



DARE TO DEVELOP

MISSION READY TECH CAREER
LAUNCHPADS & ACCELERATORS



WHY JOIN MISSION READY?

GET SKILLS.

Develop most sought after tech, business and behavioural skills.

GET EXPERIENCE.

Work in cross functional teams on real industry projects.

GET MENTORED.

Receive 1:1 coaching and team mentoring from industry experts.

GET REWARDED.

On successful completion earn rewards from employers.

GET RECOMMENDED.

Receive personal recommendation and reference letters from industry.

GET AN INTERVIEW.

Get interviewed by our project sponsors, or get started in the gig economy.



OUR MISSION YOUR SUCCESS

Mission Ready is on a mission to combat the tech skills gap in the industry by accelerating talent development in just 20 weeks.

Keeping it real, we focus on industry-led, project-based, on-the-job experience to enable you to hit the ground running so you can grow and succeed faster.

Better Skills. Better Lives. Better World.



OUR CANDIDATES HAVE GONE ON TO WORK AT:

SELMA DATACOM

Foodstuffs NZ

Auckland Council
Te Kaurihera o Tamaki Makaurau



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JOIN THE **BOOMING** TECH SECTOR

The technology industry is one of the most challenging, inspiring & rewarding industries today. It is a hotbed for raw & qualified professionals.

10K
VACANT ROLES
DUE TO SKILL
SHORTAGE

98%
CANDIDATES
ENDORSED BY
EMPLOYERS

4/5
CANDIDATES
SUCCESSFULLY
EMPLOYED

300+
INDUSTRY
PARTNERS

50+
INDUSTRY
MENTORS

1200+
ALUMNI
NETWORK

OUR ACCELERATOR STRUCTURE

TRAINING

12 - 24 WEEKS

Industry co-designed
Project-based

MENTORED WORK EXPERIENCE

10 WEEKS (400 HOURS)

Real projects
Real companies
Mentored by industry experts

CAREER SUPPORT

FROM RECRUITMENT SPECIALISTS

CV interview tips
Tips to help land your dream job
Network of partners and alumni



WORK WITH REAL PROJECTS & GET **REAL EXPERIENCE**



Working remotely with a team of developers taught us how to manage our workload, be self-sufficient and give the client what they needed.



OUR MISSION **PARTNERS (250+)**



StudySpy



NZQA APPROVED
MICRO-CREDENTIALS

**Access Mentored work placement.
Get mission ready >**

APPLIED DIGITAL TECHNOLOGY
PRODUCT SOLUTIONS
(LEVEL 6)

**Have prior knowledge or
experience? Start here >**

DIGITAL TECHNOLOGY
PRODUCT SOLUTIONS
(LEVEL 5)

No coding experience? Start here >

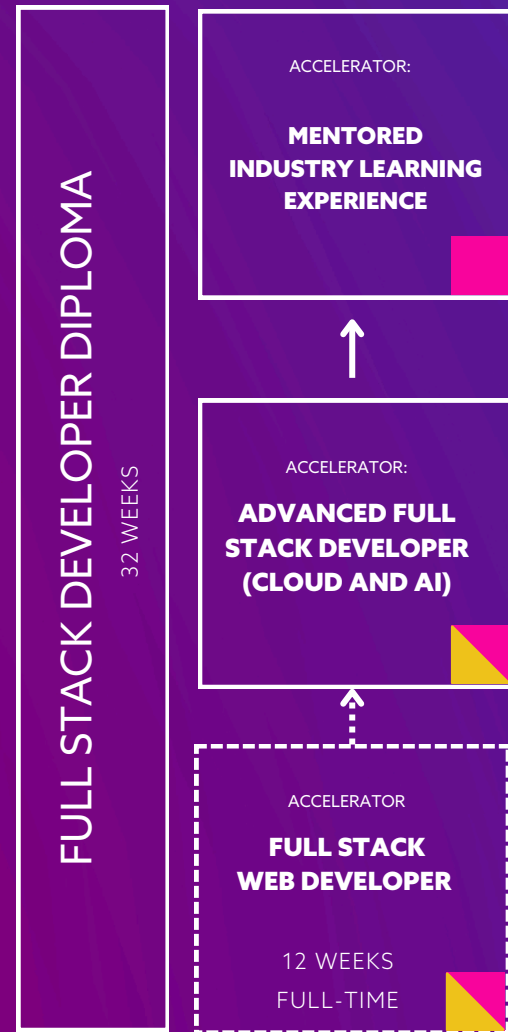
CERTIFICATE IN TECHNOLOGY
PRODUCT DEVELOPMENT ESSENTIALS
(LEVEL 4)

