

## Fields Arts and Crafts, and Computing and Information Technology

### Registration of *Content Creation* and *Generic Computing* skill standards, and review of *Radio* and *Preliminary Journalism Skills* unit standards

Subfield	Domain	ID
Electronic Media	Radio	10183, 10231, 10234, 10235, 10308, 10309, 10313, 10319, 10320, 26553, 26554
Journalism	Preliminary Journalism Skills	27610-27617

Electrotechnology and Information Technology Industry Skills Board has completed the review of the unit standards and developed four new skill standards in the *Content Creation* domain and two skill standards in the *Generic Computing* domain.

**Date new versions published**

**April 2026**

**Planned review date**

**December 2030**

#### Summary

Unit standards in *Preliminary Journalism Skills* and *Radio* domains were reviewed alongside a broader development of skill standards in *Content Creation*. This development focused on creative technologies and multimedia competencies that support both technical skills and creative expression across a range of personal and professional contexts, including contemporary and emerging media environments.

The development and review process was led by Toi Mai Workforce Development Council and involved tertiary providers, schools, industry professionals, and contributors from informal training settings. The project was delivered in two phases, beginning in March–April 2025. The first phase resulted in the registration of Level 2 skill standards in July 2025, centred on foundational use of creative technologies. The second phase focused more on media competencies, primarily at Level 3, and therefore was able to incorporate the existing Journalism and Radio unit standards.

Consultation with key stakeholders – including current users of the unit standards – was conducted in August and September 2025, followed by a public consultation via the Toi Mai website. Feedback was reviewed and integrated where appropriate.

Two of the new standards have been developed to be registered in the Generic Computing domain, reflecting the broader applicability of the competencies beyond creative and media contexts.

The responsibility for these standards has been transferred from Toi Mai Workforce Development Council to Electrotechnology and Information Technology Industry Skills Board to reflect the VET reforms.

#### Main Changes

- The standard setting body details were updated to Electrotechnology and Information Technology Industry Skills Board.
- Two new skill standards in the *Generic Computing* domain were developed to address competencies in emerging technologies applicable across a range of contexts.
- Five unit standards were designated expiring and replaced by four new skill standards in *Content Creation* to better reflect current industry practice and support flexible application across creative and professional settings.
- All new skill standards are listed in the *Content Creation* domain that was recently moved from subfield *Electronic Media* to the new *Creative Media* subfield.

- 14 unit standards were designated expiring without replacement (Category D), as they are no longer considered relevant or fit for purpose.

### Category C and D standards will expire at the end of December 2027

#### Consent to Assess impact table

Current consent for			Consent extended to		
Nature of consent	Classification or ID	Level	Nature of consent	Classification or ID	Level
Field	Community and Social Services	2	Standard	41164	3
Subfield	Journalism	2-5,7	Standard	41164	3
Subfield	Electronic Media	4-6	Subfield	Creative Media	4-6
Subfield	Electronic Media	4-6	Standards	41163, 41165, 41166	3
Domain	Radio	3-5	Domain	Content Creation	3-5
Domain	Preliminary Journalism Skills	3	Domain	Content Creation	3
Standard	10235	3	Standard	41165	3
Standard	10308	3	Standard	41166	3
Standard	10319	3	Standard	41165	3
Standard	10320	3	Standard	41163	3
Standard	27612	2	Standard	41164	3

#### Detailed list of standards – classification, title, level, and credits

All changes are in **bold**.

Key to review category	
<b>A</b>	Dates changed, but no other changes are made - the new version of the standard carries the same ID and a new version number
<b>B</b>	Changes made, but the overall outcome remains the same - the new version of the standard carries the same ID and a new version number
<b>C</b>	Major changes that necessitate the registration of a replacement standard with a new ID
<b>D</b>	Standard will expire and not be replaced

Arts and Crafts > Electronic Media

#### Arts and Crafts > Creative Media

ID	Domain	Title	Level	Credit	Review Category
10183	Radio	Present on-air for radio	3	6	D
10231	Radio	Sell radio advertising	3	10	D
10234	Radio	Design and manage radio promotions	4	15	D
10235	Radio	Write a basic radio commercial	3	5	C
10319	Radio	Write a voice report for radio	2	5	C
<b>41165</b>	<b>Content Creation</b>	<b>Write content for a defined media type and audience</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	
10308	Radio	Record and edit for radio broadcast	3	10	C
<b>41166</b>	<b>Content Creation</b>	<b>Produce and deliver audio or video content from a script or brief</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>5</b>	
10309	Radio	Operate a studio during a live radio broadcast	4	15	D
10313	Radio	Plan and broadcast a radio programme using an automated system	2	5	D

ID	Domain	Title	Level	Credit	Review Category
10320 <b>41163</b>	Radio <b>Content Creation</b>	Present a live-voice report on radio <b>Use technology to distribute media content to an intended audience</b>	3 <b>3</b>	5 <b>3</b>	C
26553	Radio	Demonstrate knowledge of radio broadcasting	2	3	D
26554	Radio	Demonstrate knowledge of radio broadcasting law	2	5	D

Community and Social Services > Journalism

**Arts and Crafts > Creative Media**

ID	Domain	Title	Level	Credit	Review Category
27610	Preliminary Journalism Skills	Demonstrate basic understanding of news stories and the role of journalists	2	4	D
27611	Preliminary Journalism Skills	Demonstrate understanding of current events for journalism	2	4	D
27612 <b>41164</b>	Preliminary Journalism Skills <b>Content Creation</b>	Plan and conduct interviews for a news story or a feature for publication or broadcast <b>Conduct and record an interview for publication in a media product</b>	2 <b>3</b>	4 <b>4</b>	C
27613	Preliminary Journalism Skills	Write and present news stories intended for publication	2	4	D
27614	Preliminary Journalism Skills	Sub-edit news stories and a feature intended for publication	3	3	D
27615	Preliminary Journalism Skills	Take and select photographs for a news story and a feature	2	3	D
27616	Preliminary Journalism Skills	Identify and research potential news stories or news features for broadcast on radio	3	3	D
27617	Preliminary Journalism Skills	Lay out pages intended for publication	3	3	D

Computing and Information Technology > Computing > Generic Computing

ID	Title	Level	Credit	Review Category
<b>41167</b>	<b>Explore an emerging or unfamiliar technology</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>NEW</b>
<b>41168</b>	<b>Apply an emerging or unfamiliar technology to a task or workflow</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>NEW</b>