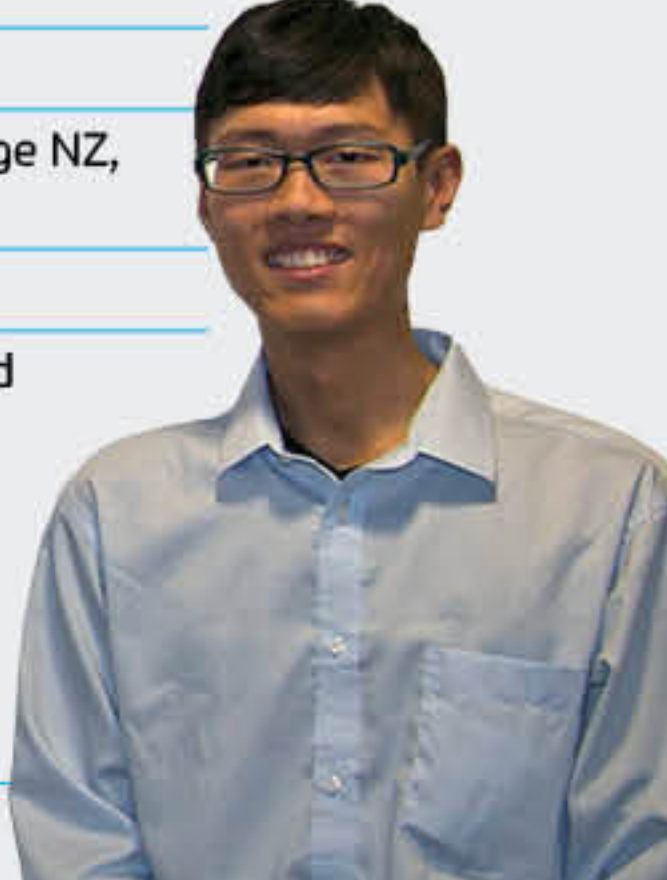## Brief Description

This qualification will enable our graduates to carry out sophisticated implementation and operations involving ICT systems at the forefront of business operations. They will be able to work independently and manage the design and installation of a comprehensive range of networked computer operations systems and adjuncts, install and maintain new systems and backups and troubleshoot for multiple users.

Qualification	NZQA Level 7
Duration	45 weeks (130 credits)
Intakes	July 2017 and January 2018
Admissions Criteria	> Bachelor level Degree or equivalent > IELTS (Academic) of 6.0 overall with 5.5 in each band or equivalent > 18 years or older > Special admissions possible
Tuition fees	$18,950
Immigration Benefits	> Work part-time for up to 20 hours per week > Work full-time during Semester and Summer breaks > Post-study work visa of one year available

International Graduate Profiles

Songtao Pang

Country	China
Company	Animation College NZ, Auckland
Role	IT Service Desk
Reason to choose Diploma in Cloud Technology	> Practical based learning > Soft skills > After class practice > Graduate Project

Surbhi Singh

Country	India
Company	Telco Technology Services, Masterton
Role	System Engineer
Reason to choose Diploma in Cloud Technology	> Experienced and knowledgeable tutors > Peer support and interaction with classmates > Job facilitation support from AMES

Career Opportunities

> Server Administrator
> Network Administrator
> Database Administrator
> Network Analyst
> Technical Support Systems Specialist
> Virtualisation Specialist
> Cloud Solution Expert

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Network Administrator

Pay	Network administrators earn an average of **$50K-$78K** per year Source: AbsoluteIT, 'Remuneration Report', January 2015.
Job opportunities	Chances of getting a job as a network administrator are good due to a shortage of workers.

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Systems and Database Administrator

Pay	Systems administrators earn an average of **$50K-$80K** per year Database administrators earn an average of **$71K-$97K** per year Source: AbsoluteIT, 'Remuneration Report', January 2016.
Job opportunities	Chances of getting a job as a systems administrator are good due to a shortage of workers.

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