Need a career plan? Start here >

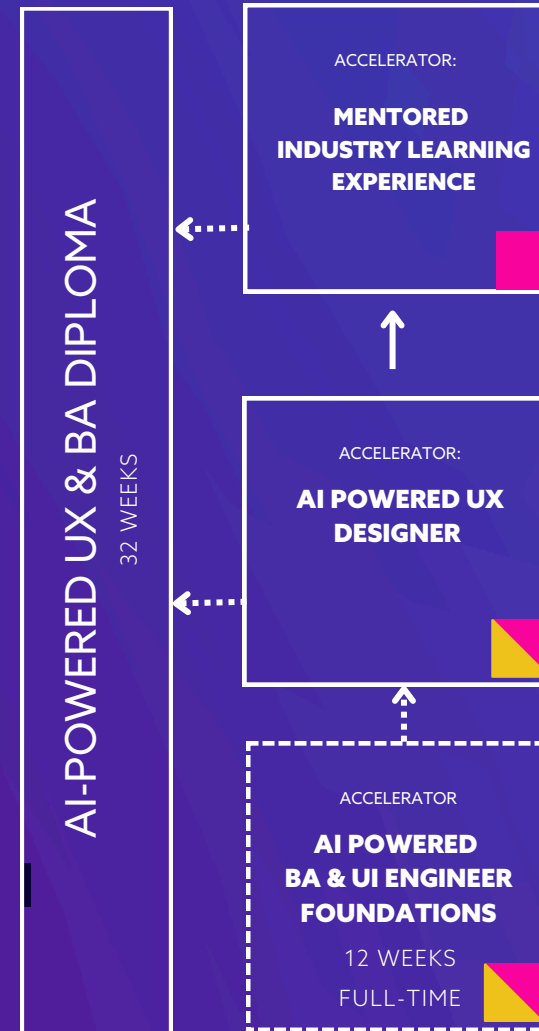
CERTIFICATE IN TECH CAREER
EXPLORATION AND DEVELOPMENT
(LEVEL 3)



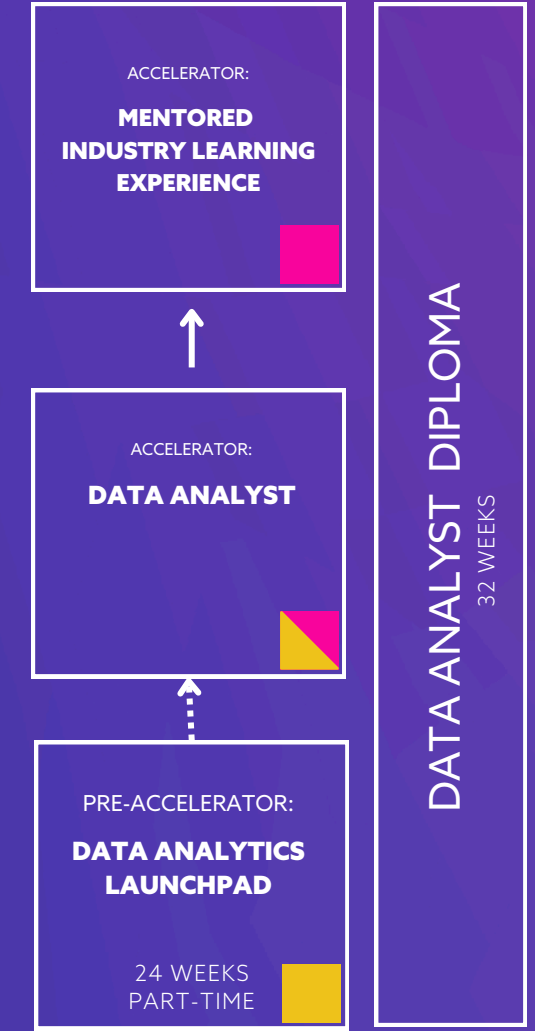
BECOME A SOFTWARE DEVELOPER



BECOME A UX & BA SPECIALIST



BECOME A DATA ANALYST



Availability ■ Part-time (20 weeks) ■ Full-time (10 weeks)

