

## Good practice training and learning strategies to support Student Success in Hospitality at the Bay of **Plenty Polytechnic**

This video outlines a number of strategies which marry high quality teaching delivery with real-world learning experiences in Hospitality programmes.

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## About the publication



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Tutor Lee Pearce has been teaching on the Bay of Plenty Polytechnic's (BoPP) suite of Hospitality programmes for 16 years with the single-minded purpose of getting all his senior students through. Outcomes have always been high, but in 2013, for the first time, the Level 4 qualification achieved 100% success and completion. While 2014 results weren't quite as good, the overall trend for student outcomes over the

past five years shows a steady improvement.

This video publication introduces five core strategies which contribute to the practical and hands-on ethos Lee and his team have created in our programme delivery:

- A focus on employability
- The Cheers homeroom •
- **Teaching rotations** •
- Industry exposure (work experience and competition work)
- Professional development



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This video describes how building relationships with students, and flexibility within the programme keeps learners engaged, challenged and motivated through a number of external production opportunities in retail, catering and competition work above and beyond core curriculum content, and classroom and kitchen learning.



Tutors in this team are passionate about their field, and inspire students with stories and learning that

they bring back from their own, regular industry engagement and professional development.

Watch the video publication (10:47): https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=429OjryDm6Q



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