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APPLY NOW FOR THE IPROWD TRAINING PROGRAM!



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TAFE NSW, the NSW Police Force and the Australian Government are working in partnership to offer IPROWD Training Programs across NSW which will assist Aboriginal people to gain entry into the NSW Police College at Goulburn.

The IPROWD program has been developed to assist Aboriginal people to gain the skills and confidence to succeed in joining the NSW Police Force.

Contact us now for an IPROWD Application Kit. Applications close...

12 March 2011 ... for IPROWD Intake Three –
Wagga Wagga, Macquarie Fields, Orange & Tamworth Sites
Interviews last week of March. Course commences 27 April 2011.

20 May 2011 ... for IPROWD Intake Four – Redfern
Interviews late June. Course commences 25 July 2011.

Phone. 1300 830 177

Email. IPROWD@tafensw.edu.au

For more information. www.iprowd.tafensw.edu.au

The IPROWD Training Program is proudly supported by the Australian Government

IPROWD TRAINING PROGRAM



ABOUT THE COURSE

The IPROWD Training Program provides:

- A Certificate III in Vocational and Study Pathways (5000) which meets the entry requirements of the Associate Degree in Policing Practice offered by Charles Sturt University (CSU)
 - A full-time training program conducted for 20 hours per week over 18 weeks
 - A training program customised to give Aboriginal people the confidence, skills and knowledge to join the NSW Police Force
 - Excursions to the NSW Police College at Goulburn and local police involvement
- A program that follows guidelines recommended by CSU to introduce participants to assessment requirements of an Associate Degree in Policing Practice
 - Skills development in Communication, Information Technology, Writing and Presentation Skills, Workplace Ethics and Responsibilities, Aboriginal Studies, Fitness, First Aid and individual learning support
 - Mentoring by teachers and the NSW Police Force during and after the course

FEATURES OF THE IPROWD TRAINING PROGRAM:

- Strong linkages with the Aboriginal community
- Strong partnerships and trust between teachers and students
- NSW Police Force staff are actively involved in the training program and work as part of the teaching team
- Builds motivation and confidence
- Teachers assist with the application processes to join the NSW Police Force
- Funding support may be available to assist with medical and accommodation requirements
- Community partnerships to assist with accommodation and personal support needs





IPROWD TRAINING PROGRAM DETAILS:

TAFE NSW is working with the NSW Police Force to offer 12 IPROWD Training Programs during 2011.

- IPROWD Intake Three – Wagga Wagga, Macquarie Fields, Orange and Tamworth is planned to commence in late April with applications closing **12 March 2011**
- IPROWD Intake Four – Redfern is planned to commence in late July with applications closing **20 May 2010**

COURSE LOCATIONS:

TAFE NSW will be offering IPROWD Training Programs across NSW and locations may include:

Campbelltown, Casino, Dubbo, Macquarie Fields, Maitland, Mount Druitt, Nowra, Orange, Redfern, Tamworth, Wagga Wagga.

Students may be required to travel to attend the IPROWD Training Program as courses will be conducted where student demand is highest.

HOW TO APPLY FOR THE IPROWD TRAINING PROGRAM

- Contact the IPROWD Team on **1300 830 177** to request an IPROWD Application Kit and to ask any questions
- Or download the IPROWD Application Kit from **www.iprowd.tafensw.edu.au**
- Complete the IPROWD Application Form ensuring you provide all the required information
- Send the completed Application in the addressed envelope supplied in the IPROWD Kit to:
IPROWD Training Program
PO Box 2161
Orange 2800 NSW
- Or scan and email completed forms to **iprowd@tafensw.edu.au**
- Applications forms must be received by 26 November for IPROWD Intake Two and 20 May for IPROWD Intake Three
- Please contact the IPROWD Team if your application is not going to meet the deadline
- IPROWD places are limited so apply early to avoid delays with the IPROWD screening processes
- IPROWD students must meet all medical, educational and personal screening requirements

IPROWD SELECTION CRITERIA:

Students must meet the following criteria:

- Be medically fit
- Be aged 18½ or over
- Possess competent literacy skills
- Complete and sign the application form
- Have no prior criminal history or history of serious traffic matters
- Be committed to gaining employment with the NSW Police Force
- Be prepared to travel for training if necessary
- Have a current drivers licence with a minimum of red P plates

THE IPROWD APPLICATION KEY STEPS:

- TAFE NSW checks all IPROWD Application Forms and may need to contact you to ask additional questions
- The NSW Police Force completes your criminal check screening ensuring this information is handled in a confidential manner
- Applicants who meet all pre-screening requirements will be notified of the date and location of their IPROWD interview
- Students will be required to meet all travel costs to attend interviews however some funding support may be available for eligible applicants
- Applicants will be given a minimum of five days notice of the interview date
- Remember to apply early to avoid delays with the screening process



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THE IPROWD INTERVIEW

- If you are successful with the IPROWD application you will be required to attend an IPROWD interview, conducted in the last week of March 2011 for IPROWD Intake Three and late June 2011 for IPROWD Intake Four
- IPROWD interviews will be conducted across NSW in the locations where IPROWD Training Programs are to be conducted
- The IPROWD Interview consists of:
 - An information session
 - Literacy and numeracy screening
 - A panel interview with TAFE teachers, Aboriginal mentor and the NSW Police Force
 - Preliminary medical screening by Aboriginal Medical Services
- Lunch and refreshments are provided during the day

- Applicants should dress in a professional manner
- Applicants should bring a current resume and copies of any qualifications to the interview
- Applicants can leave once all screening processes have been completed
- Depending on the number of applications, interviews may be held over a 2-3 day period

ACCEPTANCE INTO THE IPROWD PROGRAM

- There will be a maximum of 15 Aboriginal students accepted into each training program in each location
- Students may be placed onto an eligibility list if they meet all requirements but are not selected into the initial group
- Applicants will be notified in writing five days after the interview to confirm acceptance into the training program

- Successful applicants will need to confirm acceptance of their place in the program and notify the IPROWD Team on **1300 830 177** if personal circumstances change
- Training programs will commence in late April 2011 for IPROWD Intake Three and late July 2011 for IPROWD Intake Four
- Students will receive a course information package two weeks prior to the start date
- Students can contact the IPROWD Team on **1300 830 177** if assistance is needed with accommodation, Centrelink Benefits and with any questions prior to the program start date

FOR INFORMATION

Phone. 1300 830 177

Email. IPROWD@tafensw.edu.au

Web. www.iprowd.tafensw.edu.au

Or contact your NSW Police Aboriginal Community Liaison Officer (ACLO)

Or Contact your local TAFE IPROWD
Contact after 27 January 2011

Orange

Kerry Windsor ph. 6391 5656

Macquarie Fields

Karen Davies ph. 9780 5683

Redfern Eora College

Grace Ferguson ph. 9217 4871

Tamworth

Rachel Hill ph. 6768 2282

Wagga Wagga

Ros Bauer ph. 6938 1374

Note: The images used in this brochure are Indigenous NSW Police Officers