

# TAFE NSW GLOBAL EDUCATION & OFFSHORE DELIVERY MODELS

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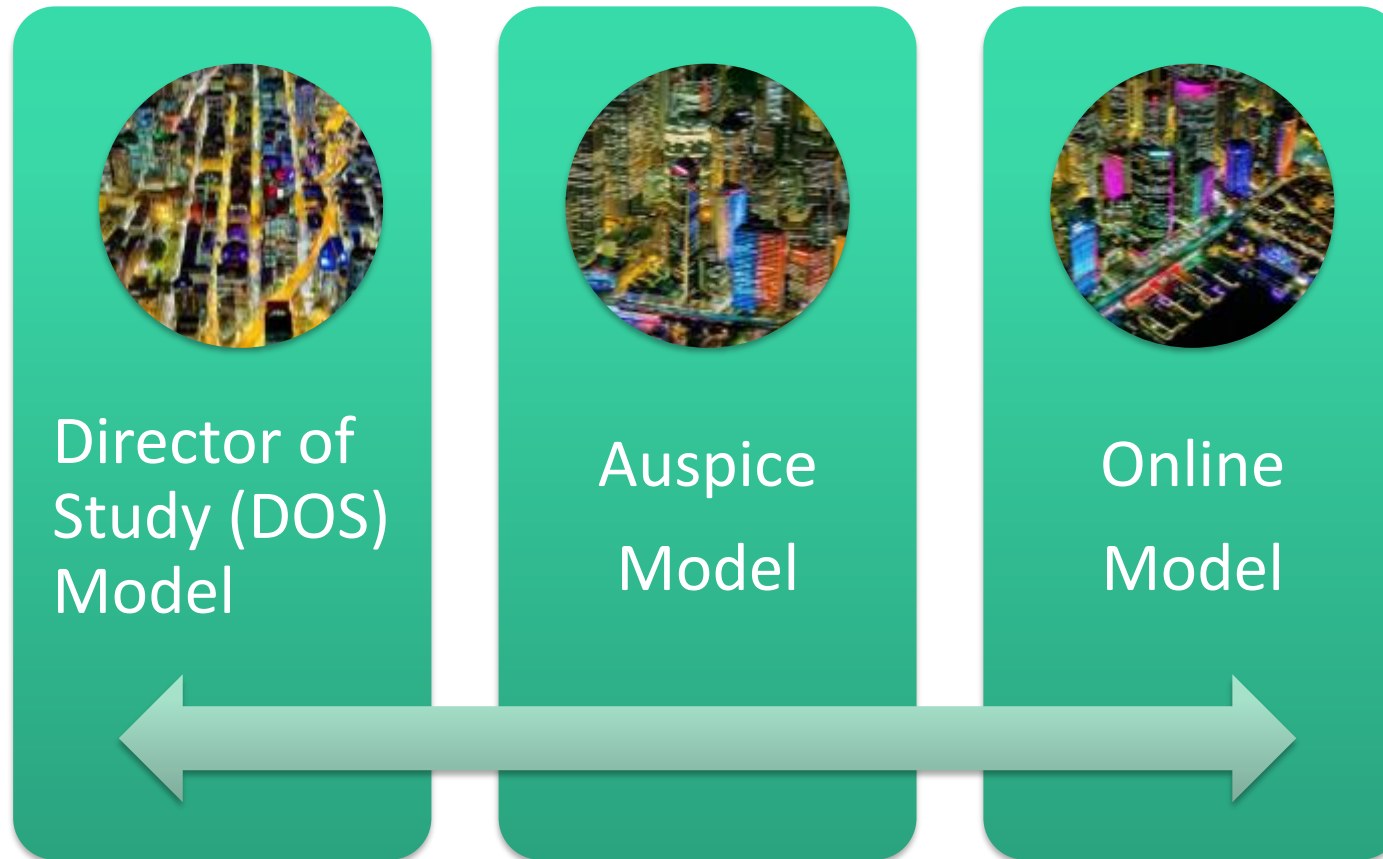
# OFFSHORE PROGRAMS EXPERIENCE

TAFE NSW offshore projects include:

- Bahrain
- Fiji
- Hong Kong
- Malaysia
- People's Republic of China
- Thailand



# OFFSHORE DELIVERY MODELS





- Director of Studies in offshore country to teach, manage the program, organise teacher development and supervise local teachers.
- Onshore qualified teachers to deliver program and provide online academic support.
- Onshore Program Manager to ensure compliance with TAFE NSW, Australian Qualifications Framework (AQF), and the Australian Skills Quality Authority (ASQA).

