu jistgħu jingħaqdu ma' studenti mill-programm Interactive Digital Media biex joħolqu video game funzjonali.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Digital Design	3 Years Full-time	6
or		
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Art and Design	Mode	Credits
or		
2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes	Live Cases	180 ECTS
Compulsory A-Level: Art		
	Career Opportunities	s
Other Entry Requirements		
	Digital visual artist · S	itoryboard artist · Texture
Applicants may be asked to sit for an Interview	artist · Concept artist · 3D artist · 3D rigger · 3D	
and/or present their Portfolio.	modeller	

## Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Interactive Digital Media

This degree programme prepares learners to work in various sectors within an everevolving digital industry by giving them exposure to creative design and software development techniques for interactive media content. Learners will receive a strong grounding in graphic design principles and programming techniques for games, website technologies and interactive installations. They will concurrently acquire applied knowledge in the fundamental practices of the industry by exploring user experience design, game design, and generative digital imaging techniques. In their final year of study, learners will be able to team up with students from other disciplines to create rich interactive experiences.

Dan il-programm fil-livell ta' baċellerat jipprepara lill-istudenti biex jaħdmu f'diversi setturi fi ħdan industrija diġitali li dejjem tevolvi, billi jagħtihom esponiment għal tekniki ta' disinn kreattiv u żvilupp ta' softwer għal kontenut interattiv tal-midja. L-istudenti se jirċievu bażi soda fil-prinċipji tad-disinn grafiku u t-tekniki tal-ipprogrammar għal-logħob, teknoloġiji tal-websajt u installazzjonijiet interattivi. Fl-istess ħin se jakkwistaw għarfien applikat fil-prattiki fundamentali tal-industrija billi jesploraw id-disinn tal-esperjenza tal-utent, id-disinn tal-logħob, u t-tekniki tal-immaġini diġitali ġenerattivi. Fl-aħħar sena ta' studju tagħhom, l-istudenti jkunu jistgħu jingħaqdu ma' studenti minn dixxiplini oħra biex joħolqu esperjenzi interattivi.

#### **Entry Requirements**

MCAST Advanced Diploma in Digital Design

MCAST Advanced Diploma in Art and Design

MCAST Advanced Diploma in Photography

MCAST Advanced Diploma in Creative Media Production

or

MCAST Advanced Diploma in Video Production or

MCAST Advanced Diploma in IT (Multimedia Software Development stream or Software Development stream)

or

2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes Compulsory A-Level: Art or Computing

#### **Other Entry Requirements**

Applicants may be asked to sit for an Interview and/or present their Portfolio.

3 Years Full-time	6
Mode	Credits
Live Cases	180 ECTS

**MOF Level** 

#### **Career Opportunities**

**Course Duration** 

Web developer or designer · Application developer or designer · Game developer · 3D artist · Technical artist · UI and UX designer

### **Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Animation**

Animation is a powerful storytelling medium that is becoming more accessible to the average person. It is a form of expression through which artists can create communicative and imaginative art for others to enjoy and appreciate. This degree introduces learners to the tools and techniques required to produce animated work using traditional and digital tools. Learners will start by exploring basic animation theory and mechanics, develop observational and drawing skills and study the fundamental principles of visual design, layout, and storyboarding. They will gain experience in producing traditional artwork for stop-motion and frame-by-frame animation and gain a working knowledge of 2D and 3D animation practices including cinematography, motion graphics, rigging, visual effects and sound design.

L-animazzjoni hija mezz b'saħħtu biex nirrakuntaw l-istejjer u li qed isir aktar aċċessibbli. Hija forma ta' espressjoni li permezz tagħha l-artisti jistgħu joħolqu arti komunikattiva u immaġinattiva biex ħaddieħor igawdi u japprezza. Dan il-programm jintroduċi lill-istudenti għall-għodod u t-teknika meħtieġa biex jipproduċu xogħol animat blużu ta'għodod tradizzjonali u diġitali. L-istudenti se jibdew billi jesploraw it-teorija u l-mekkaniżmi bażiċi tal-animazzjoni, jiżviluppaw ħiliet ta' osservazzjoni u tpinġija u jistudjaw il-prinċipji fundamentali tad-disinn viżwali, it-tqassim, u l-istoryboarding. Huma se jiksbu esperjenza fil-produzzjoni ta' xogħol tal-arti tradizzjonali għall-animazzjoni stop-motion u frame-by-frame u jiksbu għarfien dwar l-animazzjoni 2D u 3D inklużi ċ-ċinematografija, l-motion graphics, l-armar, l-effetti viżwali u d-disinn tal-ħoss.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Digital Design	3 Years Full-time	6
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Art and Design or	Mode	Credits
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Video Production or MCAST Advanced Diploma in IT (Multimedia Software Development stream or Software Development stream only) or 2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes	Live Cases	180 ECTS
Compulsory A-Level: Art or Graphical Communication or Computing		
Other Entry Requirements		
Applicants may be asked to sit for an interview and/or present their portfolio.		

## Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Graphic Design

Communicating messages successfully via graphic design requires a high level of understanding of the visual art of representation. This highly contextualised programme draws on contemporary design practice, together with theoretical and historical cultural material. The degree will equip learners with the knowledge to explore and challenge creative boundaries, through real-life design scenarios. They will hone their skills in fundamental design principles such as layout, form, typography, iconography and colour. Learners will analyse a wide range of professional design problems, and find creative and innovative solutions using various media. The main aim of this degree programme is to focus on design as a means for communicating meaningful messages, gathering content, organising information, creating and presenting narratives and experiences, while always looking ahead to affect change.

Il-komunikazzjoni ta' messaġġi b'suċċess permezz ta' disinn grafiku teħtieġ livell għoli ta' fehim tal-arti viżiva tar-rappreżentazzjoni. Dan il-programm kuntestwali ħafna juża prattika tad-disinn kontemporanju, flimkien ma' materjal kulturali teoretiku u storiku. Il-grad se jgħammar lill-istudenti bl-għarfien biex jesploraw u jisfidaw il-konfini kreattivi, permezz ta' xenarji ta' disinn tal-ħajja reali. Huma se jsaħħu l-ħiliet tagħhom fil-prinċipji fundamentali tad-disinn bħat-tqassim, il-forma, it-tipografija, l-ikonografija u l-kulur. L-istudenti se janalizzaw firxa wiesgħa ta' problemi ta' disinn professjonali, u jsibu soluzzjonijiet kreattivi u innovattivi billi jużaw diversi mezzi. L-għan ewlieni ta' dan il-programm fil-livell ta' baċellerat huwa li jiffoka fuq id-disinn bħala mezz għall-komunikazzjoni ta' messaġġi sinifikanti, il-ġbir ta' kontenut, l-organizzazzjoni tal-informazzjoni, il-ħolqien u l-preżentazzjoni ta' narrattivi u esperjenzi, filwaqt li dejjem tħares 'il quddiem biex taffettwa l-bidla.

#### **Entry Requirements**

MCAST Advanced Diploma in Digital Design or

MCAST Advanced Diploma in Graphic Printing

MCAST Advanced Diploma in Art and Design or

MCAST Advanced Diploma in Photography or

MCAST Advanced Diploma in Creative Media Production

or

Advanced Diploma in Video Production or

2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes

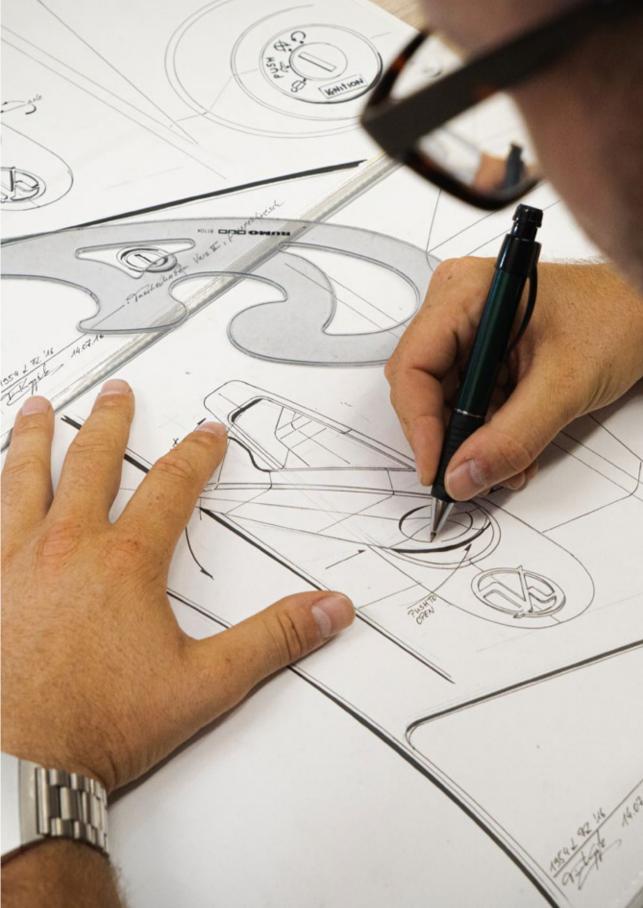
Compulsory A-Level: Art or Graphical Communication

#### **Other Entry Requirements**

Applicants may be asked to sit for an Interview and/or present their Portfolio.

Course Duration	MQF Level	
3 Years Full-time	6	
Mode	Credits	
Live Cases	180 ECTS	
Career Opportunities		
Graphic designer · Motio	on graphics designer .	

Web Designer



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## **Bachelor of Arts (Honours)** in Product Design

This degree programme prepares learners to work in the creative design of design crafts and industrial products. Learners learn how to respond to complex design briefs by investigating different cultural, socio-economic contexts and the development of design products. They will take individual responsibility to research and effectively communicate their creative ideas using visual communication and CAD software to present technical and creative renders of effective product designs. Guided lectures will provide learners with knowledge on fundamental topics such as sustainability, environmental studies, functional design, traditional 3D production and innovative technologies, also supported with the necessary skills to transform their designs into physical prototypes within industry-based scenarios.

Dan il-programm fil-livell ta' baċellerat iħejji lill-istudenti biex jaħdmu fid-disinn kreattiv tal-artiġjanat fid-disinn, u prodotti industrijali. L-istudenti jitgħallmu kif iwieġbu għal design briefs kumplessi billi jinvestigaw kuntesti kulturali, soċjoekonomiċi differenti u l-iżvilupp ta' prodotti tad-disinn. Huma jieħdu responsabbiltà individwali biex jirriċerkaw u jikkomunikaw b'mod effettiv il-ħsieb kreattivi tagħhom permezz tal-komunikazzjoni viżiva u s-softwer CAD biex jippreżentaw disinji ta' prodotti kreattivi li jkunu skont itteknika. Permezz ta' lezzjonijiet ggwidati, l-istudenti jiksbu għarfien dwar suġġetti fundamentali bħas-sostenibbiltà, l-istudji ambjentali, id-disinn funzjonali, u t-teknoloġiji tal-produzzjoni, kemm dawk tridimensjonali tradizzjonali kif ukoll oħrajn innovattivi. Bl-għajnuna tal-ħiliet neċessarji, l-istudenti jitgħallmu jibdlu d-disinji tagħhom fi prototipi kif jiġri fl-industrija.

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· Prop designer for stage or set

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Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Art and Design or	3 Years Full-time	6
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Joinery, Furniture	Mode	Credits
Design and Manufacturing or	Live Cases	— ————————————————————————————————————
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Manufacturing	Live cases	100 2010
or	Other Entry Require	ments
Advanced Diploma in Welding and Fabrication		
or	Applicants may be as	ked to sit for an Interview
2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes	and/or present their I	Portfolio.
Compulsory A-Level: Art or Graphical		
Communication or Engineering Drawing or	Career Opportunities	5
Physics		
	Industrial product de	signer · Furniture designer

## Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Spatial Design

This degree aims to provide learners with the essential communication skills to visually interpret industry-related spatial design projects of both internal and external spaces. Learners will develop critical analysis and independent thinking to project management competences to transform three-dimensional volumes into innovative spatial experiences. They will explore constructional materials and technology to develop their projects, with attention to sustainability and the environment, considering also light effects in the design brief. Learners will also learn how to generate technical drawings and artistic visuals using CAD software to communicate concepts and details in a realistic manner, as well as develop model-making skills.

Dan il-programm fil-livell ta' bacellerat għandhu l-għan li jipprovdi lill-istudenti l-ħiliet essenzjali tal-komunikazzjoni biex jinterpretaw b'mod viżiv proġetti relatati mal-industrija li jirrigwardaw id-disinn ta' spazji interni u esterni. L-istudenti jiżviluppaw il-ħiliet ta' analiżi kritika u ħsieb indipendenti meħtieġa għall-immaniġġjar ta' proġetti li jinvolvu t-trasformazzjoni ta' volumi tridimensjonali fi spazji innovattivi. Huma jesploraw materjali u teknoloġija ta' kostruzzjoni innovattivi biex jiżviluppaw il-proġetti tagħhom, waqt li jagħtu attenzjoni lis-sostenibbiltà u l-ambjent, u jikkunsidraw ukoll l-effetti tad-dawl skont id-design brief. Barra minn dan, l-istudenti jitgħallmu jipproduċu disinji tekniċi u viżwali artistiċi bl-użu tas-softwer CAD biex jikkomunikaw kunċetti u dettalji b'mod realistiku. Huma jiżviluppaw ukoll ħiliet fil-bini ta' mudelli.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Art and Design or	3 Years Full-time	6
Advanced Diploma in Environmental	Mode	Credits
Sustainability		_
or	Live Cases	180 ECTS
2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes		
Compulsory A-Level: Art or Graphical	Career Opportunities	S
Communication or Engineering Drawing or		
Physics	Interior designer • Sta designer • Storage or	and designer · Landscape set designer

Applicants may be asked to sit for an Interview and/or present their Portfolio.

**Other Entry Requirements** 

## Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Creative Media Production

This degree programme is intended to give learners the opportunity to work hands-on in creative environments and produce audio-visual content for both artistic and commercial practices. The course emphasizes content generation for the creative media and cultural industries. Learners will be initially exposed to key technical, conceptual, and critical aspects of media production. They will learn about the overarching principles and practices that underpin a professional creative media production. This degree programme gives young professionals all the necessary tools and techniques to develop ideas for screen-based content. Learners are then introduced to four main disciplines: Film; Documentary; TV and Digital Video, and then choose one discipline to specialise in it. This programme will give learners the opportunity to produce a fully-fledged creative media production in one of the chosen disciplines as a final major production.

Dan il-programm fil-livell ta' baċellerat huwa maħsub biex jagħti lill-istudenti l-opportunità li jaħdmu b'mod prattiku f'ambjenti kreattivi ħalli jipproduċu kontenut awdjoviżiv għal prattiċi artistiċi kif ukoll kummerċjali. Il-programm jiffoka fuq il-ħolqien ta' kontenut għall-midja kreattiva u artistika. L-istudenti jiġu esposti għall-aspetti tekniċi, kunċettwali u kritiċi ewlenin tal produzzjoni tal-midja. Huma se jitgħallmu dwar il-prinċipji u l-prattika ġenerali li jsaħħu produzzjoni professjonali tal-midja kreattiva u artistika. Dan il-programm jagħti lill-professjonisti żgħażagħ, l-għarfien, l-għodod u t-teknika kollha meħtieġa sabiex jiżviluppaw ideat għall-produzzjonijiet awdjoviżivi. L-istudenti mbagħad jiġu introdotti għal erba' dixxiplini ewlenin: Film; Dokumentarju; TV u Vidjo Diġitali, u jagħżlu dixxiplina waħda biex jispeċjalizzaw fiha. Il-programm se jagħti lill-istudenti l-opportunità li jipproduċu produzzjoni tal-midja kreattiva f'waħda mid-dixxiplini magħżula u jippreżentawha bħala produzzjoni ewlenija.

#### **Entry Requirements**

MCAST Advanced Diploma in Creative Media Production

or

MCAST Advanced Diploma in Video Production

MCAST Advanced Diploma in Photography or

MCAST Advanced Diploma in Digital Design or

MCAST Advanced Diploma in Art and Design or

2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes

Preferred A-Levels: Art, Computing, English, Maltese, Music, Theatre and Performance

Course Duration	MQF Level
3 Years Full-time	6
Mode	Credits
Live Cases	180 ECTS

#### Other Entry Requirements

Applicants may be asked to sit for an Interview and/or present their Portfolio.

#### **Career Opportunities**

TV editorial assistant · Film content producer

- TV content producer Film production runner
- · Film and TV technical operator

## Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Photography

The photography industry offers very exciting career pathways. The world of photography is an open invitation to all individuals who are keen to frame the world through a critical lens, to be prepared to commit for the ever-changing demands of the industry. The degree programme introduces learners to a variety of learning experiences, ranging from professional commercial photography to experimental image making. Learners will familiarise themselves with the basic foundations of image making in still photography, in both analogue and digital formats. They will explore still image recording and finishing for commercial and artistic endeavours using industry-standard equipment. In their final year, learners will be given the opportunity to research and develop their own individual visual language.

L-industrija tal-fotografija toffri toroq li jwasslu għal karrieri eċċitanti ħafna. Id-dinja tal fotografija hija stedina miftuħa għall-individwi kollha li huma interessati li jinkwadraw id-dinja permezz ta' lenti kritika, sabiex jitħejjew biex jimpenjaw ruħhom għad domandi tal-industrija. Dan il-programm fil-livell ta' baċellerat jintroduċi lill-istudenti għal varjetà ta' esperjenzi ta' tagħlim, li jvarjaw minn fotografija kummerċjali professjonali għat-teħid tal-immaġni sperimentali. L-istudenti jiffamiljarizzaw ruħhom mal-elementi bażiċi tat-teħid tal-immaġni, kemm dik li tiċċaqlaq kif ukoll fil-fotografija fissa. Huma jesploraw ir-reġistrazzjoni u l-irfinar tal-immaġni fissa għal skopijiet kummerċjali u artistiċi bl-użu tat-tagħmir standard f'din l-industrija. Fl-aħħar sena tagħhom, l-istudenti jingħataw l-opportunità li jagħmlu riċerka u jiżviluppaw il-lingwa viżiva individwali tagħhom stess.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Any MCAST Advanced Diploma	3 Years Full-time	6
Preference is given to MCAST Advanced	Mada	Qualities.
Diploma in Photography or	Mode	Credits
2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level Passes	Live Cases	180 ECTS
Other Entry Requirements	Career Opportunities	5
Applicants may be asked to sit for an Interview	Commercial photographer · Fashion	
and/or present their Portfolio.	photographer · Wedo	ling photographer · Photo

journalist or editor · Fine art photographer

· Professional photo editor

### **Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Journalism**

The journalism sphere offers exciting new career opportunities for individuals who are keen to learn and to offer a much needed service to society. Journalism is a vocation that can take learners to unimaginable places and lead them to meet extraordinary people. Learners will be expected to effectively analyse and report the events that shape our lives and the world around us. They will be guided to design, develop and produce news content using the latest audio-visual technologies and recording devices. Moreover, learners will explore how to present their journalistic works to the public in a variety of formats such as print, radio, television and online. Throughout this programme, learners will work on real-life case scenarios, applying theoretical knowledge to practical journalism and related projects, working both in teams as well as autonomously.

L-isfera tal-ġurnaliżmu toffri opportunitajiet ta' karrieri ġodda u eċċitanti għal individwi li huma interessati li jitgħallmu u li joffru servizz ferm meħtieġ lis-soċjetà. Il-ġurnaliżmu huwa vokazzjoni li tista' twassal lill-istudent f'postijiet li qatt ma immaġina u tlaqqgħu ma' persuni straordinarji. L-istudenti jkunu mistennija janalizzaw u jirrapportaw b'mod effettiv l-avvenimenti li jiffurmaw ħajjitna u d-dinja ta' madwarna. Huma jiġu ggwidati sabiex jiddisinjaw, jiżviluppaw u jipproduċu kontenut tal-aħbarijiet permezz ta' teknoloġiji awdjoviżivi u apparat tar-reġistrazzjoni l-aktar moderni. Barra minn hekk, l-istudenti jesploraw kif jippreżentaw ix-xogħlijiet ġurnalistiċi tagħhom lill-pubbliku f'varjetà ta' formati bħall-istampa, ir-radju, it-televiżjoni u l-internet. Matul dan il-programm, l-istudenti jkunu meħtieġa jaħdmu f'tims kif ukoll individwalment fuq xenarji realistiċi, filwaqt li japplikaw l-għarfien teoretiku għall-ġurnaliżmu prattiku u proġetti simili.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Creative Media	3 Years Full-time	6
Production		
or	Mode	Credits
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Video Production		
or	Internship and Live	180 ECTS
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Photography	Cases	
or		
2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level Passes	<b>Career Opportunities</b>	
Compulsory I-Level: Maltese or English Language		
	News journalist · Sports j	ournalist • Fashion
Other Entry Requirements	journalist • Business jourr	nalist

Applicants may be asked to sit for an Interview

and/or present their Portfolio.

## **Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Performing Arts**

The professionalisation of the performing arts has been a national priority for the sector for the last few years. This multi and interdisciplinary undergraduate programme responds to this priority and gives learners the opportunity to work hands-on in creative environments through joint collaboration with industry stakeholders to manage and produce performing arts projects for both artistic and commercial practices. According to their chosen study-area/s (management, acting, dance, music, light, sound, costumes, set, props) learners acquire a broad range of skills and techniques focusing on performing arts productions, through critical analysis, research and practical assignments. In their final year, learners are given the opportunity to research and develop their own individual practice.

Il-promozzjoni tal-professjonalità tal-arti tal-ispettaklu kienet prijorità nazzjonali għassettur għal dawn l-aħħar snin. Dan il-programm multidixxiplinarju u interdixxiplinarju fil-livell ta' baċellerat iwieġeb għal din il-prijorità u jagħti lill-istudenti l-opportunità li jaħdmu b'mod prattiku fambjenti kreattivi permezz ta' kollaborazzjoni konġunta malpartijiet interessati tal-industrija, biex imexxu u jipproduċu proġetti tal-arti tal-ispettaklu għal skopijiet artistiċi kif ukoll kummerċjali. Skont il-qasam tal-istudju li jagħżlu (il-maniġment, ir-reċtar, iż-żfin, il-mużika, il-ħoss, id-dwal, il-kostumi, is-sett, il-props), l-istudenti jiksbu firxa wiesgħa ta' ħiliet u ta' teknika li lkoll jiffokaw fuq produzzjonijiet tal-arti tal-ispettaklu. Dan isir permezz ta' analiżi kritika, riċerka u ħidmiet prattiċi. Fl-aħħar sena tagħhom, l-istudenti jingħataw l-opportunità li jagħmlu riċerka u jiżviluppaw il-prattika individwali tagħhom stess.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Any MCAST Advanced Diploma	3 Years Full-time	6
or 2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes Preferred A-Levels: Art, Music, Philosophy,	Mode	Credits
Sociology, and Theatre and Performance	Internship	180 ECTS
Other Entry Requirements		
Applicants may be asked to sit for an Interview and/or an Audition.		

### **Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Fashion**

The Fashion industry is continuously evolving, and this degree programme aims to address the requirements in the various specialisations within the industry. The programme focuses on various spectrums such as fashion/costume design and production, as well as retail and marketing. Learners are supported by contextual studies to understand how fashion designers inspire their creativity. The degree programme provides learners with the specialist skills to create patterns using traditional techniques, as well as modern software (CAD/CAM) within fashion production processes, on small and mass production scales. Moreover, the programme offers specialist units addressing retail and marketing content. The programme targets new, evolving digital technologies for individuals who wish to set up their own firm with the required entrepreneurial skills, as well as those who wish to progress in the fashion business.

L-industrija tal-Moda qegħda tevolvi b'pass imgħaġġel, għalhekk dan il-programm fil-livell ta' baċellerat jindirizza r-rekwiziti speċjalizzati għal setturi differenti fi ħdan din l-industrija. Il-programm jiffoka fuq oqsma speċifiċi fi ħdan l-industrija tal-moda, inklużi d-disinn u l-produzzjoni tal-moda/kostumi, il-bejgħ u l-marketing. L-istudenti għandhom l-appoġġ permezz ta' studji kuntestwali li jwasslu lill-istudenti jifhmu kif id-disinjaturi jiġu spirati fil-kreattività tagħhom. Il-kors f'livell ta' baċellerat jipprovdi lill-istudenti l-ħiliet speċjalizzati u neċessarji sabiex ifasslu ħwejjeġ bl-użu tat-teknika tradizzjonali u permezz tas-softwer modern (CAD/CAM) li jintuża fil-proċess tal-produzzjoni tal-ilbies, kemm fuq skala żgħira, kif ukoll fuq skala ħafna ikbar. Barra minn hekk, il-programm joffri wkoll unitajiet speċjalizzati li l-kontenut tagħhom jittratta l-bejgħ u r-reklamar. Il-programm jindirizza t-teknoloġija diġitali ġdida li qegħda tevolvi, bl-għan li-individwi li jixtiequ jibdew in-negozju tagħhom jiksbu l-ħiliet intraprenditorjali meħtieġa, kif ukoll għal dawk l-istudenti li jridu jimxu 'l quddiem fl-industrija tal-moda.

Entry Requirements
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Fashion and Retail
or
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Art and Design
(with a textiles major project)
or
2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes
Compulsory A-Level: Art or Graphical
Communication or Engineering Drawing or
Physics or Home Economics and Human
Ecology

Applicants may be asked to sit for an Interview and/or present their Portfolio.

**Other Entry Requirements** 

Course Duration	MQF Level
3 Years Full-time	6
Mode	Credits
Apprenticeship	180 ECTS
Career Opportunities	

Fashion production manager · Outlet layout designer · Fashion merchandiser · Fashion designer · Fashion events coordinator · Retail manager · Fashion marketing manager

- · Customer service manager · Brand manager
- · Fashion entrepreneur

## **Bachelor in Conservation (Honours)**

This full-time undergraduate course in conservation-restoration studies provides the learner with the opportunity to obtain the fundamental knowledge, skills and competences in conservation-restoration in a particular area of studies on offer. After an initial common year, learners then have the possibility to focus on a specific area. During the three years, which include practice-led formation and internships, the learner appreciates the complex nature of conservation-restoration as an interdisciplinary endeavour in which the conservation-restoration graduate collaborates with other members of a multidisciplinary team under the supervision of a warranted conservator restorer, for the benefit of the heritage. Through the final-year dissertation project of choice the learner has the opportunity to delve into further detail within the area of focus.

Learners who successfully complete this programme may enrol in the MCAST Master in Conservation, in partial fulfilment of the requirements to qualify for a warrant to practice according to the Cultural Heritage Act (CAP. 445) of the Laws of Malta.

Dan il-kors full-time fl-istudji dwar il-konservazzjoni-restawr jipprovdi lill-istudent bl-opportunità li jikseb l-għarfien, il-ħiliet u l-kompetenzi fundamentali fil-konservazzjoni u r-restawr. Wara l-ewwel sena, l-istudenti jkollhom il-possibbiltà li jiffokaw fuq qasam speċifiku. Tul it-tliet snin li jinkludu formazzjoni mmexxija mill-prattika u apprendistati, l-istudent japprezza n-natura kumplessa tal-konservazzjoni u r-restawr bħala sforz interdixxiplinarju li fih il-gradwat fil-konservazzjoni u r-restawr jikkollabora ma' membri oħra ta' tim multidixxiplinarju taħt is-superviżjoni tal-konservatur-restawratur b'warrant, għall-ġid tal-wirt storiku. Permezz tal-proġett tal-aħħar sena, l-istudent għandu l-opportunità li jidħol f'aktar dettall fi ħdan qasam speċifiku.

Studenti li jtemmu dan il-programm b'suċċess jistgħu jinkitbu għall-Master in Conservation tal-MCAST, bi twettiq parzjali tar-rekwiżiti biex jikkwalifikaw għal warrant biex jipprattikaw skont l-Att dwar il-Patrimonju Kulturali (KAP. 445) tal-Liġijiet ta' Malta.

MCAST Advanced Diploma in Cultural Harit

MCAST Advanced Diploma in Cultural Heritage Skills\*

or

MCAST Advanced Diploma in Masonry Heritage Skills (Mastru)\*

or

any MCAST Advanced Diploma

**Entry Requirements** 

or

2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes.

\* Students progressing from the MCAST Advanced Diploma in Cultural Heritage Skills and MCAST Advanced Diploma in Masonry Heritage Skills will be given preference in cases where the number of applicants exceeds the number of available places.

MQF Level
6
Credits
180 ECTS

#### **Career Opportunities**

Assistant conservator-restorer in the heritage sector

#### Other Entry Requirements

Applicants may be asked to sit for an Interview and/or present their Portfolio.

## **Master of Arts in Product Design**

This postgraduate degree programme develops the artistic and humanistic skills belonging to the design culture together with the technical know-how that relates to production technology, materials and manufacturing costs. It strives to meet the need of operating in a worldwide landscape of heightened competition where the designer can increase the value of a consumer product by creating innovation – in both aesthetics and usability – that takes advantage of available technologies and everchanging consumer lifestyles. Candidates will build an improved critical capability to explore contemporary design languages, focus on experimentation with innovative interdisciplinary technologies and materials from preliminary concept to finish, and focus on understanding and developing sustainable production and consumption processes.

FEES: Fees apply - Further information through MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry)

Dan il-programm post-lawrja jiżviluppa l-ħiliet artistiċi u umanistiċi li jappartjenu lill-kultura tad-disinn, flimkien ma' għarfien espert tekniku li jirrigwarda t-teknoloġija tal-produzzjoni, il-materjali u l-ispejjeż tal-manifattura. Il-programm ifittex li jissodisfa l-ħtieġa tal-operat f pajsaġġ dinji ta' kompetizzjoni qawwija, fejn id-disinjatur jista' jgħolli l-valur ta' prodott għall-konsumatur billi joħloq innovazzjoni – kemm fl-estetika kif ukoll flużu – li tieħu vantaġġ mit-teknoloġiji disponibbli u l-istili ta' ħajja tal-konsumatur li dejjem jinbidlu. Il-kandidati jiżviluppaw kapaċità kritika aħjar biex jesploraw lingwi tad-disinn kontemporanji, jiffokaw fuq esperimentazzjoni b'teknoloġiji interdixxiplinari u materjali innovattivi mill-kunċett preliminari sat-tlestija, u jiffokaw fuq l-għarfien u l-iżvilupp ta' proċessi ta' produzzjoni u konsum sostenibbli.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Product	PT 5 Semesters	
Design		
or	Mode	Credits
a comparable first degree (MQF Level 6 at 180		
ECTS or more)	Blended	90 ECTS
or		
achieved an equivalent professional work		
experience in a related field of product design.		
Candidates will also need to be able to show		
evidence of professional skills and abilities in the		
area of product design that they want to focus on.		
Other Entry Requirements		
MQF Level 5 qualification and adequate		
professional experience are also considered.		

### **Master in Conservation**

This postgraduate programme in conservation-restoration studies provides a former graduate in conservation-restoration studies the opportunity to obtain specialist knowledge, skills and competences in conservation-restoration in a particular area of studies on offer. While the programme offers some units which are common to all participants, other units focus on a specific area. During the five semesters, which include practice-led projects of a complexity commensurate to such a level of professional formation, the learner will complete formal education in conservation-restoration according to national and international standards. Moreover, through the research project of choice, the learner will engage in specialist research that contributes to the sector in a particular area of conservation-restoration. For this reason, the specialisation selected at this level shall be related to that studied at undergraduate level.

FEES: Fees apply - Further information through MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry)

Dan il-programm post-lawrja fl-istudji tal-konservazzjoni-restawr jipprovdi opportunità biex l-istudent jikseb l-għarfien, il-ħiliet u l-kompetenzi speċjalizzati fil konservazzjoni-restawr f'qasam partikolari ta' studji offruti. Filwaqt li l-programm joffri xi unitajiet li huma komuni għall-kandidati kollha, unitajiet oħra jiffokaw fuq qasam speċifiku. Matul il-ħames semestri li jinkludu proġetti ta' prattika b'kumplessità addatta għal-livell ta' formazzjoni professjonali, l-istudent se jsegwi edukazzjoni formali fil-konservazzjoni-restawr skont standards nazzjonali u internazzjonali. Barra minn hekk, permezz tal-proġett tar-riċerka l-istudent se jagħmel riċerka speċjalizzata li tikkontribwixxi għas-settur f'qasam partikolari ta' konservazzjoni-restawr. Għal din ir-raġuni, l-ispeċjalizzazzjoni magħżula f'dan il-livell għandha tkun relatata ma' dik segwita fil-livell ta' baċellarat.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Bachelor in Conservation (Honours)	PT 5 Semesters	7
a comparable first degree (MQF Level 6 at 180 ECTS or more) awarded by a recognised	Mode	Credits
institution.	Blended	90 ECTS
Career Opportunities		
Conservator-restorer in the heritage sector following a warranting process	•	

## **Master in Creative Media and Enterprise**

This postgraduate programme in Creative Media and Enterprise focuses on the challenging and intriguing relationship between Creative Media Production and Strategic Media Enterprise. This Master's programme is designed to give learners the opportunity to develop their own envisaged idea for a Creative Media Enterprise and making it a reality. Learners will be given the opportunity to work in a chosen field of Creative Media Practice while developing a solid theoretical understanding of practices and operations in the creative and cultural industries. They will learn about the objectives of creative and cultural policies, the implications of intellectual property and best practices to develop and run own Creative Media business start-up. This course will also allow learners to acquire the best technical skills to be an innovative Creative Media professional while setting up and running their own successful Creative Media Enterprise regardless of whether they intend to set up their own practice or are already working in an established business enterprise.

#### FEES: Fees apply - Further information through MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry)

Dan il-programm fil-livell ta' Master fil-Midja Kreattiva u l-Intrapriża jiffoka fuq ir-relazzjoni mimlija sfida bejn il-Produzzjoni tal-Midja Kreattiva u l-Intrapriża tal-Midja Strateġika. Dan il-programm fil-livell ta' Master huwa mfassal biex jagħti lill-istudenti l-opportunità li jiżviluppaw u jwettqu l-ideat tagħhom għall-Intrapriża tal-Midja Kreattiva. L-istudenti se jingħataw l-opportunità li jaħdmu f'qasam li jagħżlu ta' Prattika tal-Midja Kreattiva filwaqt li jiżviluppaw fehim teoretiku sod tal- prattika u l-operat fl-industriji kreattivi u kulturali. Huma se jitgħallmu dwar l-għanijiet tal-politika kreattiva u kulturali, l-implikazzjonijiet tal-proprjetà intellettwali u l-aħjar prattika biex jiżviluppaw u jmexxu start-up fil-qasam tal-Midja Kreattiva. Dan il-kors se jippermetti wkoll lill-istudenti jiksbu l-aqwa ħiliet teknići biex ikunu professjonisti innovattivi tal-Midja Kreattiva filwaqt li jmexxu l-Intrapriża tal-Midja Kreattiva kemm għandhom il-ħsieb li jistabbilixxu n-negozju tagħhom u kemm jekk diġà jaħdmu f'intrapriża kummerċjali stabbilita.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Creative Media Production	PT 5 Semesters	7
or	Mode	Credits
a comparable first degree (MQF Level 6 at 180 ECTS or more)	Blended	90 ECTS
or achieved an equivalent professional work		
experience in a field of creative media practice.  Candidates will also need to be able to show		
evidence of professional skills and abilities in the area of media practice that they want to focus on.		

## **Master in Creative Expression**

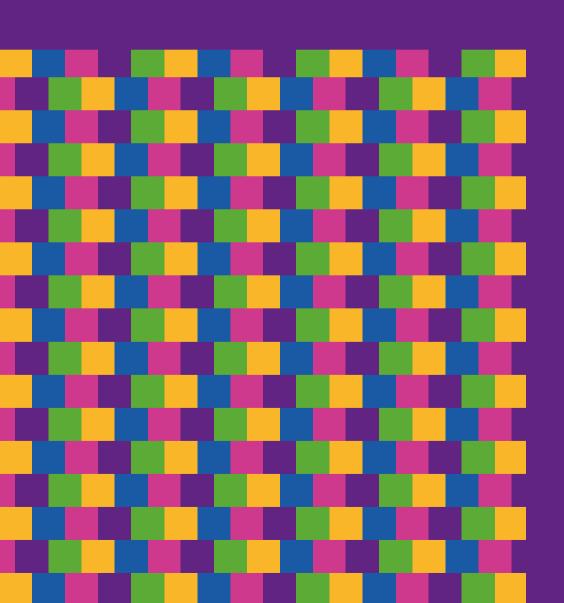
This postgraduate programme in Creative Expression is designed to provide learners interested in enhancing their artistic practice, the opportunity to explore their identity as creators and designers within a broader social context. Unlike the feeder undergraduate programmes which focus primarily on technical skills, this master's program encourages learners to prioritize the creative process. They will delve into the legal, ethical, and moral considerations that underpin their work, as well as the various cultural and societal influences that affect their art. In addition to developing technical skills, learners will acquire skills to communicate effectively with other artists, community members, and organizations. They will also gain an understanding of the role that culture plays in shaping the execution of creative concepts. By the end of the programme, learners will have a deeper awareness of their place within society, as well as a greater ability to meet the needs of their communities through their artistic work. This programme is ideal for artists who want to take their creative practice to the next level while also making a meaningful impact on the world around them.

#### FEES: Fees apply - Further information through MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry)

Dan il-programm fil-livell ta' Masters fl-Espressjoni Kreattiva huwa mfassal biex jipprovdi lill-istudenti interessati li jsaħħu l-prattika artistika tagħhom, l-opportunità li jesploraw l-identità tagħhom bħala artisti u disinjaturi f'kuntest soċjali usa'. B'differenza mill-programmi fil-livell ta' baċellerat li jiffokaw primarjament fuq ħiliet tekniċi, dan il-programm ta' masters iħeġġeġ lill-istudenti biex jagħtu prijorità lill-proċess kreattiv. Huma se jidħlu fil-kunsiderazzjonijiet legali, etiċi u morali li jsostnu xogħolhom, kif ukoll id-diversi influwenzi kulturali u soċjali li jaffettwaw l-arti tagħhom. Minbarra l-iżvilupp ta' ħiliet tekniċi, l-istudenti jiksbu ħiliet biex jikkomunikaw b'mod effettiv ma' artisti, membri tal-komunità u organizzazzjonijiet oħra. Huma se jiksbu wkoll tagħrif dwar ir-rwol li għandha l-kultura fl-iżvilupp tal-kunċetti kreattivi. Sa tmiem il-programm, l-istudenti se jkollhom għarfien aktar profond tal-post tagħhom fis-soċjetà, kif ukoll kapaċità akbar li jissodisfaw il-ħtiġijiet tal-komunitajiet tagħhom permezz tax-xogħol artistiku tagħhom. Dan il-programm huwa ideali għall-artisti li jridu jieħdu l-prattika kreattiva tagħhom għallivell li jmiss filwaqt li jagħmlu impatt sinifikanti fuq id-dinja ta' madwarhom.

