



**THE QUEENSLAND
INSTITUTE**

EMPOWERING GLOBAL EDUCATORS

**Professional development for
language teaching and learning**

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Fast facts

75+

Years of combined experience in education and teacher training, working across the Primary, Secondary and Tertiary Sectors of Education, in Australia and abroad.

14

Nations have worked with us from the Asia-Pacific, Latin America and the UAE, in partnership with universities, often with support from local Ministries of Education or the Australian Government.

2430+

Participants have completed teacher development short courses, workshops and webinars with The Queensland Institute since our inception in December 2020.

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Flexible training options to choose from that support teachers and lecturers working in language learning and teaching contexts, in the virtual or physical classroom. Work with us to customise your training program.

Where We Work



Immersive, interactive, innovative learning experiences.

Acknowledgement of Country

The Queensland Institute Pty Ltd acknowledges the Traditional Custodians of country throughout Australia and their connections to land, sea and community.

We pay our respect to their elders past and present and extend that respect to all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples today.

We recognise the importance of indigenous nations everywhere and are committed to developing mutual understanding and respect for all cultural traditions and linguistic diversity.

We look forward to learning about the culture and languages used in your learning and teaching context.

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Welcome from the QI Directors

Dear colleagues,

We are delighted to welcome you to The Queensland Institute (QI), a private education and training provider based in beautiful Brisbane, Australia.

Specialising in teacher development, we support international education strategies and language education goals for schools and universities in Australia and around the globe.

At QI, we value your institution's development goals as if they are our own. We work with you to plan and deliver customised professional development experiences that advance language teaching and learning, in alignment with your staff and student learning outcomes.

Our programs are proven, impactful and efficient in helping global educators teach with confidence and creativity.

Our expert team of trainers and consultants share a vision for immersive, interactive and innovative professional learning experiences. Since our inception in December 2020, we have partnered with schools, universities, Ministries of Education, and international development agencies, to deliver teacher training to more than 2430+ educators, in 14 countries, mostly fully online. This success is evidenced by our participant satisfaction rating of 98.7% and repeat business from our quality education partners.

We invite you to review our prospectus and contact us by email to arrange a free consultation.

We're on a mission to empower global educators, we hope you'll join us!

Philippa Coleman and Fiona Wiebusch

CO-FOUNDERS | DIRECTORS TEACHER DEVELOPMENT

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We're on a mission to empower global educators.

We provide practical professional development that connects language to learning, inspires innovation in teaching and promotes participant engagement with local classroom contexts, Australia and life-long learning.

Why QI?

Hear what our participants have to say

Highly practical training



It's an eye-opening experience to learn so many useful techniques that can be used in my own classes. I never knew that we can make our lessons so interactive and interesting.

Excellent, supportive trainers



The trainers are my role models of teaching. I really learned how to teach from experiencing how they teach every, single day.

Connect with global educators



I loved the 'Connect with Australia' part, with virtual tours and guest speakers because they satisfied my curiosity about Australian education really well.

Learn by doing



Peer teaching was the most useful aspect of the program because it allowed us to experiment with all the tools and apply what we had learned each week.

Immersive language experiences



Students need our language support in every subject. Even though I'm not really good in English myself, I still learned so much in this course. It gave us lots of chances to practise English.



I learned a lot about digital tools. Not only did we, the attendees, learn about various digital strategies and activities, but we also experienced firsthand the application of those.



The trainers were so experienced and supportive that it felt okay to slip and fail sometimes.



Meeting other lecturers from different schools and disciplines taught me more about teaching that just my subject. It was inspiring! Now we can keep sharing about CLIL all together.



The feedback from my peers and trainer really gave me the confidence to try [new things] in my classroom.



It's the first time that I used all English to teach. My English listening and speaking ability improved and it definitely provided me skills I was looking for to add to my bilingual class.

Consultancy

A small team with big expertise

We know that designing training solutions to suit the needs and aspirations of your institution means really listening, researching, and respecting your development outcomes.

We're with you every step of the way, from initial consultation through to program design, delivery and evaluation. We will always respond to your needs with empathy, innovation and flexibility in mind.

Key areas of expertise

- Professional development design, delivery and evaluation
- Content and Language Integrated Learning (CLIL)
- English as a Medium of Instruction (EMI) and bilingual education
- Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL)
- Curriculum design to meet international strategies and language goals
- Teaching in the physical and/or virtual classroom (online)
- Digital transformation and education technology
- Teacher training, development and feedback

Immersive, interactive, innovative learning experiences.



Our team have trained educators from:

- Australia
- Brazil
- Cambodia
- Chile
- China
- Colombia
- Hong Kong
- Japan
- Kiribati
- Indonesia
- South Korea
- Macau
- Malaysia
- Myanmar
- New Zealand
- Saudi Arabia
- Taiwan
- Thailand
- The United Arab Emirates
- Vietnam

Courses

Advancing language learning and teaching globally

We take a practical approach to professional learning design and encourage learning by doing. Our interactive short courses are designed for flexibility and accessibility. All courses combine face-to-face and self-paced learning activities, delivered online using Zoom or Google Meet or in-person. Talk to us about your institution's specific learning goals so that we can customise schedules and timetables to suit your needs.