JOIN

THE TECH CAREER LAUNCHPAD

Certificate in Tech Career Exploration and Development (Level 3)

The only NZQA Micro-Credential in New Zealand designed for anyone starting out in tech. The Launchpad gives you hands-on experience across six real tech roles - so you can find the career that fits you, and pursue it with confidence.

Timeline Part-Time: 16 Week Launchpad | Full-Time: 8 Week Launchpad

Skill Level Beginner

2026 Intakes [Scan for current dates]



Fees \$1,920.00 (incl. GST) NZ citizens & residents only
100 fully-funded Impact Scholarships Available

Entry Criteria NCEA Level Literacy & Numeracy

Not sure which tech career is right for you? In just 8 weeks full-time (or 16 part-time), you'll get hands-on experience across real tech roles and leave with a clear plan for where you're headed.

- Gain a strong understanding of the tech industry
- Hands-on experience across six real tech pathways: Data Analyst, UX Designer, Software Developer, Business Analyst, Tester, and Sales & Marketing Specialist
- Foundational IT support and customer tech skills. Practical entry point into the industry while you build toward your chosen career
- Learn essential tech, generative AI tools and professional skills to set up for the future of work
- Develop a strong understanding of your own preferences and abilities accelerating the successful launch of your future career
- A clear plan for your tech career journey - So your next step is informed, not guesswork
- The professional skills employers look for: communication, collaboration, and time management



BECOME A
**FULL STACK DEVELOPER
(CLOUD & AI)**

“ It was a rollercoaster. It was a non-stop ride that swung back and forth between frustration and elation as I worked my way through each mission and became increasingly confident and competent. The intensity was real, ...the kind of intensity that is uplifting and enriching. ”

ROSS BAKER

SOFTWARE DEVELOPER, NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR
HEALTH INNOVATION

FROM DEFUSING EXPLOSIVES TO DEBUGGING ERRORS:
CHECK OUT ROSS'S JOURNEY [HERE](#)




FULL STACK DEVELOPER ACCELERATOR (12 WEEKS)



(NZQA APPROVED MICRO-CREDENTIAL)

Certificate in Technology Product Development (Level 4)

You'll learn how to create responsive mobile-first web applications and be confident problem solver using code. If you are a hands-on creator and enjoy making, testing and seeing your creations come to life, then a career in full-stack development is for you.

Timeline	Full time: 12 Week Accelerator Part time: 24 Week Accelerator
Skill Level	Beginner
2026 Intakes	[Scan for current dates] 
Fees	\$3,320 (incl. GST) Applicants must have the legal right to study in New Zealand
Entry Criteria	NCEA Level Literacy & Numeracy

A professional Full Stack Developer builds web applications from the ground up. In this programme you will gain experience performing the following tasks:

- Create a portfolio of web applications that you can use to demonstrate your talents
- Develop responsive website that will display well on both mobile and desktop browsers
- Perform server-side software development
- Use some of the professional software frameworks and libraries to speed up application development
- Develop application that adhere to security best practices
- Database development
- Perform unit testing with the purpose of quality assurance
- Use of professional development environment and source code management tools
- Develop with coding best practices
- Understand types of software licenses

AI-POWERED ADVANCED FULL STACK DEVELOPER ACCELERATOR (20 WEEKS)



(NZQA APPROVED MICRO-CREDENTIAL)

Certificate in Digital Technology Product Solutions (Level 5) & Certificate in Applied Digital Technology Product Solutions (Level 6)

Are you interested in solving real world business and community problems with the power of Cloud & AI? You'll learn to develop sophisticated applications in a short time and become a confident ethical problem solver using leading Cloud resources. You will meet inspiring industry mentors and speakers.