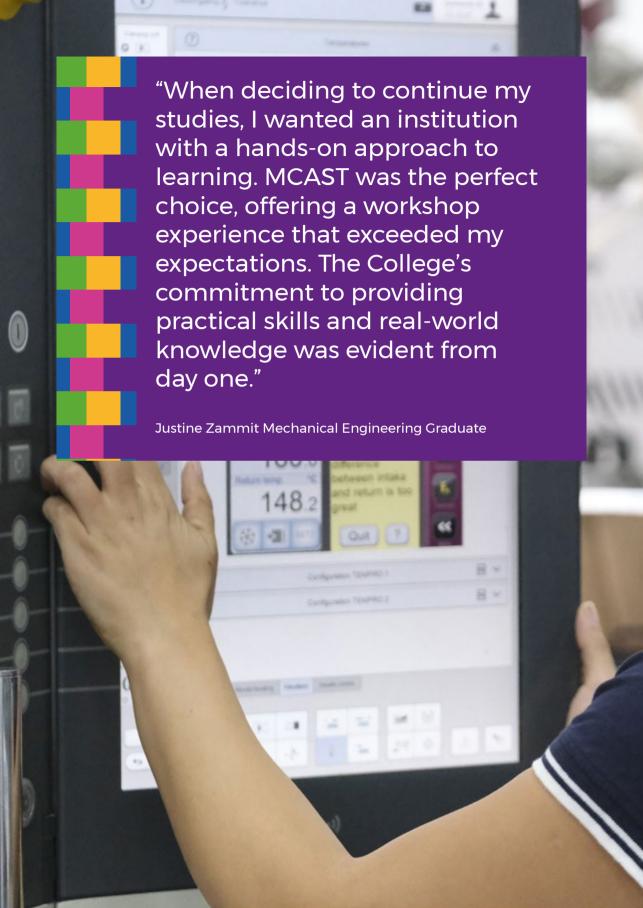
Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
A comparable first degree (MQF Level 6 at 180	PT 5 Semesters	7
ECTS or more) in the Creative Arts or achieved an equivalent professional work	Mode	Credits
experience in a related field of creative arts.  Candidates will also need to be able to show evidence of professional skills and abilities in	Blended	90 ECTS
the area that they want to focus on, through a portfolio or show reel.		

# **ENGINEERING AND TRANSPORT**



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- 244 Master of Science in Mechatronics
- 245 Master of Science in High Performance Buildings





## **Introductory Certificate in Trade Skills**

This programme provides an opportunity to school leavers who have not yet attained a Level 2 secondary level to explore underpinning principles of common engineering skills. This programme incorporates both key skills and vocational units with an applied hands-on approach. Most of the learning is done in a workshop to enhance the learning experience of students. By the end of this course, learners will be exposed to a wide range of Engineering sectors with a mixture of theory and practice work applied through a series of simple projects. It will also help learners to strengthen their grasp of basic key skills including Mathematics, English, Maltese, Information Technology, Science and CSR

Dan il-programm jipprovdi opportunità lil dawk l-istudenti li temmew l-iskola sekondarja iħda għadhom ma laħqux livell sekondarju fil-livell 2, biex jesploraw il-prinċipji fħiliet bażici tal-inġinerija. Dan il-programm jinkorpora kemm ħiliet ewlenin kif ukoll ħiliet vokazzjonali b'metodu prattiku applikat. Ħafna mit-tagħlim isir f'workshops biex titjib l-esperjenza tat-tagħlim tal-istudenti. Meta jtemmu l-kors, l-istudenti se jkunu ġew esposti għal firxa wiesgħa ta' setturi tal-Inġinerija li tinkludi kemm teorija u xogħol prattiku applikat permezz ta' serje ta' proġetti sempliċi, Dan il-kors jipprovdi wkoll lill-istudenti l-opportunità li jkomplu jsaħħu l-għarfien tagħhom fir-rigward tas-suġġetti tal-ħiliet ewlenin, bħall-Matematika, l-Ingliż, il-Malti, it-Teknoloġija tal-Informazzjoni, ix-Xjenza, u CSR.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Finished compulsory education Initial Assessment Tests (as may be applicable)	1 Year Full-time	1
milital Assessment lests (as may be applicable)		Credits
		40 ECTS

## **Foundation Certificate in Engineering**

This course is designed to provide an opportunity to prospective learners to follow a structured programme of study in Engineering. The programme includes a significant amount of hands-on practice, project-based learning and industry-related activities that will help learners form a clear idea of the nature of the engineering trade or vocation they intend to follow. This one-year Level 2 programme provides a broad introduction to basic theoretical concepts and practical skills in Mechanical, Electrical and Electronics Engineering and is suitable for those learners intending to start and further their studies in Engineering. Key skills subjects also form an integral part of this programme, giving learners the opportunity to nurture their competences in key areas: English, Maltese, Mathematics, Science, Information Technology.

Dan il-kors huwa mfassal biex jipprovdi lill-istudenti prospettivi l-opportunità li jsegwu programm strutturat ta' studju fl-Inginerija. Il-programm jinkludi ammont sewwa ta' prattika diretta, tagħlim ibbażat fuq proġetti u attivitajiet relatati mal-industrija, li jgħinu lill-istudenti jiffurmaw idea ċara tan-natura tas-sengħa jew tal-vokazzjoni fil-qasam tal-Inġinerija li huma jixtiequ jaqbdu. Dan il-programm ta' sena f'Livell 2, jipprovdi introduzzjoni wiesgħa għall-kunċetti teoretiċi bażiċi u l-ħiliet prattiċi fl-Inġinerija Mekkanika, Elettrika u Elettronika, u huwa tajjeb għal dawk l-istudenti li għandhom l-intenzjoni li jibdew u jkomplu jistudjaw l-Inġinerija. Is-suġġetti ta' ħiliet ewlenin jiffurmaw ukoll parti integrali minn dan il-programm, u jagħtu lill-istudenti l-opportunità li jtejbu l-kompetenzi tagħhom fl-oqsma ewlenin: l-Ingliż, il-Malti, il-Matematika, ix-Xjenza, it-Teknoloġija tal-Informazzjoni.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Introductory Certificate	1 Year Full-time	2
or Finished Compulsory Education		Credits
Initial Assessment Tests (as may be applicable)		
		60 ECTS

## Foundation Certificate in Construction Engineering

This programme of study provides the learner with an opportunity to get acquainted with the different vocational trades related to construction engineering. The vocational practice component is based on a 'taster' approach whereby the learner will learn about the tools, materials, processes and applications relative to:

- · Welding and Fabrication
- · Plumbing and Electrical Installation
- · Refrigeration and Air-conditioning
- Woodwork
- Trowel trades, including Restoration, Stone Masonry and Tile Laying.

  Technical Drawing will complement the five vocational areas listed above. Learners will also have the opportunity to enhance their key skills, such as English, Maltese, Mathematics, Science, Information Technology and Individual and Social Responsibility, all of which will be embedded in the vocational content.

Dan il-programm ta' studju jipprovdi lill-istudent l-opportunità li jsir familjari mas-snajja' vokazzjonali differenti relatati mal-inginerija tal-kostruzzjoni. Fil-komponent tal-prattika vokazzjonali l-istudent ikollu l-opportunità li jitgħallem dwar l-għodod, il-materjali, il-processi u l-applikazzjonijiet relatati ma':

- · L-Iwweldjar u I-Fabbrikazzjoni
- · II-Plumbing u I-Installazzjoni tal-Elettriku
- · Ir-Refrigerazzjoni u I-Kondizzjonament tal-Arja
- · Ix-Xogħol tal-Injam
- · Is-Sengħa tat-Tikħil, inkluż ix-Xogħol ta' Restawr, ix-Xogħol tal-Ġebel u t-Tqegħid tal-Madum.

Flimkien mal-ħames oqsma vokazzjonali mniżżla hawn fuq, l-istudent jitgħallem ukoll id-Disinn Tekniku. L-istudenti jkollhom anke l-opportunità li jsaħħu l-ħiliet ewlenin tagħhom, bħall-Ingliż, il-Malti, il-Matematika, ix-Xjenza, it-Teknoloġija tal-Informazzjoni u r-Responsabbiltà Individwali u Soċjali, li huma kollha inkorporati fil-kontenut vokazzjonali.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
MCAST Introductory Certificate	1 Year Full-time	2
or		
Finished Compulsory Education		Credits
Initial Assessment Tests (as may be applicable)		
		60 ECTS





# ALP+ Extended Diploma in Automotive Repair (Body and Paint)

This course is aimed at learners who have successfully completed their studies at the Alternative Learning Programme of the Ministry for Education, and are interested in pursuing further vocational studies at MQF Level 3, related to automotive repair. This course focuses on the knowledge and skills required for eventual employment at assistant technician level in the automotive sector. The combination of practical experience and theoretical knowledge gained by successfully completing the course, will equip learners with the knowledge and skills with which they will be able to access the labour market, or alternatively, they will be eligible to continue their studies at MQF level 4 at MCAST, by selecting one of the various Advanced Diplomas offered by the College, in their preferred area of study.

This programme is intended for learners with or without knowledge and experience of the automotive industry. Learners will learn how to work on vehicle accident repair tasks on body work under minimal supervision. The course will also provide the learners with the skills required to carry out paint repairs to the manufacturers' specifications. They will thus gain a combination of theoretical knowledge and practical skills in automotive accident repair (panel beating) together with body paint principles. Learners will be expected to carry out effective housekeeping practices to work effectively within the automotive industry. They will also learn how to work safely when carrying out removal and replacement of exterior vehicle panels and paint jobs. Learners will also be expected to improve their knowledge of key skills subjects such as Mathematics, English, Maltese, and Information Technology.

Dan il-kors huwa mmirat għal studenti li jkunu temmew b'suċċess l-istudji tagħhom fil-Programm ta' Tagħlim Alternattiv (I-ALP) tal-Ministeru għall-Edukazzjoni, u huma interessati li jkomplu bit-tagħlim vokazzjonali fil-Livell 3 tal-MQF, relatat mat-tiswija tal-karozzi. Dan il-kors jiffoka fuq l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex eventwalment iwasslu għall-impjieg fil-livell ta' assistent tekniku fl-industrija tal-karozzi. L-esperjenza prattika u l-għarfien teoretiku li jakkwistaw l-istudenti li jispiċċaw il-kors, jgħinu biex dawn ikollhom l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex jaħdmu, jew inkella, ikunu eliġibbli biex ikomplu l-istudji tagħhom fil-livell 4 tal-MQF fl-MCAST, billi jagħżlu wieħed mill-bosta korsijiet tal-Advanced Diploma fil-qasam li jippreferu.

Dan il-programm huwa intiż għal studenti li jkollhom, u wkoll għal dawk li ma jkollhomx, għarfien ta' u esperjenza fl-industrija tal-karozzi. L-istudenti jitgħallmu jagħmlu, bi ftit superviżjoni, xogħlijiet ta' tiswija fuq il-body ta' karozzi li jkunu involuti f'inċident tat-traffiku. Il-kors jipprovdi wkoll lill-istudenti l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex iwettqu tiswijiet fir-rigward taż-żebgħa, f'konformità mal-ispeċifikazzjonijiet tal-fabbrika. Hekk, huma jiksbu taħlita ta' għarfien teoretiku u ħiliet prattiċi fir-rigward tat-tiswija tal-karozzi li jkunu involuti f'inċident tat-traffiku (jiġifieri jtellgħu d-daqqiet [panel beating]) flimkien mal-prinċipji bażiċi taż-żebgħa. Huwa mistenni li l-istudenti jwettqu prattiċi effettivi ta' tindif intern biex ikunu jistghu jaħdmu tajjeb fl-industrija tal-karozzi. Huma jitgħallmu kif jaħdmu b'mod sikur meta jneħħu u jbiddlu l-pjanċi esterni tal-karozza u waqt ix-xogħlijiet ta' żebgħa. L-istudenti jkunu mistennija wkoll li jtejbu l-għarfien tagħhom fis-suġġetti ta' ħiliet ewlenin bħall-Matematika, l-Ingliż, il-Malti, u t-Teknoloġija tal-Informazzjoni.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
SSC&P at MQF level 2 (Students are expected to	2 Year Full-time	2/3
have completed the one-year ALP programme		
and obtained at least an MQF Level 1 in Maltese,	Mode	Credits
English and Mathematics and an MQF Level 2 in		
TWO vocational subjects)	College-based with	36 ECTS at MQF Level
	work-based learning	2 and 60 ECTS at MQF
		Level 3



#### ALP+ Extended Diploma in Light Vehicle Servicing

This course is aimed at learners who have successfully completed their studies at the Alternative Learning Programme of the Ministry for Education, and are interested in pursuing further vocational studies at MQF Level 3, related to motor vehicle engineering and maintenance. This course focuses on the knowledge and skills required for eventual employment at assistant technician level in the light vehicle servicing sector. The combination of practical experience and theoretical knowledge gained by successfully completing the course, will equip learners with the knowledge and skills with which they will be able to access the labour market, or alternatively, they will be eligible to continue their studies at MQF level 4 at MCAST, by selecting one of the various Advanced Diplomas offered by the College, in their preferred area of study.

This programme is intended for learners who would like to start developing a strong grounding in the field of motor vehicle engineering and maintenance. Through the various aspects of training that this course provides, learners should be able to gain a good understanding of the basic systems found in light vehicles and how to handle tools safely. Learners will also develop the essential skills of the trade, including the carrying out of basic routine checks, the replacement of parts as required in the periodic servicing of vehicles, and the maintenance of appropriate service records. In this programme, learners will also follow studies in key skills subjects, such as English, Maltese, Mathematics, and Information Technology.

Dan il-kors huwa mmirat għal studenti li jkunu temmew b'suċċess l-istudji tagħhom fil-Programm ta' Tagħlim Alternattiv (I-ALP) tal-Ministeru għall-Edukazzjoni, u huma interessati li jkomplu bit-tagħlim vokazzjonali fil-Livell 3 tal-MQF, relatat mal-qasam tal-inġinerija u l-manutenzjoni ta' vetturi bil-mutur. Dan il-kors jiffoka fuq l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex eventwalment iwasslu għall-impjieg fil-livell ta' assistent tekniku fl-industrija tal-servizz tal-vetturi iż-zgħar. L-esperjenza prattika u l-għarfien teoretiku li jakkwistaw l-istudenti li jispiċċaw il-kors, jgħinu biex dawn ikollhom l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex jaħdmu, jew inkella, ikunu eliġibbli biex ikomplu l-istudji tagħhom fil-livell 4 tal-MQF fl-MCAST, billi jagħżlu wieħed mill-bosta korsijiet tal-Advanced Diploma fil-qasam li jippreferu.

Dan il-programm huwa maħsub għal studenti li jixtiequ jibdew jiżviluppaw bażi soda fil-qasam tal-inġinerija u l-manutenzjoni ta' vetturi bil-mutur. Permezz tad-diversi aspetti tat-taħriġ ipprovduti matul dan il-kors, l-istudenti għandhom ikunu kapaċi jiksbu fehim tajjeb tas-sistemi bażiċi li wieħed isib fvetturi żgħar, kif ukoll kif jużaw l-għodda relatata b'mod sikur. L-istudenti jiżviluppaw ukoll il-ħiliet essenzjali tas-sengħa biex jagħmlu kontrolli bażiċi ta' rutina, jibdlu parts kif meħtieġ fis-servisjar perjodiku tal-vetturi, u jżommu rekords xierqa tas-service. F'dan il-programm, l-istudenti jsegwu wkoll studji fir-rigward tas-suġġetti tal-ħiliet ewlenin, bħall-Ingliż, il-Malti, il-Matematika u it-Teknoloġija tal-Informazzjoni.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
SSC&P at MQF level 2 (Students are expected to	2 Year Full-time	2/3
have completed the one-year ALP programme		
and obtained at least an MQF Level 1 in Maltese,	Mode	Credits
English and Mathematics and an MQF Level 2 in		
TWO vocational subjects)	College-based with	36 ECTS at MQF Level
	work-based learning	2 and 60 ECTS at MQF
		Level 3



# Diploma in Automotive Repair (Body and Paint)

This programme is intended for learners with or without knowledge and experience of the automotive industry. Learners will learn how to work on vehicle accident repair tasks on body work under minimal supervision. The course will also provide the learners with the skills required to carry out paint repairs to the manufacturers' specifications. They will thus gain a combination of theoretical knowledge and practical skills in automotive accident repair (panel beating) together with body paint principles. Learners will be expected to carry out effective housekeeping practices to work effectively within the automotive industry. They will also learn how to work safely when carrying out removal and replacement of exterior vehicle panels and paint jobs. Learners will also be expected to improve their knowledge of key skills subjects such as Mathematics, English, Maltese, Information Technology.

Dan il-programm huwa intiż għal studenti li jkollhom, u wkoll għal dawk li ma jkollhomx, għarfien ta' u esperjenza fl-industrija tal-karozzi. L-istudenti jitgħallmu jagħmlu, bi ftit superviżjoni, xogħlijiet ta' tiswija fuq il-body ta' karozzi li jkunu involuti f'inċident tat-traffiku. Il-kors jipprovdi wkoll lill-istudenti l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex iwettqu tiswijiet fir-rigward taż-żebgħa, f'konformità mal-ispeċifikazzjonijiet tal-fabbrika. Hekk, huma jiksbu taħlita ta' għarfien teoretiku u ħiliet prattiċi fir-rigward tat-tiswija tal-karozzi li jkunu involuti f'inċident tat-traffiku (jiġifieri jtellgħu d-daqqiet [panel beating]) flimkien mal-prinċipji bażiċi taż-żebgħa. Huwa mistenni li l-istudenti jwettqu prattiċi effettivi ta' tindif intern biex ikunu jistgħu jaħdmu tajjeb fl-industrija tal-karozzi. Huma jitgħallmu kif jaħdmu b'mod sikur meta jneħħu u jbiddlu l-pjanċi esterni tal-karozza u waqt ix-xogħlijiet ta' żebgħa. L-istudenti jkunu mistennija wkoll li jtejbu l-għarfien tagħhom fis-suġġetti ta' ħiliet ewlenin bħall-Matematika, l-Ingliż, il-Malti, it-Teknoloġija tal-Informazzjoni.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Foundation Certificate or	1 Year Full-time	3
2 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Other Entry Requirements	Apprenticeship	60 ECTS
All applicants are asked to sit for a Medical Test in view of any Colour Blindness		
Career Opportunities		

Car paint sprayer · Panel beater · Sprayer in the Aviation Industry

#### **Diploma in Light Vehicle Servicing**

This programme is intended for learners who would like to start developing a strong grounding in the field of motor vehicle engineering and maintenance. Through the various aspects of training that this course provides, learners should be able to gain a good understanding of the basic systems found in light vehicles and how to handle tools safely. Learners will also develop the essential skills of the trade, including the carrying out of basic routine checks, the replacement of parts as required in the periodic servicing of vehicles, and the maintenance of appropriate service records. In this programme, learners will also follow studies in key skills subjects, such as English, Maltese, Mathematics, Information Technology and Individual and Social Responsibility.

Dan il-programm huwa maħsub għal studenti li jixtiequ jibdew jiżviluppaw bażi soda fil-qasam tal-inġinerija u l-manutenzjoni ta' vetturi bil-mutur. Permezz tad-diversi aspetti tat-taħriġ ipprovduti matul dan il-kors, l-istudenti għandhom ikunu kapaċi jiksbu fehim tajjeb tas-sistemi bażiċi li wieħed isib f'vetturi żgħar, kif ukoll kif jużaw l-għodda relatata b'mod sikur. L-istudenti jiżviluppaw ukoll il-ħiliet essenzjali tas-sengħa biex jagħmlu kontrolli bażiċi ta' rutina, jibdlu parts kif meħtieġ fis-servisjar perjodiku tal-vetturi, u jżommu rekords xierqa tas-service. F'dan il-programm, l-istudenti jsegwu wkoll studji firrigward tas-suġġetti tal-ħiliet ewlenin, bħall-Ingliż, il-Malti, il-Matematika, it-Teknoloġija tal-Informazzjoni u r-Responsabbiltà Individwali u Soċjali.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Foundation Certificate	1 Year Full-time	3
or		
2 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
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Career Opportunities	<b>Apprenticeship</b>	60 ECTS
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Light vehicle service mechanic · Light vehicle		
assistant mechanic · Assistant fitter		

#### Advanced Diploma in Light Vehicle Maintenance

This qualification is for candidates wanting to develop some of the essential skills and understanding in motor vehicle systems. Learners will be able to identify hazards and risks in the automotive environment and work safely with equipment, materials and products. Learners should also gain a good knowledge of tools and measuring devices as well as of routine light vehicle maintenance. Learners will be expected to develop an understanding of the construction and operation of common steering, suspension engines and many important systems (including mechanical and electrical) as well as procedures involved in the inspection, serviceability, adjustments, removal and replacement of components and the evaluation of their performance. Applicants coming in through the O-Level route may be requested to complete an additional Level 4 preparatory year if they do not already have exposure and experience within the area in question.

Din il-kwalifika hija għal kandidati li jixtiequ jiżviluppaw xi wħud mill-ħiliet essenzjali u jitgħallmu dwar is-sistemi ta' vetturi bil-mutur. L-istudenti jkunu jistgħu jidentifikaw perikli u riskji fl-ambjent ta' karozzi u jaħdmu b'mod sikur bit-tagħmir, il-materjali u l-prodotti. L-istudenti għandhom jiksbu wkoll għarfien tajjeb tal-għodod u apparat ta' kejl, kif ukoll dwar il-manutenzjoni ta' rutina ta' vetturi żgħar. L-istudenti jkunu mistennija jifhmu kif inhuma mibnija u kif jaħdmu l-isteering, is-sistema tas-suspension u ħafna sistemi oħra importanti (inklużi dawk mekkaniċi u elettriċi). Huma jitgħallmu wkoll il-proċeduri involuti fl-ispezzjoni, is-servisjar, l-aġġustamenti, it-tneħħija u t-tibdil ta' komponenti u l-evalwazzjoni tal-prestazzjoni tagħhom. L-applikanti li jidħlu għal dan il-kors bl-O-Levels jistgħu jiġu mitluba jagħmlu sena preparatorja addizzjonali f'Livell 4, jekk ma jkollhomx diġà esperjenza ta' xogħol f'dan is-settur.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
Any MCAST MQF Level 3 Diploma or	3 Years Full-time	4
4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Compulsory: One subject from Engineering Technology or Design and Technology or Chemistry or Mathematics or Physics	Apprenticeship	120 ECTS
Career Opportunities		
Motor vehicle technician	-	

#### Undergraduate Diploma in Auto Electronics and Electrical Technology

The course is intended for qualified automotive technicians seeking to broaden their knowledge on Electric Vehicles and Hybrids. Students start from the fundamentals and concepts of electrical and electronic systems. Subsequently they are then gradually introduced to the advanced theory of Auto electrical and electronic control systems and microprocessor control systems. The course delves into the theory of Electrical Vehicles and Hybrids, including electrical machines, power electronics, and the different energy sources available on the market. The course also provides hands-on experience using diagnostic approaches that help students troubleshoot potential integration problems. Learners are also instructed to work with various electronics equipment and become familiar with various computer-controlled systems, diagnostic software test equipment and tooling.

Dan il-kors huwa mmirat għal teknixins tal-karozzi li qed ifittxu li jkabbru l-għarfien tagħhom dwar il-Vetturi li jaħdmu bl-Elettriku u dawk Ibridi. Il-programm ta' studju jibda bil-prinċipji fundamentali u l-kunċetti tas-sistemi tal-elettriku u dawk elettroniċi. Sussegwentement imbagħad l-istudenti jiġu introdotti gradwalment għat-teorija avvanzata tas-sistemi ta' kontroll elettriċi u elettroniċi fil-Vetturi, kif ukoll għas-sistemi ta' kontroll ibbażati fuq il-mikroproċessuri. Il-kors jittratta t-teorija li tirrigwarda l-Vetturi li jaħdmu bl-Elettriku u dawk Ibridi, inkluż il-magni li jaħdmu bl-elettriku, is-saħħa elettronika, u s-sorsi ta' enerġija differenti li jinstabu fis-suq. L-istudenti jitħarrġu wkoll fis-sejbien ta' soluzzjonijiet għal problemi ta' integrazzjoni li jistgħu jinqalgħu f'Vetturi li jaħdmu bl-Elettriku u dawk Ibridi. L-istudenti jitgħallmu jaħdmu b'apparat elettroniku differenti u jsiru familjari ma' diversi sistemi kkontrollati mill-kompjuter, software djanjostiku użat għall-ittestjar, u għodod oħra.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
Any MCAST MQF Level 4 (120 ECTS) Advanced Diploma Certificate in an Engineering	1 Years Full-time	5
field or	Mode	Credits
2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes	Apprenticeship	60 ECTS
Other Entry Requirements		
	Career Opportunitie	s
All applicants are asked to sit for a Medical Test		
in view of any Colour Blindness	Hybrid and electrical	vehicle service technician



#### Extended Diploma in Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning

This course is aimed at learners who have successfully completed their studies at the Alternative Learning Programme of the Ministry for Education and are interested in pursuing further vocational studies at MQF Level 3 related to heating, ventilation and air-conditioning. This course focuses on the knowledge and skills required for eventual employment at the assistant technician level in the heating, ventilation and air-conditioning sector. The combination of practical experience and theoretical knowledge gained by successfully completing the course will equip learners with the knowledge and skills with which they will be able to access the labour market, or alternatively, they will be eligible to continue their studies at MQF level 4 at MCAST, by selecting one of the various Advanced Diplomas offered by the College, in their preferred area of study.

This course provides learners with the essential knowledge related to heating, ventilation and air-conditioning (HVAC). It will enable learners to work as assistant technicians engaged in servicing and carrying out maintenance on refrigeration compressors, condensers, evaporators and other accessories. Practical training is carried out in workshops equipped to industry standards. Learners are expected to participate individually and in teams to operate refrigeration and air conditioning equipment. This course also provides learners with the opportunity to further develop their knowledge of key skills in subjects such as Mathematics, Science, English, Maltese, and Information Technology.

Dan il-kors huwa mmirat lejn studenti li jkunu temmew b'suċċess l-istudji tagħhom fil-Programm ta' Tagħlim Alternattiv (I-ALP) tal-Ministeru għall-Edukazzjoni, u huma interessati li jkomplu bit-tagħlim vokazzjonali fil-Livell 3 tal-MQF, relatat mat-tisħin, il-ventilazzjoni u l-kondizzjonament tal-arja. Dan il-kors jiffoka fuq l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex eventwalment iwasslu għal impjieg fil-livell ta' assistent tekniku fis-settur tat-tisħin, il-ventilazzjoni u l-kondizzjonament tal-arja. L-esperjenza prattika u l-għarfien teoretiku li jakkwistaw l-istudenti li jispiċċaw il-kors, jgħin biex dawn ikollhom l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex jaħdmu, jew inkella, ikunu eliġibbli biex ikomplu l-istudji tagħhom fil-livell 4 tal-MQF fl-MCAST, billi jagħżlu wieħed mill-bosta programmi tad-Diploma Avvanzata fil-qasam li jippreferu.

Dan il-kors jipprovdi lill-istudenti gharfien essenzjali relatat mat-tishin, il-ventilazzjoni u l-kondizzjonament tal-arja (HVAC). Dan jippermetti lill-istudenti jahdmu bhala assistenti li jaghmlu is-servicing u t-twettiq ta' manutenzjoni fuq kompressuri tar-refrigerazzjoni, kondensaturi, evaporaturi u aċċessorji ohra. It-tahriġ prattiku jsir f'workshops attrezzati skont l-istandards tal-industrija. L-istudenti huma mistennija li jipparteċipaw b'mod individwali u f'timijiet biex ihaddmu taghmir tar-refrigerazzjoni u tal-kondizzjonament tal-arja. Dan il-kors jipprovdi wkoll lill-istudenti l-opportunità li jkomplu jsahhu l-gharfien taghhom fir-rigward tas-suġġetti tal-hiliet ewlenin, bhall-Matematika, ix-Xjenza, l-Ingliż, il-Malti, u t-Teknoloġija tal-Informazzjoni.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
SSC&P at MQF level 2 (Students are expected to have completed the one-year ALP programme	2 Years Full-time	2/3
and obtained at least an MQF Level 1 in Maltese, English and Mathematics and an MQF Level 2 in TWO vocational subjects)	Mode	Credits
	College-based with	36 ECTS at MQF Level
	work-based learning	2 and 60 ECTS at MQF Level 3

#### Extended Diploma in Welding and Fabrication

This course is aimed at learners who have successfully completed their studies at the Alternative Learning Programme of the Ministry for Education and are interested in pursuing further vocational studies at MQF Level 3 related to welding and fabrication. This course focuses on the knowledge and skills required for eventual employment at assistant technician level in the welding and fabrication sector. The combination of practical experience and theoretical knowledge gained by successfully completing the course will equip learners with the knowledge and skills with which they will be able to access the labour market, or alternatively, they will be eligible to continue their studies at MQF level 4 at MCAST, by selecting one of the various Advanced Diplomas offered by the College, in their preferred area of study.

This Apprenticeship course combines theoretical knowledge with practical training, both in College-based industrial workshops and in industry-based apprenticeships. Learners will be expected to participate individually and in teams to fabricate welded products. Learners will have the opportunity to use hand and power tools as well as welding sets, giving particular attention to health and safety considerations. This course also provides learners with the opportunity to further develop their knowledge of key skills subjects such as Mathematics, Science, English, Maltese, and Information Technology.

Dan il-kors huwa mmirat lejn studenti li jkunu temmew b'suċċess l-istudji tagħhom fil-Programm ta' Tagħlim Alternattiv (I-ALP) tal-Ministeru għall-Edukazzjoni, u huma interessati li jkomplu bit-tagħlim vokazzjonali fil-Livell 3 tal-MQF, relatat mal-iwweldjar u fabbrikazzjoni. Dan il-kors jiffoka fuq l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex eventwalment iwasslu għal impjieg fil-livell ta' assistent tekniku fis-settur tal-welding u l-fabbrikazzjoni. L-esperjenza prattika u l-għarfien teoretiku li jakkwistaw l-istudenti li jispiċċaw il-kors, jgħin biex dawn ikollhom l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex jaħdmu, jew inkella, ikunu eliġibbli biex ikomplu l-istudji tagħhom fil-livell 4 tal-MQF fl-MCAST, billi jagħżlu wieħed mill-bosta programmi tad-Diploma Avvanzata fil-qasam li jippreferu.

Dan il-kors ta' Apprendistat jikkombina l-għarfien teoretiku mat-taħriġ prattiku, kemm f'workshops industrijali bbażati fil-Kulleġġ, kif ukoll waqt l-apprendistat fl-industrija. L-istudenti jkunu mistennija jipparteċipaw b'mod individwali u ftimijiet biex jiffabbrikaw prodotti wweldjati. L-istudenti jkollhom l-opportunità li jużaw għodod tal-idejn u tal-elettriku, kif ukoll settijiet tal-iwweldjar, filwaqt li tingħata attenzjoni partikolari għal kunsiderazzjonijiet tas-saħħa u s-sigurtà. Dan il-kors jipprovdi wkoll lill-istudenti l-opportunità li jkomplu jsaħħu l-għarfien tagħhom fir-rigward tas-suġġetti tal-ħiliet ewlenin, bħall-Matematika, ix-Xjenza, l-Ingliż, il-Malti, u t-Teknoloġija tal-Informazzjoni.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Entry requirements: Any MQF Level 3 (minimum 60 ECTS) Diploma	2 Years Full-time	2/3
or	Mode	Credits
4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes		
	College-based with	36 ECTS at MQF Level
	work-based learning	2 and 60 ECTS at MQF Level 3

#### **Extended Diploma in Joinery and Furniture Making**

This course is aimed at learners who have successfully completed their studies at the Alternative Learning Programme of the Ministry for Education and are interested in pursuing further vocational studies at MQF Level 3 related to joinery and fabrication. This course focuses on the knowledge and skills required for eventual employment at assistant technician level in the joinery and furniture-making sector. The combination of practical experience and theoretical knowledge gained by successfully completing the course will equip learners with the knowledge and skills with which they will be able to access the labour market, or alternatively, they will be eligible to continue their studies at MQF level 4 at MCAST, by selecting one of the various Advanced Diplomas offered by the College, in their preferred area of study.

This course of study includes theoretical knowledge and practical training both in College-based industrial workshops and also on work placements. Technical and practical lessons cover measuring, cutting, preparing and assembling timber and timber board products to make interior fittings such as kitchen cabinets, doors and window frames. The learners will be expected to participate individually and in teams to produce simple products from solid wood and composite materials. Learners will be trained in the practical handling of hand and power tools and simple woodworking machines. This course also provides learners with the opportunity to further develop their knowledge of key skills subjects such as Mathematics, Science, English, Maltese, and Information Technology.

Dan il-kors huwa mmirat lejn studenti li jkunu temmew b'suċċess l-istudji tagħhom fil-Programm ta' Tagħlim Alternattiv (I-ALP) tal-Ministeru għall-Edukazzjoni, u huma interessati li jkomplu bit-tagħlim vokazzjonali fil-Livell 3 tal-MQF, relatat max-xogħol tal-injam u l-fabbrikazzjoni. Dan il-kors jiffoka fuq l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex eventwalment iwasslu għal impjieg fil-livell ta' assistent tekniku fissettur tax-xogħol tal-injam u tal-manifattura tal-għamara. L-esperjenza prattika u l-għarfien teoretiku li jakkwistaw l-istudenti li jispiċċaw il-kors, jgħin biex dawn ikollhom l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex jaħdmu, jew inkella, ikunu eliġibbli biex ikomplu l-istudji tagħhom fil-livell 4 tal-MQF fl-MCAST, billi jagħżlu wieħed mill-bosta programmi tad-Diploma Avvanzata fil-qasam li jippreferu.

Dan il-kors ta' studju jinkludi għarfien teoretiku u taħriġ prattiku kemm fʻworkshops industrijali bbażati fil-Kulleġġ, kif ukoll waqt esperjenzi ta' xogħol. Il-lezzjonijiet tekniċi u prattiċi jinkludu l-kejl, il-qtugħ, it-tħejjija u l-armar ta' prodotti tal-injam u bordijiet tal-injam biex isiru fittings tad-djar, bħal kċejjen, bibien u twieqi. L-istudenti jkunu mistennija jipparteċipaw b'mod individwali u f'timijiet biex jipprodotti sempliċi minn materjali ta' injam mastizz u materjali komposti. L-istudenti jiġu mħarrġa fl-użu prattiku ta' għodod tal-idejn u tal-elettriku u magni sempliċi tax-xogħol tal-injam. Dan il-kors jipprovdi wkoll lill-istudenti l-opportunità li jkomplu jsaħħu l-għarfien tagħhom fir-rigward tas-suġġetti tal-ħiliet ewlenin, bħall-Matematika, ix-Xjenza, l-Ingliż, il-Malti, u t-Teknoloġija tal-Informazzjoni.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
SSC&P at MQF level 2 (Students are expected to have completed the one-year ALP programme	2 Years Full-time	2/3
and obtained at least an MQF Level 1 in Maltese, English and Mathematics and an MQF Level 2 in TWO vocational subjects)	Mode	Credits
	College-based with	36 ECTS at MQF Level
	work-based learning	2 and 60 ECTS at MQF
		Level 3

mechanic

#### Diploma in Aircraft Maintenance (incorporating EASA Part-66 Category A Basic Course)

This programme is designed specifically to equip learners with the necessary theoretical understanding of aircraft maintenance and related systems and is backed by practical experience in dedicated workshops at mechanic level. The course incorporates the EASA Part-66 Category A basic course which will allow a student to sit for the licence examinations. Also, subject to authorisation by the Part-145 Organisation, the licence will permit the holder to issue Certificates of Release to Service following minor scheduled works that may include line maintenance, defect rectification and component changes.

Dan il-programm huwa mfassal b'mod speċifiku biex jipprovdi lill-istudenti l-għarfien teoretiku neċessarju dwar sistemi ta' manutenzjoni ta' inġenji tal-ajru u sistemi relatati oħra. Dan huwa msaħħaħ b'esperjenza prattika fil-livell ta' mekkanik, f'workshops apposta. Il-kors jista' jwassal biex student jikseb il-liċenzja EASA Part-66 Category A u, bis-saħħa tagħha, jekk ikollu l-awtorizzazzjoni mill-Part-145 Organisation, huwa jkun jista' joħroġ Certificates of Release to Service wara xogħlijiet skedati żgħar li jistgħu jinkludu l-manutenzjoni tal-linja, ir-rettifikazzjoni ta' difetti u l-bdil ta' komponenti.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Foundation Certificate	2 Years Full-time	3
or		
2 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Compulsory: Physics		
	Apprenticeship	60 ECTS
Career Opportunities		
Line maintenance mechanic · Workshop	<del></del>	

#### **Diploma in Aircraft Structures and Repairs**

This MCAST diploma is intended to train the learner in competences related to Aircraft Structures and Repairs which are essential for structure repair mechanics. This training course will include Basic Aircraft Sheet Metal, Structures Repair Procedures and Human Factors, amongst other modules. It is divided into three main areas, namely: the theoretical element, the practical experience and on-the-job exposure. This is an opportunity for individuals to commence or develop their career in the aviation industry.

Din id-diploma tal-MCAST hija maħsuba biex tħarreġ lill-istudenti fil-kompetenzi relatati mal-Istrutturi u t-Tiswijiet tal-Ajurplani, li huma essenzjali għall-mekkaniks li jaħdmu f'dan ix-xogħol. Dan il-kors ta' taħriġ jinkludi Basic Aircraft Sheet Metal (Xogħol Bażiku fuq Pjanċi tal-Metall tal-Ajruplani), Structures Repair Procedures (Proċeduri ta' Tiswija tal-Istrutturi) u Human Factors (Fatturi Umani), fost unitajiet oħrajn. Il-programm huwa maqsum fi tliet oqsma ewlenin: l-element teoretiku, l-esperjenza prattika u t-taħriġ fuq il-post tax-xogħol. Din hija opportunità għal dawk l-individwi li jixtiequ jibdew jew jiżviluppaw il-karriera tagħhom fl-industrija tal-avjazzjoni.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Foundation Certificate or	1 Years Full-time	3
2 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes Applicants already in possession of passes in	Mode	Credits
Part-66 Aircraft Mechanic Category A modules will also be considered.	Apprenticeship	60 ECTS
Career Opportunities		
Aircraft structure repair assistant mechanic		

# Diploma in Aviation, Flight and Cabin Operations

This course is designed to provide the learner with basic knowledge and skills to start a career in the aviation industry, such as customer service personnel, passenger and baggage handling, and in-ground services within the airport and may also lead to a position as a cabin crew\* subject to further training. The course covers a range of topics, including aviation safety & security, emergency procedures, customer service, and communication skills. This course also trains students on different aspects of air travel, including airport operations, ground and RAMP handling services, and cabin operations. After completing this course, the learner can further their studies at MCAST within the aviation industry by choosing either the Advanced Diploma in Aviation, Flight and Cabin Operations or the Advanced Diploma in Transportation, Logistics and Supply Chain Management, or else they can start to work in various positions within the aviation industry.

#### \*Cabin crew attestation not included.

Dan il-kors huwa ddisinjat biex jipprovdi lill-istudenti għarfien u ħiliet bażiċi biex jibdew karriera fl-industrija tal-avjazzjoni, bħala impjegati li jieħdu ħsieb tas-servizz tal-konsumatur, l-immaniġġjar tal-passiġġieri u tal-bagalji, is-servizzi tal-art fl-ajruport u dan il-kors jista' jwassal ukoll għal pożizzjoni bħala ekwipaġġ tal-kabina\* wara aktar taħriġ. Il-kors ikopri firxa ta' suġġetti inklużi s-sigurezza u s-sigurtà tal-avjazzjoni, il-proċeduri ta' emerġenza, is-servizzi għall-konsumatur, u ħiliet ta' komunikazzjoni. Dan il-kors iħarreġ ukoll lill-istudenti dwar aspetti differenti tal-ivvjaġġar bl-ajru, inklużi l-operazzjonijiet tal-ajruport, is-servizzi ta' ground u RAMP handling, u l-operat tal-kabina. Wara li jtemmu dan il-kors, l-istudenti jistgħu jkomplu l-istudji tagħhom fl-MCAST fi ħdan l-industrija tal-avjazzjoni billi jagħżlu jew l-Advanced Diploma in Aviation, Flight and Cabin Operations jew tl-Advanced Diploma in Transportation, Logistics and Supply Chain Management, jew jistgħu jibdew jaħdmu f'diversi pożizzjonijiet fl-industrija tal-avjazzjoni.