LECTURE READY PROGRAM

Course code: CPD1

Duration: 2 days-3 weeks (10-60 hours)

Education sector: University

Mode: Online or In-person

Keywords: CLIL, EMI, active learning

Highly practical training combining Content and Language Integrated Learning (CLIL) theory and practice. This course helps international university lecturers to teach academic subjects with confidence and creativity when using English as the Medium of Instruction (EMI). Trainers demonstrate active learning strategies and participants apply their learning through practical projects and/or peer teaching.

SCHOOL SUCCESS PROGRAM

Course code: CPD2

Duration: 1-6 weeks (16-120 hours)

Education sector: Primary and Secondary

Mode: Online or In-person

Keywords: CLIL, TESOL, Bilingual education

Fully immersive training to support pre-service or in-service teachers to develop their English language skills and teaching methodology for their subject area, using active learning. Trainers demonstrate contemporary approaches to CLIL, EMI, Teaching English to Speakers of other Languages (TESOL) or bilingual education. Participants apply their learning through projects and/or peer teaching.

WORKSHOPS AND WEBINARS

Course code: CPD3

Duration: Hourly or daily options

Education sector: All sectors

Mode: Online or in-person

Keywords: Ed Tech, Train the Trainer, etc.

Customised workshops, webinars or keynote presentations for institutions wanting to develop capacity within their own staff on a particular area of focus relevant to language education or international education. Our highly-expert training team encourage participants to engage actively in sessions via digital response tools, LIVE discussion and interaction opportunities.

Connect

QI connects a global community of educators



At QI, we take professional learning beyond the classroom.

We create meaningful opportunities for participants to meet Queensland students, university lecturers, cultural and industry leaders. We carefully select and showcase Australian language, culture and connections in our professional learning experiences for teachers. We help to facilitate school visits and events for our international teaching colleagues to connect with Australia.

Our partners and participants join our QI Global Educator Network - a community of practice that promotes conversations and connections beyond our courses. Our GenQI events, blogs, and social media support our mission to promote life-long learning.

Hear stories from our QI Global Educator Network and follow us at:
[@thequeenslandinstitute](https://www.instagram.com/thequeenslandinstitute)



Accessibility, sustainability, flexibility

Committed to innovative and inclusive course design

Our team of Australian and international consultants work together to design course materials that promote diversity and inclusion.

The Queensland Institute promotes a multicultural Australia to our global community. Each course commences with an Acknowledgement of Country and promotes cultural and linguistic diversity. We make explicit links to inclusive education in the Queensland school curriculum.

Each QI course participant walks away with teaching resources they can use immediately in their classrooms.

To promote accessibility and sustainability in teaching, we provide digital course booklets and use a suite of freely available digital apps that can be used in any location. Some digital tools we use include Google Meet, Zoom, Padlet and Flip. Online delivery provides flexibility for our partners.



Immersive, interactive, innovative learning experiences.

FAQs

How can I meet with the QI team?

Please email us a brief summary of your inquiry. We'll review your request and arrange a video call to discuss your needs. Please direct emails to Directors, Philippa and Fiona.

When do QI courses run?

We typically deliver training programs from February through to November each year. The peak training period is from June to September. We work with you to agree on dates that suit your institution.

Can individuals enrol in QI courses?

No, we work with groups within organisations. You can organise a small group of colleagues and enrol in a program together, with up to 20 participants per class.

Are QI courses offered online?

Yes, we deliver many of our courses as LIVE and interactive, online training via Zoom or Google Meet. Our modules are designed for flexibility and combine face-to-face and self-paced learning activities.

Does QI offer training courses in Brisbane?

Yes, we have some capacity to support group professional training in Brisbane, in collaboration with our local school and university partners.

How much does a QI training program cost?

To maintain best practice, our training programs are costed on a per class basis with a maximum of up to 20 participants in one class. Talk to us about our fees and pricing structure.

How can I be sure the QI training will serve our teachers' needs?

For us, collaboration is key. We meet with you to understand your institution's needs, goals, and desired outcomes from a professional development program. We then tailor a program to achieve desired outcomes. We ensure quality outcomes by seeking feedback at different stages of program design and delivery.

Follow our socials and read participant reviews:



Meet the QI Team



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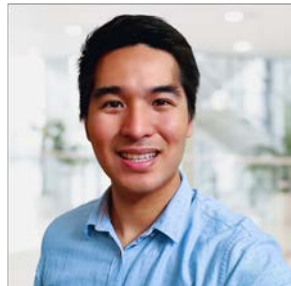
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