

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY



New Zealand's technology sector is diverse and embedded in everything we do. It's a fertile ground for innovation and competes successfully on the global scale. The industry is a major business for New Zealand, growing 12% last year.

To help drive economic growth across all sectors, nationally and internationally, people with a range of IT capabilities are needed in the workplace.

Our Centre for Information Technology responds to this need by educating and up-skilling people with qualifications that have been developed in conjunction with employers from across the IT sector.

We deliver internationally-recognised masters, degree, post-graduate, graduate diploma and certificate courses with flexibility for full-time, part-time and evening study.

Guest lecturers who are specialists in technology regularly feature in our programmes, which also incorporate projects, internships, work placements and visits to businesses. Our staff are professionals with practical experience who enable our students to develop their knowledge in real-world work environments.

Our students can specialise in programming, system administration, software architecture, systems analysis, website development, computer systems network engineering or informatics.

The skills they learn at our centre are applicable to any workplace, with our graduates able to work in almost any industry, anywhere in the world.

The Waikato region is home to a large number of small and medium-sized businesses. Offering flexibly-delivered IT programmes such as those provided by our centre is critical to the ongoing viability and career development of the staff of these businesses.

Our graduates work as:

- Computer systems network engineers
- Database architects and administrators
- Entrepreneurs
- Games programmers
- IT managers and contractors
- Mobile app developers
- Project managers
- Security analysts
- Systems administrators
- Software engineers
- Systems technicians
- Systems analysts
- Web developers