Timeline	10 weeks + 10 week industry experience
Skill Level	Professional
2026 Intakes	[Scan for current dates]
Fees	\$6,640 (incl. GST) Applicants must have the legal right to study in New Zealand
Entry Criteria	NCEA Level Literacy & Numeracy

A Software Developer builds applications using latest technologies. In this programme you will gain experience performing the following tasks:

- Use popular Cloud services such as Azure, AWS, IBM Cloud
- Build AI-powered applications using cloud-based artificial intelligence services
- Use a cloud-based source control such as Github or Azure DevOps to collaborate with development team
- Contribute to agile practices by providing time estimates of your work, participating in sprint planning, daily stand-ups, show and tells and retrospectives
- Deploy application using a DevOps automated deployment pipeline
- Apply design thinking when creating applications
- Apply industry best practices to unit testing an application
- Develop applications using various programming languages, such as HTML, CSS, Javascript, and SQL
- Harness AI-powered tools to create dynamic and effective workflows

AI-POWERED FULL STACK DEVELOPER DIPLOMA



(NZQA APPROVED DIPLOMA - 32 WEEKS)

(Includes Micro-credentials Level 4,5 & 6)

Diploma in Digital Technology Development and Design (Level 5)

You'll learn how to create responsive mobile-first web applications and be confident problem solver using code.

Component 1: Technology Product Development Essentials

Component 2: Digital Technology Product Solutions

Component 3: Applied Digital Technology Product Solutions

Timeline Fulltime: 22 Weeks + 10 week industry experience

Skill Level Beginner

2026 Intakes [Scan for current dates]

Fees \$9,960
(incl. GST) Applicants must have the legal right to study in New Zealand
SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE
OR STUDYLINK LOANS AND ALLOWANCES

Entry Criteria NCEA Level Literacy & Numeracy

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- Apply design thinking when creating applications
- Develop responsive website that will display well on both mobile and desktop browsers
- Build AI-powered applications using cloud-based artificial intelligence services
- Perform server-side software development, Database development, Perform unit testing with the purpose of quality assurance
- Use of professional development environment and source code management tools
- Use some of the professional software frameworks and libraries to speed up application development
- Develop with coding best practices
- Develop application that adhere to security best practices
- Mentored work experience with one of our industry partners, to become work ready

DATA ANALYST ACCELERATOR



Certificate in Technology Product Development (Level 4)

This launchpad is designed to equip you with the essential skills and knowledge required to dive into the fundamentals of data analytics, learning about data types, sources, and pre-processing techniques. You will learn how to build the foundational data skills you need to stand out and make an impact.

Timeline Part-Time: 24 Week Launchpad

Skill Level Beginner

2026 Intakes [Scan for current dates]

Fees \$3,320.00 (incl. GST) NZ citizens & residents only

Entry Criteria NCEA Level Literacy & Numeracy

Our programme will equip you with the foundations for meaningful data insights for any organisation. We'll cover statistics, Excel, SQL, and Power BI, as well as Data Security and collaboration skills.

- Define analytics problems
- Pre-process data, including data cleaning and normalisation
- Perform analytics effectively using Excel, SQL and Power BI
- Create impactful data visualisation
- Learn to apply Generative AI (Artificial Intelligence) skills in data analytics
- Understanding of data security, data quality, and data governance
- Collaborate on data analytics tasks
- Become data literate and bring that skill set to any org.

AI-POWERED ADVANCED DATA ANALYST ACCELERATOR



(NZQA APPROVED MICRO-CREDENTIAL)

Diploma in Digital Technology Development and Design (Level 5)

You will use tools like Python and Azure to perform data manipulation, reporting, and predictions applying design thinking and agile methods. Once you've completed the professional training, you could be invited to apply your new skills at a real company for 10 weeks of work experience and mentoring by industry leaders.