# BEST PRACTICE CASE STUDY

## NINGBO, CHINA



- Sets the benchmark for international program of vocational education and training in Ningbo, China with strong support from local Chinese education authority
- Partnership has multiple aspects including professional development for teaching staff, contextualization of course materials and introduction of competency based education and training methodology
- Provides students with advanced standing into Australian universities
- TAFE NSW conducts quality assurance review of the programs
- Successfully passed ASQA audit and China Education Association for International Exchange (CEAIE)

# NINGBO CHINA

TAFE NSW programs are offered in two colleges/schools delivering:

- English
- Accounting
- Marketing
- Logistics
- Information Technology
- Travel and Tourism



# CASE STUDY – CHINA - STRENGTHENING THE VALUE PROPOSITION OF PARTNERSHIPS



TAFE NSW is proud of long term partnerships with polytechnics across China resulting in a an internationalisation for all parties. Apart from delivery of courses this has included:

## For students:

**Student mobility:** Summer schools in Sydney, 2 week study tours to Chinese partners

**Industry engagement:** Integrating industry visits, speakers, work experience into programs

**Joint competition:** participants are students from offshore and Sydney programs

**Merit awards, scholarships**

**Case study project:** staff and students contribute to developing local industry contextualized case studies



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Student competition winners



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## For staff:

**Professional development program:** face to face workshops, joint ePD with staff in Sydney

**Visiting Scholar program:** one scholar per semester, 2-4 months, EOI, mutually agreed active research project

**Product Development**

**Integral part of Internationalisation strategy**



## Auspice Model

- Offshore partner/qualified teachers deliver the training program.
- TAFE NSW appoints a Project Manager, Academic Advisor/s and specialised Teachers.
- TAFE NSW quality assures the offshore program to ensure compliance with TAFE NSW, AQF, and ASQA.

# BEST PRACTICE CASE STUDY

## FIJI

- 14 year partnership with Fiji National University (previously Training and Productivity Authority, Fiji -TPAF)
- Levy paid by registered Fijian Industries to Government used for training
- Programs formulated on input from industry forums and key stakeholders
- Training services provided through the FNU Head of Training/Department
- Planning Committee reviews the programs and performance of the project
- TAFE NSW conducts professional development and quality assurance review of the programs

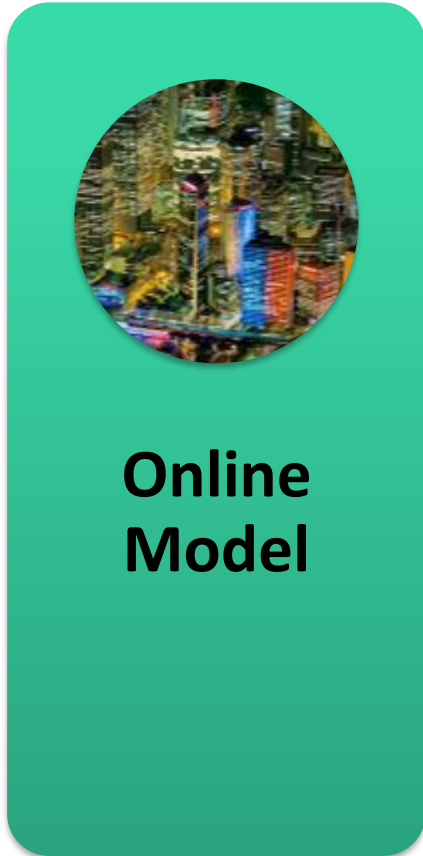


# FIJI

TAFE NSW programs are spread across six campuses delivering:

- Accounting
- Hospitality
- Information Technology
- Management
- Tourism





- TAFE NSW teacher provides online delivery
- Online academic support to offshore partner and academics
- Supported by Skype sessions, phone calls, emails
- Quality assurance system
- Information sharing and professional development for teaching staff



# BEST PRACTICE CASE STUDY- ONLINE

## BAHRAIN

- Certificate III Dental Assisting
- Providing online teaching and assessment tools to client in Bahrain
- Given the specific nature of the course and DFAT travel advisory a local partner is used to offer on ground support
- Practical component is delivered through the American Hospital in Bahrain – with the assessment video taped and assessed in Australia at OTEN headquarters
- Other theory based assessments are conducted online
- Academic Support and ePD is offered remotely from Australia to Bahrain







# THANK YOU