<sup>\*</sup>L-attestazzjoni tal-ekwipaġġ tal-kabina mhux inkluża.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Foundation Certificate	1 Year Full-time	3
or Any MFQ Level 2 Foundation Certificate (min 60	Mode	Credits
ects) or	Apprenticeship	60 ECTS
2 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Career Opportunities	
Other Entry Requirements	Customer service pers	sonnel • Passenger and
Students are expected to wear a uniform while training at MCAST.	baggage handling • In	-ground services

# Advanced Diploma in Aircraft Maintenance (Aeroplanes - Turbine Engines)

This programme is designed to equip learners with the necessary theoretical knowledge of aircraft maintenance and related mechanical systems at technician level. This is also backed by practical experience in our workshops. Learners attending this course will be prepared to sit for the relative examinations organised by awarding bodies, and which may lead to being awarded the EASA Part-66 Category B1.1 licence. Subject to authorisation by the Part-145 Organisation, the licence will permit the holder to issue Certificates of Release to Service following scheduled works that may include line maintenance, defect rectifications, aircraft structure, power plants and mechanical and electrical systems. Throughout the course, Civil Aviation Directorate examination fees will be paid by the learner

This course is a highly innovative programme in the sector and gives the learner the opportunity to obtain an Advanced Diploma apart from sitting for the EASA examinations. Successful learners can then progress to the Level 5 Undergraduate Diploma in Foundations of Engineering which will allow them to have access to the IET BEng in Mechanical Engineering or Electronics.

Dan il-programm huwa mfassal biex jipprovdi lill-istudenti l-għarfien teoretiku neċessarju dwar issistemi ta' manutenzjoni tal-ajruplani u sistemi mekkaniċi oħra relatati fil-livell ta' teknixin. Dan huwa msaħħaħ ukoll b'esperjenza prattika fil-workshops tagħna. L-istudenti li jattendu dan il-kors jitħejjew għall-eżamijiet relattivi, organizzati minn istituzzjonijiet li joffru dawn il-kwalifiki, u li jistgħu jwasslu għall-għoti tal-liċenzja EASA Part-66 Category B1.1. Permezz ta' din il-liċenzja, wieħed ikun jista', jekk ikollu l-awtorizzazzjoni mill-Part-145 Organisation, joħroġ Certificates of Release to Service wara xogħlijiet skedati, li jistgħu jinkludu l-manutenzjoni tal-linja, ir-rettifikazzjoni tad-difetti, l-istruttura tal-inġenji tal-ajru, l-impjanti tal-enerġija u s-sistemi mekkaniċi u elettriċi. Matul il-kors, il-miżati tal-eżamijiet tad-Direttorat tal-Avjazzoni Ċivili jitħallsu mill-istudent.

Dan il-kors hu innovattiv għax studenti li jtemmu l-kors b'suċċess ikunu eliġibbli għal Diploma Avvanzata apparti li jkunu jistgħu jagħmlu eżamijiet tal-EASA. Studenti li jtemmu dan il-kors b'suċċess jistgħu jipprogressaw ghall-kors tal-Undergraduate Diploma in Foundations of Engineering, liema kors jagħti aċċess għal baċellerat fl-inġinerija.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Any MCAST MQF level 3 Diploma delivered by the Institute of Engineering and Transport	2 Years Full-time	4
(Applicants must have obtained grades that when averaged will yield an overall Grade B)	Mode	Credits
or	Apprenticeship	120 ECTS
Diploma in Aircraft Maintenance (incorporating		
EASA Part-66 Category A Basic Course)	Career Opportunities	
or		
EASA Part-66 Aircraft Maintenance Category A	Base maintenance tech	nician · Workshop
Licence Course	technician	
or		
4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Other Entry Requireme	ents
Compulsory: Mathematics or Physics		
and	All applicants are asked	to sit for a Medical Test
Compulsory: Mathematics or Physics or	in view of any Colour Bl	indness

and Technology

Chemistry or Engineering Technology or Design

# Advanced Diploma in Aircraft Maintenance (Avionics)

This programme is designed to equip learners with the necessary theoretical knowledge of aircraft maintenance and related electrical and avionics systems at technician level. This is also backed by practical experience in dedicated workshops. Learners attending this course will be prepared to sit for the relative examinations organised by awarding bodies, which may lead to being awarded the EASA Part-66 Category B2 licence. Subject to authorisation by the Part-145 Organisation, the licence will permit the holder to issue Certificates of Release to Service following maintenance on electrical and avionics systems. This training programme includes work-related training and practice. Applicants have to be able to work within the industries concerned.

This course is a highly innovative programme in the sector and gives the learner the opportunity to obtain an Advanced Diploma apart from sitting for the EASA examinations. Successful learners can then progress to the Level 5 Undergraduate Diploma in Foundations of Engineering which will allow them to have access to the IET BEng in Mechanical Engineering or Electronics.

Dan il-programm huwa mfassal biex jipprovdi lill-istudenti l-għarfien teoretiku neċessarju dwar is-sistemi ta' manutenzjoni ta' inġenji tal-ajru u sistemi elettroniċi u avjoniċi oħra relatati fil-livell ta' teknixin. Dan l-għarfien huwa msaħħaħ b'esperjenza prattika f'workshops apposta. L-istudenti li jattendu dan il-kors jitħejjew għall-eżamijiet relatati, organizzati minn istituzzjonijiet li joffru dawn il-kwalifiki, u li jistgħu jwasslu għall-għoti tal-liċenzja EASA Part-66 Category B2. Permezz ta' din il-liċenzja, wieħed ikun jista', jekk ikollu l-awtorizzazzjoni mill-Part-145 Organisation, joħroġ Certificates of Release to Service wara xogħol ta' manutenzjoni fuq sistemi elettriċi u avjoniċi. Dan il-programm jinkludi taħriġ u prattika relatati max-xogħol. L-applikanti għandhom ikunu kapaċi jaħdmu fl-industriji kkonċernati. Waqt il-kors, l-istudent ikollu l-possibiltà li jikseb Diploma Avvanzata, li jfisser li jkun jista' jkompli jistudja fil-livell ta' baċellerat.

Dan il-kors hu innovattiv għax studenti li jtemmu l-kors b'suċċess ikunu eliġibbli għal Advanced Diploma apparti li jkunu jistgħu jagħmlu eżamijiet tal-EASA. Studenti li jtemmu dan il-kors b'suċċess jistgħu jipprogressaw ghall-kors tal-Undergraduate Diploma in Foundations of Engineering, liema kors jagħti aċċess għal baċellerat fl-inġinerija.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Any MCAST MQF level 3 Diploma delivered by the Institute of Engineering and Transport	2 Years Full-time	4
(Applicants must have obtained grades that when averaged will yield an overall Grade B)	Mode	Credits
or Diploma in Aircraft Maintenance (incorporating EASA Part-66 Category A Basic Course)	Apprenticeship	120 ECTS
or EASA Part-66 Aircraft Maintenance Category A Licence Course	Career Opportunities	:
or	Base maintenance ted	chnician · Avionics
4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes Compulsory: Mathematics or Physics	workshop technician	
and Compulsory: Mathematics or Physics or Chemistry or Engineering Technology or Design	Other Entry Requirer	nents
and Technology	All applicants are aske	ed to sit for a Medical Test
	in view of any Colour I	Blindness

# Advanced Diploma in Aviation, Flight and Cabin Operations

This study programme is designed to equip learners with the necessary understanding and an all-round introduction to the aviation industry for those who wish to further their career in one of its occupational areas. This course may lead to roles in airports such as passenger liaison, ramp work, cargo operations and ground handling, aircraft operations and customer service. The course is structured to give learners an overview of aviation operations in preparation for the specialized areas that interest career aspirations within the sector. The course covers the appropriate fundamentals for progression onto further aviation specialization in the sector. The theoretical elements are supplemented with practical elements. Successful learners can progress to the Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Business Enterprise. This course includes work related training and practice. Applicants have to be able to work within the industries concerned.

Dan il-programm ta' studju huwa mfassal biex jipprovdi l-għarfien meħtieġ u introduzzjoni ġenerali għall-industrija tal-avjazzjoni lil dawk l-istudenti li jixtiequ karriera fwieħed mill-oqsma ta' din l-industrija. Il-programm jista' jwassal għal xogħol fl-ajruport, bħal kuntatt mal-passiġġieri, xogħol fuq ir-rampa, ħatt ta' merkanzija, xogħol fuq inġenji tal-ajru u servizz lill-klijenti. L-istruttura tal-kors tagħti lill-istudenti ħarsa ġenerali lejn issettur tal-avjazzjoni u tippreparahom għall-oqsma speċjalizzati li huma ta' interess għal min jixtieq jagħmel karriera fl-avjazzjoni. Il-kors ikopri l-elementi fundamentali xierqa biex wieħed ikun jista' jkompli jispeċjalizza fis-settur. L-elementi teoretiċi huma msaħħa bʻelementi prattiċi. L-istudenti li jirnexxu fʻdan il-kors jistgħu jkomplu l-istudji tagħhom fil-Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Business Enterprise. Il-programm jinkludi taħriġ u prattika fʻxogħol relatat mas-settur. L-applikanti għandhom ikunu kapaċi jaħdmu fl-industriji kkonċernati

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma or	2 Years Full-time	4
4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes Compulsory: English Language	Mode	Credits
compansory. English Language	Apprenticeship	120 ECTS
Career Opportunities		
Passenger check-in officer · Passenger services officer · Flight operations officer · Aircraft		

dispatch officer · Ground handling officer



# Advanced Diploma in Transportation and Logistics Management

One of the core requirements of industry is the procurement, storage and dispatching of goods. In today's business world it has become imperative to effectively handle transportation and logistics. This course is intended for candidates who wish to embark on a career in this important sector. The course aims to develop professionals who are knowledgeable, technically competent and able to adapt in the transportation and logistics discipline as they embrace new technological advancements and challenges. It also prepares learners in social, entrepreneurial and leadership qualities towards tackling logistical challenges innovatively, creatively and ethically.

Successful learners can progress to the Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Business Enterprise.

Waħda mill-ħtiġijiet ewlenin tal-industrija hija x-xiri, il-ħażna u s-safar tal-merkanzija. Fid-dinja tan-negozju tal-lum, l-għarfien dwar kif tieħu ħsieb b'mod effettiv it-trasport u l-loġistika huwa essenzjali. Dan il-kors huwa intiż għal dawk li jixtiequ jagħmlu karriera f'dan il-qasam hekk importanti. Il-kors għandu l-għan li jiżviluppa nies professjonali li għandhom l-għarfien meħtieġ, il-kompetenza teknika u l-ħila li jadattaw irwieħhom fid-dixxiplina tat-trasport u l-loġistika, filwaqt li jħaddnu żviluppi u sfidi teknoloġiċi. Il-kors jipprovdi wkoll lill-istudenti ħiliet soċjali, intraprenditorjali u ta' tmexxija, bil-għan li jkunu kapaċi jiffaċċjaw sfidi ta' natura loġistika b'mod innovattiv, kreattiv u etiku.

Studenti li jtemmu dan il-kors b'suċċess jistgħu jipprogressaw għall-Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Business Enterprise.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma	2 Years Full-time	4
or 4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Career Opportunities	May include the possibility of work-	120 ECTS
Logistics management officer · Warehouse management supervisor · Shipping supervisor	based Learning	

# Higher Diploma in Transportation Logistics and Supply Chain Management

The course is intended for candidates who wish to embark or progress on a career in the transportation and logistics management.

The Students after this course will acquire the relevant advanced academic and vocational logistics operations principles and skills. This would be enhanced by an understanding of how transportation modes support the smooth flow of goods between entities operating within global supply chains.

Finally, the learners will also be properly equipped to succeed in the numerous dynamic challenges in local and global industries.

Il-kors huwa maħsub għal kandidati li jixtiequ jimbarkaw jew jimxu 'l quddiem għal karriera fil-ġestjoni tat-trasport u l-loġistika.

L-Istudenti wara dan il-kors se jakkwistaw il-principji u l-ħiliet rilevanti tal-operat tal-loġistika akkademici u vokazzjonali avvanzati. Dan ikun imsaħħaħ permezz ta' fehim ta' kif il-modi tat-trasport jappoġġaw il-fluss bla xkiel tal-merkanzija bejn l-entitajiet li joperaw fi ħdan il-ktajjen tal-provvista globali.

Fl-aħħarnett, l-istudenti se jkunu wkoll mgħammra kif suppost biex jirnexxu fl-isfidi dinamiċi numerużi fl-industriji lokali u globali.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
Any MCAST MQF Level 4 Advanced Diploma or	2 Years Full-time	5
2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes	Mode	Credits
	Blended	120 ECTS
Career Opportunities		
Purchasing Agent · Logistic Analyst · Supply chain Manager · Logistic Manager	_	



# Diploma in Heating, Ventilation and Air-Conditioning

This course provides learners with the essential knowledge related to heating, ventilation and air-conditioning (HVAC). It will enable learners to work as assistant technicians engaged in servicing and carrying out maintenance on refrigeration compressors, condensers, evaporators and other accessories. Practical training is carried out in workshops equipped to industry standards. Learners are expected to participate individually and in teams to operate refrigeration and air conditioning equipment. This course also provides learners with the opportunity to further develop their knowledge of key skills subjects such as Mathematics, Science, English, Maltese, Information Technology.

Dan il-kors jipprovdi lill-istudenti għarfien essenzjali relatat mat-tisħin, il-ventilazzjoni u l-kondizzjonament tal-arja (HVAC). Dan jippermetti lill-istudenti jaħdmu bħala assistenti teknixins fl-isservisjar u t-twettiq ta' manutenzjoni fuq kompressuri tar-refriġerazzjoni, kondensaturi, evaporaturi u aċċessorji oħra. It-taħriġ prattiku jsir f'workshops attrezzati skont l-istandards tal-industrija. L-istudenti huma mistennija li jipparteċipaw b'mod individwali u f'timijiet biex iħaddmu tagħmir tar-refriġerazzjoni u tal-kondizzjonament tal-arja. Dan il-kors jipprovdi wkoll lill-istudenti l-opportunità li jkomplu jsaħħu l-għarfien tagħhom fir-rigward tas-suġġetti tal-ħiliet ewlenin, bħall-Matematika, ix-Xjenza, l-Ingliż, il-Malti, it-Teknoloġija tal-Informazzjoni.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Foundation Certificate	1 Year Full-time	3
2 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Other Entry Requirements	Apprenticeship	60 ECTS
All applicants are asked to sit for a Medical Test in view of any Colour Blindness		
Career Opportunities		
HVAC installer		

#### **Diploma in Joinery and Furniture Making**

This course of study includes theoretical knowledge and practical training both in College-based industrial workshops and also on work placements. Technical and practical lessons cover measuring, cutting, preparing and assembling timber and timber board products to make interior fittings such as kitchen cabinets, doors and window frames. The learners will be expected to participate individually and in teams to produce simple products from solid wood and composite materials. Learners will be trained in the practical handling of hand and power tools and simple woodworking machines. This course also provides learners with the opportunity to further develop their knowledge of key skills subjects such as Mathematics, Science, English, Maltese, Information Technology.

Dan il-kors ta' studju jinkludi għarfien teoretiku u taħriġ prattiku kemm f'workshops industrijali bbażati fil-Kulleġġ, kif ukoll waqt esperjenzi ta' xogħol. Il-lezzjonijiet tekniċi u prattiċi jinkludu l-kejl, il-qtugħ, it-tħejjija u l-armar ta' prodotti tal-injam u bordijiet tal-injam biex isiru fittings tad-djar, bħal kċejjen, bibien u twieqi. L-istudenti jkunu mistennija jipparteċipaw b'mod individwali u f'timijiet biex jipproduċu prodotti sempliċi minn materjali ta' injam mastizz u materjali komposti. L-istudenti jiġu mħarrġa fl-użu prattiku ta' għodod tal-idejn u tal-elettriku u magni sempliċi tax-xogħol tal-injam. Dan il-kors jipprovdi wkoll lill-istudenti l-opportunità li jkomplu jsaħħu l-għarfien tagħhom firrigward tas-suġġetti tal-ħiliet ewlenin, bħall-Matematika, ix-Xjenza, l-Ingliż, il-Malti, it-Teknoloġija tal-Informazzjoni.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level	
MCAST Foundation Certificate	1 Year Full-time	3	_
or 2 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits	
Career Opportunities	Apprenticeship	60 ECTS	_
Assistant joiner - Assistant carpenter			

#### **Diploma in Welding and Fabrication**

This Apprenticeship course combines theoretical knowledge with practical training, both in College-based industrial workshops and in industry-based apprenticeships. Learners will be expected to participate individually and in teams to fabricate welded products. Learners will have the opportunity to use hand and power tools as well as welding sets, giving particular attention to health and safety considerations. This course also provides learners with the opportunity to further develop their knowledge of key skills subjects such as Mathematics, Science, English, Maltese, Information Technology.

Dan il-kors ta' Apprendistat jikkombina l-għarfien teoretiku mat-taħriġ prattiku, kemm f'workshops industrijali bbażati fil-Kulleġġ, kif ukoll waqt l-apprendistat fl-industrija. L-istudenti jkunu mistennija jipparteċipaw b'mod individwali u f'timijiet biex jiffabbrikaw prodotti wweldjati. L-istudenti jkollhom l-opportunità li jużaw għodod tal-idejn u tal-elettriku, kif ukoll settijiet tal-iwweldjar, filwaqt li tingħata attenzjoni partikolari għal kunsiderazzjonijiet tas-saħħa u s-sigurtà. Dan il-kors jipprovdi wkoll lill-istudenti l-opportunità li jkomplu jsaħħu l-għarfien tagħhom fir-rigward tas-suġġetti tal-ħiliet ewlenin, bħall-Matematika, ix-Xjenza, l-Ingliż, il-Malti, it-Teknoloġija tal-Informazzjoni.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
MCAST Foundation Certificate	1 Year Full-time	3
or 2 SEC/O-Level passes/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Career Opportunities		60 ECTS
Welding and fabrication tradesperson	_	

### Advanced Diploma in Joinery, Furniture Design and Manufacturing

This diploma course is aimed at students intending to embark on a career in the woodworking industry. It combines theoretical knowledge and practical training. The practical training is conducted both in College-based industrial workshops and in an industry-based apprenticeship or work placement. Learners will learn how to analyse and provide solutions to typical joinery and furniture products using solid wood and composite materials. Learners will be expected to participate individually and in teams to produce solid wood and composite material manufactured products.

Dan il-kors ta' diploma huwa mmirat lejn studenti li jixtiequ jagħmlu karriera fl-industrija tax-xogħol tal-injam. Il-kors jikkombina l-għarfien teoretiku mat-taħriġ prattiku. It-taħriġ prattiku jsir kemm f'workshops industrijali bbażati fil-Kulleġġ, kif ukoll fl-industrija waqt apprendistat jew esperjenza ta' xogħol. L-istudenti jitgħallmu kif janalizzaw u jipprovdu soluzzjonijiet għal prodotti tipiċi tal-għamara bl-użu ta' injam mastizz u materjali komposti. L-istudenti jkunu mistennija jipparteċipaw b'mod individwali u f'timijiet biex jipproduċu prodotti manifatturati bl-injam mastizz jew materjali komposti.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Entry requirements: Any MQF Level 3 (minimum 60 ECTS) Diploma	3 Years Full-time	4
or	Mode	Credits
4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Apprenticeship	120 ECTS
Career Opportunities		
Carpenter • Furniture design supervisor • Tendering and estimating supervisor (joinery and furniture making)		

#### Advanced Diploma in Welding and Fabrication

This course combines theoretical knowledge and practical training carried out in College-based industrial workshops. Learners will be expected to participate individually and in teams to fabricate welded products. They will learn how to analyse and generate solutions related to typical fabrication using thin plates and pipes. Learners will also be given the opportunity to follow an Apprenticeship to improve their hands-on experience. In order to be able to appreciate the importance of good production management, supervised visits to complex production set-ups are organised during the course. Applicants need to be able to work within the industries concerned.

Dan il-kors jikkombina l-għarfien teoretiku u t-taħriġ prattiku li jsir f'workshops industrijali bbażati fil-Kulleġġ. L-istudenti jkunu mistennija jipparteċipaw b'mod individwali u f'timijiet biex jiffabbrikaw prodotti wweldjati. Huma jitgħallmu kif janalizzaw u jiġġeneraw soluzzjonijiet relatati mal-fabbrikazzjoni tipika permezz ta' pjanċi u pajpijiet irqaq. Huma jingħataw ukoll l-opportunità li jsegwu Apprendistat biex itejbu l-esperjenza prattika tagħhom. Sabiex l-istudenti jkunu jistgħu japprezzaw l-importanza ta' ġestjoni tajba tal-produzzjoni, matul il-kors jiġu organizzati żjarat sorveljati f'postijiet tax-xogħol fejn il-produzzjoni hija kumplessa. L-applikanti għandhom ikunu kapaċi jaħdmu fl-industriji kkonċernati.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Entry requirements: Any MQF Level 3 (minimum 60 ECTS) Diploma	3 Years Full-time	4
or	Mode	Credits
4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Apprenticeship	120 ECTS
Career Opportunities		

Welding and fabrication technician (welder and fabricator) · Welding and fabrication supervisor · Welding and fabrication designer · Pipe welding specialist (pipe welder and fabricator)

#### Advanced Diploma in Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning

This programme of study gives participants the knowledge and skills that are required by the Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning (HVAC) industry. Learners will be expected to carry out system modifications and customization. The course is based on College-based training as well as work-based learning. Learners will gain an in-depth knowledge and experience which may lead them to supervisory roles in the HVAC sector. During the course learners are given the opportunity to develop personal skills and attributes essential for a successful performance in related careers. Applicants need to be able to work within the industries concerned.

Dan il-programm ta' studju jipprovdi lill-parteċipanti l-għarfien u l-ħiliet li titlob l-industrija tat-Tisħin, il-Ventilazzjoni u l-Kondizzjonament tal-Arja (HVAC). L-istudenti jkunu mistennija li jwettqu modifiki u adattamenti tas-sistemi. Il-kors huwa bbażat fuq taħriġ li jsir fil-Kulleġġ kif ukoll tagħlim fil-post tax-xogħol. L-istudenti jiksbu għarfien profond u esperjenza li jistgħu jwassluhom għal rwoli ta' superviżjoni fis-settur tal-HVAC. Matul il-kors l-istudenti jingħataw l-opportunità li jiżviluppaw ħiliet u attributi personali essenzjali biex jagħmlu suċċess fʻkarrieri relatati. L-applikanti għandhom ikunu kapaċi jaħdmu fl-industriji kkonċernati.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Any MQF Level 3 (minimum 60 ECTS) Diploma	3 Years Full-time	4
or	Mode	Credits
4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes		
Compulsory: One subject from Engineering Technology or Design and Technology or Chemistry or Mathematics or Physics	Apprenticeship	120 ECTS
	Career Opportunities	
	Heating, ventilation an	d air conditioning
	technician · Refrigerati	on technician • FGAS

licensed technician (subject to respective

authority approval)



# ALP+ Extended Diploma in Construction Engineering

This course is aimed at learners who have successfully completed their studies at the Alternative Learning Programme of the Ministry for Education, and are interested in pursuing further vocational studies at MQF Level 3, related to construction. This course focuses on the knowledge and skills required for eventual employment at assistant technician level in the construction engineering sector. The combination of practical experience and theoretical knowledge gained by successfully completing the course, will equip learners with the knowledge and skills with which they will be able to access the labour market, or alternatively, they will be eligible to continue their studies at MQF level 4 at MCAST, by selecting one of the various Advanced Diplomas offered by the College, in their preferred area of study.

This course consists of College-based training on various skills related to the building and construction industry. It enables the learners to work in the sector or to continue their studies in related vocational areas, including Construction, Civil Engineering or Building Services. During this course of study learners will be introduced to different types of technical drawings used in the construction industry. They learn how to apply construction drawing standards and conventions to produce sketches and professional working drawings. This course also provides learners with the opportunity to further develop their knowledge of key skills subjects such as Mathematics, Science, English, Maltese, and Information Technology.

Dan il-kors huwa mmirat għal studenti li jkunu temmew b'suċċess l-istudji tagħhom fil-Programm ta' Tagħlim Alternattiv (I-ALP) tal-Ministeru għall-Edukazzjoni, u huma interessati li jkomplu bittagħlim vokazzjonali fil-Livell 3 tal-MQF, relatat mal-kostruzzjoni. Dan il-kors jiffoka fuq l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex eventwalment iwasslu għall-impjieg fil-livell ta' assistent tekniku fis-settur tal-inġingerija tal-kostruzzjoni. L-esperjenza prattika u l-għarfien teoretiku li jakkwistaw l-istudenti li jispiċċaw il-kors, jgħinu biex dawn ikollhom l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex jaħdmu, jew inkella, ikunu eliġibbli biex ikomplu l-istudji tagħhom fil-livell 4 tal-MQF fl-MCAST, billi jagħżlu wieħed mill-bosta korsijiet tal-Advanced Diploma fil-qasam li jippreferu.

Dan il-kors jikkonsisti f'taħriġ ibbażat fil-Kulleġġ dwar diversi ħiliet relatati mal-industrija tal-bini u l-kostruzzjoni. Jippermetti lill-istudenti jaħdmu fis-settur jew ikomplu t-taħriġ tagħhom f'oqsma vokazzjonali relatati, inklużi l-Kostruzzjoni, l-Inġinerija Ćivili jew is-Servizzi tal-Bini. Matul dan il-kors l-istudenti se jiġu introdotti għad-disinn tekniku użat fl-industrija tal-kostruzzjoni. Huma jitgħallmu standards ta' disinji tal-kostruzzjoni u konvenzjonijiet biex jipproduċu disinji u tpinġijiet tax-xogħol professjonali.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
SSC&P at MQF level 2 (Students are expected to	2 Years Full-time	2/3
have completed the one-year ALP programme and obtained at least an MQF Level 1 in Maltese, English and Mathematics and an MQF Level 2 in	Mode	Credits
TWO vocational subjects)	College-based with	36 ECTS at MQF Level
	work-based learning	2 and 60 ECTS at MQF
		Level 3



#### ALP+ Extended Diploma in Masonry Heritage Skills

This course is aimed at learners who have successfully completed their studies at the Alternative Learning Programme of the Ministry for Education, and are interested in pursuing further vocational studies at MQF Level 3, related to stone restoration. This course focuses on the knowledge and skills required for eventual employment at assistant technician level in the stone restoration sector. The combination of practical experience and theoretical knowledge gained by successfully completing the course, will equip learners with the knowledge and skills with which they will be able to access the labour market, or alternatively, they will be eligible to continue their studies at MQF level 4 at MCAST, by selecting one of the various Advanced Diplomas offered by the College, in their preferred area of study.

This vocational course enables learners to take up a career in stone restoration. It provides both practical and theoretical skills that lead learners to participate in a limited scope in stone restoration interventions. Successful learners can progress to the higher level course in restoration. Throughout the programme learners will have the opportunity to obtain the necessary maintenance, protection and preservation skills, understand preparation and recording techniques and apply cleaning and testing procedures. The programme is complemented with other essential units such as Safety at Work, Technical Reporting, Information Technology and Mathematics.

Dan il-kors huwa mmirat għal studenti li jkunu temmew b'suċċess l-istudji tagħhom fil-Programm ta' Tagħlim Alternattiv (I-ALP) tal-Ministeru għall-Edukazzjoni, u huma interessati li jkomplu bit-tagħlim vokazzjonali fil-Livell 3 tal-MQF, relatat mar-restawr tal-ġebla. Dan il-kors jiffoka fuq l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex eventwalment iwasslu għall-impjieg fil-livell ta' assistent tekniku fis-settur tar-restawr tal-ġebla. L-esperjenza prattika u l-għarfien teoretiku li jakkwistaw l-istudenti li jispiċċaw il-kors, jgħinu biex dawn ikollhom l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex jaħdmu, jew inkella, ikunu eliġibbli biex ikomplu l-istudji tagħhom fil-livell 4 tal-MQF fl-MCAST, billi jagħżlu wieħed mill-bosta korsijiet tal-Advanced Diploma fil-qasam li jippreferu.

Dan il-kors vokazzjonali jippermetti lill-istudenti jibdew karriera fir-restawr tal-ģebla. Jipprovdi kemm ħiliet prattiċi kif ukoll teoretiċi li jwasslu lill-istudenti biex jipparteċipa f'interventi ta' restawr tal-ģebla. Studenti li jirnexxu jistgħu jimxu għall-kors ta' livell ogħla fir-restawr. Matul il-programm, l-istudenti jkollhom l-opportunità li jiksbu l-ħiliet neċessarji ta' manutenzjoni, protezzjoni u preservazzjoni, jifhmu t-teknika tat-tħejjija u r-reģistrazzjoni, u japplikaw proċeduri ta' tindif u ta' ttestjar. Il-programm huwa kkumplimentat b'unitajiet essenzjali oħra, bħas-Sigurtà fuq il-Post tax-Xogħol, ir-Rappurtar Tekniku, it-Teknoloģija tal-Informazzjoni u l-Matematika.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
SSC&P at MQF level 2 (Students are expected to have completed the one-year ALP programme and obtained at least an MQF Level 1 in Maltese, English and Mathematics and an MQF Level 2 in	2 Years Full-time	2/3
	Mode	Credits
TWO vocational subjects)	College-based with	36 ECTS at MQF Level
	work-based learning	2 and 60 ECTS at MQF
		Level 3



#### **Diploma in Construction Engineering**

This course consists of College-based training on various skills related to the building and construction industry. It enables the learners to work in the sector or to continue their studies in related vocational areas, including Construction, Civil Engineering or Building Services. During this course of study learners will be introduced to different types of technical drawings used in the construction industry. They learn how to apply construction drawing standards and conventions to produce sketches and professional working drawings. This course also provides learners with the opportunity to further develop their knowledge of key skills subjects such as Mathematics, Science, English, Maltese, Information Technology.

Dan il-kors jikkonsisti f'taħriġ li jsir fil-Kulleġġ fid-diversi ħiliet relatati mal-industrija tal-bini u l-kostruzzjoni. Dan jgħin lill-istudenti jsibu xogħol fis-settur jew ikomplu l-istudji tagħhom f'oqsma vokazzjonali relatati, inklużi l-Kostruzzjoni, l-Inġinerija Ċivili jew is-Servizzi tal-Bini. Matul dan il-kors ta' studju, l-istudenti jiġu introdotti għal tipi differenti ta' disinji tekniċi użati fl-industrija tal-kostruzzjoni. Huma jitgħallmu kif japplikaw standards ta' disinji tal-kostruzzjoni u konvenzjonijiet biex jipproduċu disinji u tpinġijiet tax-xogħol professjonali. Dan il-kors jipprovdi wkoll lill-istudenti l-opportunità li jkomplu jsaħħu l-għarfien tagħhom fir-rigward tas-suġġetti tal-ħiliet ewlenin, bħall-Matematika, ix-Xjenza, l-Ingliż, il-Malti, it-Teknoloġija tal-Informazzjoni.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
MCAST Foundation Certificate	1 Year Full-time	3
2 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Career Opportunities	Apprenticeship	60 Credit
Assistant draughtsperson · Assistant land surveyor	_	

# Diploma in Masonry Heritage Skills (Sewwej)

This vocational course enables learners to take up a career in stone restoration. It provides both practical and theoretical skills that lead learners to participate in a limited scope in stone restoration interventions. Successful learners can progress to the higher level course in restoration. Throughout the programme learners will have the opportunity to obtain the necessary maintenance, protection and preservation skills, understand preparation and recording techniques and apply cleaning and testing procedures. The programme is complemented with other essential units such as Safety at Work, Technical Reporting, Information Technology and Mathematics.

Dan il-kors vokazzjonali jgħin lill-istudenti jidħlu għal karriera fir-restawr tal-ġebla. Il-kors jipprovdi kemm ħiliet prattiċi kif ukoll teoretiċi li jwasslu lill-istudenti biex jipparteċipaw b'mod limitat f'interventi ta' restawr tal-ġebla. L-istudenti li jtemmu dan il-kors b'suċċess jistgħu jkomplu l-istudji tagħhom fil-kors ta' livell ogħla fir-restawr. Matul il-programm, l-istudenti jkollhom l-opportunità li jiksbu l-ħiliet neċessarji ta' manutenzjoni, protezzjoni u priżervazzjoni, jifhmu t-teknika tat-tħejjija u r-reġistrazzjoni, u japplikaw proċeduri ta' tindif u ta' ttestjar. Il-programm huwa kkumplimentat b'unitajiet essenzjali oħra, bħas-Sigurtà fuq il-Post tax-Xogħol, ir-Rappurtar Tekniku, it-Teknoloġija tal-Informazzjoni u l-Matematika.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Foundation Certificate	1 Year Full-time	3
or 2 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Career Opportunities	Apprenticeship	
Masonry heritage skilled worker (Sewwej)	_	

#### Advanced Diploma in Masonry Heritage Skills (Mastru)

This course of study gives learners the necessary knowledge and skills in the area of stone restoration and conservation. It offers learners the competences they will need in order to be able to analyse and generate solutions concerning typical restoration interventions. The practical training is carried out in College-based workshops and laboratories as well as on heritage sites. Throughout the programme learners will have the unique opportunity to work on historical heritage sites and structures to master maintenance, protection and preservation skills, and apply cleaning and testing techniques. Applicants have to be able to work within the industries concerned.

Dan huwa kors ta' studju li jipprovdi lill-istudenti l-għarfien u l-ħiliet neċessarji fil-qasam tar-restawr u l-konservazzjoni tal-ġebla. Il-kors joffri lill-istudenti l-kompetenzi li jeħtieġu sabiex ikunu jistgħu janalizzaw u jiġġeneraw soluzzjonijiet dwar interventi tipiċi ta' restawr. It-taħriġ prattiku jsir f'workshops ibbażati fil-Kulleġġ u f'laboratorji, kif ukoll f'siti ta' patrimonju. Matul il-programm, l-istudenti jkollhom l-opportunità unika li jaħdmu fuq siti u strutturi ta' patrimonju storiku biex jiksbu ħiliet ta' manutenzjoni, protezzjoni u priżervazzjoni, u japplikaw tekniki ta' tindif u ttestjar. L-applikanti għandhom ikunu kapaċi jaħdmu fl-industriji kkonċernati.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Any MQF Level 3 (minimum 60 ECTS) Diploma	3 Years Full-time	4
or 4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Career Opportunities	Apprenticeship	120 ECTS
'Mastru' in the field of stone masonry heritage skills · Stone masonry heritage sites supervisor · Operator in the restoration of masonry cultural heritage		

#### Advanced Diploma in Construction Engineering

With specialisation options in Civil Engineering, Land Surveying, Quantity Surveying and Construction Engineering

This course comprises both College-based training and work-based learning. It gives an in-depth knowledge and experience of the general requirements and specialist areas related to the field of building and construction. At the end of the first year, learners can choose one of four streams that include: Construction Design, Quantity Surveying, Land Surveying, and Civil and Road Engineering. Learners will be able to carry out duties at a professional and technical level in areas such as building, construction, civil and roads engineering. They will be able to carry out tasks related to Design, Quantity Surveying, Land Surveying, Geospatial Engineering, Geographical Information, and Roads and Project Management. This course includes work-related training and practice.

Dan il-kors jinkludi kemm taħriġ li jsir fil-Kulleġġ, kif ukoll tagħlim fil-post tax-xogħol. Dan jaghti lill-istudenti għarfien profond u esperjenza tar-rekwiżiti ġenerali u l-oqsma speċjalizzati relatati mal-qasam tal-bini u l-kostruzzjoni. Fi tmiem l-ewwel sena, l-istudenti jistgħu jagħżlu wieħed minn erba' setturi li jinkludu: id-Disinn tal-Kostruzzjoni, l-Istħarriġ tal-Kwantità, l-Istħarriġ tal-Art, u l-Inġinerija Ċivili u tat-Toroq. L-istudenti jkunu jistgħu jwettqu, f'livell professjonali u tekniku, xogħol li huwa kontinwament meħtieġ f'oqsma tal-inġinerija tal-bini, tal-kostruzzjoni, u tal-inġinerija ċivili u dik tat-toroq. Huma jkunu jistgħu jwettqu dmirijiet relatati mad-Disinn, l-Istħarriġ tal-Kwantità, l-Istħarriġ tal-Art, l-Inġinerija Ġeospazjali, l-Informazzjoni Ġeografika, u l-Ġestjoni tat-Toroq u ta' Proġetti. Dan il-kors jinkludi taħriġ u prattika relatati mas-settur.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Any MQF Level 3 (minimum 60 ECTS) Diploma	3 Years Full-time	4
or	Mode	Credits
4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Apprenticeship	 120 ECTS
Compulsory: One subject from Engineering Technology or Design and Technology or Chemistry or Mathematics or Physics	Career Opportunities	
	Draughtsperson • Tendering and estimating technician (assistant quantity surveyor) • Land	

facilities supervisor

surveyor · Assistant project manager · Services design manager · Construction site supervisor · Quality assurance supervisor · Estate and

# Higher Diploma in Masonry Heritage Skills (Kapumastru)

The demand for the conservation and restoration of stone monuments and of historic buildings and artefacts is increasing. Likewise, those who manage projects involving various building materials are in great demand. This course is intended for those who would like to acquire knowledge and skills related to the conservation and restoration of buildings and monuments where the main construction material is the local limestone. They will be able to apply restoration and conservation techniques following best practices, both in College-based workshops and laboratories as well as on heritage sites. This course also provides quantity surveying skills as applied to restoration projects, as well as an introduction to project management, enabling learners to manage technicians working on restoration projects.

Id-domanda għall-konservazzjoni u r-restawr ta' monumenti tal-ġebla u ta' bini storiku u artifatti qed tiżdied. Daqstant ieħor hawn domanda kbira għal persuni li jmexxu proġetti li jinvolvu diversi materjali tal-bini. Dan il-kors huwa maħsub għal dawk li jixtiequ jiksbu għarfien u ħiliet relatati mal-konservazzjoni u r-restawr ta' bini u monumenti fejn il-materjal prinċipali tal-kostruzzjoni jkun il-ġebla tal-franka lokali. L-istudenti jkunu jistgħu japplikaw tekniki ta' restawr u konservazzjoni ta' bini u monumenti billi jsegwu l-aħjar prattiċi, kemm f'workshops u laboratorji bbażati fil-Kulleġġ, kif ukoll f'siti tal-patrimonju. Dan il-kors jipprovdi wkoll ħiliet ta' stħarriġ ta' kwantità kif applikati għal proġetti ta' restawr, kif ukoll introduzzjoni għall-ġestjoni ta' proġetti. Dan jippermetti lill-istudenti li jmexxu teknixins li jkunu qed jaħdmu fuq proġetti ta' restawr.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Masonry Heritage Skills (Mastru)	2 Years Full-time	5
or MCAST Advanced Diploma in Cultural Heritage	Mode	Credits
Skills	Includes Internship	120 ECTS
or MCAST Advanced Diploma in Construction or	Career Opportunities	
2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes	'Kapumastru' in the field of stone masonry heritage skills • Stone masonry heritage sites manager	

# Undergraduate Diploma in Occupational Health and Safety

Occupational Health and Safety is becoming an important topic among top management and policy makers due to the implications to industry and the nation because of accidents, injuries or fatalities at work. The human and financial costs of mismanaging health and safety at work has serious consequences.

