

- An ability to teach and assess management subjects to Diploma level - probably based on a broad background in commerce or government
- Proven success in teaching adults
- A high level of emotional intelligence

This position could be part-time or full-time and may well suit someone holding a training position in a government department and looking for a new challenge.

If you think you might be interested please send a letter of application and CV to Karina at Karina@nda.com.au before Friday 25 Feb.

MONA

The NDA boys and girls have been visiting Hobart's newest attraction - the Museum of Old and New Art (MONA) at Moorilla, funded by professional gambler and local boy made good David Walsh.

In our opinion the building, the Moorilla location and the art are all right up there with the New York's Guggenheim and other galleries of a similar standard. The building itself is a stunner, although the word "building" doesn't do it justice as the museum has the feel of being suspended deep underground in an enormous cavern.

You enter David Walsh's realm at ground level and descend into the museum via a spiral staircase or glass lift. Once entombed you are exposed to what has been described as a subversive and unsettling adult Disneyland. The raw sandstone vaults and massive iron stairs that march between galleries match the equally raw art. The well publicised focus on death and sex are there in spades, often cut through with a slash of violence.

There are many exhibits, though, that can easily be appreciated - the pinched car in the car park, the water words, rotating lights and a bloated 911. You had better see these soon as DW has promised to replace exhibits that become too popular. There are other exhibits that many will find difficult to engage with and that may be around for a lot longer.

When I left the gallery and returned to ground level: a) I could not face eating at MONA's excellent cafe as the food was too reminiscent of some of the exhibits, and; b) in the cafe lavatory it was hard to resist inspecting the toilet bowl for a hidden camera, unsure as to where the art stopped and Hobart started again. David would probably be pleased.

Hobart now has the largest private art museum in the southern hemisphere, and we express our appreciation to the donor, DW, and to his de facto partners the gambling industry, habitual punters and the Commonwealth social security system.

Recommended and admission free, but leave the children at home. You can view some of the exhibits here:

<http://www.abc.net.au/local/photos/2011/01/21/3118505.htm>

Productivity Places Program 2011 - Partners Wanted

Skills Tasmania has announced that the 2011 implementation of Productivity Places will open on Saturday 19 March. In general terms this program offers 90% funding for qualifications to individuals and 70% - 90% funding for employers.

We seek expressions of interest from individuals and organisations to partner with NDA in tendering to the program. In 2010 NDA was successful with all tenders submitted on behalf of individuals and with four out of five tenders in partnership with organisations.

We offer the following Diploma and Certificate IV qualifications through this program:

- Information Technology
- Project Management
- Business Administration
- Business
- Human Resources
- Management
- Training and Assessment (TAE)

Please get in touch as an individual or organisation if you would like us to tender to the 2011 program on your behalf.

Extreme Commuting Sans Bike

No bike? Try à pied commuting French style with Parkour. Parkour / free running is a non-competitive physical discipline where participants move through the urban landscape as quickly and as efficiently as possible.

Parkour first became established in the public consciousness with the release of the film [Jump London](#) in 2003.

Here is a more recent video where the focus is on [acrobatics and stunts](#).



Office 2007/2010 Conversion

Office 2007 and the ribbon marked a complete departure from previous versions of Office, causing skilled users to look like novices as they scrambled to find familiar commands in the new interface.

If you are moving from an earlier version of



Office to either Office 2007 or Office 2010 you will want to get your head around the new interface and the ribbon as quickly as possible. NDA offers a half-day [Office 2007/ 2010 Conversion](#) course that may be just what you need. The course can be attended as a hands-on public course or presented as a show-and-tell seminar at your premises. **Call 1300 765 736 for details.**

Forthcoming Training Courses

The following courses will shortly be presented by NDA, some at significant discounts on standard rates (**to obtain the discount, please phone Jodie on 1300 765 736** and mention this email when making bookings):

Hobart – IT Courses

- [Crystal Reports Intro](#) 7/8 Mar - \$570
- [Excel Advanced](#) 8/9 Mar - \$480 **two for the price of one**
- [PowerPoint](#) 18 Mar - \$240
- [MYOB Setup and Operation](#) 21/22 Mar - \$570
- [Office 2007 Conversion](#) 31 Mar am - \$195

Hobart – Business Skills Courses

- [Effective Supervision Skills](#) 15 Mar - \$285
- [Assessment](#) 17/18 Mar - \$570
- [Time Management](#) 31 Mar - \$285

Launceston – IT Courses

- [Excel Introductory](#) 2/4 Mar - \$480
- [Excel Intermediate](#) 4/8 Mar - \$480
- [Excel Advanced](#) 8/10 Mar - \$480
- [Word Introductory](#) 11/15 Mar - \$480
- [Word Intermediate](#) 15/16 Mar - \$480
- [Word Advanced](#) 16/18 Mar - \$480
- [MYOB Advanced](#) 21 Mar - \$285
- [MYOB Payroll](#) 24 Mar - \$285

Launceston – Business Skills Courses

- [Training Delivery](#) 28 Feb/1 Mar - \$570
- [Effective Supervision Skills](#) 15 Mar - \$285
- [Managing Successful Projects](#) 23/24 Mar - \$570
- [Time Management](#) 31 Mar - \$285 **two for the price of one**

Devonport – IT Courses

- [Publisher](#) 1 Mar - \$240
- [Excel Introductory](#) 2/3 Mar - \$480
- [Microsoft Project](#) 8/9 Mar - \$480
- [Access Advanced](#) 22 Mar - \$240
- [MYOB Advanced](#) 28 Mar - \$285
- [Outlook](#) 29 Mar - \$240 **two for the price of one**

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