

## Frome Road Mammography Training Centre



- The Frome Road Mammography Training Centre is located within the grounds of the University of South Australia (UniSA), and is only a short walk to the City Centre, with easy access to public transport, shopping, dining and entertainment venues.
- As a dedicated mammography training centre, it provides a non-threatening environment, where training may be tailored to suit the needs of the radiographer.
- Many educational resources are available to enhance the training experience, including workshop activities, videos and CD-ROMs

## Program Structure

The Mammography Training Program is conducted by BreastScreen SA in conjunction with the School of Medical Radiation, UniSA. It includes two modules:

### *Academic Module*

- Thirty five hours of theory, encompassing lectures and workshops on a range of topics related to mammography.
- Conducted in a one-week format.
- Assessment involves one case study and one assignment.



### *Clinical Module*

- Thirty five hours of individual instruction and practical demonstration including the supervised performance of fifty mammograms.
- Training conducted on a one-to-one basis with an experienced and qualified mammography trainer.
- Assessment involves an assignment and the random assessment of a further two hundred mammograms undertaken in the radiographer's workplace.
- Clinical modules are conducted throughout the year.

## Certificate of Clinical Proficiency in Mammography

The Mammography Training Program is accredited by the Australian Institute of Radiography (AIR). On successful completion of both modules, radiographers who hold an AIR Statement of Accreditation will be eligible to apply to the AIR for a Certificate of Clinical Proficiency in Mammography (CCPM).

### **AIR Approved CPD Activity**

Radiographers enrolled in the AIR Continuing Professional Development (CPD) Program can claim category A credit points for undertaking the Mammography Training Program.

### **Postgraduate Studies at UniSA**

On completion, participants will also be eligible for 4.5 units per module towards a Graduate Certificate, Graduate Diploma or Master of Medical Radiation at UniSA.



## Enrolment

To apply for admission into postgraduate study at UniSA, contact the Postgraduate Program Director (Medical Radiation), School of Health Sciences, on (08) 8302 2609, or access the School's postgraduate web-site at:

<http://www.unisa.edu.au/medrad>

To enrol in the Mammography Training Program via BreastScreen SA complete the registration form following, and forward to the address below.

Please note: Clinical module dates should be negotiated with BreastScreen SA prior to enrolment.

## Further Information

An information package including prices is available from:

Ms Georgina Upton  
BreastScreen SA  
1 Goodwood Road  
Wayville SA 5034

Telephone: (08) 8274 7153  
Fax: (08) 8357 8147  
E-mail: [georgina.upton@dhs.sa.gov.au](mailto:georgina.upton@dhs.sa.gov.au)

## REGISTRATION FORM

**Mammography is...**  
**A training program for radiographers**

**Please indicate your training requirements:**

- I would like to attend the Academic Module on.....(dates)
- I would like to attend the Clinical Module on.....(dates)

Name:.....

Address: .....

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Work/Mobile telephone:.....

Home telephone:.....

Fax: .....

E-mail:.....

**Please indicate your mammography experience:**

- Screening
- Diagnostic
- Less than one year
- More than one year

Employer name:.....

Employer address: .....

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**Please forward registration form to:**

Georgina Upton  
BreastScreen SA  
1 Goodwood Road  
WAYVILLE SA 5034  
or fax: (08) 8373 4395

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