The course aims to give students the skills necessary to embark on a career in the field of occupational health and safety especially as Occupational Health and Safety Practitioners with the national OHS regulator, advising employers on the OHS measures that need to be taken. The course is also intended for those acting as Project Supervisors on construction sites.

The OHSA confirm that the MCAST Undergraduate Diploma in Occupational Health and Safety course will be recognised by the OHSA as one of the three criteria for entry in OHSA's Register of Competent Persons.

Is-Saħħa u s-Sigurtà fuq il-post tax-xogħol qed isiru suġġett importanti u dejjem aktar relevanti minħabba l-implikazzjonijiet għall-industrija u fuq livell nazzjonali minħabba inċidenti u mwiet fuq il-post tax-xogħol. Il-konsegwenzi ta' nuqqas ta' gestjoni tajba tassaħħa u s-sigurtà fuq ix-xogħol jistgħu jwasslu għal sitwazzjoni serje.

Il-kors għandu I-għan li jagħti lill-istudenti I-ħiliet meħtieġa biex jibdew karriera fil-qasam tas-saħħa u s-sigurtà fuq il-post tax-xogħol speċjalment bħala Occupational Health and Safety Practitioners mar-regolatur nazzjonali tal-OHS u li jagħtu pariri lil min iħaddem dwar il-miżuri OHS li jeħtieġ li jittieħdu. Il-kors huwa intiż ukoll għal dawk li jaħdmu bħala supervisors ta' proġetti fuq siti ta' kostruzzjoni.

L-OHSA tikkonferma li l-kors tal-MCAST 'Undergraduate Diploma in Occupational Health and Safety' se jkun rikonoxxut mill-OHSA bħala wieħed mit-tliet kriterji għad-dħul fir-Reġistru ta' Persuni Kompetenti tal-OHSA.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
2 -Level passes and 2 I-Level passes	2 Years Full-time	5
	Mode	Credits
	Apprenticeship	120 ECTS
	Career Opportunitie	s
	OHS Practitioners	

# Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Quantity Surveying

The structure of this programme provides an opportunity to explore a range of construction related disciplines. During the programme, the learners will develop a comprehensive understanding of the disciplines which underpin construction management and the surveying professions. This knowledge will include subjects such as: economics, law, industry practice and building technology. Throughout the programme there will be a strong focus on project work and interdisciplinary collaboration is highly encouraged. The programme leads to the development of specialist knowledge related to construction economics and contract law, with a particular focus on managing costs throughout the project life-cycle from early design through to building completion and beyond. As part of this programme the learners will also complete a dissertation on a research topic of their choice and a quantity surveying project.

L-istruttura ta' dan il-programm tipprovdi opportunità biex tiġi esplorata firxa ta' dixxiplini relatati mal-kostruzzjoni. Matul il-programm, l-istudent jiżviluppa fehim komprensiv tad-dixxiplini li fuqhom huma bbażati l-ġestjoni tal-kostruzzjoni u l-professjonijiet tal-istħarriġ. Dan l-għarfien jinkludi suġġetti bħall-ekonomija, il-liġi, il-prattika tal-industrija u t-teknoloġija tal-bini. Matul il-kors issir enfasi qawwija fuq ix-xogħol fuq proġetti u l-istudenti jiġu mħeġġa jaħdmu f'kollaborazzjoni ma' dixxiplini oħrajn. Il-programm iwassal għal żvilupp ta' għarfien speċjalizzat relatat mal-ekonomija tal-kostruzzjoni u l-liġi kuntrattwali, b'enfasi partikolari fuq il-ġestjoni tal-ispejjeż tul iċ-ċiklu kollu tal-proġett, mill-istadju bikri tad-disinn, sat-tlestija tal-bini u anke wara. Bħala parti minn dan il-programm, l-istudenti jippreżentaw ukoll teżi dwar suġġett ta' riċerka tal-għażla tagħhom u proġett ta' stħarriġ ta' kwantità.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Building Services Engineering	3 Years Full-time	6
or MCAST Advanced Diploma in Construction	Mode	Credits
Engineering or MCAST Advanced Diploma in Civil Engineering	Includes Internship	180 ECTS
or Undergraduate Diploma in Foundations of Engineering	Career Opportunities	
or 2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes	Quantity surveyor • Risk control manager • Con Construction commerc	tractual claims adviser ·

(Pure or Applied)

# Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Construction Engineering

This degree course gives the learners opportunities to explore management skills and technical knowledge associated with the diverse and challenging tasks that are in continuous change with the introduction of new materials to meet zero energy building requirements and various integrated design concepts including precast techniques. In addition, the programme trains the learner in the necessary design and evaluation techniques to be able to make professional judgements on technical, social and ethical issues during the planning and execution of construction projects. By the end of the programme, the learner will be able to work independently, with a significant amount of research and self-directed learning, both within and outside the Institute environment.

Dan il-kors li jwassal għal baċellerat jipprovdi lill-istudenti opportunitajiet biex jesploraw ħiliet ta' ġestjoni u għarfien tekniku, assoċjati mal-kompiti diversi u impenjattivi li qed jinbidlu b'mod kontinwu bl-introduzzjoni ta' materjali ġodda, biex jissodisfaw rekwiżiti ta' bini mingħajr konsum tal-enerġija u diversi kunċetti integrati tad-disinn, inklużi tekniki ta' prefabbrikazzjoni. Barra minn hekk, il-programm jipprovdi lill-istudenti t-taħriġ fit-tekniki neċessarji ta' disinn u ta' evalwazzjoni, sabiex ikunu kapaċi jagħmlu ġudizzji professjonali dwar kwistjonijiet teknoloġiċi, soċjali u etiċi matul l-ippjanar u t-twettiq ta' proġetti tal-kostruzzjoni. Fi tmiem il-programm, l-istudent ikun jista' jaħdem b'mod indipendenti billi jwettaq ammont sinifikanti ta' riċerka u studju għal rasu, kemm fl-ambjent tal-Istitut, kif ukoll lil hinn minnu.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Building Services Engineering	3 Years Full-time	6
or	Mode	Credits
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Construction		
Engineering	Apprenticeship	180 ECTS
or		
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Civil Engineering	<b>Career Opportunities</b>	
or		
Undergraduate Diploma in Foundations of	Construction engineering	g designer •
Engineering	Construction engineering	g design manager •
or	Construction site manage	er · Quality assurance
2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes	manager • Estate and fac	ilities manager · Site
Compulsory A-Levels: Physics and Mathematics	technical officer	

## **Bachelor of Science (Honours) Civil & Structural Engineering**

The programme is aimed at students who want to obtain a warrant to work as a Civil and Structural Engineer. This three-year Bachelor's course aims to provide learners with the training and competence relevant to the study of civil and structural engineering. The course has been designed so that knowledge, skills and competencies in the various fields of this profession are obtained to raise the student's knowledge and understanding of the subjects to the required rigorous levels.

In addition, the programme will include study units specific in the various fields of civil engineering such as design principles, mathematics, physics, material science and structural analysis. It must also be stressed that approval has been obtained from the University of Malta and the Periti Board for alumni from this program to be accepted in a further Master in Engineering (held at the UOM) to be eligible to apply for the warrant of civil and structural engineer (Perit).

II-programm huwa intiż għal studenti li jixtiegu jiksbu warrant biex jaħdmu bħala Inġinier Ćivili u Strutturali. Dan il-kors ta' Baċellerat ta' tliet snin għandu l-għan li jipprovdi lillistudenti bit-taħriġ u l-kompetenza rilevanti għall-istudju tal-inġinerija ċivili u strutturali. II-kors tfassal sabiex I-għarfien, il-ħiliet u I-kompetenzi fl-ogsma varji ta' din il-professjoni jinkisbu u jkun hemm l-għarfien fil-livelli kif meħtieġ.

Barra minn hekk, il-programm se jinkludi unitajiet ta' studju spećifići fl-ogsma varji talinginerija čivili bħall-principji tad-disinn, il-matematika, il-fizika, ix-xjenza tal-materjal u I-analiżi strutturali. Ta' min jenfasizza wkoll li nkisbet approvazzjoni mill-Università ta' Malta u I-Bord tal-Periti biex I-alumni ta' dan il-programm jigu accettati f'Master ieñor fl-Inginerija (tal-UOM) biex ikunu eligibbli biex japplikaw għall-warrant ta' civili u inginier strutturali (Perit).

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Undergraduate Diploma in Foundations of Engineering	3 Years Full-time	6
or		Credits
2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes		
Compulsory A-Levels: Physics and Mathematics		180 ECTS
(Pure or Applied)		
Applicants must obtain an average Grade C across	<b>Career Opportunities</b>	
their 2 A-levels in Mathematics & Physics (such as		
Grades C, C or Grades B,D or Grades A,E)	Competent person in con	3 3

- · Site Technical Officer · Project management
- · Construction materials QA · Warranted Civil & Structural Engineer (after further studies at UOM)

## ALP+ Extended Diploma in Mechanical Engineering

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If learners intend to embark on an engineering career specialising particularly in the mechanical sector, then this course is recommended. This MCAST programme is designed to provide basic theory and practice that can be further enhanced through work experience. Learning takes place by attending lectures in the classroom, workshops and laboratories and by completing projects and assignments that are often based on realistic workplace situations. The course covers basic knowledge and practical skills, providing a good foundation for future career opportunities in engineering. Learners are exposed to a deeper knowledge of related subjects such as Mathematics, Physics, Engineering Drawing and Information Technology.

Dan il-kors huwa mmirat lejn studenti li jkunu temmew b'suċċess l-istudji tagħhom fil-Programm ta' Tagħlim Alternattiv (I-ALP) tal-Ministeru għall-Edukazzjoni, u huma interessati li jkomplu bit-tagħlim vokazzjonali fil-Livell 3 tal-MQF, relatat mal-inġinerija mekkanika. Dan il-kors jiffoka fuq l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex eventwalment iwasslu għal impjieg fil-livell ta' assistent tekniku fis-settur mekkaniku. L-esperjenza prattika u l-għarfien teoretiku li jakkwistaw l-istudenti li jispiċċaw il-kors, jgħin biex dawn ikollhom l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex jaħdmu, jew inkella, ikunu eliġibbli biex ikomplu l-istudji tagħhom fil-livell 4 tal-MQF fl-MCAST, billi jagħżlu wieħed mill-bosta programmi tad-Diploma Avvanzata fil-qasam li jippreferu.

Dan il-kors huwa rrakkomandat għal dawk l-istudenti li jkollhom l-intenzjoni li jibdew karriera fl-inġinerija li tispeċjalizza b'mod partikolari fis-settur mekkaniku. Dan il programm tal-MCAST huwa mfassal biex jipprovdi t-teorija u l-prattika f'livell bażiku. Dawn jistgħu jiġu msaħħa permezz ta' esperjenza ta' xogħol. lt-tagħlim iseħħ permezz ta' lezzjonijiet fil-klassi, fil-workshops u fil-laboratorji, u bit-twettiq ta' proġetti u assignments li ħafna drabi jkunu bbażati fuq sitwazzjonijiet realistiċi fuq il-post tax-xogħol. ll-kors ikopri l-għarfien u l-ħiliet prattiċi bażiċi, filwaqt li jipprovdi bażi tajba għal opportunitajiet ta' karriera fl-inġinerija fil-futur. L-istudenti huma esposti għal għarfien aktar profond f'suġġetti relatati, bħall-Matematika, il-Fiżika, l-Engineering Drawing u t-Teknoloġija tal-Informazzjoni.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
SSC&P at MQF level 2 (Students are expected to	2 Years Full-time	2/3
have completed the one-year ALP programme		
and obtained at least an MQF Level 1 in Maltese,	Mode	Credits
English and Mathematics and an MQF Level 2 in		
TWO vocational subjects)	College-based with	36 ECTS at MQF Level
	work-based learning	2 and 60 ECTS at MQF
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### **Diploma in Mechanical Engineering**

If learners intend to embark on an engineering career specialising particularly in the mechanical sector, then this course is recommended. This MCAST programme is designed to provide basic theory and practice that can be further enhanced through work experience. Learning takes place by attending lectures in the classroom, workshops and laboratories, and by completing projects and assignments that are often based on realistic workplace situations. The course covers the basic knowledge and practical skills, providing a good foundation for future career opportunities in engineering. Learners are exposed to a deeper knowledge in related subjects such as Mathematics, Physics, Engineering Drawing and Information Technology.

Dan il-kors huwa rrakkomandat għal dawk l-istudenti li jkollhom l-intenzjoni li jibdew karriera fl-inġinerija li tispeċjalizza b'mod partikolari fis-settur mekkaniku. Dan il-programm tal-MCAST huwa mfassal biex jipprovdi t-teorija u l-prattika f'livell bażiku. Dawn jistgħu jiġu msaħħa permezz ta' esperjenza ta' xogħol. lt-tagħlim iseħħ permezz ta' lezzjonijiet fil-klassi, fil-workshops u fil-laboratorji, u bit-twettiq ta' proġetti u assignments li ħafna drabi jkunu bbażati fuq sitwazzjonijiet realistiċi fuq il-post tax-xogħol. ll-kors ikopri l-għarfien u l-ħiliet prattiċi bażiċi, filwaqt li jipprovdi bażi tajba għal opportunitajiet ta' karriera fl-inġinerija fil-futur. L-istudenti huma esposti għal għarfien aktar profond f'suġġetti relatati, bħall-Matematika, il-Fiżika, l-Engineering Drawing u t-Teknoloġija tal-Informazzjoni.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Foundation Certificate or	1 Year Full-time	3
2 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Career Opportunities	Apprenticeship	60 ECTS
Machine operator · Technical operator · Assistant technician		

# **Advanced Diploma in Operations and Maintenance**

This programme provides the necessary knowledge, understanding and skills for the future to those learners who wish to start a fulfilling career as a technician in the area of operations and maintenance engineering. Learners will have the opportunity to learn basic scientific and mathematical methods to apply in subjects such as thermodynamics and heat engines. Learners will be exposed to the different materials used in common engineering situations and their properties. This qualification not only provides access to more specialist units but it also broadens and deepens the learners' experience in preparation for the real world of work. This course includes work-related training and practice.

Dan il-programm jipprovdi l-għarfien, il-fehim u l-ħiliet neċessarji għall-futur għal dawk l-istudenti li jixtiequ jibdew karriera ta' sodisfazzjon bħala teknixin fil-qasam tal-inġinerija tal-operazzjonijiet u tal-manutenzjoni. L-istudenti jkollhom l-opportunità li jitgħallmu metodi xjentifiċi u matematiċi bażiċi, biex japplikawhom f'suġġetti bħat-termodinamika u l-magni tas-sħana. L-istudenti jkunu esposti għal materjali differenti użati f'sitwazzjonijiet komuni tal-inġinerija u l-proprjetajiet tagħhom. Din il-kwalifika mhux biss tipprovdi aċċess għal unitajiet aktar speċjalizzati, iżda wkoll twessa' u tapprofondixxi l-esperjenza tal-istudenti, bi tħejjija għad-dinja reali tax-xogħol. Dan il-kors jinkludi taħriġ u prattika relatati max-xogħol.

#### **Entry Requirements**

Any MCAST MQF Level 3 Diploma delivered by
the Institute of Engineering and Transport
or
Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma, whilst being
in possession of the compulsory subjects as
indicated hereunder
4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes
Compulsory: One subject from Mathematics or
Physics
and
Compulsory: One subject from Engineering
Technology or Design and Technology or
Chemistry or Mathematics or Physics

Course Duration	MQF Level	
3 Years Full-time	4	
Mode	Credits	
Apprenticeship	120 ECTS	
Career Opportunities		
Maintenance fitter/technician · Plant technician		

#### **Advanced Diploma in Manufacturing**

This programme provides the necessary knowledge, understanding and skills to those learners who wish to start an interesting career as a technician in today's highly technological area of manufacturing engineering. This qualification provides access to more specialist units and therefore broadens and deepens the experience in preparation for actual work situations. The learner will learn how to perform basic engineering operations in a safe and efficient manner, whilst safeguarding the environment. The learner will understand basic scientific and mathematical theories and how to apply these to manufacturing engineering processes such as draughting, design, problem solving, and machining. This course includes work-related training and practice. Applicants have to be able to work within the industries concerned.

Dan il-programm jipprovdi l-għarfien, il-fehim u l-ħiliet neċessarji għal studenti li jkunu jixtiequ jibdew karriera interessanti bħala teknixin fil-qasam tal-inġinerija tal-manifattura li llum huwa ta' livell teknoloġiku għoli. Din il-kwalifika tipprovdi aċċess għal unitajiet aktar speċjalizzati u għalhekk twessa' u tapprofondixxi l-esperjenza bi tħejjija għal sitwazzjonijiet attwali tax-xogħol. L-istudent jitgħallem kif iwettaq operazzjonijiet bażiċi tal-inġinerija b'mod sikur u effiċjenti, filwaqt li jissalvagwardja l-ambjent. L-istudent jifhem it-teoriji xjentifiċi u matematiċi bażiċi u kif dawn jiġu applikati għal proċessi tal-inġinerija tal-manifattura, bħad-disinn tekniku, is-soluzzjoni tal-problemi u x-xogħol fuq il-magni. Dan il-kors jinkludi taħriġ u prattika relatati max-xogħol. L-applikanti għandhom ikunu kapaċi jaħdmu fl-industriji kkonċernati.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Any MCAST MQF Level 3 Diploma delivered by the Institute of Engineering and Transport	3 Years Full-time	4
or	Mode	Credits
Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma, whilst being		
in possession of the compulsory subjects as	Apprenticeship	120 ECTS
indicated hereunder		
4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	<b>Career Opportunities</b>	
Compulsory: One subject from Mathematics or		
Physics	Machine setter · Mechan	ical engineering
and Compulsory: One subject from Engineering	technician · Production	olanning officer •
Technology or Design and Technology or	Mechanical engineering	draughtsperson •
Chemistry or Mathematics or Physics	Manufacturing line tech	nician

# **Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) in Mechanical Engineering (Manufacturing)**

This Mechanical Engineering degree programme provides the learners with a solid understanding of relevant engineering fundamentals and prepares them for a broad range of career options in the manufacturing field. This field is becoming increasingly more and more high tech. The programme is structured around studies which will develop in learners a firm understanding of principles and disciplines which are needed in the modelling, measuring, analysis and design of mechanical components and systems. On completing the course, graduates will be expected to demonstrate that they have assimilated the professional skills necessary for formulating and executing engineering projects. The course also provides training in teamwork and effective communication skills.

### This course is recognised by the Board tal-Inginiera as a prerequisite for the application of the Engineering Warrant (Ing.) as established by ACT No. XLVIII of 2021.

Dan il-programm li jwassal għal baċellerat fl-Inġinerija Mekkanika jipprovdi lill-istudenti fehim sod tal-elementi fundamentali tal-inġinerija rilevanti u jħejjihom għal firxa wiesgħa ta' għażliet ta' karriera fil-qasam tal-manifattura. Dan il-qasam qed isir ta' livell teknoloġiku li kulma jmur dejjem jogħla. Il-programm huwa mfassal madwar studji li jiżviluppaw fl-istudenti fehim sod tal-prinċipji u d-dixxiplini li huma meħtieġa fl-immudellar, il-kejl, l-analiżi u d-disinn ta' komponenti u sistemi mekkaniċi. Dawk li jiggradwaw minn dan il-kors huma mistennija juru li jkunu assimilaw il-ħiliet professjonali neċessarji biex jifformulaw u jwettqu proġetti tal-inġinerija. Il-kors jipprovdi wkoll taħriġ fil-ħidma f'tim u ħiliet ta' komunikazzjoni effettiva.

### Dan il-kors huwa rikonoxxut mill-Bord tal-Inģiniera bħala rekwiżit għall-applikazzjoni tal-Inģinerija Warrant (Ing.) kif stabbilit mill-ATT Nru XLVIII tal-2021.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Manufacturing (with an overall mark of 60% or higher)	4 Years Full-time	6
or	Mode	Credits
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Polymer Process		
Technicians (with an overall mark of 60% or	Includes Internship	240 ECTS
higher)		
or	<b>Career Opportunities</b>	
MCAST Undergraduate Diploma in Foundations		
of Engineering	Manufacturing process	engineer · Engineering
or	designer • Quality conti	rol engineer • Engineering
2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes	manager · Production e	engineer/manager/
Compulsory A-Levels: Physics and Mathematics	$superintendent \cdot Engin$	eering laboratory
(Pure or Applied)	manager · Mechanical	engineer
Applicants need to obtain an average Grade C		
across their A-Levels in Mathematics and Physics		

(such as Grades C, C; Grades B, D; Grades A, E)

# **Bachelor of Engineering (Honours)** in Mechanical Engineering (Plant)

This degree programme in Mechanical Engineering is relevant to a range of industries, since it covers the key mechanical engineering principles and subject areas for the plant engineer. The course is therefore wide-ranging and it will develop the candidates' ability to apply these principles to solve engineering problems in a variety of work environments and business concerns. The course contains study units in various areas such as Fluid Mechanics, Plant Technology, Control Principles, Control Engineering, Electrical Technology, HVAC, Vibration Analysis and Heat Engines. Additional managerial modules and modules in environmental engineering further enhance this programme so that graduates may add real value to the organisation that employs them.

This course is recognised by the Board tal-Inginiera as a prerequisite for the application of the Engineering Warrant (Ing.) as established by ACT No. XLVIII of 2021.

Dan il-programm li jwassal għal baċellerat fl-Inġinerija Mekkanika huwa rilevanti għal firxa ta' industriji, minħabba li jkopri l-prinċipji ewlenin tal-inġinerija mekkanika u l-oqsma ta' interess għall-inginier tal-impjanti. Għalhekk il-kors huwa wieħed komprensiv u jiżviluppa I-kapaćità tal-kandidati li japplikaw dawn il-prinćipji biex isolvu problemi talinginerija f'varjetà ta' ambjenti tax-xogħol u intrapriżi. Il-kors jinkludi unitajiet ta' studju f'diversi ogsma, bħall-Mekkanika tal-Fluwidi, it-Teknoloģija tal-Impjanti, il-Principji tal-Kontroll, I-Inginerija tal-Kontroll, it-Teknologija Elettrika, I-HVAC, I-Analiżi tal-Vibrazzjoni u I-Magni tas-Sħana. L-unitajiet ta' studju maniģerjali addizzjonali u I-unitajiet fl-inģinerija ambjentali jkomplu jsaħħu dan il-programm, sabiex dawk li jiggradwaw minn dan il-kors ikunu jistgħu verament iżidu valur għall-organizzazzjoni li timpjegahom.

Dan il-kors huwa rikonoxxut mill-Bord tal-Inginiera bħala rekwiżit għall-applikazzjoni tal-Inginerija Warrant (Ing.) kif stabbilit mill-ATT Nru XLVIII tal-2021.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Operations and	4 Years Full-time	6
Maintenance (with an overall mark of 60% or higher) or	Mode	Credits
MCAST Undergraduate Diploma in Foundations of Engineering	Includes Internship	240 ECTS
or 2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes Compulsory A-Levels: Physics and Mathematics	Career Opportunities	
(Pure or Applied) Applicants need to obtain an average Grade C across their A-Levels in Mathematics and Physics (such as Grades C. C. Grades B. D. Grades A. F.)	Mechanical engineer · systems designer · Mec analyst · Hotel enginee	chanical engineering

(such as Grades C. C: Grades B. D: Grades A. E)

# ALP+ Extended Diploma in Engineering (Electronics)

This course is aimed at learners who have successfully completed their studies at the Alternative Learning Programme of the Ministry for Education, and are interested in pursuing further vocational studies at MQF Level 3, related to electronics. This course focuses on the knowledge and skills required for eventual employment at assistant technician level in the electronics engineering sector. The combination of practical experience and theoretical knowledge gained by successfully completing the course, will equip learners with the knowledge and skills with which they will be able to access the labour market, or alternatively, they will be eligible to continue their studies at MQF level 4 at MCAST, by selecting one of the various Advanced Diplomas offered by the College, in their preferred area of study.

This programme serves as an initial step for those who are interested in pursuing a career in electronics. This course is designed to provide basic theory and practice related to electronics, that are then enhanced through the work-based learning. The course consists of both key skill units and vocational units, of which mostly are carried out in the workshops and laboratories. This course provides a good foundation for future career opportunities in engineering and may also serve for progression to level 4 engineering courses.

Dan il-kors huwa mmirat lejn studenti li jkunu temmew b'suċċess l-istudji tagħhom fil-Programm ta' Tagħlim Alternattiv (I-ALP) tal-Ministeru għall-Edukazzjoni, u huma interessati li jkomplu bit-tagħlim vokazzjonali fil-Livell 3 tal-MQF, relatat mal-elettronika. Dan il-kors jiffoka fuq l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex eventwalment iwasslu għal impjieg fil-livell ta' assistent tekniku fis-settur tal-elettronika. L-esperjenza prattika u l-għarfien teoretiku li jakkwistaw l-istudenti li jispiċċaw il-kors, jgħin biex dawn ikollhom l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex jaħdmu, jew inkella, ikunu eliġibbli biex ikomplu l-istudji tagħhom fil-livell 4 tal-MQF fl-MCAST, billi jagħżlu wieħed mill-bosta korsijiet tal-Advanced Diploma fil-qasam li jippreferu.

Dan il-programm huwa l-ewwel stadju għal studenti li huma interessati f'karriera f'elettronika. Il-kors joffri tagħlim biex l-istudenti jifhmu t-teoriji rilevanti u jiżviluppaw il-ħiliet prattiċi meħtieġa f'dan il-qasam. Dawn il-ħiliet jiġu msaħħa bl-esperjenza tax-xogħol, fl-apprentistat. Il-kors jikkonsisti f'numru ta' suġġetti relatati mal-ħilijiet ewlenin u dawk vokazzjonali, li jiġu mgħallma ġol-workshops u l-laboratorji. Dan il-kors jipprovdi bażi tajba ghall-opportunitajiet fl-inġinerija u jista' wkoll iservi bħala progressjoni għall-korsijiet flivell erbgħa tal-inġinerija.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
SSC&P at MQF level 2 (Students are expected to	2 Year Full-time	2/3
have completed the one-year ALP programme		
and obtained at least an MQF Level 1 in Maltese,	Mode	Credits
English and Mathematics and an MQF Level 2 in		
TWO vocational subjects)	College based with	36 ECTS at MQF Level
	work-based learning	2 and 60 ECTS at MQF
		Level 3



# ALP+ Extended Diploma in Electrical Installations

This course is aimed at learners who have successfully completed their studies at the Alternative Learning Programme of the Ministry for Education, and are interested in pursuing further vocational studies at MQF Level 3, related to electrical systems. This course focuses on the knowledge and skills required for eventual employment at assistant technician level in the electrical installations sector. The combination of practical experience and theoretical knowledge gained by successfully completing the course, will equip learners with the knowledge and skills with which they will be able to access the labour market, or alternatively, they will be eligible to continue their studies at MQF level 4 at MCAST, by selecting one of the various Advanced Diplomas offered by the College, in their preferred area of study.

This programme serves as an initial step for those who are interested in pursuing a career in electrical systems, such as that of an Electrician within the construction industry. This course is designed to provide basic theory and practice related to electrical installations, that are then enhanced through the work-based learning. The course consists of both key skill units and vocational units, of which mostly are carried out in the workshops and laboratories. This course provides a good foundation for future career opportunities in engineering and may also serve for progression to level 4 engineering courses.

Dan il-kors huwa mmirat lejn studenti li jkunu temmew b'suċċess l-istudji tagħhom fil-Programm ta' Tagħlim Alternattiv (I-ALP) tal-Ministeru għall-Edukazzjoni, u huma interessati li jkomplu bit-tagħlim vokazzjonali fil-Livell 3 tal-MQF, relatat mas-sistemi elettriċi. Dan il-kors jiffoka fuq l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex eventwalment iwasslu għal impjieg fil-livell ta' assistent tekniku fis-settur tal-installazzjoni elettrika. L-esperjenza prattika u l-għarfien teoretiku li jakkwistaw l-istudenti li jispiċċaw il-kors, jgħin biex dawn ikollhom l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex jaħdmu, jew inkella, ikunu eliġibbli biex ikomplu l-istudji tagħhom fil-livell 4 tal-MQF fl-MCAST, billi jagħżlu wieħed mill-bosta korsijiet tal-Advanced Diploma fil-gasam li jippreferu.

Dan il-programm huwa l-ewwel stadju għal studenti li huma interessati fˈkarriera fˈsistemi elettriċi, bħal dik ta' electrician fl-industrija tal-kostruzzjoni. Il-kors joffri tagħlim biex l-istudenti jifhmu t-teoriji rilevanti u jiżviluppaw il-ħiliet prattiċi meħtieġa fˈdan il-qasam. Dawn il-ħiliet jiġu msaħħa bl-esperjenza tax-xogħol, fl-apprentistat. Il-kors jikkonsisti f'numru ta' suġġetti relatati mal-ħilijiet ewlenin u dawk vokazzjonali, li jiġu mgħallma ġolworkshops u l-laboratorji. Dan il-kors jipprovdi bażi tajba ghall-opportunitajiet fl-inġinerija u jista' wkoll iservi bħala progressjoni għall-korsijiet f'livell erbgħa tal-inġinerija

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
SSC&P at MQF level 2 (Students are expected to	2 Year Full-time	2/3
have completed the one-year ALP programme		
and obtained at least an MQF Level 1 in Maltese,	Mode	Credits
English and Mathematics and an MQF Level 2 in		
TWO vocational subjects)	College based with	36 ECTS at MQF Level
	work-based learning	2 and 60 ECTS at MQF
		Level 3

### **Diploma in Electrical Installations**

This programme serves as an initial step for those who are interested in pursuing a career in electrical systems, such as that of an Electrician within the construction industry. This course is designed to provide basic theory and practice related to electrical installations, that are then enhanced through the work-based learning. The course consists of both key skill units and vocational units, of which mostly are carried out in the workshops and laboratories. This course provides a good foundation for future career opportunities in engineering and may also serve for progression to level 4 engineering courses.

Dan il-programm huwa l-ewwel stadju għal studenti li huma interessati fˈkarriera fˈsistemi elettriċi, bħal dik ta' electrician fl-industrija tal-kostruzzjoni. Il-kors joffri tagħlim biex l-istudenti jifhmu t-teoriji rilevanti u jiżviluppaw il-ħiliet prattiċi meħtieġa fˈdan il-qasam. Dawn il-ħiliet jiġu msaħħa bl-esperjenza tax-xogħol, fl-apprentistat. Il-kors jikkonsisti f'numru ta' suġġetti relatati mal-ħilijiet ewlenin u dawk vokazzjonali, li jiġu mgħallma ġolworkshops u l-laboratorji. Dan il-kors jipprovdi bażi tajba ghall-opportunitajiet fl-inġinerija u jista' wkoll iservi bħala progressjoni għall-korsijiet f'livell erbgħa tal-inġinerija.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Foundation Certificate	1 Year Full-time	3
2 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
		60 ECTS
	Career Opportunitie	es
	Assistant electrician  • Technical operator	· Machine operator

### **Diploma in Engineering (Electronics)**

This programme serves as an initial step for those who are interested in pursuing a career in electronics. This course is designed to provide basic theory and practice related to electronics, that are then enhanced through the work-based learning. The course consists of both key skill units and vocational units, of which mostly are carried out in the workshops and laboratories. This course provides a good foundation for future career opportunities in engineering and may also serve for progression to level 4 engineering courses.

Dan il-programm huwa l-ewwel stadju għal studenti li huma interessati f'karriera f'elettronika. Il-kors joffri tagħlim biex l-istudenti jifhmu t-teoriji rilevanti u jiżviluppaw il-ħiliet prattiċi meħtieġa f'dan il-qasam. Dawn il-ħiliet jiġu msaħħa bl-esperjenza tax-xogħol, fl-apprentistat. Il-kors jikkonsisti f'numru ta' suġġetti relatati mal-ħilijiet ewlenin u dawk vokazzjonali, li jiġu mgħallma ġol-workshops u l-laboratorji. Dan il-kors jipprovdi bażi tajba ghall-opportunitajiet fl-inġinerija u jista' wkoll iservi bħala progressjoni għall-korsijiet f'livell erbgħa tal-inġinerija.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level	
MCAST Foundation Certificate	1 Year Full-time	3	
2 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits	
Career Opportunities	Apprenticeship	60 ECTS	

Assistant technician · Machine operator

· Technical operator

# Advanced Diploma in Robotics, Drone Technology, Automation and Artificial Intelligence

This course presents learners with introductory knowledge about artificial intelligence and machine-learning techniques, followed by automation systems, robots and drone functionality. Learners will have the opportunity to use various AI hardware and software tools to control a range of input and output devices, apply various forms of signal conditioning, use embedded systems and apply communication standards. This course is designed in a way that supports learners in understanding the operating characteristics and concepts of drones, automation and robotic systems through hands-on experiments. Additionally, students are guided to develop the skills required to design, install, troubleshoot, maintain and programme such systems.

Dan il-kors jipprovdi lill-istudenti għarfien introduttorju dwar it-teknika tal-intelliġenza artifiċjali u machine learning, kif ukoll dwar sistemi ta' awtomatizzazzjoni, robots u l-użu ta' drones. L-istudenti jkollhom l-opportunità li jużaw apparat u softwer ta' Intelliġenza Artifiċjali biex jikkontrollaw għażla ta' input u output devices, japplikaw diversi tipi ta' signal conditioning, jużaw embedded systems u japplikaw standards ta' komunikazzjoni. Dan il-kors huwa mqassam b'tali mod li, permezz ta' esperimenti prattiċi, jgħin lill-istudenti jifhmu l-karatteristiċi operazzjonali u l-kunċetti tad-drones, l-awtomatizzazzjoni u s-sistemi robotiċi. Barra minn hekk, l-istudenti jiġu megħjuna jiżviluppaw dawk il-ħiliet meħtieġa biex jiddisinjaw, jistallaw, jidentifikaw il-problemi, jagħmlu l-maintenance u jipprogrammaw sistemi bħal dawn.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Any MCAST MQF Level 3 Diploma	2 Years Full-time	4
or 4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes Compulsory: One subject from Engineering	Mode	Credits
Technology or Design and Technology or Chemistry or Computing or Mathematics or Physics.	Apprenticeship	120 ECTS
Career Opportunities		
Automation technician · Artificial intelligence technician · Autonomous vehicle technician · Technician in the manufacturing industry	-	

# Advanced Diploma in Industrial Electronics

With specialisation options in Computer Technology, Biomedical Technology, Telecommunications Technology, Control Technology, Electrical Power Technology, Domestic Installations or Electronic Circuit Manufacturing

This course provides a comprehensive understanding of electronics including different aspects through classroom and hands-on workshops and projects. Learners are introduced to the design and development of electronic systems in various fields, such as industrial electronics, transportation, manufacturing, computer technology, communications and embedded systems. In the first and second year of the course, core aspects of various electronic technologies are covered, while in the final year, learners must choose elective modules from the following areas: Computer Technology, Biomedical Technology, Telecommunications Technology, Control Technology, Electrical Power Technology, domestic installation, and Manufacturing of Electronic Circuits. The availability of certain elective modules depends on a minimum number of applications.

Dan il-kors jipprovdi bażi tajba fl-elettronika fejn l-istudent jiġi espost għal aspetti differenti permezz ta' lezzjonijiet fil-klassi u prattika fil-workshops, kif ukoll proġetti li jinvolvu xogħol prattiku. L-istudenti huma introdotti għall-ħolqien ta' sistemi elettroniċi f'diversi oqsma, bħall-elettronika industrijali, it-trasportazzjoni, it-teknoloġija tal-kompjuters, il-komunikazzjoni u sistemi inkorporati. Matul l-ewwel u t-tieni sena tal-kors, l-istudenti se jiltaqgħu mal-aspetti ewlenin tal-inġinerija tal-elettronika, filwaqt li fl-aħħar sena se jkunu meħtieġa jagħżlu mill-unitajiet li ġejjin: it-Teknoloġija tal-Kompjuter, it Teknoloġija Bijomedika, it-Teknoloġija tat-Telekomunikazzjoni, it-Teknoloġija tal-Kontroll, it-Teknoloġija tal-Enerġija Elettrika, l-Installazzjonijiet Domestiċi u l-Manifattura ta' Ċirkwiti Elettroniċi. Id-disponibiltà ta' ċerti suġġetti tiddependi fuq numru minimu ta' applikazzjonijiet.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
Any MCAST MQF Level 3 Diploma	- 3 Years Full-time	4
or		
4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Compulsory: One subject from Engineering Technology or Design and Technology or Chemistry or Computing or Mathematics or	Apprenticeship	120 ECTS
Physics.	Career Opportunities	
	Electronics techniciar	1

### **Advanced Diploma in Electrical Systems**

This course is intended for learners who wish to pursue a career as technicians in electrical power systems in both the domestic and the industrial sectors. The course includes the requirements set by the Regulator for Energy and Water Services (REWS) for the Electrical Wireman's Authorisation A and Authorisation B. This ensures a solid technical competence and understanding of the regulations and health and safety requirements governing the electrical installation industry. This course contains modules related to Photovoltaic Systems, Building Services and Electronic Control Systems that give candidates a solid grounding in the technologies involved in the building services industry. Candidates will also receive exposure to Mechanical Workshop practice.

Dan il-kors huwa maħsub għall-istudenti li jixtiequ jibdew karriera bħala tekiniċi f'sistemi tal-enerġija elettrika kemm għas-settur domestiku kif ukoll għal dak industrijali. Il-kors jinkludi r-rekwiżiti, kif stabbiliti mir-Regolatur tas-Servizzi tal-Enerġija u l-Ilma (REWS), għall-Awtorizzazzjoni A u l-Awtorizzazzjoni B ta' Persuni li jgħaddu l-wajers tal-Elettriku. Dan jipprovdi lill-kandidati kompetenza teknika soda u fehim tar-regolamenti u tar-rekwiżiti tas-saħħa u s-sigurtà li jirregolaw l-industrija tal-installazzjoni tal-elettriku. Dan il-kors jinkludi unitajiet relatati ma' Sistemi Fotovoltajċi, Sistemi tal-Inġinerija tas-Servizzi tal-Bini u tal-Kontroll Elettroniku, li jipprovdu lill-istudenti bażi soda għall-inġinerija involuta fl-industrija tas-servizzi tal-bini. Il-kandidati jwettqu wkoll prattika f'Workshop Mekkaniku.

#### **Entry Requirements**

Any MCAST MQF Level 3 Diploma delivered by the Institute of Engineering and Transport, the Institute of Applied Sciences and the Information and Communication Technology or

Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma, whilst being in possession of the compulsory subjects as indicated hereunder

or

4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes Compulsory: One subject from Engineering Technology or Design and Technology or Chemistry or Mathematics or Physics.