Timeline	Part-time: 24 Weeks + 10 week industry experience
Skill Level	Professional
2026 Intakes	[Scan for current dates]
Fees	\$6,640 (incl. GST) Applicants must have the legal right to study in New Zealand
Entry Criteria	NCEA Level Literacy & Numeracy

A professional Data Analyst performs data manipulation, reporting, and predictions by applying design thinking and agile methods. In this programme, you will gain experience performing the following tasks:

- Learn Python programming, using essential libraries like Pandas, Matplotlib, and Seaborn to manipulate and analyse data effectively.
- Implement and evaluate predictive models using Python libraries like Scikit-learn, mastering techniques such as regression, decision trees, and clustering.
- Gain knowledge in machine learning, understanding key concepts, and applying algorithms for supervised and unsupervised learning
- Learn the most popular data architectures, including Data Lakes and Data Warehouses, and learn to leverage popular tools on Azure.
- Apply Agile and Design Thinking principles and practices in data analytics. Explore Scrum and Kanban frameworks, and user story mapping. Cap off the programme with a hands-on Agile data analytics project, putting your newfound skills into practice.
- Personal Branding and Job Search: Learn best practices for presenting yourself online, on your CV, and in interviews.
- Invite Only Real-World Experience: Apply your skills in a 10-week work experience with a real project and company, gaining valuable industry experience and practical insights with support from a mentor. Selected candidates will be invited to participate in this mentored work experience.

AI-POWERED DATA ANALYST DIPLOMA



(NZQA APPROVED DIPLOMA)

(Includes Micro-credentials Level 4,5 & 6)

Diploma in Digital Technology Development and Design (Level 5)

The role of a Business Analyst is a bridge between business and technology to improve business processes and efficiency via technology, people and process. You will collect, document and analyse requirements about business challenges and design solutions to overcome these challenges.

Timeline	24 weeks Part-time + 20 weeks Full-time + 10 week industry experience Full-time
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Skill Level	Beginner
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2026 Intakes	[Scan for current dates]
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Entry Criteria	NCEA Level Literacy & Numeracy
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Combine the Data Analytics Launchpad with the Data Analyst Accelerator into a diploma qualification

Master Data Analytics Tools

- Gain expertise in Excel, SQL, Power BI, and Python for analysis and predictive modeling.

Data Preparation & Visualisation

- Clean, normalise, and visualise data to create impactful insights.

Leverage Generative AI & Machine Learning

- Apply AI techniques and machine learning algorithms to solve real-world problems.

Explore Modern Data Ecosystems

- Understand Data Lakes, Warehouses, and Azure for scalable data management.

Apply Agile Principles

- Use Agile frameworks like Scrum and Kanban for data projects.

Real-World Experience

- Selected candidates gain 10 weeks of mentored industry experience on live projects.

Professional Branding

- Build a standout CV, ace interviews, and present yourself confidently online.



BECOME A **BUSINESS ANALYST**

(+SALESFORCE CERTIFIED)

““My degree wasn't as helpful in getting a job in the field. I heard about Mission Ready through a job interview at Datacom. Another candidate mentioned their education experience with Mission Ready HQ during my shortlist interview. I didn't get that job, but I knew where I needed to go next.” ”

GEORGE MONRO

SALESFORCE ADMINISTRATOR, GENETIC TECHNOLOGIES





BECOME A **UX DESIGNER**



"Mission Ready offers so many opportunities; in the end, it's up to you to grab those opportunities and make them yours.

One of the highlights was the 10-week industry experience component. It was a very valuable experience, and I learned many things from many wonderful mentors at Datacom."

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EXPERIENCE DESIGNER, DATACOM



AI-POWERED USER EXPERIENCE DESIGNER ACCELERATOR

(NZQA APPROVED MICRO-CREDENTIAL)



Certificate in Digital Technology Product Solutions (Level 5) & Certificate in Applied Digital Technology Product Solutions (Level 6)

You'll learn how to combine technology, design, market research, psychology & business; and be confident at designing tech products & solutions; and meet inspiring industry mentors and speakers.

