



Real World Education



Measurement Science Education Opportunity

The Metrology Society of Australasia (MSA) in conjunction with Real World Education (RWE) are excited to announce that RWE have scheduled a single intake for each of the NZQA approved, undergraduate diploma programmes they have been developing.

Course start dates are:

- **19 August 2024**, Level 5, Practical Metrology Programme
- **24 June 2024**, Level 6, Laboratory Technician Professional Programme with an endorsement in metrology

These may be the only intakes to those programmes, ever.

Depending on the uptake, RWE may never offer them again. Therefore, anyone interested should not delay and should contact RWE promptly.

This is especially true for the Level 6 since applicants would have to get through the admissions process before starting.

A Level 6 applicant would be for someone who has the hands-on skills, but would like a deeper understanding of things like the significance of laboratory results, how to use the professional literature, quality systems, traceability and uncertainty.

For these intakes, there will be no fees for either programme. However, even if they are offered in the future, funding might not allow that. So again, those interested would be wise to do these courses now.

This programme can be taken from anywhere in New Zealand as RWE utilise distance delivery which participants say can be more personal than 'in-person' delivery.

RWE are now accepting applications for the Level 5 and Level 6 courses see links below.

<u>Practical Metrology Programme</u>	Typically for people with less than a year of metrology or calibration lab experience	Graduates earn the: New Zealand Diploma in Applied Science (Level 5)
<u>Laboratory Technician Professional Programme with an endorsement in metrology</u>	Typically for people with at least a year of metrology or calibration lab experience	Graduates earn the: New Zealand Diploma in Applied Science (Level 6)

For experienced people with relevant qualifications already, the [Postgraduate Diploma in Analytical Science](#) with a specialisation in metrology might be appropriate (and similarly has no fees).

As required, RWE lends equipment, books and other materials to participants without any extra charge. RWE even pays courier fees both directions.

Anyone interested in the programmes for themselves or their employees should email Real World Education at admissions@real.ac.nz

Should you wish to contact the MSA you can do so at secretary@metrology.asn.au

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