#### Other Entry Requirements

All applicants are asked to sit for a Medical Test in view of any Colour Blindness

Course Duration	MQF Level
3 Years Full-time	4
Mode	Credits
Apprenticeship	120 ECTS
Career Opportunities	

Electrician (including 3-phase industrial installations) · Electrical technician (plant)

# **Undergraduate Diploma in Foundations of Engineering**

The aim of this course is to provide learners with the competence required to be able to join the Bachelor of Engineering programme through the enhancement of knowledge, skills and competences in mathematics and physics. The programme also includes study units in electrical engineering, mechanical engineering, materials science and programming through sound theoretical and extensive hands-on approaches. This programme can also act as an exit point at MQF Level 5 for Advanced Diploma graduates, thus enabling successful candidates to achieve middle management engineering positions.

L-għan ta' dan il-kors huwa li jaghti lill-istudenti l-ħiliet meħtieġa sabiex ikunu jistgħu jidħlu għall-programm tal-Baċellerat tal-Inġinerija billi jgħinhom jiżviluppaw iktar l-għarfien, il-ħiliet u l-kompetenzi tagħhom fil-matematika u l-fiżika. Dan il-programm jinkludi wkoll unitajiet ta' studju fl-inġinerija elettrika, l-inġinerija mekkanika, ix-xjenza tal-materjali u l-programmazzjoni. It-tagħlim ikun b'saħħtu fit-teorija u estensiv fil-prattika. Dan il-kors iservi wkoll bħala ċertifikazzjoni fil-Livell 5 tal-Qafas Malti tal-Kwalifiki għal dawk l-istudenti li jkunu lestew Diploma Avvanzata u b'hekk jagħtihom l-opportunità li jsibu impjieg fil-middle management fl-oqsma tal-inġinerija.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
Any MQF Level 4 (120 Credits) Qualification in	1 Year Full-time	5
an Engineering, Science or ICT field,		
or	Mode	Credits
2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes		
Compulsory A-Levels: Physics or Mathematics	May include the	60 ECTS
(Pure or Applied)	possibility of Work-	
	Based Learning	

# Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) in Electronics and Control Engineering

The aim of this degree programme is to develop learners into professional engineers who are both academically prepared and practically trained to satisfy the requirements of local industry. Control Engineering is, from many perspectives, at the peak of the various engineering disciplines. Indeed, many engineering problems involve processing information of some form in order to control some system or variable within a more complex system. Giving learners a good preparation in control engineering increases their attractiveness to industry. A career in engineering is a career that is in high demand, interesting and versatile. Lectures include both a theoric and hands-on approach.

This course is recognised by the Board tal-Inginiera as a prerequisite for the application of the Engineering Warrant (Ing.) as established by ACT No. XLVIII of 2021.

L-għan ta' dan il-programm li jwassal għal bacellerat huwa li jiġu żviluppati inġiniera professjonali li jitħejjew b'mod akkademiku, kif ukoll jitħarrġu b'mod prattiku, biex jissodisfaw ir-rekwiżiti tal-industrija lokali. L-lnġinerija tal-Kontroll tinsab, minn ħafna perspettivi, fil-quċċata tad-diversi dixxiplini tal-inġinerija. Fil-fatt, ħafna problemi tal-inġinerija jinvolvu xi tip ta' pproċessar ta' informazzjoni sabiex tiġi kkontrollata xi sistema jew element varjabbli fi ħdan sistema aktar kumplessa.Bi preparazzjoni tajba fl-inħinerija tal-kontroll l-istudenti huma mfittxija sew mill-industrija.Karriera fl-inġinerija hija karriera li għalija hawn domanda kbira, twassal għal-xogħol interessanti u versatili. It-tagħlim jinkludi kemm it-teorija kif ukoll il-prattika.

Dan il-kors huwa rikonoxxut mill-Bord tal-Inginiera bħala prerekwiżit għall-applikazzjoni tal-Warrant tal-Ingniera (Ing.) kif stabbilit bl-ATT Nru XLVIII tal-2021.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Industrial	4 Years Full-time	6
Electronics (with an overall mark of 60% or		
higher)	Mode	Credits
or		
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Electrical Systems	Includes Internship	240 ECTS
(with an overall mark of 60% or higher)		
or	<b>Career Opportunities</b>	
MCAST Undergraduate Diploma in Foundations		
of Engineering	Design engineer • Elect	ronics engineer ·
or	Electrical engineer	
2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes		
Compulsory A-Levels: Physics and Mathematics		
(Pure or Applied)		
Applicants need to obtain an average Grade C		
across their A-Levels in Mathematics and Physics		
(such as Grades C, C; Grades B, D; Grades A, E).		

# Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) in Electronics Engineering

The aim of this degree programme is to develop learners into qualified engineers who are both academically prepared and practically trained to satisfy the requirements of the local electronics industry. Electronics is still a highly relevant and attractive technological field that has evolved at a rapid rate. This interdisciplinary field is practically used in every aspect of modern life as exemplified by the advances in computers and communications. The course will bring learners in contact with the modern technologies and gives an in-depth mix of knowledge and skills. A career in engineering is a career that is in high demand, interesting and versatile. Lectures include both a theoric and hands-on approach.

This course is recognised by the Board tal-Inginiera as a prerequisite for the application of the Engineering Warrant (Ing.) as established by ACT No. XLVIII of 2021.

L-għan ta' dan il-programm, li jwassal għal baċellerat, huwa li jiżviluppa lill-istudenti f'inġiniera kwalifikati, li jitħejjew b'mod akkademiku kif ukoll jitħarrġu b'mod prattiku, biex jissodisfaw ir-rekwiżiti tal-industrija lokali tal-elettronika. L-elettronika għadha qasam teknoloġiku rilevanti u attraenti ħafna li evolva b'rata mgħaġġla. Dan il-qasam interdixxiplinari jintuża prattikament f'kull aspett tal-ħajja moderna, kif juru l-avvanzi fil-kompjuters u l-komunikazzjoni. Il-kors ipoġġi lill-istudenti f'kuntatt mat-teknoloġiji moderni u jipprovdi taħlita profonda ta' għarfien u ħiliet. Karriera fl-inġinerija hija karriera li għalija hawn domanda kbira, twassal għal-xogħol interessanti u versatili. It-tagħlim jinkludi kemm it-teorija kif ukoll il-prattika.

Dan il-kors huwa rikonoxxut mill-Bord tal-Inģiniera bħala prerekwiżit għall-applikazzjoni tal-Warrant tal-Inġniera (Ing.) kif stabbilit bl-ATT Nru XLVIII tal-2021.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Industrial	4 Years Full-time	6
Electronics (with an overall mark of 60% or higher) or	Mode	Credits
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Electrical Systems (with an overall mark of 60% or higher) or	Includes Internship	240 ECTS
MCAST Undergraduate Diploma in Foundations of Engineering	Career Opportunities	
or 2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes Compulsory A-Levels: Physics and Mathematics (Pure or Applied) Applicants need to obtain an average Grade C across their A-Levels in Mathematics and Physics	Design engineer · Elect · Electrical engineer	cronics engineer

(such as Grades C, C; Grades B, D; Grades A, E).

### **Diploma in Deck Operations**

This study programme is intended for learners who in future intend to apply for the course of Advanced Diploma in Deck Operations which also leads to Officer in Charge of a Navigational Watch. This course is also an opportunity for those learners who would like to find a job and actively work in a maritime environment such as a deck crew on board ships and gain valuable sea time, or in an inshore marina job. The Diploma in Deck Operations course will deliver a solid foundation in general ship knowledge, seamanship and navigation, and provides an understanding of the basic legislative environment within which ships operate. This course also provides an opportunity for learners to complete the STCW basic safety training components. Learners will also be able to sit for the GMDSS ROC and Commercial Vessel Boatmaster Grade 1 examinations, provided that other requirements stipulated by Transport Malta are met.

Dan il-programm ta' studju huwa maħsub għal studenti li għandhom l-intenzjoni li fil-futur japplikaw għall-kors ta' Advanced Diploma in Deck Operations li jista' wkoll iwassalhom biex jilħqu Uffiċjal fil-Kariga ta' Għassa tan-Navigazzjoni. Il-kors jagħti l-opportunità wkoll lil dawk l-istudenti li jixtiequ jsibu impjieg u jaħdmu fʻambjent tal-baħar bħala ekwipaġġ abbord bastimenti u jiksbu ħin ta' servizz siewi fuq il-baħar, jew jixtiequ jaħdmu fʻmarina qrib il-kosta. Id-Diploma in Deck Operations tipprovdi bażi soda fl-għarfien ġenerali dwar il-bastimenti, it-tbaħhir u n-navigazzjoni, kif ukoll fehim bażiku tal-ambjent leġiżlattiv li fih joperaw il-bastimenti. Dan il-kors jagħti opportunità lill-istudenti jlestu l-komponenti ta' taħriġ bażiku ta' sigurtà tal-STCW, u jagħmlu l-eżamijiet għaċ-ċertifikat tal-GMDSS ROC u ta' Commercial Vessel Boatmaster tal-ewwel grad, basta jkunu jissodisfaw ir-rekwiżiti l-oħra ta' Transport Malta.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
MCAST Foundation Certificate	1 Year Full-time	3
or 2 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes		Credits
Career Opportunities		60 ECTS
Deck crew · Shipping clerk · Water clerk with a shipping agency · Mooring man.		

# Advanced Diploma in Deck Operations (also leading to OIC Navigational Watch)

The Advanced Diploma in Deck Operations (also leading to OIC Navigational Watch) programme is designed to prepare candidates for a career in the maritime sector.

The Advanced Diploma is a two-year full-time course. MCAST issues the qualification, whilst the programme also prepares candidates as sea cadets with a further 12-month sea placement and Transport Malta written exams, including the final oral exam to qualify for the ultimate maritime qualification with the Certificate of Competence as an Officer In Charge of a Navigational Watch (unlimited) on ocean-going merchant vessels. Transport Malta (Maritime) Authority issues this qualification.

Candidates can opt to take the course leading to Officer In Charge of Navigational Watch alone and sit for Transport Malta examinations or the course leading to Advanced Diploma in Deck Operations alone and sit for MCAST examinations or both with full qualifications.

It is to be noted that those candidates taking the Advanced Diploma in Deck Operations course will not be entitled to work as navigation ship officers.

The course consists of several maritime-related subjects such as navigation, meteorology, signals, ship knowledge and stability, cargo operations, international regulations, and leadership training in which all candidates are expected to participate.

Officer Cadets are expected to wear a merchant marine uniform while training ashore and on board ships.

Officer Cadets attending the course will be expected to find their ship sponsor for the practical training period at sea during the third phase of training of the course. However, assistance will also be offered.

Il-programm Advanced Diploma in Deck Operations (li jwassal ukoll għall-OIC Navigational Watch) huwa mfassal biex jipprepara il-kandidati għall-karriera fis-settur marittimu.

Id-Diploma Avvanzata hija kors full-time ta' sentejn. L-MCAST joħroġ il-kwalifika, filwaqt li l-programm jipprepara wkoll lill-kandidati biex isiru kadetti tal-baħar bi prattika fuq il-baħar ta' 12-il xahar u eżamijiet bil-miktub tat-Transport Malta, inkluż l-eżami orali finali biex jikkwalifikaw għall-kwalifika marittima aħħarija biċ-Ċertifikat ta' Kompetenza bħala Officer In Charge of a Navigational Watch (unlimited) fug bastimenti merkantili. L-Awtorità tat-Trasport Malta toħroġ din il-kwalifika.

Il-kandidati jistgħu jagħżlu li jagħmlu l-kors li jwassal għal Officer In Charge of Navigational Watch waħedhom u joqogħdu għall-eżamijiet ta' Transport Malta jew il-kors li jwassal għal Advanced Diploma in Deck Operations u l-eżamijiet tal-MCAST jew jiksbu ż-żewġ kwalifiki.

Ta' min jinnota li dawk il-kandidati li qed jagħmlu l-kors ta' Advanced Diploma in Deck Operations mhux se jkunu intitolati li jaħdmu bħala uffiċjali tal-vapuri tan-navigazzjoni.

II-kors jikkonsisti f'diversi suġġetti relatati mal-baħar bħan-navigazzjoni, iI-meteoroloġija, is-sinjali, I-għarfien u I-istabbiltà tal-vapuri, I-operat tal-merkanzija, ir-regolamenti internazzjonali, u t-taħriġ fit-tmexxija li fih il-kandidati kollha huma mistennija li jipparteċipaw.

L-Ufficjali Kadetti mistennija jilbsu uniformi tal-baħar merkantili waqt it-taħriġ fuq l-art u abbord il-vapuri.

L-Ufficjali Kadetti li jattendu l-kors ikunu mistennija jsibu l-isponsor tal-vapur tagħhom għall-perjodu ta' taħriġ prattiku fuq il-baħar matul it-tielet fażi tat-taħriġ tal-kors. Madankollu, se tiġi offruta wkoll l-għajnuna.

#### **Entry Requirements**

MCAST Diploma in Deck Operations or

4 SEC/O-Level passes/SSC&P (Level 3) passes Compulsory: Physics and Mathematics and English Language

#### **Other Entry Requirements**

Medical Test

Students must have reached the age of 18 years prior to start of sea experience

#### **Career Opportunities**

Advanced Diploma holders: Port inspector · Terminal inspector · GMDSS operator · Cargo operator in yard/ship terminal

Officer In Charge of Navigational Watch (unlimited) holders: 2nd Officer onboard ocean going ships of any size and operations.

#### **Course Duration**

2 years full time for the Advanced Diploma.
A further 12 months training at sea and Transport Malta written examinations including final oral exam to achieve the Officer In Charge of Navigational Watch Certificate
Of Competence
(Unlimited)

#### MQF Level

4

#### Credits

120 ECTS

#### Mode

Sea cadets are required to attend a 12 months sea placement for the OIC Navigational Watch Certificate Of Competence qualification

#### **Chief Mate**

This course is a continuation in the career of a Deck Officer in the merchant shipping navy leading to the issue of a Certificate of Competency as a Chief Mate. The training provided is at management level and learners attending this course are expected to dedicate a lot of time to their studies and to wear a merchant marine uniform whilst undergoing training ashore. The Centre for Maritime Studies boasts a good reputation for discipline and all Officers are expected to abide by a Code of Conduct whilst attending the Chief Mate Course and to actively participate in organised events. Practical STCW ancillary courses, namely medical care and radar navigation including simulation exercises, are also provided as compulsory short courses for the Chief Mate Certificate of Competency.

Dan il-kors huwa kontinwazzjoni fil-karriera ta' Deck Officer fil-flotta navali merkantili u jwassal għall-ħruġ ta' Ċertifikat ta' Kompetenza bħala Chief Mate. It-taħriġ ipprovdut huwa fil-livell maniġerjali u l-istudenti li jattendu dan il-kors huma mistennija jiddedikaw ħafna ħin għall-istudji tagħhom u li jilbsu uniformi tal-marina merkantili, waqt li jkunu qed jitħarrġu fuq l-art. Iċ-Ċentru għall-Istudji Marittimi għandu reputazzjoni tajba għaddixxiplina u l-Uffiċjali kollha huma mistennija li jikkonformaw mal-Kodiċi ta' Kondotta waqt li jkunu qed jattendu l-kors ta' Chief Mate u li jipparteċipaw b'mod attiv flavvenimenti li jiġu organizzati. Il-korsijiet anċillari prattiċi tal-STCW, jiġifieri l-kura medika u n-navigazzjoni bir-radar, inklużi eżerċizzji ta' simulazzjoni, huma pprovduti wkoll bħala korsijiet qosra obbligatorji biex jinkiseb iċ-Ċertifikat ta' Kompetenza ta' Chief Mate.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Letter of Eligibility from Transport Malta  A Valid OIC Navigational Watch Certificate of	1 Year Full-time	-
Competency, and	Mode	Credits
12 months at sea in that capacity		<del></del>
Other Entry Requirements	May include the possibility of Work- Based Learning	-
Medical Test through Transport Malta		
Career Opportunities		
Chief officer on sea-going merchant ships as second in command • Ship senior officer of the bridge • Ship senior officer controlling cargo operations on a ship • Master on offshore vessels • Ship security officer marine • VTS operator/supervisor		

### **Advanced Diploma in Marine Engineering**

This programme is the first step for those who wish to embark on a career in the maritime sector, with opportunities being available both locally and internationally. The course introduces the basics of engineering related to marine vessels and is ideal for those who wish to be introduced into this sector and obtain a formal vocational qualification. After successful completion of the course, the learner will have formed sound theoretical and practical competences. This course includes work-related training and practice.

Dan il-programm huwa l-ewwel pass għal dawk li jixtiequ jibdew karriera fis-settur marittimu, b'opportunitajiet disponibbli kemm lokalment, kif ukoll internazzjonalment. Il-kors jintroduċi l-elementi bażiċi tal-inġinerija relatata ma' bastimenti tal-baħar u huwa ideali għal dawk li jixtiequ jidħlu f'dan is-settur u jiksbu kwalifika vokazzjonali formali. L-istudenti li jtemmu l-kors b'suċċess, ikunu kisbu kompetenzi teoretiċi u prattiċi sodi. Dan il-kors jinkludi taħriġ u prattika relatati max-xogħol.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma	3 Years Full-time	4
or 4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Compulsory: One subject from Engineering Technology or Design and Technology or Chemistry or Mathematics or Physics	Apprenticeship	120 ECTS
Career Opportunities		
Marine engineering technician · Ship repair	_	

# **Bachelor of Science (Honours)** in Marine Engineering

This degree programme deals with the design, construction, operation and maintenance of engines and machinery in ships and marine installations. The learner will gain an understanding of developed and emerging technologies whilst applying theoretical and practical methods in the analysis and solution of marine engineering related problems. At this level of study, one will be expected to develop the qualities needed for employment in situations requiring the exercise of personal responsibility, technical leadership and commercial management in complex and unpredictable circumstances as expected in the Maritime industry.

Dan il-programm li jwassal għal baċellerat jittratta d-disinn, il-kostruzzjoni, l-operat u l-manutenzjoni tal-magni u l-makkinarju f'bastimenti u installazzjonijiet tal-baħar. L-istudent jikseb fehim tat-teknoloġiji żviluppati u emerġenti, filwaqt li japplika metodi teoretiċi u prattiċi fl-analiżi u s-soluzzjoni ta' problemi relatati mal-inġinerija tal-baħar. F'dan il-livell ta' studju, wieħed ikun mistenni li jiżviluppa l-kwalitajiet meħtieġa għal impjieg f'sitwazzjonijiet li jirrikjedu l-eżerċizzju ta' responsabbiltà personali, it-tmexxija teknika u l-ġestjoni kummerċjali, f'ċirkostanzi kumplessi u imprevedibbli, kif wieħed jistenna fl-industrija Marittima.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Any MCAST MQF Level 4 Advanced Diploma offered by the Institute of Engineering and	3 Years Full-time	6
Transport	Mode	Credits
or MCAST Undergraduate Diploma in Foundations of Engineering	Includes Internship	180 ECTS
or 2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes		
Compulsory A-Levels: Physics and Mathematics		
(Pure or Applied)		
Career Opportunities		
Marine structural designer · Marine systems designer · Marine technologist · Marine surveyor		



# Master of Science in Mechanical Engineering and Sustainable Technology

The Master of Science in Mechanical Engineering and Sustainable Technology is of high technical content and is designed to promote higher level thinking skills in various areas of engineering with a special focus on modern low carbon and renewable energy systems. Learners will acquire a broad range of skills in the major engineering disciplines allowing them to work in a senior technical or project management role within industry. The course will also provide graduates a foundation for further study or for a career in an engineering related field. The learners will receive advanced study in both the theoretical and the practical aspects of engineering that builds on previous knowledge and experience. This course is not related to the Engineering Warrant.

FEES: Fees apply - Further information through MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry)

Il-kontenut tal-Master of Science in Mechanical Engineering and Sustainable Technology huwa wieħed tekniku u ta' livell avvanzat u huwa maħsub biex jippromwovi ħiliet ta' ħsieb ta' livell ogħla f'oqsma varji tal-inġinerija, b'enfasi speċjali fuq sistemi moderni li jipproduċu ammont baxx ta' karbonju jew li jużaw enerġija rinnovabbli. L-istudenti jiksbu firxa wiesgħa ta' ħiliet fid-dixxiplini ewlenin tal-inġinerija. Dan jippreparahom biex jokkupaw pożizzjonijiet għoljin ta' natura teknika jew fit-tmexxija ta' proġetti fl-industrija. Il-kors jipprovdi wkoll lill-parteċipanti bażi għal studju aktar avvanzat fl-inġinerija jew għal karriera f'qasam relatat. Huma jirċievu tagħlim avvanzat kemm fl-aspetti teoretiċi tal-inġinerija, kif ukoll f'dawk prattiċi, liema tagħlim jibni fuq l-għarfien u l-esperjenza li huma jkollhom diġà. Dan il-kors ma jagħtix id-dritt lill-kandidati għall-warrant ta' inġinier.

MIŻATI: Japplikaw filasijiet - Aktar informazzjoni permezz ta' MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry)

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Any MQF Level 6 degree related to Engineering or Science	PT 6 Semesters	7
of defende	Mode	Credits
	Blended	120 ECTS

### **Master of Science in Aerospace Engineering**

The MCAST MSc in Aerospace Engineering aims to form graduates that will be able to design and implement aerospace projects focusing on more productive but environmentally friendly technologies so as to respond to today's challenges of a cleaner sky and less noisy and non-polluted environment, as well as to develop safer, faster and cheaper transportation for a growing society.

The objective of this Master course is to provide the graduates with the skills required by national and international aerospace companies and with the right profile to match recruitment criteria for agencies as well as public and private bodies in the aerospace sector and also other engineering sectors, for example Automotive. In detail, MCAST's highly targeted learning aerospace pathway aims at developing career-enhancing skills for aerospace professionals in the aviation sector and in the expanding civilian space business in fields such as the management, maintenance and conversion of aircrafts, R&D of technologies for new generations of aircrafts, and civilian applications for smart satellites and sub-orbital spacecrafts.

The course offers the students the possibility to specialize in one of three most highly-demanded fields, namely:

- · Structures and Measurements for Aerospace
- Aerodynamics
- · Space Technologies.

This course has a strong online component. This course is not related to the Engineering Warrant.

FEES: Fees apply - Further information through MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry)

L-MSc in Aerospace Engineering għandu l-għan li jwassal lill-gradwati biex jkunu jistgħu jiddisinjaw u jimplimentaw proġetti aerospazjali li jiffokaw fuq teknoloġiji aktar produttivi iżda li ma jagħmlux ħsara lill-ambjent, sabiex jirrispondu għall-isfidi tal-lum, biex ikun hemm sema aktar nadif u ambjent inqas storbjuż u mhux imniġġes. B'hekk jiġi żviluppat trasport aktar sikur, aktar mgħaġġel u orħos għal soċjetà li qed tikber.

L-għan ta' dan il-kors f'livell ta' Master huwa li jipprovdi lill-gradwati bil-ħiliet meħtieġa minn kumpaniji aerospazjali nazzjonali u internazzjonali u bil-profil it-tajjeb biex jaqbel mal-kriterji ta' reklutaġġ għal aġenziji, kif ukoll korpi pubbliċi u privati fis-settur aerospazjali u wkoll setturi oħra tal-inġinerija, bħal per eżempju tal-Karozzi. Fid-dettall, il-mogħdija ta' tagħlim aerospazjali mmirata ħafna tal-MCAST għandha l-għan li tiżviluppa ħiliet li jtejbu l-karriera għall-professjonisti talajruspazju fis-settur tal-avjazzjoni u fin-negozju spazjali ċivili li qed jespandi f'oqsma bħall-ġestjoni, il-manutenzjoni u l-konverżjoni ta' inġenji tal-ajru, R&D ta' teknoloġiji għal ġenerazzjonijiet ġodda ta' ajruplani, u applikazzjonijiet ċivili għal satelliti intelliġenti u vetturi spazjali suborbitali.

II-kors joffri lill-istudenti l-possibbiltà li jispeċjalizzaw f'wieħed mit-tliet oqsma l-aktar mitluba, jiġifieri:

- · Structures and Measurements for Aerospace
- · Aerodynamics
- Space Technologies.

Dan il-kors għandu komponent online qawwi. Dan il-kors mhuwiex relatat mal-Warrant tal-Inġiniera.

MIZATI: Japplikaw ħlasijiet - Aktar informazzjoni permezz ta' MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry)

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
A Bachelor degree in Mechanical Engineering	PT 6 Semesters	7
or in Aerospace Engineering or in a related field or	Mode	Credits
A MQF Level 5 qualification related to Engineering or Science and adequate	Blended	
professional experience	Bichaca	120 2010

#### **Master of Science in Mechatronics**

The Master of Science in Mechatronics programme provides students with a broad range of knowledge and skills in the field of automation and control of production processes and equipment, as well as in the field of mechatronic devices and systems control. It focuses on the study of network technologies (e.g. Ethernet, Industrial Protocol, Profinet, Modbus, Profibus, Devicenet, Control Net), and the development of SCADA (Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition) system construction. The practical use of real-time systems is also an important part of the programme. Students will learn how to apply the theoretical principles of industrial robotics and mechatronics, mechatronic and robotic actuators, and modern technologies of microcontroller applications to practical situations.

This course is not related to the Engineering Warrant.

FEES: Fees apply - Further information through MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry)

II-programm tal-Master of Science in Mechatronics jipprovdi lill-istudenti firxa wiesgħa ta' għarfien u ħiliet fil-qasam tal-awtomatizzazzjoni u I-kontroll ta' proċessi tal-produzzjoni u t-tagħmir, kif ukoll fil-qasam tal-apparat mekatroniku u s-sistemi tal-kontroll. Dan il-programm jiffoka fuq I-istudju tat-teknoloġiji tan-netwerk (eż. Ethernet, Industrial Protocol, Profinet, Modbus, Profibus, Devicenet, Control Net), u I-iżvilupp tal-kostruzzjoni tas-sistema SCADA (II-Kontroll Superviżorju u I-Akkwist tad-Data). L-użu prattiku ta' sistemi ta' ħin reali huwa wkoll parti importanti tal-programm. L-istudenti se jitgħallmu kif japplikaw il-prinċipji teoretiċi tar-robotika u I-mekatronika industrijali, tal-attwaturi tal-mekatronika u tar-robotika, u t-teknoloġiji moderni ta' applikazzjonijiet ta' mikrokontrolluri għall-soluzzjonijiet prattiċi.

Dan il-kors ma jagħtix id-dritt lill-kandidati għall-warrant ta' inġinier.

MIŻATI: Japplikaw ħlasijiet - Aktar informazzjoni permezz ta' MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry)

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Any MQF Level 6 degree related to Engineering or Science	PT 5 Semesters	7
or	Mode	Credits
A MQF Level 5 qualification related to		
Engineering or Science and adequate	Blended Learning	90 ECTS
professional experience		

# **Master of Science in High Performance Buildings**

The Master of Science in High Performance Buildings (HPB) gives candidates the opportunity to develop optimized building concepts, integrating various components of holistic design methodology, building physics, building climatology and comfort, energy-efficiency, environmental sources, building services systems, building aerodynamics, thermal and fluid dynamic CFD simulations, lighting design, building operations, as well as green urban modelling. The programme provides for advanced skills in specialization and scientific research of building physics coupled with architectural design, preparing students for professional as well as research and development settings at national and international levels.

This course is not related to the Engineering Warrant.

FEES: Fees apply - Further information through MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry)

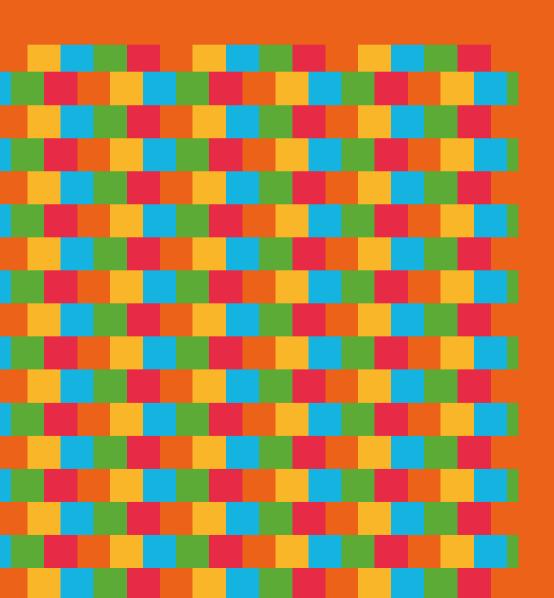
II-Master of Science in High Performance Buildings (HPB) jipprovdi lill-kandidati I-opportunità li jiżviluppaw kunċetti ta' bini aħjar milli għandna, billi jużaw elementi tal-metodoloġija ħolistika tad-disinn, tal-fiżika tal-bini, tal-klimatoloġija u I-kumdità tal-bini, tal-effiċjenza fl-enerġija, tas-sorsi ambjentali, tas-sistemi tas-servizzi tal-bini, tal-ajrudinamika tal-bini, ta' simulazzjonijiet dinamiċi (CFD) termali u fluwidi, tad-disinn tad-dwal, tal-operat tal-bini, kif ukoll tal-immudellar ekoloġiku urban. II-programm jipprovdi ħiliet avvanzati fl-ispeċjalizzazzjoni u fir-riċerka xjentifika tal-fiżika tal-bini, flimkien maddisinn tal-arkitettura. Dan iħejji lill-istudenti għal ambjenti professjonali u ta' riċerka u żvilupp f'livelli nazzjonali u internazzjonali.

Dan il-kors ma jagħtix id-dritt lill-kandidati għall-warrant ta' inġinier.

MİŻATI: Japplikaw ħlasijiet - Aktar informazzjoni permezz ta' MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry)

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Any MQF Level 6 degree related to Engineering or Science	PT 5 Semesters	7
or	Mode	Credits
A MQF Level 5 qualification related to		_
Engineering or Science and adequate	Blended	90 ECTS
professional experience		

# INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY



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### **Introductory Certificate in ICT**

The ICT industry is a dynamic sector which requires a number of technical people to cope with the constantly evolving computing technologies. IT persons offer support in these technologies and help other IT specialists in their daily job. The Introductory Certificate in ICT offers knowledge in basic skills as well as knowledge in the fundamentals of computer systems and programming skills. The programme offers learners the necessary knowledge about the basic components that make up a computer system by being able to distinguish the different parts of a computer system, as well as learn about the software design phases and how to install hardware. Skills will be developed in how to design simple algorithms and simple computer programmes.

L-industrija tal-ICT hija settur dinamiku li jirrikjedi għadd ta' persuni tekniċi biex ilaħħqu mat-teknoloġiji tal-computing li qed jevolvu b'mod kostanti. Il-persuni tal-IT joffru appoġġ f'dawn it-teknoloġiji u jgħinu lil speċjalisti oħra tal-IT fix-xogħol tagħhom ta' kuljum. L-Introductory Certificate in ICT joffri għarfien fir-rigward tal-ħiliet bażiċi u tal-elementi fundamentali ta' sistemi tal-kompjuter u tal-ħiliet tal-ipprogrammar. Il-programm joffri lill-istudenti l-għarfien neċessarju dwar il-komponenti bażiċi li jiffurmaw is-sistema tal-kompjuter, b'tali mod li jkunu jistgħu jiddistingwu bejn il-partijiet differenti ta' sistema tal-kompjuter, kif ukoll jitgħallmu dwar il-fażijiet tad-disinn tas-software u kif jinstallaw il-ħardwer. Jiġu żviluppati ħiliet fid-disinn ta' algoritmi sempliċi u ta' programmi sempliċi tal-kompjuter.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Finished Compulsory Education Initial Assessment Tests (as may be applicable)	1 Year Full-time	1
miliai Assessment fests (as may be applicable)		Credits
		40 ECTS

### **Foundation Certificate in ICT**

The ICT industry is a dynamic sector which requires a number of technical people to cope with the constantly evolving computing technologies. IT persons offer support in these technologies and help other IT specialists in their daily job. The Foundation Certificate in ICT offers knowledge in basic skills as well as knowledge in the fundamentals of computer systems, programming skills, computer graphics, and the creation of ICT projects. This programme of study is not intended to prepare the learner for immediate employment, however it is the first in a string of programmes that will eventually prepare the learner to embark on a career within the computing industry.

L-industrija tal-ICT hija settur dinamiku li jirrikjedi għadd ta' persuni tekniċi biex ilaħħqu mat-teknoloġiji tal-computing li qed jevolvu b'mod kostanti. Il-persuni tal-IT joffru appoġġ f'dawn it-teknoloġiji u jgħinu lil speċjalisti oħra tal-IT fix-xogħol tagħhom ta' kuljum. Il-Foundation Certificate in ICT joffri għarfien fir-rigward tal-ħiliet bażiċi u tal-elementi fundamentali ta' sistemi tal-kompjuter, il-ħiliet tal-ipprogrammar, il-grafika tal-kompjuter u l-ħolqien ta' proġetti tal-ICT. Dan il-programm ta' studju mhuwiex maħsub biex iħejji lill-istudent għal impjieg immedjat. Madankollu, huwa l-ewwel f'sensiela ta' programmi li eventwalment iħejju lill-istudent sabiex isegwi karriera fl-industrija tal-computing.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Introductory Certificate	1 Year Full-time	2
or Finished Compulsory Education		Credits
Initial Assessment Tests (as may be applicable)		 60 ECTS



### **ALP+ Extended Diploma in ICT**

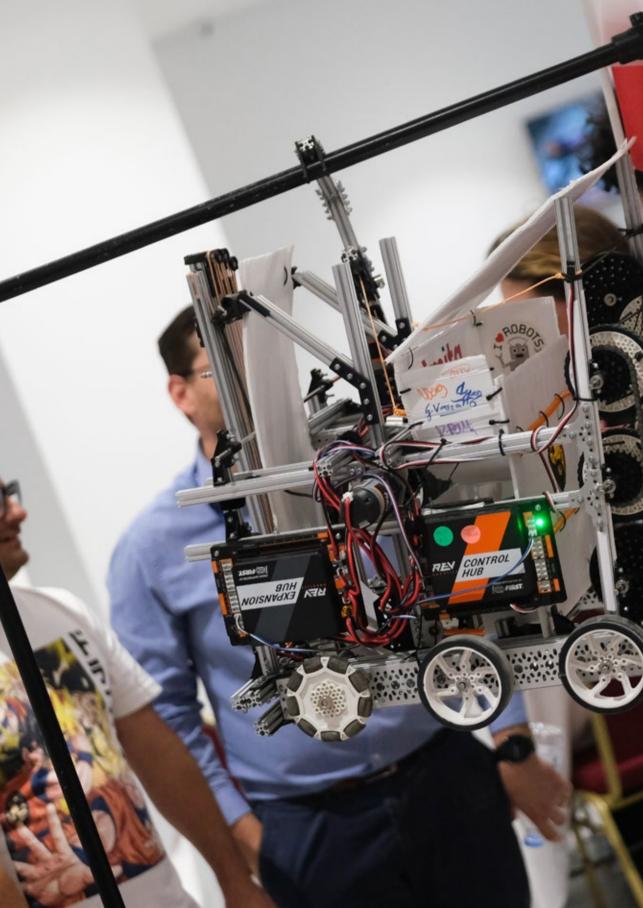
This course is aimed at learners who have successfully completed their studies at the Alternative Learning Programme of the Ministry for Education, and are interested in pursuing further vocational studies at MQF Level 3, related to ICT. This course focuses on the knowledge and skills required for eventual employment at assistant technician level in the ICT sector. The combination of practical experience and theoretical knowledge gained by successfully completing the course, will equip learners with the knowledge and skills with which they will be able to access the labour market, or alternatively, they will be eligible to continue their studies at MQF level 4 at MCAST, by selecting one of the various Advanced Diplomas offered by the College, in their preferred area of study.

The ICT industry is a dynamic sector which requires a number of technical people to cope with the constantly evolving computing technologies. IT persons offer technical support in these technologies and help other IT specialists in their daily job. Learners will be introduced to fundamental subjects in the networking, software development, web development and multimedia areas. At the end of the course, learners will be able to use modern computer and multimedia systems and networks in the workplace.

Dan il-kors huwa mmirat lejn studenti li jkunu temmew b'suċċess l-istudji tagħhom fil-Programm ta' Tagħlim Alternattiv (l-ALP) tal-Ministeru għall-Edukazzjoni, u huma interessati li jkomplu bit-tagħlim vokazzjonali fil-Livell 3 tal-MQF, relatat mal-ICT. Dan il-kors jiffoka fuq l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex eventwalment iwasslu għal impjieg fil-livell ta' assistent tekniku fis-settur tal-ICT. L-esperjenza prattika u l-għarfien teoretiku li jakkwistaw l-istudenti li jispiċċaw il-kors, jgħin biex dawn ikollhom l-għarfien u l-ħiliet meħtieġa biex jaħdmu, jew inkella, ikunu eliġibbli biex ikomplu l-istudji tagħhom fil-livell 4 tal-MQF fl-MCAST, billi jagħżlu wieħed mill-bosta korsijiet tal-Advanced Diploma fil-qasam li jippreferu.

L-industrija tal-ICT hija settur dinamiku li teħtieġ numru ta' nies tekniċi biex ilaħħqu mat-teknoloġija tal-kompjuter li qed tevolvi kontinwament. Persuni fil-qasam tal-IT joffru appoġġ f'dawn it-teknoloġiji u jgħinu speċjalisti oħra tal-IT fix-xogħol tagħhom ta' kuljum. L-istudenti se jiġu introdotti għal suġġetti fundamentali fl-oqsma tan-networking, l-iżvilupp tas-software, tal-websites u l-multimedja. Fi tmiem il-kors, l-istudenti jkunu jistgħu jużaw sistemi u networks moderni tal-kompjuter u multimedjali fuq il-post tax-xogħol.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
SSC&P at MQF level 2 (Students are expected to	2 Years Full-time	2/3
have completed the one-year ALP programme and obtained at least an MQF Level 1 in Maltese,	Mode	Credits
English and Mathematics and an MQF Level 2 in		
TWO vocational subjects)	College-based with	36 ECTS at MQF Level
	work-based learning	2 and 60 ECTS at MQF Level 3



### **Diploma in ICT**

The ICT industry is a dynamic sector which requires a number of technical people to cope with the constantly evolving computing technologies. IT persons offer technical support in these technologies and help other IT specialists in their daily job. The Diploma in ICT is the first step in a block of a three-year training programme, designed to provide the necessary skills to work in the computing industry. At this level of study, learners will be introduced to fundamental subjects in the networking, software development, web development and multimedia areas. At the end of the course, learners will be able to use modern computer and multimedia systems and networks in the workplace.

L-industrija tal-ICT hija settur dinamiku li jirrikjedi għadd ta' persuni tekniċi biex ilaħħqu mat-teknoloġiji tal-computing li qed jevolvu b'mod kostanti. Il-persuni tal-IT joffru appoġġ f'dawn it-teknoloġiji u jgħinu lil speċjalisti oħra tal-IT fix-xogħol tagħhom ta' kuljum. Id-Diploma in ICT hija l-ewwel pass fi programm ta' taħriġ ta' tliet snin, imfassal biex jipprovdi l-ħiliet neċessarji biex wieħed ikun jista' jaħdem fl-industrija tal-computing. F'dan il-livell ta' studju, l-istudenti jiġu introdotti għal suġġetti fundamentali fl-oqsma tannetwerking, l-iżvilupp tas-software, l-iżvilupp ta' websajts u l-multimidja. Fi tmiem il-kors, l-istudenti jkunu jistgħu jużaw sistemi u netwerks moderni tal-kompjuter u tal-multimidja fil-post tax-xogħol.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Foundation Certificate	1 Year Full-time	3
or		
2 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Compulsory: One subject from Mathematics		
or Computer Studies or Physics or Information	May include the	60 ECTS
Technology*	possibility of Work-	
*Information Technology refers to SEC at Grade 5	Based Learning	
or higher, or SSCP IT-VET at MQF 3 or equivalent.		