Timeline	10 weeks + 10 week industry experience
Skill Level	Professional
2026 Intakes	[Scan for current dates]
Fees	\$6,640 (incl. GST) Applicants must have the legal right to study in New Zealand
Entry Criteria	NCEA Level Literacy & Numeracy

A UX Designer discover the needs of technology users and dream up the best way to solve their problems. In this programme you will gain experience performing the following tasks:

- Empathise with stakeholders to gain UX insights
- Frame problems and design solutions
- Illustrate design ideas using storyboards, journey maps and information architecture
- Design mobile-first web applications
- Apply graphical user interface elements, like menus, tabs, widgets
- Develop UI design prototypes that clearly illustrate how applications function and look like
- Prepare and present designs to internal teams and key stakeholders
- Identify and troubleshoot UX problems
- Conduct design adjustments based on user feedback
- Apply design best practices on fonts, colours and images
- Participate in agile rituals
- Understand HTML and CSS

AI-POWERED UX & BA DIPLOMA

(NZQA APPROVED MICRO-CREDENTIAL)



Diploma in Digital Technology Development and Design (Level 5)

You'll learn how to combine technology, design, market research, psychology & business; and be confident at designing tech products & solutions; and meet inspiring industry mentors and speakers.

Timeline Fulltime: 22 Weeks + 10 week industry experience

Skill Level Beginner

2026 Intakes [Scan for current dates]

Fees \$9,960
Scholarships available
(incl. GST) Applicants must have the legal right to study in New Zealand
OR STUDYLINK LOANS AND ALLOWANCES

Entry Criteria NCEA Level Literacy & Numeracy

A UX Designer and Business Analyst bridges the gap between what users need and what businesses can deliver. In this programme you will gain experience performing the following tasks:

- Empathise with stakeholders to gain UX insights
- Analyse business processes and translate needs into requirements documentation
- Illustrate design ideas using storyboards, journey maps and information architecture
- Design intuitive information architecture and navigation systems
- Apply AI-enhanced workflows to accelerate design and analysis tasks
- Develop prototypes and test solutions for usability and accessibility
- Collaborate with developers, stakeholders, and cross-functional teams on real-world projects
- Develop UI design prototypes that clearly illustrate how applications function and look like
- AI-powered UX research and usability testing.
- AI-driven UI design and prototyping using tools like Figma AI.
- AI-enhanced front-end development with automation tools.
- AI-integrated personalisation and accessibility enhancements in UX.

AI PRODUCT ENGINEER ADVANCED ACCLERATOR



(NZQA APPROVED POSTGRADUATE MICRO-CREDENTIAL)

Level 8 Advanced Applied Technology Product Development (Micro-Credential)

You'll learn the technical, engineering, and collaborative skills to design scalable, reliable, and ethical AI-powered systems. Learn methodologies to harness AI effectively – understanding its limits as well as its potential – so you can build products that truly work in the real world.

Timeline	16 Weeks
Skill Level	Bachelor's degree or Graduate Certificate or Professional Experience
2026 Intakes	[Scan for current dates]
Fees	\$4,980 (incl. GST) Applicants must have the legal right to study in New Zealand Pay When Successful available
Entry Criteria	NCEA Level Literacy & Numeracy

Move beyond basic AI integrations. Design, build, deploy, and govern intelligent systems that perform reliably in real products.. In this programme you will gain experience performing the following tasks:

- Product and system design fundamentals for agentic and AI-enabled solutions.
- Generative AI, APIs, and integration design patterns.
- Vector databases and embeddings: data design, querying, and scaling.
- Retrieval-Augmented Generation (RAG): concepts, architecture, and implementation.
- Local LLM deployment: tuning, security, and efficient delivery.
- Agentic AI: design, orchestration, and building functional AI agents.
- Collaboration with AI tools: best practices and workflows for effective teamwork.
- Product engineering process and cost management for scalability.
- End-to-end development of AI systems addressing real industry challenges.

AI PRODUCT ENGINEER ADVANCED INDUSTRY ACCLERATOR



(AWAITING NZQA APPROVAL)

Collaborate with other AI engineers developing new frameworks, patterns and designs that will propel systems of the future.

