SIT40307 - Certificate IV in Hospitality  
(Sommelier)  
Information Sheet for 2012 Course  

DESCRIPTION

Course objective is to provide participants with training and skill development in:

- Evaluation of wines
- Product tastings
- Specialist wine knowledge
- Storage of wine
- Promotion of wine and associated products

Approximately 1/3 of the course delivery will be dedicated to development of wine tasting skills and evaluation of wine. The remainder of the course delivery will focus on knowledge development in relation to wine regions (old and new world), product promotion techniques, and staff supervision skills

COURSE ENTRY

1. Applicants who have successfully completed a Certificate II in Hospitality (Operations) or higher, or

2. Those who have been employed in the hospitality or related industries for more than 2 years and have obtained relevant industry experience. Only units related directly to the course objectives will be delivered.

Eligible students will be guided through a Credit Transfer/RPL process for other units in the Certificate IV. Students who are ineligible for credit transfer or recognition of prior learning may be required to complete any outstanding units in classes delivered for other hospitality programs at the Waverley campus.

All applicants are required to attend an interview.
COURSE LENGTH AND DELIVERY

The course will be delivered over 30 weeks requiring student attendance 8 hours per week. Classes will be conducted from 1 pm to 9 pm on Mondays.

Note: Normal school term breaks and public holidays apply.

BOOKS & EQUIPMENT

Whilst Holmesglen has assembled a wide range of texts and references for students to access during this program it is expected that students purchase the following items (this list may change):

- 6 ISO tasting glasses $15.60
- Double edition – Story of wine ‘Hugh Johnson’ The Atlas of wine ‘Jancis Robinson’ $90.00 (TBA)
- Essential Wine tasting Guide $9.95

These items will be available by calling the book shop and arranging payment and delivery to Waverley hospitality ‘for convenient pickup’.

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FEES

Fees for this program are to be calculated at the completion of an interview. For more information regarding fees, please refer to the Holmesglen website under Fees and Charges.

FURTHER INFORMATION

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