#### **Other Entry Requirements**



### **Diploma in iGaming**

The iGaming industry is a relatively new and dynamic sector which requires a number of technical people to cope with the constantly evolving technologies in iGaming. MCAST offers this course as the first step to becoming familiar with the iGaming industry. The course is designed to provide the basic knowledge and skills required to consider working in such an exciting and innovative industry. At this level of studies, the learners will be introduced to subjects which provide fundamentals in iGaming, Compliance, Customer Relationship Management, Web Development, Multimedia and Basic Data Analysis.

L-industrija tal-iGaming hija settur dinamiku li huwa relattivament ģdid u li jirrikjedi għadd ta' persuni tekniċi biex ilaħħqu mat-teknoloġiji tal-iGaming li qed jevolvu kontinwament. L-MCAST qed joffri dan il-kors bħala l-ewwel pass biex l-istudenti jsiru familjari mal-industrija tal-iGaming. Il-kors huwa mfassal biex jipprovdi l-għarfien u l-ħiliet bażiċi meħtieġa biex wieħed jikkunsidra li jaħdem f'industrija tant eċċitanti u innovattiva. F'dan il-livell ta' studju, l-istudenti jiġu introdotti għal suġġetti li jipprovdu elementi fundamentali fl-iGaming, fil-Konformità, fil-Ġestjoni tar-Relazzjoni mal-Klijent, fl-lżvilupp tal-Web, fil-Multimidja u fl-Analiżi tad-Data f'livell bażiku.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Foundation Certificate	1 Year Full-time	3
or		
2 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Compulsory: One subject from Mathematics		
or Computer Studies or Physics or Information	May include the	60 ECTS
Technology*	possibility of Work-	
*Information Technology refers to SEC at Grade 5	Based Learning	
or higher, or SSCP IT-VET at MQF 3 or equivalent.		
	<b>Career Opportunities</b>	
Other Entry Requirements		
	Customer support in iGa	aming
Applicants with a good working knowledge of		

English Language will benefit from a positive learning experience throughout the course.



# **Advanced Diploma in IT** (Computer Systems and Networks)

The Advanced Diploma in Computer Systems and Networks offers a diversity of units with innovative learning material and labs. The course provides ample hands-on experience to engage learners in acquiring practical skills and knowledge to assist them with establishing a career within the IT field. The duration of this programme is spread over two years the first entailing units are common to all IT streams. The intent is to ensure that learners broaden their knowledge beyond the central area of study. Lastly, the second focuses on the core aspects of routing, switching, infrastructure design principles and virtualisation techniques to implement and manage a small to a medium-sized enterprise network environment. Finally, work-based learning is also delivered utilising apprenticeship schemes to ensure that learners are adequately prepared and competent for the industry. This essentially empowers them and allows them to apply their skills in real-life environments and obtain knowledge to aid them in their studies.

L-Advanced Diploma in Computer Systems and Networks toffri diversità ta' unitajiet b'materjal ta' tagħlim u laboratorji innovattivi. Il-kors jipprovdi esperjenza prattika biżżejied biex jinyolyj lill-istudenti biex jiksbu ħiljet u għarfien fil-prattika biex jgħinuhom jistabbilixxu karriera fil-qasam tal-IT. Il-programm huwa mifrux fuq sentejn l-ewwel unitajiet huma komuni għall-istudenti kollha tal-IT. L-intenzjoni hija li jiġi żgurat li I-istudenti jwessahu I-gharfien taghhom lil hinn mill-qasam centrali ta' studju. Flaħħar nett, it-tieni jiffoka fug l-aspetti ewlenin tar-rotot, il-bdil, il-prinċipji tad-disinn tal-infrastruttura u t-teknika tal-virtwalizzazzjoni biex jigu implimentati u mmaniggjati ambjent ta' netwerk ta' intraprizi zgħar u ta' dags medju. Fl-aħħar nett, it-tagħlim ibbazat fuq ix-xoqhol jinghata wkoll bl-użu ta' skemi ta' apprendistat biex jigi żgurat li l-istudenti ikunu ppreparati u kompetenti b'mod adegwat għall-industrija. Dan essenzialment jagħtihom is-setgħa u jippermettilhom japplikaw il-ħiliet tagħhom f'ambjenti tal-ħajja reali u jiksbu gharfien biex jghinhom fl-istudji taghhom.

#### **Entry Requirements**

MCAST Diploma in IT

MCAST Diploma in iGaming

Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma, whilst being in possession of the compulsory subjects as indicated hereunder

4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes Compulsory: Mathematics

Compulsory: Computer Studies or Physics or Information Technology\*

\* Information Technology refers to SEC at Grade 5 or higher, or SSCP IT-VET at MQF 3 or equivalent.

(where applicable) MCAST also gives due recognition to ICT C3 as will be presented by the applicant

#### **Course Duration MQF** Level

2 Years Full-time

Mode

Apprenticeship

### **Credits**

**120 ECTS** 

#### **Career Opportunities**

Junior/assistant systems administrator · Junior/ assistant network administrator · Junior/ assistant database administrator . End user support

#### **Other Entry Requirements**

# Advanced Diploma in IT (Software Development)

The Advanced Diploma in Software Development is a practical, hands-on qualification ensuring that learners utilise the most up-to-date practices and current programming languages. This course is the first step towards becoming a software developer. It will provide the learners with the core software development skills along with the necessary knowledge for the design and development of software applications. The first year of this course will be common for all learners following the Advanced Diploma. During the second year of studies learners will focus on Software Development subjects, such as: server side and client side scripting; database design and development; and mobile application development.

L-Advanced Diploma in Software Development hija kwalifika prattika li tiżgura li I-istudenti jużaw il-prattići I-aktar aġġornati u I-lingwi tal-ipprogrammar I-aktar kurrenti. Dan il-kors huwa I-ewwel pass biex wieħed isir żviluppatur tas-software. Huwa jipprovdi lilI-istudenti I-ħiliet ewlenin fl-iżvilupp tas-software, flimkien mal-għarfien neċessarju għad-disinn u I-iżvilupp ta' applikazzjonijiet tas-software. L-ewwel sena ta' dan il-kors tkun I-istess għall-istudenti kollha li jkunu qed isegwu I-Advanced Diploma. Matul it-tieni sena I-istudenti jiffokaw fuq suġġetti marbuta mal-lżvilupp tas-Software, bħal: server side u client side scripting; id-disinn u I-iżvilupp ta' databases; u I-iżvilupp ta' applikazzjonijiet tal-mobile

#### **Entry Requirements**

MCAST Diploma in IT

or

MCAST Diploma in iGaming

or

Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma, whilst being in possession of the compulsory subjects as indicated hereunder

or

4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes Compulsory: Mathematics

and

Compulsory: Computer Studies or Physics or Information Technology\*

\* Information Technology refers to SEC at Grade 5 or higher, or SSCP IT-VET at MQF 3 or equivalent.

(where applicable) MCAST also gives due recognition to ICT C3 as will be presented by the applicant

#### **Course Duration**

2 Years Full-time

Mode

e Credits

May include the possibility of Work-

Based Learning

#### **Career Opportunities**

End user support · Junior software tester · Junior software developer · Junior database developer · Junior web developer

**MOF Level** 

**120 ECTS** 

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#### **Other Entry Requirements**

# Advanced Diploma in IT (Multimedia Software Development)

The world wide web is one area that is growing fast in terms of the skills needs of companies. Multimedia is the incorporation of text, sound, graphics, animation, still images and video in conjunction with computer technology. This course will provide the learners with the core software development skills along with the necessary knowledge for multimedia artefact development, manipulation and integration. The first year of this course will be common for all learners following Advanced Diploma studies. During the second year, learners will focus on Multimedia and Software Development oriented subjects such as game development and mobile application development. This is a technical course for learners with an artistic inclination.

Il-world wide web huwa settur li qed jikber b'mod rapidu fir-rigward tal-ħiliet meħtieġa mill-kumpaniji. Il-multimidja tinkorpora t-test, il-ħoss, il-grafika, l-animazzjoni, l-immaġnijiet fissi u l-vidjo flimkien mat-teknoloġija tal-kompjuter. Il-kors jipprovdi lill-istudenti l-ħiliet ewlenin fl-iżvilupp tas-software, flimkien mal-għarfien neċessarju għall-iżvilupp, il-manipulazzjoni u l-integrazzjoni tal-artifatti tal-multimidja. L-ewwel sena ta' dan il-kors tkun l-istess għall-istudenti kollha li jkunu qed jistudjaw biex iġibu l-Advanced Diploma. Fit-tieni sena l-istudenti jiffokaw fuq suġġetti orjentati lejn il-Multimidja u l-lżvilupp tas-Software, bħall-iżvilupp tal-logħob u l-iżvilupp ta' applikazzjonijiet tal-mobile. Dan huwa kors tekniku għal studenti b'inklinazzioni artistika.

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MCAST Diploma in IT

or

MCAST Diploma in iGaming

or

Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma, whilst being in possession of the compulsory subjects as indicated hereunder

or

4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes Compulsory: Mathematics

and

Compulsory: Computer Studies or Physics or Information Technology\*

\* Information Technology refers to SEC at Grade 5 or higher, or SSCP IT-VET at MQF 3 or equivalent.

(where applicable) MCAST also gives due recognition to ICT C3 as will be shown on the applicant's SSCP

Applicants with a good working knowledge of English Language will benefit from a more positive learning experience throughout the course.

#### **Course Duration**

2 Years Full-time

#### Mode

May include the possibility of Work-

Based Learning

#### **Career Opportunities**

Junior front end developer · Junior game developer · Junior application developer · Junior mobile application developer

**MQF** Level

**Credits** 

**120 ECTS** 

#### **Other Entry Requirements**

# **Advanced Diploma in IT (iGaming)**

The Advanced Diploma in iGaming is the next level up from the diploma route, and provides hands-on experience to learners targeting junior roles in this innovative sector. It can also serve as a precursor to Software Development, iGaming, Digital Games or Business Analytics degrees. This two-year programme provides a balance of core software, web and mobile app/game development skills alongside advanced digital marketing, SEO, database design and implementation, advanced Mathematics, Data Analytics and Visualisation. The first year of this programme focuses on providing learners with core development skills whereas the second year provides further specialisation and puts the core skills to good use through work-based learning (subject to eligibility), real-world implementations and projects. Upon completion of this programme, skilled individuals targeting this sector will be in a position to build a comprehensive portfolio.

\*Apprenticeship is subject to iCaming legal requirements. Please note that applicants who are not yet 18 years of age can still apply for the course and will be doing a replacement unit.

L-Advanced Diploma in iGaming hija I-livell Ii jmiss wara d-Diploma in iGaming, u tipprovdi esperjenza prattika Iil studenti Ii jkunu qed jimmiraw Ii jsibu pożizzjonijiet fi gradi mhux għoljin wisq f'dan is-settur innovattiv. Din id-Diploma Avvanzata tista' wkoll isservi bħala tħejjija għal kwalifiki fil-livell ta' baċellerat fl-lżvilupp tas-Software, fl-iGaming, fil-Logħob Diġitali jew fil-Business Analytics. Dan il-programm ta' sentejn jipprovdi bilanċ ta' ħiliet ewlenin fl-iżvilupp tas-software, il-web u applikazzjonijiet għall-mobile/logħob, flimkien ma' ħiliet f'sistemi avvanzati ta' marketing diġitali, search engine optimization (SEO), it-tfassil u l-implimentazzjoni ta' databases, matematika avvanzata, data analytics u viżwalizzazzjoni. Il-programm jipprovdi biex matul l-ewwel sena l-istudenti jiksbu ħiliet ewlenin fl-iżvilupp tas-sistemi, filwaqt li fit-tieni sena huma jkomplu jispeċjalizzaw u jipprattikaw il-ħiliet ewlenin li jkunu kisbu fil-post tax-xogħol (suġġett għall-eliġibilità) billi jimplimentawhom fil-ħajja ta' veru u fi proġetti oħra. Wara li jtemmu l-kors, l-istudenti mħarrġa biex isibu impjieg f'dan is-settur, ikunu f'pożizzjoni li jibnu portafoll komprensiv.

\*L-Apprendistat huwa suġġett għar-rekwiżiti legali tal-iGaming. Ta' min jinnota li dawk l-applikanti li jkunu għadhom ma għalqux it-18-il sena jistgħu japplikaw għall-kors iżda minflok l-apprendistat, jiġi pprovdut lilhom taħriġ alternattiv.

#### **Entry Requirements**

MCAST Diploma in IT

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MCAST Diploma in iGaming

Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma, whilst being in possession of the compulsory subjects as indicated hereunder

4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes Compulsory: Mathematics and

Compulsory: Computer Studies or Physics or Information Technology\*

\* Information Technology refers to SEC at Grade 5 or higher, or SSCP IT-VET at MQF 3 or equivalent.

(where applicable) MCAST also gives due recognition to ICT C3 as will be shown on the applicant's SSCP

Applicants with a good working knowledge of English Language will benefit from a more positive learning experience throughout the course.

#### Course Duration MQF Level

2 Years Full-time 4

Mode Credits

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Apprenticeship\* 120 ECTS

#### **Career Opportunities**

Junior front end developer · Junior applications developer · Junior mobile applications developer · Junior analyst · Junior affiliate specialist/marketer · Junior content creator

#### Other Entry Requirements

# **Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Applied Data Sciences**

The degree in Applied Data Sciences is designed for individuals who are interested in utilising data to solve complex challenges in various fields. With a focus on applied methodology, analytical skills, and hands-on experience, students will learn how to use advanced analytical tools and techniques to uncover hidden trends and patterns that can lead to business success. The programme covers a range of topics related to software engineering, data organisation, and data analysis using the latest technologies in business intelligence, reporting, machine learning, and big data. In addition, the degree includes a strong emphasis on text mining and natural language processing (NLP), which are key tools for extracting insights from unstructured data.

The programme also covers critical thinking skills, building strategies for promoting businesses, understanding consumer behaviour, computational linguistics and the laws governing business processes. A work-based component provides an opportunity for students to gain valuable industry experience and learn from real-world professionals. At the end of the programme, students will undertake a research component in the form of a dissertation. The degree is ideal for individuals who are passionate about leveraging technology to drive business performance and make data-driven decisions.

Il-programm fil-livell ta' baċellerat f'Applied Data Sciene huwa mfassla għal individwi li huma interessati li jutilizzaw id-data biex isolvu sfidi kumplessi f'diversi oqsma. B'enfasi fuq metodologija applikata, ħiliet analitići, u esperjenza prattika, I-istudenti se jitgħallmu kif jużaw għodda analitići avvanzati biex jikxfu xejriet u mudelli li jistghu jwasslu ghas-suċcess tan-negozju. Il-programm ikopri firxa ta' suġġetti relatati mal-inginerija tas-software, I-organizzazzjoni tad-data u I-analizi tad-data bl-uzu tal-aħħar teknologija fl-intelligenza tan-negozju, ir-rappurtar, machine learning u l-big data. Barra minn hekk, il-programm iinkludi enfasi qawwija fuq text mining u l-ipprocessar tal-lingwa naturali (NLP), li huma qhodod ewlenin biex ikun hemm analiżi tad-data mhux strutturata.

Il-programm ikopri wkoll ħiliet ta' ħsieb kritiku, bini ta' strateģiji għall-promozzjoni tan-negozji, studju dwar İ-imgiba tal-konsumatur, lingwistika komputazzjonali u İ-ligijiet li jirregolaw il-processi tan-negozju. Komponent ibbazat fuq ix-xoghol jipprovdi opportunità ghall-istudenti biex jiksbu esperjenza siewja fl-industrija u jitgħallmu minn professjonisti fid-dinja tax-xogħol. Fi tmiem il-programm, İ-istudenti se jagħmlu ukoll progett tar-ricerka. Il-kors huwa ideali għal individwi li għandhom passjoni biex jużaw it-teknologija biex imexxu I-prestazzjoni tan-negozju u jiehdu decizjonijiet ibbażati fug I-użu tad-data.

#### **Entry Requirements**

MCAST Advanced Diploma in IT MCAST Advanced Diploma in Business Administration MCAST Advanced Diploma in Marketing MCAST Advanced Diploma in Insurance MCAST Advanced Diploma in Financial Services MCAST Advanced Diploma in Finance and

Insurance or

2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes

Compulsory A-Level: Computing or Mathematics or Accounting or Economics or Marketing

Applicants with a good working knowledge of Computing, Mathematics and Business related subjects will benefit from a more positive learning experience throughout the course.

#### **Other Entry Requirements**

Experience in a programming language would be considered an asset.

A sound background in the use of the English Language will be an asset for students to attain the best educational experience

Course Duration	MQF Level
3 Years Full-time	6
Mode	Credits
May include the possibility of Work-Based Learning	180 ECTS
Career Opportunities	

Data Analyst · Business Analyst · Data Scientist

- Data Engineer\* · Machine Learning Engineer\*
- · Big Data Engineer\* · Data Architect · Data

Mining Engineer\* · Data Visualisation Specialist

\*The term Engineer shall not carry or imply the meaning attributed to the term "Engineer" in Article 2 of the Engineering Profession Act (Chapter 321 of the Laws of Malta)

# **Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Computer Systems and Networks**

Computer systems and networks are a growth area in today's business environment due to the fact that there is a strong demand for highly skilled technical persons who can devise original solutions for complex problems in the context of IT and network implementation using modern techniques. This hands-on degree programme is intended for learners who wish to pursue a career in the world of computer systems and networks. In this course learners will be exposed to enterprise network technologies, data centre operations, service provider networks, information security, virtualisation, DevOps and cloud computing technologies. Due importance will also be given to emerging technologies which learners will find being implemented when they start working within the industry. A hands-on practical approach is adopted throughout the course. This course does not entitle the successful candidates to apply for an engineering warrant with the Engineering Profession Board of Malta on successful completion of the course.

Is-sistemi u n-netwerks tal-kompjuter huma qasam li qed jikber fl-ambjent kummerċjali tal-lum, minħabba l-fatt li hemm domanda kbira għal persuni tekniċi bi kwalifiki għoljin li jistgħu jfasslu soluzzjonijiet oriġinali għal problemi kumplessi fil-kuntest tal-lT u l-implimentazzjoni tan-netwerk bl-użu ta' teknika moderna. Dan il-programm li jwassal għal baċellerat huwa maħsub għal studenti li jixtiequ jsegwu karriera fid-dinja tas-sistemi u n-netwerks tal-kompjuter. F'dan il-kors, l-istudenti jiltaqgħu mat-teknoloġiji tan-netwerk tal-intrapriżi, il-funzjoni taċ-ċentri tad-data, in-netwerks tal-fornituri tas-servizzi, is-sikurezza tal-informazzjoni, il-virtwalizzazzjoni, DevOps u t-teknoloġiji tal-cloud computing. Tingħata wkoll l-importanza dovuta lit-teknoloġiji ġodda li qed jiżviluppaw u li l-istudenti se jsibu li jkunu qed jiġu implimentati fl-industrija meta jibdew jaħdmu. Dan il-kors huwa kompletament ta' natura prattika. Dan il-kors ma jagħtix id-dritt lill-istudenti li jtemmu l-kors b'suċċess li japplikaw biex jinħarġilhom il-warrant ta' inġinier mill-Bord tal-Professjoni tal-Inġinerija ta' Malta.

#### **Entry Requirements**

MCAST Advanced Diploma in IT or

MCAST Advanced Diploma in Electronics (Computer Engineering)

or

2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes Compulsory A-Level: Computing and

Compulsory A-Level or I-Level: Mathematics (Pure or Applied) or Physics

#### **Other Entry Requirements**

A sound background in the use of English
Language will be an asset for students to attain
the best educational experience

3 Years Full-time	6
Mode	Credits
Apprenticeship	180 ECTS

**MOF Level** 

#### **Career Opportunities**

**Course Duration** 

Systems administrator · NOC engineer\* · Technical support specialist · Network analyst · DevOps · Cloud infrastructure engineer\* \*The term Engineer shall not carry or imply the meaning attributed to the term "Engineer" in Article 2 of the Engineering Profession Act (Chapter 321 of the Laws of Malta)

# Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Cybersecurity

The Cybersecurity degree is a 3-year programme that provides students with a comprehensive understanding of concepts, techniques, and tools required to secure software applications, computer systems and networks. Students will increase their proficiency in the usage of open source operating systems, network security, database programming, digital forensics, and offensive security. They will also develop practical skills in mitigating cyber threats. The programme includes work-based component, whereby one's own skills are put to good use by working alongside experienced cybersecurity professionals. Additionally, the programme has a research component, where the student would undertake a dissertation. This applied research will draw on the skills and knowledge gained throughout the course to explore a specific area of cybersecurity in depth. Graduates of this programme will gain sufficient hands-on experience to thrive in the dynamic field of cybersecurity. The expertise acquired will enable them to pursue careers in the cybersecurity sector, including roles such as cybersecurity specialists, information security analysts, network security engineers, penetration testers, and digital forensic experts alongside others.

Il-programm f'livell ta' baċellerat f'Cybersecurity huwa kors ta' 3 snin li jagħti lill-istudenti taħriġ komprensiv ta' kunċetti, teknika u għodod meħtieġa għas-sigurtà tas-software, sistemi tal-kompjuter u networks. L-istudenti se jżidu l-għarfien tagħhom fl-użu ta' sistemi open source, is-sigurtà tannetwork, l-ipprogrammar tad-databases, il-forensika diġitali, u s-sigurtà offensiva. Se jiżviluppaw ukoll ħiliet prattiċi kontra t-theddid ċibernetiku. Il-programm jinkludi tagħlim ibbażat fuq ix-xogħol, u b'hekk l-istudenti jużaw il-ħiliet tagħhom u jkomplu jikbru bill jaħdmu ma' professjonisti b'esperjenza fil-qasam tas-sigurtà fid-dinja diġitali. Barra minn hekk, il-programm għandu komponent ta' riċerka, fejn l-istudent jaħdem fuq proġett ta' riċerka. F'din ir-riċerka applikata jintużaw il-ħiliet u l-għarfien miksuba tul il-kors u l-istudent jesplora fil-fond qasam fid- speċifiku fil-qasam tas-sigurtà ċibernetika. Il-gradwati ta' dan il-programm se jiksbu biżżejjed esperjenza prattika biex jirnexxu fil-qasam dinamiku tas-sigurtà ċibernetika. Il-kompetenza miksuba se tippermettilhom isegwu karrieri fis-settur sigurtà fid-dinja diġitali, inklużi rwoli speċjalisti tas-sigurtà ċibernetika, analisti tas-sigurtà tal-informazzjoni, inġiniera tas-sigurtà tan-network, testers, u esperti forensiċi diġitali u iktar.

### **Entry Requirements**

MCAST Advanced Diploma in IT or

2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes Compulsory A-Level: Computing and

Compulsory A-Level or I-Level: Mathematics (Pure or Applied) or Physics

#### **Other Entry Requirements**

A sound background in the use of English Llanguage will be an asset for students to attain the best educational experience

#### Course Duration MQF Level

3 Years Full-time 6

Mode Credits

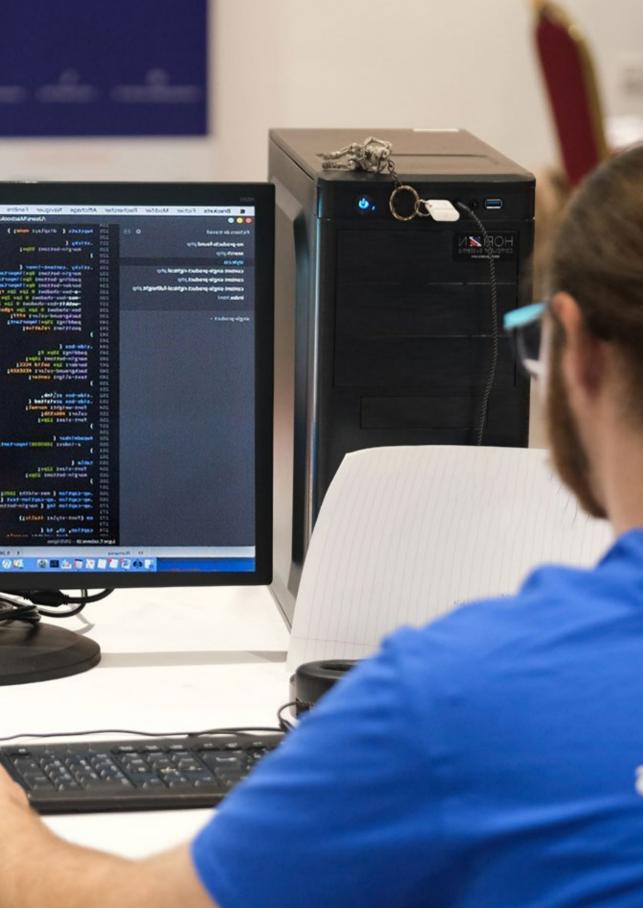
Apprenticeship 180 ECTS

#### **Career Opportunities**

Security Engineer \* · Security Consultant · Penetration Tester · Network Security Analyst

- · Cybersecurity Analyst · Security Researcher
- Threat Analyst Malware Analyst Security Architect

\*The term Engineer shall not carry or imply the meaning attributed to the term "Engineer" in Article 2 of the Engineering Profession Act (Chapter 321 of the Laws of Malta)



# **Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Software Development**

The degree in Software Development is intended to prepare learners to work in the industry of application development and engineering and explores the skills required for designing IT enterprise solutions, building robust backend systems, and solving complex problems using the latest paradigms and modern technologies. The programme covers aspects related to software engineering, frontend and backend software technologies, data organisation, persistence and data analysis, software development of portable devices and software quality aspects such as security and testing. Modern trends such as Cloud, Devops, Blockchain, Machine Learning and Computer Vision are also explored. The degree includes work-placements that will allow students to gain experience within the industry and work in a professional environment. At the end of the degree, the students culminate their studies with a research dissertation in an area of their interest. The course is intended for individuals who are keen in solving problems through technology and would like to pursue an exciting career in one of the fundamental pillars of the economy.

II-kors fis-Software Development huwa maĥsub biex jipprepara lill-istudenti biex jaħdmu fl-industrija tal-iżvilupp tal-applikazzjonijiet u l-inġinerija u jesplora l-ħiliet meħtieġa għattfassil ta' soluzzjonijiet tal-intrapriżi tal-IT, il-bini ta' sistemi backend robusti, u s-soluzzjoni ta' problemi kumplessi bl-użu tal-aħħar teknoloġiji moderni. Il-programm ikopri aspetti relatati mal-inġinerija tas-software, teknoloġiji tas-software frontend u backend, organizzazzjoni tad-data, persistenza u analiżi tad-data, l-żvilupp ta' software ta' apparati portabbli u aspetti tal-kwalità tas-software bħas-sigurtà u l-ittestjar. Xejriet moderni bħal Cloud, Devops, Blockchain, Machine Learning u Computer Vision huma esplorati wkoll. Il-programm jinkludi work-placements li se jippermettu lill-istudenti jiksbu esperjenza fl-industrija u jaħdmu f'ambjent professjonali. Fi tmiem tal-kors, l-istudenti jikkonkludu l-istudji tagħhom b'proġett ta' riċerka f'qasam ta' interess tagħhom. Il-kors huwa maħsub għal individwi li huma ħerqana li jsolvu problemi permezz tat-teknoloġija u li jixtiequ jsegwu karriera eċċitanti f'wieħed mill-pilastri fundamentali tal-ekonomija.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
MCAST Advanced Diploma in IT	3 Years Full-time	
Recommended Software Development,		
Multimedia Software Development, iGaming	Mode	Credits
or		_
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Electronics	<b>Apprenticeship</b>	180 ECTS
(Computer Engineering)		
or	Career Opportunities	5
2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes		
Compulsory A-Level: Computing	Web/back-end/fullsta	ack developer · Software
and	tester · Mobile applic	ations developer
Compulsory A-Level or I-Level: Mathematics		
(Pure or Applied) or Physics	Other Entry Require	ments

A sound background in the use of English

Language will be an asset for students to attain

the best educational experience

# **Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Creative Computing**

The degree in Creative Computing is tailored for learners who are passionate about developing cutting-edge, interactive software applications across a wide range of platforms. The comprehensive taught component covers a diverse array of skills, including front-end, UX/UI design principles, full-stack, cross-platform, and mobile app development. Learners will gain expertise in client-side and server-side technologies, as well as other areas like software development, audio/visual content creation, data organisation and persistence, machine learning, computer vision, web optimisation, utilisation of third-party tooling/libraries, and research methodologies. The work-based component of the programme provides invaluable, hands-on experience on real-world projects within an organisation. Finally, the research component in the form of a dissertation will give prospective graduates the opportunity to identify, investigate, and devise solutions for complex problems in their chosen field. The Creative Computing Degree programme is designed to help individuals excel in various fields and stay ahead of the curve and in line with front-end, full-stack, cross-platform and mobile apps development.

Il-programm fil-livell ta' bacellerat fil-Creative Computing huwa mfassal għal studenti li għandhom passjoni għall-iżvilupp ta' applikazzjonijiet ta' software interattivi fuq firxa wiesgħa ta' pjattaformi. It-tagħlim dettaljat ikopri firxa ta' ħiliet, inklużi l-frontend, principji tad-disinn UX/UI, full-stack, cross-platform, u żvilupp ta' mobile apps. L-istudenti se jiksbu għarfien fuq aspetti minn naħa tal-klijent u min-naħa tat-teknoloġija, kif ukoll oqsma oħra bħall-iżvilupp tas-software, il-ħolqien ta' kontenut awdjo/viżiv, organizzazzjoni tad-data u persistenza, machine learning, viżjoni bil-kompjuter, ottimizzazzjoni tal-web, użu ta' għodda/libreriji ta' partijiet terzi, u metodoloġiji ta' riċerka. Il-komponent tal-programm ibbażat fuq ix-xogħol jipprovdi esperjenza imprezzabbli u prattika fuq proġetti fid-dinja tax-xogħol fi ħdan organizzazzjoni. Fl-aħħarnett, il-proġett tar-riċerka se jagħti lill-gradwati prospettivi l-opportunità li jidentifikaw, jinvestigaw u jfasslu soluzzjonijiet għal problemi kumplessi fil-qasam li jagħżlu. Il-programm Creative Computing huwa ddisinjat biex jgħin lill-individwi jikbru f'diversi oqsma u jkunu minn ta' quddiem filwaqt li jimxu mal-iżvilupp fil-qasam tal-front-end, full-stack, cross-platform u mobile apps.

#### **Entry Requirements Course Duration MQF** Level MCAST Advanced Diploma in IT 3 Years Full-time 6 or 2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes Mode **Credits** Compulsory A-Level: Computing **180 ECTS** and Apprenticeship Compulsory A-Level or I-Level: Mathematics (Pure or Applied) or Physics **Career Opportunities** Full-Stack Developer · Front-End Developer ·

#### **Other Entry Requirements**

A sound background in the use of English Language will be an asset for students to attain the best educational experience UX/UI Designer · Mobile App Developer · User Experience Researcher · Interaction Designer · User Interface Developer · Web Designer · Product Designer · Information Architect · Usability Tester

# Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Digital Games Development

The degree in Digital Games Development offers learners the extra edge when it comes to the creation of entertainment software. The taught component provides insight on the various stages involved in game design and development. Students will learn to utilize state of the art tools and technologies for implementing digital games. Such artefacts require a variety of skills alongside 3D game engines. These skills include ux/ui design, game level design, software development, software testing, content creation (through audio/visual tools), 3d modelling, networking, game logic, ai, mathematics, physics etc. Additionally, work placements will not only allow learners to understand the roles and responsibilities in an organisation. They will work on real-world problems and will understand the importance of decision making, problem-solving, whilst being effective team players. Finally, through the research component, students will explore how to investigate, resolve, and present findings related to a research problem in a given domain. There is also a "double degree route" for those aspiring game developers who would like to extend their studies and work experience abroad and take their existing qualification in Digital Games Development, Multimedia Software Development or Software Development to the next level.

II-kors fl-Iżvilupp tal-Logħob Diġitali joffri lill-istudenti vantaġġ meta niġu għall-ħolgien ta' software tad-divertiment. Il-komponent maĥallem ijpprovdi ĥarsa dwar id-diversi stadji involuti fid-disinn u l-izvilupp tal-logħob. L-istudenti se jitgħallmu jutilizzaw għodod u teknologiji avvanzati għall-implimentazzjoni tal-logħob digitali. Dawn jeħtiegu varjetà ta' ħiliet flimkien ma' magni tal-logħob 3D. Dawn il-ħiliet jinkludu disinn ux/ui, disinn fil-livell tal-loghob, żvilupp ta' software, ittestiar ta' software, holgien ta' kontenut (permezz ta' għodod awdjo/viżivi), immudellar 3d, netwerking, logika tal-logħob, ai, matematika, fizika ecc. Barra minn hekk, il-prattika tghin lill-istudenti jifhmu r-rwoli u r-responsabbiltaijet f'organizzazzioni. Huma se jaħdmu fug problemi tad-dinja reali u se jifhmu l-importanza tat-teħid tad-deċiżjonijiet, is-soluzzjoni tal-problemi, filwagt li jkunu plejers effettivi tat-tim. Fl-aħħarnett, permezz tal-komponent ta' ricerka, l-istudenti se iesploraw kif iinvestigaw, isolyu, u jippreżentaw seibiet relatati ma' problema ta 'ricerka fʻqasam partikolari. Hemm ukoll "rotta ta' grad doppju" għal dawk l-iżviluppaturi talloghob li jixtiegu jestendu l-istudji u l-esperjenza tax-xoghol taghhom barra l-pajjiż u ijehdu I-kwalifika ezistenti taqhhom fl-lzvilupp tal-Loqhob Diqitali, I-lzvilupp ta 'Software Multimedjali jew l-Iżvilupp ta' Software ghal-livell li jmiss.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
MCAST Advanced Diploma in IT	3 Years Full-time	6
IGaming or Software Development or		
Multimedia Software Development	Mode	Credits
or		_
2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes	Apprenticeship	180 ECTS
Compulsory A-Level: Computing		
and	<b>Career Opportunitie</b>	S
Compulsory A-Level or I-Level: Mathematics		
(Pure or Applied) or Physics	Game Designer • Gar	ne Programmer · Game
	Artist · Game Writer ·	Level Designer · UI/UX

Designer • Sound Designer • Quality Assurance
Tester • Game Producer • Technical Artist • Game
Server Developer • Online Service Developer •

Game Network Programmer

# Master of Science in Information Technology and Systems

The Master of Science in Information Technology and Systems provides fundamental skills in a variety of advanced ICT areas such as cloud computing, big data and the Internet of Things (IoT), with a focus on developing intelligent solutions through a blend of hardware and software. The programme focuses on software as a service infrastructure, information management, enterprise systems and eLogistics. A focus is also placed on systems strategy and management, business process innovation and cyber security. Key to the programme are network security and data management technologies, as well as software defined networking, and the new field of distributed hashing and computing, typified by distributed version control systems and blockchain based crypto-currency.

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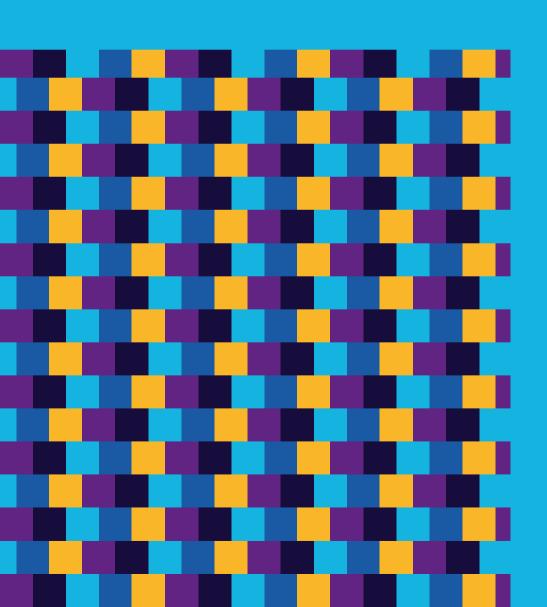
Il-Master of Science in Information Technology and Systems jipprovdi ħiliet fundamentali f'varjetà ta' oqsma avvanzati tal-ICT, bħall-cloud computing, il-big data u l-Internet tal-Oġġetti (IoT), b'enfasi fuq l-iżvilupp ta' soluzzjonijiet intelliġenti, kemm bl-użu ta' ħardwer kif ukoll ta' software. Il-programm jiffoka fuq is-software bħala infrastruttura ta' servizz, il-ġestjoni tal-informazzjoni, is-sistemi tal-intrapriżi u l-loġistika elettronika. Issir enfasi wkoll fuq l-istrateġija u l-ġestjoni tas-sistemi, l-innovazzjoni tal-proċess tan-negozju u ċ-ċibersigurtà. L-elementi ewlenin tal-programm huma t-teknoloġiji tas-sigurtà tannetwerk u l-ġestjoni tad-data, kif ukoll in-netwerking definit mis-software, u l-qasam il-ġdid tal-hashing u l-kompjuting distribwit, karatterizzat minn sistemi distribwiti tal-kontroll tal-verżjoni u applikazzjonijiet tal-cryptocurrency ibbażati fuq il-blockchain.

MIŻATI: Japplikaw ħlasijiet - Aktar informazzjoni permezz ta' MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry)

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
A recognised MQF Level 6 qualifcation at minimum 180 ECTS, in the area of Computing	PT 5 Semesters	7
and Information Systems	Mode	Credits
Other Entry Requirements	Blended	90 ECTS
A MQF Level 5 qualification and adequate		

professional experience are also considered.

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"I'm grateful of the guidance, encouragement and education that MCAST provided. The College's commitment to excellence not only shaped my career but also nurtured a lifelong enthusiasm for continuous learning."

Bjorn Vella, Electrical Installations Graduate



# Award in Vocational and Employability Skills (Introductory Level A)

The Award in Vocational and Employability Skills (Introductory Level A) is a structured programme of study that helps students with learning disabilities / learning difficulties acquire skills necessary to gain and maintain employment or to further their education. Students will be trained in Hospitality and Retail, and Office Skills. They are also assessed in Key skills which include Maltese, English, Mathematics, IT, PSHE, Daily Living and Community Skills and Customer Care and Employability skills. A work placement experience within the college is also provided. Before enrolling in the programme, students are required to attend a three-day evaluation period to assess their suitability for the course.

L-Award in Vocational and Employability Skills (Introductory Level A) huwa programm ta' studju strutturat, intiż għal studenti li għandhom diżabilità / diffikultajiet fit-tagħlim sabiex jiksbu l-ħiliet neċessarji biex jakkwistaw u jżommu impjieg jew biex ikomplu blistudju tagħhom. L-istudenti jiġu mħarrġa fl-Ospitalita` u l-Bejgħ u fil-Ħiliet tal-Uffiċċju. Huma jiġu assessjati wkoll fil-Ħiliet Ewlenin, li jinkludu l-Malti, l-Ingliż, il-Matematika, il-PSHE, l-IT, l-Ħiliet għall-Ħajja ta' Kuljum u dik Komunitarja u l-Ħiliet tal-Kura tal-Klient u tal Impjegabbiltà. L-istudenti jingħataw iċ-ċans li jagħmlu esperjenza ta' taħriġ fil-post tax-xogħol fil-Kulleġġ stess. Qabel ma jirreġistraw għall-programm, l-istudenti jkunu meħtieġa jattendu tlett ijiem ta' evalwazzjoni biex jiġi ikkonfermat li l-kors hu tajjeb għalihom.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Finished Compulsory Education.	1 Year Full-time	Introductory Level A
Provision of documents including Secondary School Leaving Certificate and Profile (SSC & P)		Credits
A recent psychological report (issued no more than 3 years before the date of application) and school reports including the last Individual		30 ECTS
Education Plan (IEP).  Adapt to both class-based and community-based learning - to be ascertained through an		
induction session at MCAST, attendance for which is compulsory.		
Other Entry Requirements  Applicants may be asked to sit for an Interview.		
Applicants may be asked to sit for all litterview.		