Timeline	Fulltime: 22 Weeks + 10 week industry experience
Skill Level	Bachelor's degree or Graduate Certificate or Professional Experience
2026 Intakes	[Scan for current dates]
Fees	\$9,960 (Scholarships available) (incl. GST) Applicants must have the legal right to study in New Zealand
Entry Criteria	NCEA Level Literacy & Numeracy

Build on the AI Product Engineer Advanced Accelerator and apply your new skills in real settings OR bring your own project and develop it with support. In this programme you will gain experience performing the following tasks:

- Industry-Led Training: Learn from practising AI engineers and product technologists.
- Hands-On Projects: Work on live challenges with real data and real teams.
- Engineering Mindset: Learn methodologies to harness AI while understanding its limits — augment your engineering practice rather than automate it.
- Career ROI: Build demonstrable technical expertise that leads to high-demand roles in AI engineering and product innovation.
- Flexible Delivery: Learn online or in blended mode, supported by expert mentors and technical coaches.
- You'll be able take on roles as
 - AI Product Engineer / AI Systems Engineer
 - Machine Learning Engineer (Applied AI)
 - RAG and LLM Pipeline Engineer
 - AI Integration Developer / API Engineer
 - AI Solutions Architect
 - AI DevOps or Automation Engineer

AI PRODUCT MANAGER ADVANCED ACCELERATOR



(NZQA APPROVED POSTGRADUATE MICRO-CREDENTIAL)

Level 8 Advanced Applied Technology Product Development (Micro-Credential)

You'll learn how to use AI to make smarter decisions, accelerate development, and design products customers love. This postgraduate programme helps you master the professional, technical, and leadership skills needed to build, launch, and grow AI-enabled products that create measurable business results.

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Entry Criteria	NCEA Level Literacy & Numeracy

Move beyond using AI tools. Learn how to lead AI-enabled products, make better product decisions, and build the experience companies need in the age of AI. In this programme you will gain experience performing the following tasks:

- Product management fundamentals: roles, artefacts, MVPs, and lifecycle.
- Communicating ideas that win support from technical and non-technical stakeholders.
- Designing for customer value with responsible and ethical principles.
- Using AI to analyse markets and shape product strategy.
- Collaboration with AI: prompts, workflows, and best practices.
- Leading full product lifecycles — from discovery, strategy, and delivery to growth.
- Influencing investors and leadership teams through evidence-based decisions.
- Building stakeholder confidence and leading cross-functional collaboration.
- Measuring performance and proving return on investment (ROI).

AI PRODUCT MANAGER ADVANCED INDUSTRY ACCELERATOR

(AWAITING NZQA APPROVAL)



Collaborate with like-minded individuals and your mentor to forge a strong career ready for the AI-era. This postgraduate programme helps you master the professional, technical, and leadership skills needed to build, launch, and grow AI-enabled products that create measurable business results.

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 - AI Product Manager
 - Digital Product Manager / Product Owner
 - Product Operations Manager
 - AI Strategy or Innovation Lead
 - Technical Programme Manager
 - AI Business Analyst or Consultant

10-WEEK

MENTORED IN-WORK LEARNING EXPERIENCE

(NZQA APPROVED MICRO-CREDENTIAL)

Certificate in Applied Digital Technology Product Solutions (L6)

Gain real work experience and learn on the job what it takes to become a professional

- Project-based
- Mentor guided
- Professional

YOU WILL GAIN

- Real experience
- Relevant skills
- Industry network
- Employer reference
- Job interview





CELEBRATING OUR ACHIEVEMENTS

RECOGNITION FOR INNOVATION & IMPACT



My new job is amazing... I was one of the top 3 candidates for a few companies - the only difference being that the other candidates had more experience. These companies... wanted me to stay connected for freelancing projects as they would like to work with me once I have gained more experience. These are all aspects I have achieved and learned through the experience I had with Mission Ready.



KATHRYN

UX/UI DESIGNER, RAULAND AUSTRALIA & NEW ZEALAND



PROVIDER OF THE YEAR 2024



SUPREME AWARD 2024



Mana Tohu Mātauranga o Aotearoa
New Zealand Qualifications Authority

CATEGORY 1 PROVIDER



Fast 50 business 2024

These awards mean more than recognition—they're a reflection of what happens when belief meets opportunity. At Mission Ready, we see the potential in every candidate and know that with the right support, big things can happen. Innovation isn't just a goal; it's woven into how we work, inspired by the trust and collaboration of our industry partners. Together, we're proving that change starts when we dare to see things differently.



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