# Award in Vocational and Employability Skills (Introductory Level B)

The Award in Vocational and Employability Skills (Introductory Level B) is a programme of study following the MCAST Award in Vocational and Employability Skills (Introductory Level A) that helps students with learning disabilities / learning difficulties consolidate the skills necessary to gain and maintain employment or to further their education. Students will have the opportunity to further their studies in a number of vocational areas, namely Hospitality, Office and Digital Skills. They will also focus on Key Skills which include Maltese, English, Mathematics, PSHE, IT, and Daily Living and Community Skills. A work placement experience in industry is also provided.

L-Award in Vocational and Employability Skills (Introductory Level B) huwa programm ta' studju li jsegwi I-MCAST Award in Vocational and Emplopyability Skills (Introductory Level A) u jgħin lill-istudenti b'diżabilità jew b'diffikultà fit-tagħlim jiżviluppaw il-ħiliet meħtieġa biex isibu u jżommu impjieg jew biex ikomplu jistudjaw. L-istudenti jkollhom I-opportunità li jkomplu I-istudji tagħhom fl-oqsma vokazzjonali tal-Ospitalità, Ħiliet tal-Uffiċċju u Ħiliet Diġitali. Huma jiffukaw ukoll fuq il-Ħiliet Ewlenin, li jinkludu I-Malti, I-Ingliż, il-Matematika, il-PSHE, I-IT, u I-Ħiliet għall-Ħajja ta' Kuljum u dik Komunitarja. Barra minn hekk, I-istudenti jingħataw iċ-ċans li jagħmlu esperjenza ta' taħriġ fʻpost taxxogħol fl-industrija.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Award in Vocational Skills (Introductory Level A).	1 Year Full-time	Introductory Level B
Adapt to both class-based and community		Credits
based learning - to be ascertained through the previous year.		30 ECTS
Other Entry Requirements	Career Opportunities	
Applicants may be asked to sit for an Interview.	Hospitality - Housekeep Kitchen hand • Factory I Clerical - Office assistan	hand • Laundry worker •

# **Introductory Certificate** in Construction Engineering

This programme of study provides an opportunity for prospective learners in possession of the Secondary School Certificate and Profile (SSC&P) to experience and train in the basic skills related to the Construction industry. It presents learners with an opportunity to have extensive vocational hands-on practice in various sectors. The course includes practical hands-on experience in woodwork, plumbing, sheet-metal, bench-fitting, electrical and trowel practical exercises. The course includes a significant key skills component that will help learners improve their communication, literacy and numeracy skills. IT and Community Social Responsibility sessions are also part of the key skills component.

Dan il-programm ta' studju jipprovdi lil studenti prospettivi li jkollhom iċ-Ĉertifikat u l-Profil tal-Iskola Sekondarja (SSC&P) l-opportunità ta' esperjenza u taħriġ fil-ħiliet bażiċi relatati mal-industrija tal-Kostruzzjoni. Il-programm jippreżenta lill-istudenti opportunità ta' prattika diretta vokazzjonali estensiva f'diversi setturi. Il-kors jinkludi esperjenza prattika fix-xogħol tal-injam, fil-plumbing, fix-xogħol fil-metall u fil-benchfitting, u eżerċizzji prattiċi fl-elettriku u t-tikħil. Il-kors jinkludi komponent sinifikanti ta' ħiliet ewlenin biex jgħin lill-istudenti jtejbu l-ħiliet tagħhom fil-komunikazzjoni, il-litteriżmu u n-numeriżmu. L-IT u r-Responsabbiltà Soċjali fi Ħdan il-Komunita` huma wkoll parti mill-komponent tal-ħiliet ewlenin.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Finished Compulsory Education Initial Assessment Tests (as may be applicable)	1 Year Full-time	1
mittal Assessment Tests (as may be applicable)		Credits
		40 ECTS

# Foundation Certificate in Community Care Services

This programme of studies is aimed at those individuals who wish to embark on a future career in the Social Care or Early Years sector. During the year the learners will have a variety of lectures which will give them an understanding of basic concepts related to these sectors. Lectures will focus on human behaviour and development and what constitutes a safe working environment. Learners will also be given the opportunity to strengthen their key skills and become acquainted with organisations in the sector.

Dan il-programm ta' studji huwa mmirat għal dawk l-individwi li jixtiequ jibdew karriera fis-settur tal-Kura Soċjali jew tas-Snin Bikrin. Matul is-sena l-istudenti se jkollhom varjetà ta' lekċers li jagħtuhom dwar il-kunċetti bażiċi relatati ma' dawn is-setturi. Il-lekċers se jiffokaw fuq l-imġiba u l-iżvilupp tal-bniedem u x'jikkostitwixxi ambjent tax-xogħol sikur. L-istudenti se jingħataw ukoll l-opportunità li jsaħħu l-ħiliet ewlenin tagħhom u jsiru familjari ma' organizzazzjonijiet fis-settur.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
MCAST Introductory Certificate	1 Year Full-time	2
or Finished Compulsory Education		Credits
Initial Assessment Tests (as may be applicable)		
		60 ECTS

# Foundation Certificate in Hairdressing, Beauty and Wellbeing

This programme provides an overview of hair and beauty practices in preparation for a career in the industry. The modules on offer provide learners with basic knowledge in health and safety practices used in hairdressing and beauty salons. Other modules focus on an understanding of the basic scientific concepts related to all hair and beauty services and treatments, while introducing the learners to basic business concepts. The course also provides learners with real-life scenarios which will enable them to progress to further studies in hairdressing and beauty programmes. Learners are required to purchase the necessary hairdressing and beauty accessories at the beginning of the academic year.

Dan il-programm jipprovdi harsa ģenerali lejn il-prattika tax-xaghar u tas-sbuhija bi thejjija ghal karriera fl-industrija. Il-moduli jipprovdu lill-istudenti b'gharfien bażiku fil-prattika tas-sahha u s-sigurtà użati fis-settur tal-parrukkiera u tas-sbuhija. Moduli ohra jiffokaw fuq kuncetti xjentifici bażici relatati mas-servizzi u t-trattamenti kollha tax-xaghar u tas-sbuhija, filwaqt li jintroducu lill-istudenti ghall-kuncetti bażici fin-negozju. Il-kors jipprovdi wkoll lill-istudenti b'xenarji tal-hajja reali li jippermettulhom jimxu lejn aktar studji aktar avvazati f'dan is-settur. L-istudenti mitluba li jixtru l-accessorji mehtiega tax-xaghar u tas-sbuhija fil-bidu tas-sena akkademika.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
MCAST Introductory Certificate	1 Year Full-time	2
or Finished Compulsory Education		Credits
Initial Assessment Tests (as may be applicable)		60 ECTS

# Foundation Certificate in Engineering Skills

This course exposes learners to a number of diverse engineering disciplines and trades. It comprises vocational study units covering basic Electrical Installations and Electronics, Mechanical Engineering, Welding and Fabrication, and Woodwork. The programme includes elements of vocational theory and practice that will help learners acquire the knowledge, skills and competences in these vocational areas and form a clear idea of the nature of diverse vocational options that they can pursue at higher levels. Learners will gain experience in the use of tools, materials and engineering processes. This programme also enables learners to improve their key skills which will be contextualised to the vocational content.

Dan il-kors jesponi lill-istudenti għal numru ta' dixxiplini u snajja' tal-inġinerija. Jinkludi unitajiet ta' studju vokazzjonali li jkopru Installazzjonijiet, Inġinerija Mekkanika, Iwweldjar u Fabbrikazzjoni, u Xogħol tal-injam. Il-programm jinkludi elementi ta' teorija u prattika vokazzjonali li se jgħinu lill-istudenti jiksbu l-għarfien, il-ħiliet u l-kompetenzi f'dawn l-oqsma vokazzjonali u jiffurmaw idea ċara tan-natura ta' diversi għażliet vokazzjonali li jistgħu jsegwu f'livelli ogħla. L-istudenti se jiksbu esperjenza fl-użu ta' għodod, materjali u proċessi ta' inġinerija. Dan il-programm jippermetti wkoll lill-istudenti jtejbu l-ħiliet ewlenin tagħhom li se jiġu kuntestwali mal-kontenut vokazzjonali.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Finished Compulsory Education or MCAST Introductory Certificate	1 Year Full-time	2
Initial Assessment Tests (as may be applicable)		Credits
		60 ECTS

### **Foundation Certificate in ICT**

The ICT industry is a dynamic sector which requires a number of technical people to cope with the constantly evolving computing technologies. IT persons offer support in these technologies and help other IT specialists in their daily job. The Foundation Certificate in ICT offers knowledge in basic skills as well as knowledge in the fundamentals of computer systems, programming skills, computer graphics and the creation of ICT projects. This programme of study is not intended to prepare the learner for immediate employment. However, it is the first in a string of programmes that will eventually prepare the learner to embark on a career within the computing industry.

L-industrija tal-ICT hija settur dinamiku li jirrikjedi għadd ta' persuni tekniċi biex ilaħħqu mat-teknoloġiji tal-computing li qed jevolvu b'mod kostanti. Il-persuni tal-IT joffru appoġġ f'dawn it-teknoloġiji u jgħinu lil speċjalisti oħra tal-IT fix-xogħol tagħhom ta' kuljum. Il-Foundation Certificate in ICT joffri għarfien fir-rigward tal-ħiliet bażiċi u tal-elementi fundamentali tas-sistemi tal-kompjuter, il-ħiliet tal-ipprogrammar, il-grafika tal-kompjuter u l-ħolqien ta' proġetti tal-ICT. Dan il-programm ta' studju mhuwiex maħsub biex iħejji lill-istudent għal impjieg immedjat. Madankollu, huwa l-ewwel f'sensiela ta' programmi li eventwalment iħejju lill-istudent sabiex jaqbad karriera fl-industrija tal-computing.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
MCAST Introductory Certificate	1 Year Full-time	2
or Finished Compulsory Education		Credits
Initial Assessment Tests (as may be applicable)		60 ECTS

## **Diploma in Business**

This programme is aimed at preparing learners to further their studies in different areas of business. It is a preparatory course for those wishing to further their studies at MCAST on to MQF Level 4. The course aims to allow learners to improve in the areas of written and spoken English and Maltese as well as in their Mathematical and IT skills. The course however also goes into more detail, while starting from the very basics of different business areas and functions such as Accounts, Human Resources, Marketing, Purchasing, and others. This generic background allows the students to bring their academic level up to scratch, while acquiring enough knowledge about the different business areas to be able to progress onto further studies.

Dan il-programm huwa mmirat lejn it-thejjija ta' studenti biex ikomplu l-istudji taghhom fʻoqsma differenti tan-negozju. Huwa kors preparatorju biex wiehed ikompli l-istudji tieghu fl-MCAST fil-Livell 4 tal-MQF. Il-kors ghandu l-ghan li jghin lill-istudenti jtejbu l-hiliet taghhom fl-oqsma tal-kitba u t-tahdit bl-Ingliż u bil-Malti, kif ukoll il-hiliet taghhom fil-Matematika u l-IT. Madankollu, il-kors jidhol ukoll fʻhafna aktar dettall, filwaqt li jibda mill-kuncetti verament bażici ta' oqsma u funzjonijiet differenti tan-negozju bhall-Accounts, ir-Riżorsi Umani, il-Marketing, ix-Xiri u ohrajn. Dan l-isfond generiku jippermetti lill-istudenti jtejbu l-livell akkademiku taghhom sa standard accettabbli, filwaqt li jiksbu biżżejjed gharfien dwar l-oqsma differenti tan-negozju sabiex ikunu jistghu jkomplu iistudjaw f'livell aktar avvanzat.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Foundation Certificate	1 Year Full-time	3
or 2 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Applicants with a good working knowledge of the English Language will better benefit from a positive learning experience throughout the course.	May include the possibility of Work- Based Learning	60 ECTS
Career Opportunities		
Clerical assistant · Shop cashier		

### **Diploma in Social Care**

Prospective candidates who enrol in this course should have an interest in working with children, adolescents in supported accommodation, elderly persons and persons with disabilities. Lectures include a number of varied topics such as effective communication, creativity, human development, safe practices, rights and dignity for different service users and delivering personal care. The programme offers an opportunity for learners to carry out work-based learning in two different host organisations in the sector. They will be expected to carry out various assigned tasks under supervision. For learners who do not wish to further their studies, this one-year programme provides a suitable exit point to seek employment as a care worker.

II-Kandidati prospettivi li jirreģistraw għal dan il-kors full-time għandhom ikollhom interess li jaħdmu mat-tfal, maż-żgħażagħ li jgħixu fil-komunità u persuni anzjani u persuni b'diżabilità. Il-lezzjonijiet jinkludu għadd ta' suġġetti varjati bħal komunikazzjoni, il-kreattività, l-iżvilupp uman, prattiċi ta' sigurtà, id-dinjità u d-drittijiet tal-individwi u l-kura personali. Barra minn hekk, dan il-programm ta' studju joffri opportunità biex l-istudenti jirċievu tagħlim ibbażat fil-post tax-xogħol, f'żewġ organizzazzjonijiet differenti fis-settur. Hawnhekk ikunu mistennija jwettqu, taħt superviżjoni, ix-xogħol li huma jiġu assenjati. Fil-każ ta' studenti li ma jixtiequx ikomplu l-istudji tagħhom, dan il-programm ta' sena jipprovdi punt ta' ħruġ xieraq biex wieħed isib impjieg bħala ħaddiem ta' appoġġ.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Foundation Certificate or	1 Year Full-time	3
2 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Other Entry Requirements	Includes Work Placement	60 ECTS
Prior to embarking on a Work Placement,		
learners need to:	Career Opportunities	
· satisfy the requirements of the Protection of		
Minors Act (POMA);	Care worker	

and

· satisfy specific immunisation requirements;

· present a clean Police Conduct Certificate

representative for hair products

### **Diploma in Hairdressing**

This programme of studies leads to a career in the hairdressing industry. This course allows learners to acquire skills which are relevant to succeed and be competitive in the hairdressing industry. Alternatively, learners may wish to consider furthering their studies by progressing to the Level 4 Advanced Diploma programme in Hairdressing. Learners cover a variety of study units such as client consultation, hair cutting and styling for different occasions, hair colouring, perming and straightening. The course includes experience in the College's salon as well as placements in industry as part of the Apprenticeship scheme. Other modules relate to health and safety practices in the salon and the science of hairdressing. Learners will also further their skills and competencies. Learners are required to purchase the necessary hairdressing accessories at the beginning of the academic year.

Dan il-programm ta' studji jwassal għal karriera fl-industrija tal-hairdressing. Dan il-kors jippermetti lill-istudenti jiksbu ħiliet li huma rilevanti biex jirnexxu u jkunu kompetittivi fl-industrija tal-parrukkiera. Inkella, l-istudenti jistgħu jikkunsidraw li jkomplu bl-istudji tagħhom billi jkomplu il-programm ta' Livell 4 Diploma in Hairdressing. L-istudenti jkopru varjetà ta' unitajiet ta' studju bħal konsultazzjoni mal-klijenti, qtugħ tax-xagħar u grafika għal-okkażjonijiet differenti, kulur tax-xagħar, perming u drittar. Dan jinkludi esperjenza fis-salon tal-Kulleġġ kif ukoll placement fl-industrija bħala parti mill-iskema tal-Apprendistat. L-istudenti se jsaħħu wkoll il-ħiliet u l-kompetenzi tagħhom. Moduli oħra għandhom x'jaqsmu mal-prattika tas-saħħa u s-sigurtà fis-salon u x-xjenza tal-hairdressing. L-istudenti huma mitluba li jixtru l-aċċessorji meħtieġa għall-parrukkiera fil-bidu tas-sena akkademika.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
MCAST Foundation Certificate	1 Year Full-time	3
or 2 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Career Opportunities	Apprenticeship	60 ECTS
Assistant hair stylist for women · Sales		

## **Diploma in Electrical Installations**

This programme serves as an initial step for those who are interested in pursuing a career in electrical systems, such as that of an Electrician within the construction industry. This course is designed to provide basic theory and practice related to electrical installations, that are then enhanced through work-based learning. The course consists of both key skill units and vocational units, with most of them carried out in workshops and laboratories. This course provides a good foundation for future career opportunities in engineering and may also serve for progression to level 4 engineering courses.

Dan il-programm huwa l-ewwel stadju għal studenti li huma interessati fˈkarriera fˈsistemi elettriċi, bħal dik ta' electrician fl-industrija tal-kostruzzjoni. Dan il-kors huwa mfassal biex jipprovdi teorija bażika u prattika relatata ma' installazzjonijiet elettriċi, li mbagħad jissaħħu permezz tat-tagħlim ibbażat fuq ix-xogħol. Il-kors jikkonsisti f'numru ta' suġġetti relatati mal-ħilijiet ewlenin u dawk vokazzjonali, li jiġu mgħallma ġol-workshops u l-laboratorji. Dan il-kors jipprovdi bażi tajba għall-opportunitajiet fl-inġinerija u jista' wkoll iservi bħala progressjoni għall-korsijiet f'livell erbgħa tal-inġinerija.

Entry Requirements	<b>Course Duration</b>	MQF Level
MCAST Foundation Certificate	1 Year Full-time	3
2 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Career Opportunities	Apprenticeship	60 ECTS

Assistant electrician · Machine operator

## **Diploma in Mechanical Engineering**

If learners intend to embark on an engineering career specialising particularly in the mechanical sector, then this course is recommended. This MCAST programme is designed to provide basic theory and practice that can be further enhanced through work experience. Learning takes place by attending lectures in the classroom, in workshops and in laboratories, and by completing projects and assignments that are often based on realistic workplace situations. The course covers the basic knowledge and practical skills, providing a good foundation for future career opportunities in engineering. Learners are exposed to a deeper knowledge in related subjects such as Mathematics, Physics, Engineering Drawing and Information Technology.

Dan il-kors huwa rrakkomandat għal dawk l-istudenti li jkollhom l-intenzjoni li jibdew karriera fl-inġinerija li tispeċjalizza b'mod partikolari fis-settur mekkaniku. Dan il-programm tal-MCAST huwa mfassal biex jipprovdi t-teorija u l-prattika f'livell bażiku. Dawn jistgħu jiġu msaħħa permezz ta' esperjenza ta' xogħol. lt-tagħlim jikkonsisti f'lezzjonijiet fil-klassi, fil-workshops u fil-laboratorji, u fit-twettiq ta' proġetti u assignments li ħafna drabi jkunu bbażati fuq sitwazzjonijiet realistiċi fuq il-post tax-xogħol. ll-kors ikopri l-għarfien u l-ħiliet prattiċi bażiċi, filwaqt li jipprovdi bażi tajba għal opportunitajiet ta' karriera fl-inġinerija fil-futur. L-istudenti huma esposti għal għarfien aktar profond f'suġġetti relatati, bħall-Matematika, il-Fiżika, l-Engineering Drawing u t-Teknoloġija tal-Informazzjoni.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Foundation Certificate	1 Year Full-time	3
or 2 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Career Opportunities	Apprenticeship	60 ECTS
Machine operator · Technical operator · Assistant technician		

### **Diploma in ICT**

The ICT industry is a dynamic sector which requires a number of technical people to cope with the constantly evolving computing technologies. IT persons offer technical support in these technologies and help other IT specialists in their daily job. The Diploma in ICT is the first step in a block of a three-year training programme designed to provide the necessary skills to work in the computing industry. At this level of study learners will be introduced to fundamental subjects in the networking, software development, web development and multimedia areas. At the end of the course learners will be able to use modern computer and multimedia systems and networks in the workplace.

L-industrija tal-ICT hija settur dinamiku li jirrikjedi għadd ta' persuni tekniċi biex ilaħħqu mat-teknoloġiji tal-computing li qed jevolvu kontinwament. Il-persuni tal-IT joffru appoġġ f'dawn it-teknoloġiji u jgħinu lil speċjalisti oħra tal-IT fix-xogħol tagħhom ta' kuljum. Id-Diploma in ICT hija l-ewwel pass fi programm ta' taħriġ ta' tliet snin, imfassal biex jipprovdi l-ħiliet neċessarji biex wieħed ikun jista' jaħdem fl-industrija tal-computing. F'dan il-livell ta' studju, l-istudenti jiġu introdotti għal suġġetti fundamentali fl-oqsma tannetwerking, l-iżvilupp tas-software, l-iżvilupp ta' websajts u l-multimidja. Fi tmiem il-kors l-istudenti jkunu jistgħu jużaw sistemi u netwerks moderni tal-kompjuter u tal-multimidja fil-post tax-xogħol.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Foundation Certificate	1 Years full-time	3
or		
2 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Compulsory: One subject from Mathematics		
or Computer Studies or Physics or Information	May include the	60 ECTS
Technology*	possibility of Work-	
*Information Technology refers to SEC at Grade 5	Based Learning	
or higher, or SSCP IT-VET at MQF 3 or equivalent.		

## **Advanced Diploma in Health Sciences**

This programme of study has been developed to prepare individuals for health related careers. The study units deal with the anatomy and physiology of the human body and with the physical and psychological changes due to ageing. Learners will build competences that will help them deal with people with health issues and challenging behaviour. Through work placements, learners will get the opportunity to develop the skills and competences required to work within the health sector.

Dan il-programm ta' studju ģie žviluppat biex iħejji lill-istudenti għal karrieri relatati mas-saħħa. L-unitajiet ta' studju jindirizzaw l-anatomija u l-fiżjoloģija tal-ģisem tal-bniedem, kif ukoll it-tibdil fiżiku u psikoloģiku minħabba x-xjuħija. Il-kors jgħin lill-istudenti jiżviluppaw kompetenzi li jgħinuhom jitgħallmu kif iġibu ruħhom ma' persuni bi problemi ta' saħħa u ta' mġiba diffiċli. Permezz ta' taħriġ fuq il-post tax-xogħol, l-istudenti jkollhom l-opportunità li jiżviluppaw il-ħiliet u l-kompetenzi meħtieġa biex jaħdmu fis-settur tas-saħħa.

#### **Entry Requirements**

MCAST Diploma in Applied Science or MCAST Diploma in Health and Social Care or MCAST Diploma in Social Care

or

Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma, whilst being

in possession of the compulsory subjects as indicated hereunder

or

4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes Compulsory: English Language and Mathematics and Biology

Course Duration	MQF Level
2 Years Full-time	4
Mode	Credits
Includes Work Placement	120 ECTS
Career Opportunities	

## Allied health assistant · Paramedic aide

### **Other Entry Requirements**

Applicants will be subject to an occupational health screening to establish their suitability for the Placement which is a mandatory part of this programme. Once course would have started, failure to present a successful health screening, will result in not being in a position to go on work placements which will preclude from a successful completion of course. Applicants must also provide evidence of a clean police conduct certificate.

## **Advanced Diploma in Finance and Insurance**

This course is aimed at people who would like to venture in one of the many careers related to financial services. The first year of studies introduces learners to generic areas of financial services including the world of insurance. In the second year of studies, learners will then choose an area of specialisation. Specialisation can be either in financial services or else in insurance. This approach ensures that any learner following this course is exposed to different areas of the financial services world, thus giving them better flexibility in career prospects. Learners choosing the main area of expertise will be very strong in the specific area chosen, while having a good understanding of the other area.

#### NOTE

Students taking this course at the Gozo Campus can only pursue the Financial Services specialisation stream in the second year of the course. Students opting for the Insurance Studies stream will need to continue their studies at the MCAST Main Campus in Paola.

Dan il-kors huwa mmirat għal studenti prospettivi li qegħdin jaspiraw għal karriera fid-dinja tas-Servizzi Finanzjarji. L-ewwel sena tal-kors hija maħsuba biex tintroduċi lill-istudenti għas-setturi differenti tal-industrija tas-servizzi finanzjarji, inkluż l-assigurazzjoni. Fit-tieni sena tal-kors, l-istudenti jagħżlu li jispeċjalizzaw jew fil-qasam tas-servizzi finanzjarji u bankarji jew inkella fl-istudji tal-assigurazzjoni. B'dan il-mod, fl-ewwel sena l-istudenti jieħdu bażi soda tal-aspetti u l-oqsma kollha tas-servizzi finanzjarji u għaldaqstant ikollhom aktar flessibbiltà mil-lat ta' impjiegi. Permezz tal-għażla ta' speċjalizzazzjoni fit-tieni sena, l-istudenti jieħdu għarfien aktar fil-fond fis-settur tal-għażla tagħhom, filwaqt li jkollhom għarfien adegwat fis-settur l-ieħor.

#### NOTA:

Studenti ta' dan il-kors li jattendu l-Kampus ta' Għawdex, ikunu jistgħu biss isegwu l-ispeċjaliżazzjoni tas-Servizzi Finanzjarji fit-tieni sena tal-kors. L-istudenti li jagħżlu li jispeċjalizzaw fl-Assigurazzjoni jkunu meħtieġa jkomplu l-istudji tagħhom fil-Kampus Ewlieni tal-MCAST f'Raħal Ġdid.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma	2 Years Full-time	4
or		
4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Compulsory: English Language and		_
Mathematics	Apprenticeship	120 ECTS

#### **Career Opportunities**

Within the Insurance Industry:
Account handler · Claims handler
Insurance claims surveyor · Insurance clerk
Within the Financial Services Industry:
Bank cashier · Clerical and other Officer roles
within banks and other financial services
institutions

## **Advanced Diploma in Accounting**

This programme aims to give learners a very good grounding in the studying of Accounts. Study areas range from aspects of financial management accounting to the use of accounting software and more generic areas of key skills. The course includes hands-on experience through Apprenticeship where students will learn by doing and gain experience first-hand on the application of the theory. Students who finish the course will have sufficient accounting knowledge and skills to commence employment in an accountancy field, or to enable them to further their studies to obtain qualifications from recognised chartered accountancy bodies.

Dan il-programm għandu l-għan li jipprovdi lill-istudenti bażi tajba ħafna fl-istudju tal Accounts. L-oqsma tal-istudju jvarjaw minn aspetti ta' financial management accounting għall-użu ta' softwer li huwa speċifiku għall-accounting u oqsma ta' ħiliet ewlenin aktar ġeneriċi. Il-kors jinkludi esperjenza prattika bis-saħħa ta' Apprendistat li matulu l-istudenti jitgħallmu b'mod prattiku u jakkwistaw esperjenza prattika fl-applikazzjoni tatteorija. Studenti li jtemmu l-kors ikollhom biżżejjed għarfien u ħiliet biex jaqbdu jaħdmu fil-qasam tal-accountancy, jew biex ikomplu jistudjaw biex jiksbu kwalifiki minn korpi rikonoxxuti ta' chartered accountancy.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma	2 Years Full-time	4
or		
4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Compulsory: English Language and Mathematics	Apprenticeship	120 ECTS
Mathematics	Apprenticeship	120 LC13

#### **Career Opportunities**

Accounts clerk · Accounts administrator · Audit assistant · Credit management officer

## **Advanced Diploma in Social Care**

This is a two-year full-time programme of studies during which the learner becomes better acquainted with the specialised services offered by different agencies and organisations in the care sector. Lectures deal with delivering personal care, sociological and psychological perspectives in care, legislation, communication skills and health practices. Lecturers will present scenarios which are dynamic and thought-provoking allowing the learners to be prepared to work in challenging environments dealing with vulnerable individuals. A work-based learning component is included in the framework of this programme.

Dan huwa programm full-time ta' sentejn li matulu l-istudenti jsiru aktar familjari mas-servizzi specjalizzati offruti minn agenziji u organizzazzjonijiet differenti fis-settur tal-kura. Il-lezzjonijiet jittrattaw il-kura personali, perspettivi socjologici u psikologici, il-legizlazzjoni, il-ħiliet tal-komunikazzjoni u l-bijologija tal-bniedem. L-għalliema jipprezentaw xenarji li huma dinamici u li jġiegħlu lill-istudenti jaħsbu, u l-istudenti jitħejjew biex jaħdmu f'ambjenti ta' sfida ma' individwi vulnerabbli. Komponent ta' tagħlim ibbazat fuq ix-xogħol huwa inkluz fil-qafas ta' dan il-programm.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma	2 Years Full-time	4
or 4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Other Entry Requirements	Includes Work Placement	120 ECTS
Prior to embarking on a Work Placement,		
learners need to:		
· satisfy the requirements of the Protection of		
Minors Act (POMA);		
· satisfy specific immunisation requirements;		
and		
· present a clean Police Conduct Certificate		

## **Career Opportunities**

Social support worker

## Advanced Diploma in Children's Care, Learning and Development

This programme of studies provides learners with practical experience in child care. This also entails pedagogical practices based on theories related to the Early Years. This programme also allows learners to delve into health and safety issues, research related to contemporary issues in the early years. Learners will gain experience from work placement programmes, one placement with a baby and another with a group of toddlers. Learners will observe, plan and implement age appropriate creative activities through the Emergent Curriculum approach. At the end of the first academic year, successful learners will have the option to exit their studies and be awarded the MCAST Award in Children's Care, Learning and Development, to work as Child Care Practitioners.

Dan il-programm ta' studju jipprovdi tagħlim prattiku fil-qasam tal-kura tat-tfal. Dan jinkludi prattika pedagoloġika fuq il-prinċipji bbażati fuq is-snin bikrija. Dan il-programm jippermetti wkoll lill-istudenti jidħlu fil-qasam ta' saħħa u sigurtà, riċerka relatata ma' kwistjonijiet kontemporanji fis-snin bikrija L-istudenti se jiksbu esperjenza minn programmi ta' work placement, fosthom placement ma' tarbija u ieħor ma' grupp ta' tfal żgħar. L-istudenti se josservaw, jippjanaw u jimplimentaw attivitajiet kreattivi addatti għall-età permezz tal-Kurrikulu Emerġenti. Fi tmiem l-ewwel sena akkademika, l-istudenti ta' suċċess se jkollhom l-għażla li jieqfu mill-istudji tagħhom u jingħataw l-MCAST Award in Children's Care, Learning and Development biex jaħdmu bħala Child Care Practitioners.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma	2 Years Full-time	4
or		
4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes	Mode	Credits
Compulsory: English Language, Maltese,		
Mathematics	Includes Work	120 ECTS
	Placement	
Other Entry Requirements		
	Career Opportunities	S
Prior to embarking on a Work Placement,		
learners need to:	Child Care Educator	

· satisfy the requirements of the Protection of

· present a clean police conduct certificate;

complete a Basic First Aid course;
complete a Paediatric First Aid course;
vaccination card with complete vaccination

Minors Act (POMA);

programme.

## **Advanced Diploma in Electrical Systems**

This course is intended for learners who wish to pursue a career as technicians in electrical power systems in both the domestic and the industrial sectors. The course includes the requirements set by the Regulator for Energy and Water Services (REWS) for the Electrical Wireman's Authorisation A and Authorisation B. This ensures a solid technical competence and understanding of the regulations and health and safety requirements governing the electrical installation industry. This course contains modules related to Photovoltaic Systems, Building Services and Electronic Control Systems that give candidates a solid grounding in the technologies involved in the building services industry. Candidates will also receive exposure to Mechanical Workshop practice.

Dan il-kors huwa maħsub għall-istudenti li jixtiequ jibdew karriera bħala technicians f'sistemi tal-enerġija elettrika għas-settur domestiku kif ukoll għal dak industrijali. Il-kors jinkludi r-rekwiżiti, kif stabbiliti mir-Regolatur tas-Servizzi tal-Enerġija u l-Ilma (REWS), għall-Awtorizzazzjoni A u l-Awtorizzazzjoni B ta' persuni li jgħaddu l-wires tal-Elettriku. Dan jipprovdi lill-kandidati kompetenza teknika soda u fehim tar-regolamenti u tar-rekwiżiti tas-saħħa u s-sigurtà li jirregolaw l-industrija tal-installazzjoni tal-elettriku. Dan il-kors jinkludi unitajiet relatati ma' Sistemi Fotovoltajċi, l-Inġinerija tas-Servizzi tal-Bini u Sistemi ta' Kontroll Elettroniku li jipprovdu lill-istudenti għarfien bażiku sod tal-inġinerija involuta fl-industrija tas-servizzi tal-bini. Il-kandidati jwettqu wkoll prattika f'Workshop Mekkaniku.

#### **Entry Requirements**

Any MCAST MQF Level 3 Diploma delivered by the Institute of Engineering and Transport, the Institute of Applied Sciences, and the Information and Communication Technology or

4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes Compulsory: One subject from Engineering Technology or Design and Technology or Chemistry or Mathematics or Physics

## **Other Entry Requirements**

All applicants are asked to sit for a Medical Test in view of any Colour Blindness

Course Duration	MQF Level
3 Years Full-time	4
Mode	Credits
Apprenticeship	120 ECTS
Career Opportunities	

Electrician (including 3-phase industrial installations) • Electrical technician (plant)



## Advanced Diploma in IT (Computer Systems and Networks)

The Advanced Diploma in Computer Systems and Networks offers a diversity of units with innovative learning material and labs. The course provides ample hands-on experience to engage learners in acquiring practical skills and knowledge to assist them with establishing a career within the IT field. The duration of this programme is spread over two years the first entailing units are common to all IT streams. The intent is to ensure that learners broaden their knowledge beyond the central area of study. Lastly, the second focuses on the core aspects of routing, switching, infrastructure design principles and virtualisation techniques to implement and manage a small to a medium-sized enterprise network environment. Finally, work-based learning is also delivered utilising apprenticeship schemes to ensure that learners are adequately prepared and competent for the industry. This essentially empowers them and allows them to apply their skills in real-life environments and obtain knowledge to aid them in their studies.

Id-Diploma Avvanzata f'Sistemi u Netwerks tal-Kompjuter toffri diversità ta' unitajiet b'materjal ta' tagħlim u laboratorji innovattivi. Il-kors jipprovdi esperjenza prattika biżżejjed biex jinvolvi lill-istudenti biex jiksbu ħiliet u għarfien prattiċi biex jgħinuhom jistabbilixxu karriera fil-qasam tal-IT. It-tul ta' dan il-programm huwa mifrux fuq sentejn, l-ewwel unitajiet li jinvolvu huma komuni għall-istudenti kollha tal-IT. L-intenzjoni hija li jiġi żgurat li l-istudenti jwessgħu l-għarfien tagħhom lil hinn mill-qasam ċentrali ta' studju. Fl-aħħar nett, it-tieni jiffoka fuq l-aspetti ewlenin tar-rotot, il-bdil, il-prinċipji tad-disinn tal-infrastruttura u t-tekniki tal-virtwalizzazzjoni biex jiġu implimentati u mmaniġġjati ambjent ta' netwerk ta' intrapriżi żgħar u ta' daqs medju. Fl-aħħar nett, it-tagħlim ibbażat fuq ix-xogħol jingħata wkoll bl-użu ta' skemi ta' apprendistat biex jiġi żgurat li l-istudenti jkunu ppreparati u kompetenti b'mod adegwat għall-industrija. Dan jippermettilhom japplikaw il-ħiliet tagħhom f'ambjenti tal-ħajja reali u jiksbu għarfien biex jgħinhom fl-istudji tagħhom.

#### **Entry Requirements**

MCAST Diploma in IT

or

MCAST Diploma in iGaming

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Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma, whilst being in possession of the compulsory subjects as indicated hereunder

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4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes Compulsory: Mathematics

and

Compulsory: Computer Studies or Physics or Information Technology\*

\* Information Technology refers to SEC at Grade 5 or higher, or SSCP IT-VET at MQF 3 or equivalent.

(where applicable) MCAST also gives due recognition to ICT C3 as will be shown on the applicant's SSCP

2 Years Full-time	4
Mode	Credits
Apprenticeship	120 ECTS

**MOF Level** 

#### **Career Opportunities**

Course Duration

Junior/assistant systems administrator · Junior/ assistant network administrator · Junior/ assistant database administrator · End user support

#### **Other Entry Requirements**

## Advanced Diploma in IT (Multimedia Software Development)

The world wide web is one area that is growing fast in terms of the skills needs of companies. Multimedia is the incorporation of text, sound, graphics, animation, still images and video in conjunction with computer technology. This course will provide the learners with the core software development skills along with the necessary knowledge for multimedia artefact development, manipulation and integration. The first year of this course will be common for all learners following Advanced Diploma studies. During the second year, learners will focus on Multimedia and Software Development oriented subjects, such as game development and mobile application development. This is a technical course for learners with an artistic inclination.

Il-world wide web huwa settur li qed jikber b'mod rapidu fir-rigward tal-ħiliet meħtieġa mill-kumpaniji. Il-multimidja tinkorpora t-test, il-ħoss, il-grafika, l-animazzjoni, l-immaġnijiet fissi u l-vidjo flimkien mat-teknoloġija tal-kompjuter. Il-kors jipprovdi lill-istudenti l-ħiliet ewlenin fl-iżvilupp tas-software, flimkien mal-għarfien neċessarju għall-iżvilupp, il-manipulazzjoni u l-integrazzjoni tal-artifatti tal-multimidja. L-ewwel sena ta' dan il-kors tkun l-istess għall-istudenti kollha li jkunu qed jistudjaw biex iġibu l-Advanced Diploma. Fit-tieni sena, l-istudenti jiffokaw fuq suġġetti orjentati lejn il-Multimidja u l-lżvilupp tas-Software, bħall-iżvilupp tal-logħob u l-iżvilupp ta' applikazzjonijiet tal-mobile. Dan huwa kors tekniku għal studenti b'inklinazzjoni artistika.

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MCAST Diploma in IT

or

MCAST Diploma in iGaming

or

Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma, whilst being in possession of the compulsory subjects as indicated hereunder

or

4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes

Compulsory: Mathematics

and

Compulsory: Computer Studies or Physics or Information Technology\*

\* Information Technology refers to SEC at Grade 5 or higher, or SSCP IT-VET at MQF 3 or equivalent.

(where applicable) MCAST also gives due recognition to ICT C3 as will be shown on the applicant's SSCP

### **Course Duration**

2 Years Full-time

#### Mode

May include the possibility of Work-Based Learning

## **Career Opportunities**

Junior front end developer · Junior game developer · Junior application developer · Junior mobile application developer

**MQF** Level

**Credits** 

**120 ECTS** 

### **Other Entry Requirements**

## Advanced Diploma in IT (Software Development)

The Advanced Diploma in Software Development is a practical, hands-on qualification ensuring that learners utilise the most up-to-date practices and current programming languages. This course is the first step towards becoming a software developer. It will provide the learners with the core software development skills along with the necessary knowledge for the design and development of software applications. The first year of this course will be common for all learners following the Advanced Diploma. During the second year of studies, learners will focus on Software Development subjects such as: server side and client side scripting; database design and development; and mobile application development.

L-Advanced Diploma in Software Development hija kwalifika prattika li tiżgura li l-istudenti jużaw il-prattići l-aktar aġġornati u l-lingwi tal-ipprogrammar l-aktar kurrenti. Dan il-kors huwa l-ewwel pass biex wieħed isir żviluppatur tas-software. Huwa jipprovdi lill-istudenti l-ħiliet ewlenin fl-iżvilupp tas-software, flimkien mal-għarfien neċessarju għad-disinn u l-iżvilupp ta' applikazzjonijiet tas-software. L-ewwel sena ta' dan il-kors tkun l-istess għall-istudenti kollha li jkunu qed isegwu l-Advanced Diploma. Matul it-tieni sena, l-istudenti jiffokaw fuq suġġetti marbuta mal-lżvilupp tas-Software bħal: server side u client side scripting; id-disinn u l-iżvilupp ta' databases; u l-iżvilupp ta' applikazzjonijiet tal-mobile.

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MCAST Diploma in IT

MCAST Diploma in iGaming

or

Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma, whilst being in possession of the compulsory subjects as indicated hereunder

or

4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes

Compulsory: Mathematics

and

Compulsory: Computer Studies or Physics or Information Technology\*

\* Information Technology refers to SEC at Grade 5 or higher, or SSCP IT-VET at MQF 3 or equivalent.

(where applicable) MCAST also gives due recognition to ICT C3 as will be shown on the applicant's SSCP

### **Course Duration**

2 Years Full-time

## Mode

May include the possibility of Work-Based Learning

## **Career Opportunities**

End user support · Junior software tester · Junior software developer · Junior database developer · Junior web developer

**MQF** Level

**Credits** 

**120 ECTS** 

#### **Other Entry Requirements**

## **Advanced Diploma in IT (iGaming)**

The Advanced Diploma in iGaming is the next level up from the diploma route, and provides hands-on experience to learners targeting junior roles in this innovative sector. It can also serve as a precursor to Software Development, iGaming, Digital Games or Business Analytics degrees. This two-year programme provides a balance of core software, web and mobile app/game development skills alongside advanced digital marketing, search engine optimisation (SEO), database design and implementation, advanced Mathematics, Data Analytics and Visualisation. The first year of this programme focuses on providing learners with core development skills whereas the second year provides further specialisation and puts the core skills to good use through work-based learning (subject to eligibility), real-world implementations and projects. Upon completion of this programme, skilled individuals targeting this sector will be in a position to build a comprehensive portfolio.

\*Apprenticeship is subject to iGaming legal requirements. Please note that applicants who are not yet 18 years of age can still apply for the course and will be doing a replacement unit.

L-Advanced Diploma in iGaming huwa I-kors fil-livell Ii jmiss wara d-Diploma in iGaming, u jipprovdi esperjenza prattika Iil studenti Ii jkunu qed jimmiraw Ii jsibu pożizzjonijiet fi gradi mhux għoljin wisq f'dan is-settur innovattiv. Din id-Diploma Avvanzata tista' wkoll isservi bħala tħejjija għal kwalifiki fil-livell ta' baċellerat fI-lżvilupp tas-Software, fI-iGaming, fil-Logħob Diġitali jew fil-Business Analytics. Dan il-programm ta' sentejn jipprovdi bilanċ ta' ħiliet ewlenin fI-iżvilupp tas-software, il-web u applikazzjonijiet għall-mobile/logħob, flimkien ma' ħiliet f'sistemi avvanzati ta' marketing diġitali, search engine optimization (SEO), it-tfassil u I-implimentazzjoni ta' databases, matematika avvanzata, data analytics u viżwalizzazzjoni. II-programm jipprovdi biex matul I-ewwel sena I-istudenti jiksbu ħiliet ewlenin fI-iżvilupp tas-sistemi, filwaqt Ii fit-tieni sena huma jkomplu jispeċjalizzaw u jipprattikaw II-ħiliet ewlenin Ii jkunu kisbu fil-post tax-xogħol (suġġett għall-eliġibilità), u billi jimplimentawhom fil-ħajja ta' veru u fi proġetti oħra. Wara Ii jtemmu I-kors, I-istudenti mħarrġa biex isibu impjieg f'dan is-settur, ikunu f'pożizzjoni Ii jibnu portafoll komprensiv.

\* L-Apprendistat huwa suģģett għar-rekwiżiti legali tal-iGaming. Ta' min jinnota li dawk l-applikanti li jkunu għadhom ma għalqux it-18-il sena jistgħu japplikaw għall-kors iżda minflok l-apprendistat jiġi pprovdut lilhom taħriġ alternattiv.

Mode

#### **Entry Requirements**

MCAST Diploma in IT

or

MCAST Diploma in iGaming

or

Any MCAST Level 3 Diploma, whilst being in possession of the compulsory subjects as indicated hereunder

or

4 SEC/O-Level/SSC&P (Level 3) passes Compulsory: Mathematics and

Compulsory: Computer Studies or Physics or Information Technology\*

\* Information Technology refers to SEC at Grade 5 or higher, or SSCP IT-VET at MQF 3 or equivalent.

(where applicable) MCAST also gives due recognition to ICT C3 as will be shown on the applicant's SSCP

#### Course Duration MQF Level

2 Years Full-time 4

Apprenticeship\* 120 ECTS

#### **Career Opportunities**

End user support · Junior software tester · Junior software developer · Junior database developer · Junior web developer

**Credits** 

### **Other Entry Requirements**

## **Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Early Years**

The degree prepares learners to work in an Early Years setting with children aged three to five. Throughout the first two years of the course, learners cover different components of the required learning that leads students to become practitioners with further specialisation in more specific areas. Throughout the course learners experience placement within an early years setting to progressively become adept at working with a group of children using the emergent curriculum approach.

Il-kors jipprepara lill-istudenti biex jaħdmu f'ambjent ta' Snin Bikrin ma' tfal ta' bejn tlieta u ħames snin. Matul I-ewwel sentejn tal-kors, I-istudenti jkopru komponenti differenti tat-tagħlim meħtieġ li jwassal lill-istudenti biex isiru prattikanti b'aktar speċjalizzazzjoni f'oqsma aktar speċifiċi. Matul il-kors, I-istudenti jagħmlu work placement fi żmien snin bikrija biex b'mod progressiv isiru kapaċi jaħdmu ma' grupp ta' tfal li jużaw il-metodu tal-kurrikulu emerġenti.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Children's Care,	3 Years Full-time	6
Learning and Development		
or	Mode	Credits
Advanced Diploma in Health and Social Care		
or	Includes Work	180 ECTS
Advanced Diploma in Social Care	Placement	
or		
2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes	<b>Career Opportunities</b>	
Compulsory A-Level or I-Level: Two subjects from		
Mathematics or English or Maltese	Kinder Garten Educator	· Child Care Centre
and	Manager	

### **Other Entry Requirements**

Prior to embarking on a Work Placement, learners need to:

Compulsory: A pass at SEC/O-Level in the subject that is not presented at A-level or I-level

- $\cdot$  satisfy the requirements of the Protection of Minors Act (POMA);
- · present a clean police conduct certificate;
- · complete a Basic First Aid course;
- complete a Paediatric First Aid course;
- · vaccination card with complete vaccination programme

Before starting the third year of their studies, students would need to have presented official certification confirming their Proficiency in Maltese and English. To progress to the third year of the course, students must have obtained a pass in Maltese and English O'level (Grade 5 or better). Alternatively, students can attend the preparatory lectures in Maltese and English proficiency delivered throughout the second year of the course and obtain a mark of 50 or higher in the assessments. Only the proficiency tests acquired throughout the second year of the same course are accepted.

Any entry requirements presented in this Prospectus, are intended for educational purposes. Employers will eventually set their own job vacancy requirements which obviously need to be respected by all those applying for that particular vacancy.

## Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Inclusive Education

This programme of studies focuses on how educational institutions in general, and the classroom settings specifically, can become more inclusive to cater for different individual needs. The learners tackle a variety of study units aimed at identifying what barriers exist which may be preventing learners from accessing quality education. The study units also explore innovative techniques of how these barriers can be overcome so that all learners feel valued during compulsory schooling years. This course includes work placement opportunities held once every year aimed at observing good practices in educational settings and developing a mindset of promoting inclusive communities that celebrate diversity and cater for the diverse needs of different groups of learners.

Dan il-programm ta' studju jiffoka fuq kif l-istituzzjonijiet edukattivi b'mod ģenerali, u l-ambjenti tal-klassi b'mod speċifiku, jistgħu jsiru aktar inklużivi biex jilħqu ħtiġijiet individwali differenti. L-istudenti tal-baċellerat jittrattaw varjetà ta' unitajiet ta' studju li għandhom l-għan li jidentifikaw dawk l-ostakoli li jistgħu jkunu qegħdin iżommu lill-istudenti milli jkollhom aċċess għal edukazzjoni ta' kwalità. Barra minn hekk, l-unitajiet ta' studju jesploraw ukoll tekniki innovattivi dwar kif jistgħu jingħelbu dawn l-ostakoli, sabiex l-istudenti kollha jħossuhom stmati matul is-snin ta' edukazzjoni obbligatorja, u possibilment anke wara. Dan il-kors jinkludi opportunitajiet ta' esperjenza ta' xogħol immirati biex l-istudenti jiżviluppaw mentalità li tippromwovi komunitajiet inklużivi li jiċċelebraw id-diversità u biex jissodisfaw il-ħtiġijiet diversi ta' gruppi differenti ta' studenti. Il-kors jinkludi suġġetti dwar l-iżvilupp tat-tfal u teoriji dwar is-snin bikrin, kif ukoll aspetti biex l-istudenti jintegraw l-aspetti tat-tagħlim fil-pedagoġija kurrikulari.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Children's Care, Learning and Development	3 Years Full-time	6
or MCAST Advanced Diploma in Social Care or	Mode	ECTS
MCAST Advanced Diploma in Health and Social Care or 2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes Compulsory: One A-Level and one I-Level from Mathematics, English, Maltese, Philosophy, Sociology, Psychology	Includes Work Placement	180 ECTS
Career Opportunities		
Learning support educator (LSE)		

## **ACCA Qualification**

The ACCA Qualification is a world leading accountancy qualification which prepares students to become internationally recognised Chartered Certified Accountants. It is a rewarding and intense course with 13 examinations, three years professional experience and an ethics module. The ACCA Qualification encompasses valuable skills and knowledge which are highly sought after by employers in industry and in the financial sector. The ACCA Qualification is equivalent to degree standard (MQF Level 6) after completing the first nine papers (the Fundamentals level). After passing from the remaining 4 papers (the Professionals level), it is equivalent to a masters degree (MQF Level 7). Learners incur fees payable to ACCA, for any membership and examinations, and MIA (Malta Institute of Accountants) membership

#### NOTE:

Learners taking this qualification at the Gozo Campus will be able to cover all the Foundation Papers (FI to F9 as may be applicable), which constitute the Level 6 qualification (the first two years), at the Chajnsielem Campus. Preparation and assessment for the Professional Papers leading to the Level 7 qualification (i.e. the last two years of the programme of studies) will be delivered at the MCAST Main Campus in Paola, Malta.

L-ACCA hija kwalifika fl-accountancy li hija meqjusa bħala kwalifika ewlenija mad-dinja kollha, u li tipprepara lill-istudenti biex isiru Chartered Certified Accountants rikonoxxuti internazzjonalment. Dan huwa kors intens imma li jagħti ħafna sodisfazzjon, u li jikkonsisti fi 13-il eżami, tliet snin esperjenza professjonali u modulu dedikat għall-etika. Il-kwalifika tal-ACCA tiġbor fiha ħiliet ta' siwi kbir u għarfien li huma mfittxija ferm minn min iħaddem fl-industrija u fis-settur finanzjarju. Kandidat li jgħaddi mill-ewwel disa' eżamijiet (il-livell Fundamentali) ikun kiseb kwalifika li hija ekwivalenti għal baċellerat (Livell 6 tal-QMK). Meta jgħaddi mill-erba' eżamijiet li jifdal (il-Livell Professjonali), huwa jitqies li jkollu kwalifika ekwivalenti għal master (Livell 7 tal-QMK). L-istudenti jkunu meħtieġa jħallsu l-miżati għas-sħubija u l-eżamijiet lill-ACCA, u l-miżata tas-sħubija lill-MIA (l-Istitut Malti tal-Accountants).

#### NOTA

L-istudenti li jieħdu l-kors li jwassal għal din il-kwalifika fil-Kampus tal-MCAST f'Għawdex ikollhom il-possibiltà li jkopru l-Foundation Papers (minn Fl sa F9, skont ma jkun applikabbli), li jikkostitwixxu l-kwalifika tal-Livell 6 (l-ewwel sentejn tal-kors), fil-Kampus ta' Għajnsielem. Il-preparazzjoni u l-assessjar relatati mal-Professional Papers, li jwasslu għal kwalifika tal-Livell 7 (jiġifieri l-aħħar sentejn tal-programm ta' studju), jinżammu fil-Kampus Ewlieni tal-MCAST f'Raħal Ġdid, Malta.

## **Entry Requirements**

MCAST Advanced Diploma in Accounting or

MCAST Advanced Diploma in Administrative and Secretarial Studies

or

MCAST Advanced Diploma in Business Administration

or

MCAST Advanced Diploma in Finance and Insurance

or

MCAST Advanced Diploma in Financial Services or

2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes

Compulsory A-Levels or I-Level or O-Level: Mathematics and English Language

Preferred A-Level or SEC/o-Level: Economics, Accounts

#### **Other Entry Requirements**

Admission to the course is conditional to the student being formally accepted by the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants (ACCA) as an ACCA student.

#### **Course Duration**

4 Years Full-time

6/7

#### Mode

**Credits** 

May include the possibility of work-based

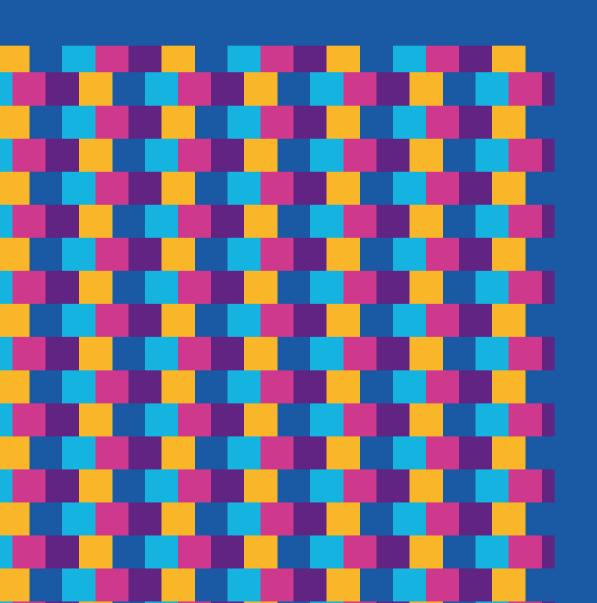
**202 ECTS** 

**MQF** Level

### **Career Opportunities**

Accountant · Financial controller · Financial analyst · Business analyst · Corporate finance specialist · Project finance accountant

# GENERAL DEGREES



## Courses

305	Bachelor of Applied Science
305	Bachelor of Applied Business Studies
305	Bachelor of Creative Arts
305	Bachelor of Community-Based Service Provision
70F	Pachalar of Applied Tachnology

## **General Degrees**

These five degrees each have the following exit points, with the final full 180 ECTS degree exit point leading to a formal graduation:

- Stage 1: Undergraduate Diploma at 60 ECTS (transcript upon completion for students terminating here):
- · Stage 2: Higher Diploma at 120 ECTS (transcript upon completion for students terminating here);
- · Stage 3: Bachelor Degree at 180 ECTS (eligible for formal graduation).

These programmes shall commence in semester 2 of each academic year, that is towards the second full week of February. The generic nature of these degrees is not industry specific, providing a wide skill set that is strong in its transversal nature, whilst also providing significant expertise in the area of studies. Each degree programme requires the following combination of ECTS:

- A minimum of 48 area specific ECTS in vocational units from an existing honours degree programme;
- A maximum of 48 ECTS from existing degree programmes within the same Institute (time-tables permitting):
- A maximum of 60 ECTS in key skills and transversal subjects from any Institute (time-tables permitting):
- · 12 ECTS in work-based learning, and
- 12 ECTS in an applied research project or dissertation.

Due to the inter-Institute nature of these qualifications, students following these programmes shall be assisted through individualized Academic Learner Agreeements.

Dawn il-ħames baċellerati kollha joffru stadji meta parteċipant ikun jista' jħalli l-kors, bl-aħħar stadju jkun meta jintlaħqu 180 ECTS li jikkwalifikaw lill-istudent biex jiggradwa formalment:

- L-ewwel stadju: Undergraduate Diploma ta' 60 ECTS (I-istudenti li jitilqu mill-kors fi tmiem dan I-istadju įkunu eliģibbli għal transcript);
- It-tieni stadju: Higher Diploma b'120 ECTS (I-istudenti li jitilqu mill-kors fi tmiem dan I-istadju jkunu eliģibbli għal transcript);
- It-tielet stadju: Baćellerat b'180 ECTS (fi tmiem dan I-istadju I-istudenti jkunu eliģibbli li jiggradwaw formalment).

Dawn il-programmi jibdew fit-tieni simestru ta' kull sena akkademika, jigifieri għall-ħabta tat-tieni gimgħa sħiħa ta' Frar. Dawn il-baċellerati huma ta' natura generika u għalhekk ma huma speċifiċi għall-ebda industrija. Hekk l-istudenti jiksbu sett ta' ħiliet applikabbli fħafna sitwazzjonijiet differenti, flimkien ma' kompetenzi tajbin ħafna fil-qasam ta' studju ewlieni tal-kors. Kull programm ta' studju jirrikjedi taħlita ta' kredti kif jidher hawn taħt:

- Mhux anqas minn 48 ECTS fil-qasam ta' studju spečifiku li jinkisbu minn unitajiet vokazzjonali ta' programm ežistenti ta' bačellerat bl-unuri;
- Mhux aktar minn 48 ECTS li jinkisbu minn programmi eżistenti ta' baċellerat offruti mill-istess
   Istitut (jekk it-time-tables ikunu jippermettu);
- Sa massimu ta' 60 ECTS f'hiliet bażići u suġġetti trasversali li jinkisbu minn kwalunkwe Istitut (jekk it-time-tables ikunu jippermettu);
- · 12-il ECTS miksuba minn esperjenza f'post tax-xogħol, u
- · 12-il ECTS miksuba minn progett ta' ricerka applikata jew dissertation.

Minħabba li dawn il-kwalifiki jinvolvu Istituti differenti, l-istudenti ta' dawn il-programmi jingħataw għajnuna billi kull wieħed/waħda minnhom jiffirma/tiffirma mal-Kulleġġ Ftehim għal Studenti Akkademiċi. Dan ikun speċifiku għal kull student/a.

## **Bachelor of Applied Science \***

**Entry Requirement** 

Any MCAST MQF Level 4 Advanced Diploma

or

2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes

**Course Duration** 

3 Years Full-time

**MOF Level** 

Credits

180 FCTS

## **Bachelor of Applied Business Studies \***

**Entry Requirements** 

Any MCAST MQF Level 4 Advanced Diploma

2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes

**Course Duration** 

3 Years Full-time

Credits 180 ECTS

**MQF** Level

## **Bachelor of Creative Arts\***

Any MCAST MQF Level 4 Advanced Diploma

**Entry Requirements** 

2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes

**Course Duration** 

3 Years Full-time

**MQF** Level

**Credits** 

180 FCTS

## **Bachelor of Community-Based Service Provision\***

**Entry Requirements** 

Any MCAST MQF Level 4 Advanced Diploma

2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes

**Course Duration** 

3 Years Full-time

**MOF Level** 

6

**Credits** 

180 ECTS

## **Bachelor of Applied Technology \***

**Entry Requirements** 

Any MCAST MQF Level 4 Advanced Diploma

2 A-Level passes and 2 I-Level passes

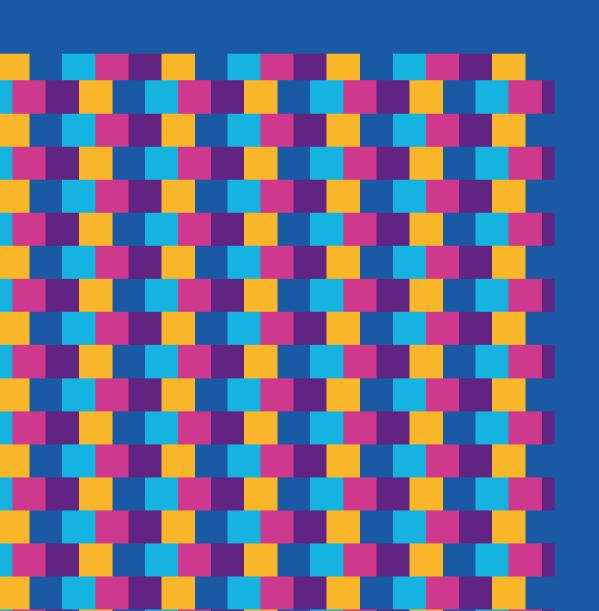
**Course Duration** 3 Years Full-time

**MQF** Level

Credits **180 ECTS** 

\*Other Entry Requirements: As from 2024, special entry requirements will be requested as per compulsory requirements for entry into bachelor courses from which chosen units will be selected.

# POSTGRADUATE DEGREES



## **Courses**

<b>308</b>	Master	in Researc	h Methods	2

- 309 Master by Research
- 310 Master in Artificial Intelligence for Industry 4.0
- 311 Master of Business Administration in Retail
- 313 Professional Research Doctorate (Dres) on the Competitive Behaviour of Small Organisations

Unless otherwise indicated in the respective Programme Specifications or in the MCAST Exit Strategy Document,

- 1. Postgraduate Certificate is achieved with 30ECTSs.
- 2. Postgraduate Diploma is achieved with 60ECTSs.

Students are invited to consult the MCAST Exit Strategy for the procedure to follow when requesting Exit Point certification.

The commencement of full-time or part-time Master programmes is dependent on the minimum number of eligible applicant.

## **Master in Research Methods**

The MCAST Master in Research Methods (MResMethods) programme is carried out via a taught methodology component that is then developed into a detailed research endeavour that has to be implemented, presented and defended at Master's level. Students will have demonstrated originality in the application of knowledge by designing and developing advanced research skills using specific tools and a robust methodological approach. The programme guides the student towards compiling peer-reviewed research articles at publishable level. It provides the student with sound practical knowledge and experience in preparation for a career that includes a significant research element, as well as in preparation and training for a research endeavour at doctoral level.

**FEES:** Fees apply - Further information through MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry) **NOTE:** MCAST provides sponsorships for the 'Postgraduate in Research Methods' component to full-time MCAST staff.

Il-programm tal-MCAST li jwassal għal Master in Research Methods (MResMethods) jikkonsisti f'komponent ta' metodoloġija mgħallma fil-klassi, li mbagħad tiġi żviluppata f'biċċa xogħol ta' riċerka li trid tiġi implimentata, ippreżentata u difiża f'livell ta' Master. L-istudenti jkunu mistennija juru oriġinalità fl-applikazzjoni ta' dak li jkunu tgħallmu billi jiddisinjaw u jiżviluppaw ħiliet ta' riċerka avvanzati bl-użu ta' għodod speċifiċi u metodoloġija b'saħhitha. Il-kors jiggwida lill-istudenti biex jiktbu artikli ta' riċerka (li jiġu riveduti mill-kollegi tagħhom stess) li jilħqu l-livell addattat biex ikunu jistgħu jiġu ppubblikati. Il-kors jagħti lill-parteċipanti tagħrif prattiku sod u esperjenza bi tħejjija għal karriera b'element qawwi ta' riċerka, kif ukoll bi preparazzjoni u taħriġ għal xogħol ta' riċerka f'livell ta' dottorat.

MIŻATI: Japplikaw ħlasijiet - Aktar informazzjoni permezz ta' MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry) NOTA: L-MCAST jipprovdi sponsorships għall-parti mill-Postgraduate in Research Methods lill-membri tal-istaff full-time tal-MCAST.

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
A relevant first degree at 180 ECTS or more.	5 Semesters	7
A MQF Level 5 qualification and adequate professional experience may also be considered	Mode	Credits
for mature students.	Blended	90 ECTS

## **Master by Research**

The Master by Research (MRes) programme provides the student with sound practical knowledge and experience in preparation for a research career, as well as with preparation and training for doctoral research. Students will have demonstrated originality in the application of knowledge, and they will understand how the boundaries of knowledge are advanced through research. They will be able to deal with complex issues both systematically and creatively, and they will show originality in tackling and solving applied research related challenges.

FEES: Fees apply - Further information through MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry)

Il-programm Master by Research (MRes) jipprovdi lill-istudenti għarfien prattiku sod u esperjenza bi tħejjija għal karriera fir-riċerka, kif ukoll tħejjija u taħriġ għal riċerka fil-livell ta' dottorat. L-istudenti jkunu wrew oriġinalità fl-applikazzjoni tal-għarfien, u jifhmu kif il-fruntieri tal-għarfien jitwessgħu permezz tar-riċerka. Huma jkunu jistgħu jittrattaw kwistjonijiet kumplessi b'mod sistematiku u kreattiv, u juru oriġinalità fil-mod li jindirizzaw u jsolvu sfidi relatati mar-riċerka applikata.

MIŻATI: Japplikaw ħlasijiet - Aktar informazzjoni permezz ta' MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry)

A relevant MQF/EQF Level 6 degree at second class or higher.

#### **Other Entry Requirements**

**Entry Requirements** 

A MQF/EQF Level 6 degree which is regarded by MDC as equivalent to an Honours degree, such as professional qualifications subjects, plus a portfolio evidencing relevant work experience for at least 3 years.

#### **Course Duration**

Studies for the M.Res. degree shall extend over the following periods: (a) 18 months in the

- (a) 18 months in the case of full-time studies;
- (b) 36 months in the case of part-time studies.

#### Mode

Blended

#### **MQF** Level

7

#### Credits

90 ECTS

## Master in Artificial Intelligence for Industry 4.0

The implementation of Artificial Intelligence (AI) within industry 4.0 influences all industries including manufacturing, public sector, education and many more, particularly since industry 4.0 focuses heavily on interconnectivity, automation, machine learning and real time data. The MCAST Master in AI for Industry 4.0 programme focuses on the key knowledge required for solving business challenges and yielding competitive advantage through the application of Artificial Intelligence technologies. It provides the theoretical and practical knowledge to work across industries and implement AI where needed. Graduates will be well versed in the Fundamentals of AI, Machine Learning, Neural Networks, Social Implications, Ethics, Regulation and Business Analysis proficiencies. The MCAST Master in AI for Industry 4.0 is taught by industry experts and leading academics who are actively engaged in successful careers in their respective fields.

#### FEES: Fees apply - Further information through MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry)

L-implimentazzjoni tal-Intelliģenza Artificjali fi ħdan I-industrija 4.0 taffettwa I-industriji kollha inklużi I-manifattura, is-settur pubbliku, I-edukazzjoni u ħafna aktar, partikolarment billi I-industrija 4.0 tiffoka ħafna fuq I-interkonnettività, I-awtomazzjoni, it-tagħlim tal-magni u d-dejta fħin reali. II-Master fl-AI għall-Industrija 4.0 tal-MCAST jiffoka fuq I-għarfien ewlieni meħtieġ biex jissolvew I-isfidi tan-negozji, liema għarfien jagħti vantaġġ kompetittiv permezz tal-applikazzjoni ta' teknoloġiji ta' Intelliġenza Artifiċjali. II-kors jipprovdi I-għarfien teoretiku u prattiku biex persuna taħdem fl-industrija u timplimenta I-AI fejn meħtieġ. II-gradwati jsiru familjari sew mal-Kunċetti Bażiċi tal-AI, iI-Machine Learning, in-Netwerks Newronali, I-Implikazzjonijiet Soċjali, I-Etika, ir-Regolamentazzjoni u I-profiċjenzi meħtieġa fl-Analiżi tan-Negozju. II-Master fl-AI għall-Industrija 4.0 huwa mgħallem minn esperti fl-industrija u akkademiċi ewlenin li huma involuti b'mod attiv f'karrieri ta' suċċess fl-oqsma rispettivi tagħhom.

MIŻATI: Japplikaw ħlasijiet - Aktar informazzjoni permezz ta' MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry)

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
A relevant first degree in the sciences or in the technological or social sciences domains.	FT 3 Semesters/18 months	7
Candidates must also have 2 years full-time industry work experience.	PT 5 semesters	Credits
•	Mode	90 ECTS
Career Opportunities		_
	Blended	
This is conducive to more senior business		
management technologist and other senior		
personnel who will act as change agents in their		
organisations through the application of Al.		

## Master of Business Administration in Retail

The Master in Retail focuses on the learning and practical application of concepts essential for operating and marketing a retail business. This programme develops an understanding of the contemporary retail environment and examines topical issues relating to retail management and marketing. The programme assesses analytical skills essential for operating and marketing in an international retail environment with a view to putting this knowledge into practice. The Master in Retail is structured to reflect the needs of modern business retail dynamics. The Master in Retail is taught by industry experts and leading academics who have had successful careers in their respective business settings.

**FEES**: Fees apply to external candidates - Further information through MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry).

Dan il-kors ta' Master in Retail jiffoka fuq it-tagħlim u l-applikazzjoni prattika ta' kunċetti essenzjali fl-operat u r-reklamar tan-negozju bl-imnut. Il-programm iwassal lill-istudenti biex jifhmu l-ambjent kontemporanju tan-negozju bl-imnut, filwaqt li jiġu eżaminati problemi tipiċi relatati mat-tmexxija u r-reklamar f'negozju ta' din ix-xorta. Jiġu kkunsidrati ħiliet analitiċi li huma essenzjali għall-operat u r-reklamar ta' bejgħ bl-imnut f'ambjent internazzjonali bl-iskop li dan l-għarfien jitpoġġa fil-prattika. Il-kors huwa strutturat biex jirrifletti l-ħtiġijiet tad-dinamika moderna tas-settur tal-bejgħ bl-imnut. Il-Master in Retail huwa mgħallem minn esperti fl-industrija u akkademiċi ewlenin li kellhom karriera ta' suċċess fil-qasam rispettiv tagħhom.

MIŻATI: Japplikaw ħlasijiet - Aktar informazzjoni permezz ta' MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry)

Entry Requirements	Course Duration	MQF Level
A relevant first degree	FT 3 Semesters/18 months	7
Other Entry Requirements	PT 5 semesters	Credits
A MQF Level 5 qualification and adequate professional experience are also considered.	Mode	90 ECTS
	Blended	





# Professional Research Doctorate (DRes) on the Competitive Behaviour of Small Organisations

The MCAST Professional Research Doctorate (DRes) on the Competitive Behaviour of Small Organisations is a research based EQF/MQF Level 8 qualification that takes on a specific remit to understand and build applied theories of small organisation competitive behaviour within small island states, using the grounded theory method of enquiry and adopting qualitative and mixed methods techniques.

FEES: Fees apply - Further information through MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry)

Id-Dottorat ta' Ričerka Professjonali (DRes) tal-MCAST dwar I-Imģiba Kompetittiva ta' Organizzazzjonijiet Żgħar hija kwalifika tal-Livell 8 tal-EQF/MQF, ibbażata fuq ričerka li għandha I-għan speċifiku li tifhem u tibni teoriji applikati dwar I-imġiba kompetittiva ta' organizzazzjonijiet żgħar fi stati gżejjer żgħar. II-metodu li se jintuża għal din ir-ričerka se jkun dak magħruf bħala grounded theory fejn jiġu applikati tekniki kwalitattivi u oħrajn imħallta.

MIZATI: Japplikaw ħlasijiet - Aktar informazzjoni permezz ta' MG2i (MCAST Gateway to Industry)

#### **Entry Requirements**

A relevant first degree and a relevant master qualification at 60 ECTS, with at least 5 years relevant industry or research experience.

#### **Other Entry Requirements**

A relevant first degree and a relevant master qualification at 90 ECTS, with at least 2 years relevant industry or research experience or A master qualification in the MCAST MVEAR at 120 ECTS, with at least 2 years' relevant industry or research experience

or

A relevant master qualification at 90 ECTS, and at least 10 years' relevant industry or academic experience

#### Course Duration Licence Number

5 Years Part-Time 2021-007

Mode MQF Level

Taught, research based 8

#### **Career Opportunities**

The D.Res is aimed at senior management, business leaders, NGO leaders, policy makers and senior technologists that need to understand the behavioural and competitive patterns of small organisations with the aim of enhancing the efficiencies and the performance of these small organisations.

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67	4	Advanced Diploma in Horticulture
69	6	Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Animal Management and Veterinary Nursing
70	6	Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Horticulture
71	6	Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Fisheries and Aquaculture

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193	3	Diploma in Aviation, Flight and Cabin Operation
194	4	Advanced Diploma in Aircraft Maintenance (Aeroplanes - Turbine Engines)
195	4	Advanced Diploma in Aircraft Maintenance (Avionics)
196	4	Advanced Diploma in Aviation Operations, Flight and Cabin Operations
199	5	Higher Diploma in Transport, Logistics and Supply Chain
233	6	Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) in Electronics and Control Engineering
234	6	Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) in Electronics Engineering
223	6	Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) in Mechanical Engineering (Manufacturing)
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85	6	Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Business Enterprise
87	6	Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Financial Services Management
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305	6	Bachelor of Applied Business Studies
88	7	ACCA Qualification
91	7	Master of Business Administration

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305	6	Bachelor of Community-Based Service Provision
119	6	Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Earlyears
123	6	Bachelor of Vocational Education and Training 4.0 (Honours)
124	7	Master in Social Care Practice

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138	3	Diploma in Performing Arts
145	4	Advanced Diploma in Art and Design
150	4	Advanced Diploma in Cultural Heritage Skills
141	4	Advanced Diploma in Digital Design
147	4	Advanced Diploma in Fashion and Retail
151	4	Advanced Diploma in Graphic Printing
142	4	Advanced Diploma in Performing Arts
143	4	Advanced Diploma in Photography
146	4	Advanced Diploma in Video Production
167	6	Bachelor in Conservation (Honours)
157	6	Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Animation
162	6	Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Creative Media Production
166	6	Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Fashion
153	6	Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Fine Art
155	6	Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Game Art
158	6	Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Graphic Design
156	6	Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Interactive Digital Media
164	6	Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Journalism
165	6	Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Performing Arts
163	6	Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Photography
160	6	Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Product Design
161	6	Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Spatial Design
267	6	Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Creative Computing
268	6	Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Digital Games Development
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170	7	Master in Creative Media and Enterprise
168	7	Master of Arts in Product Design
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121	6	Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Inclusive Education
119	6	Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Earlyears
123	6	Bachelor of Vocational Education and Training 4.0 (Honours)
126	7	Master in Vocational Education Applied Research 4.0

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42	4	Advanced Diploma in Health Sciences
43	4	Advanced Diploma in Food Technology
40	4	Advanced Diploma in Applied Science
45	6	Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Chemical Technology
46	6	Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Environmental Science and Sustainable Technologies
49	6	Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Environmental Health
305	6	Bachelor in Applied Science
53	7	Master of Science in Applied Environmental Science (General)
54	7	Master of Science in Environmental and Water Resource Management
55	7	Master of Science in Environmental Resource Management
56	7	Master of Science in Urban Environmental Science Management

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228	3	Diploma in Engineering (Electronics)
220	3	Diploma in Mechanical Engineering
193	3	Diploma in Aviation, Flight and Cabin Operations
205	4	Advanced Diploma in Welding and Fabrication
196	4	Advanced Diploma in Aviation Operations, Flight and Cabin Operations
229	4	Advanced Diploma in Robotics, Drone Technology, Automation and Artificial Intelligence
230	4	Advanced Diploma in Industrial Electronics
231	4	Advanced Diploma in Electrical Systems
221	4	Advanced Diploma in Operations and Maintenance
222	4	Advanced Diploma in Manufacturing
239	4	Advanced Diploma in Marine Engineering
199	5	Higher Diploma in Transport, Logistics and Supply Chain
232	5	Undergraduate Diploma in Foundations of Engineering
186	5	Undergraduate Diploma in Auto Electronic and Electrical Technology
233	6	Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) in Electronics and Control Engineering
234	6	Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) in Electronics Engineering
305	6	Bachelor of Applied Technology
223	6	Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) in Mechanical Engineering (Manufacturing)
224	6	Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) in Mechanical Engineering (Plant)
240	6	Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Marine Engineering
242	7	Master of Science in Mechanical Engineering and Sustainable Technology
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203	3	Diploma in Welding and Fabrication
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48	6	Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Nursing
49	6	Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Environmental Health
51	7	Master of Science in Advanced Clinical Practice
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230	4	Advanced Diploma in Industrial Electronics
258	4	Advanced Diploma in IT (Computer Systems and Networks)
261	4	Advanced Diploma in IT (iGaming)
260	4	Advanced Diploma in IT (Multimedia Software Development)
259	4	Advanced Diploma in IT (Software Development)
229	4	Advanced Diploma in Robotics, Drone Technology, Automation and Artificial Intelligence
232	5	Undergraduate Diploma in Foundations of Engineering
305	6	Bachelor of Applied Technology
233	6	Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) in Electronics and Control Engineering
234	6	Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) in Electronics Engineering
262	6	Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Applied Data Science
263	6	Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Computer Systems and Networks
267	6	Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Creative Computing
264	6	Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Cybersecurity
268	6	Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Digital Games Development
266	6	Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Software Development
269	7	Master of Science in Information Technology and Systems
244	7	Master of Science in Mechatronics

## Manufacturing

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203	3	Diploma in Welding and Fabrication
227	3	Diploma in Electrical Installations
228	3	Diploma in Engineering (Electronics)
220	3	Diploma in Mechanical Engineering
198	4	Advanced Diploma in Transportation and Logistics Management
206	4	Advanced Diploma in Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning
204	4	Advanced Diploma in Joinery, Furniture Design and Manufacturing
205	4	Advanced Diploma in Welding and Fabrication
230	4	Advanced Diploma in Industrial Electronics
231	4	Advanced Diploma in Electrical Systems
221	4	Advanced Diploma in Operations and Maintenance
222	4	Advanced Diploma in Manufacturing
199	5	Higher Diploma in Transport, Logistics and Supply Chain
232	5	Undergraduate Diploma in Foundations of Engineering
233	6	Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) in Electronics and Control Engineering
234	6	Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) in Electronics Engineering
305	6	Bachelor of Applied Technology
223	6	Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) in Mechanical Engineering (Manufacturing)
224	6	Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) in Mechanical Engineering (Plant)
242	7	Master of Science in Mechanical Engineering and Sustainable Technology
245	7	Master of Science in High Performance Buildings
244	7	Master of Science in Mechatronics

## Maritime

Page	Level	Courses
235	3	Diploma in Deck Operations
236	4	Advanced Diploma in Deck Operations (also leading to OIC Navigational Watch)
239	4	Advanced Diploma in Marine Engineering
240	6	Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Marine Engineering
238		Chief Mate

## **Safety, Security and Enforcement**

Page	Level	Courses
112	3	Diploma in Foundation Studies for Security, Enforcement and Protection
215	5	Undergraduate Diploma in Occupational Health and Safety

## **Sports**

Page	Level	Courses
111	3	Diploma in Sport
118	4	Advanced Diploma in Sport (Development, Coaching and Fitness)
122	6	Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Sport, Exercise and Health
123	6	Bachelor of Vocational Education and Training 4.0 (Honours)
125	7	Master of Science in Exercise and Sports Science

## **Transport and Logistics**

Page	Level	Courses
193	3	Diploma in Aviation, Flight and Cabin Operations
198	4	Advanced Diploma in Transportation and Logistics Management
196	4	Advanced Diploma in Aviation Operations, Flight and Cabin Operations
199	5	Higher Diploma in Transport, Logistics and Supply Chain

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