NATIONAL CERTIFICATE

Business Analysis

SAQA ID	NQF LEVEL	CREDITS	DURATION	QUALITY PARTNER
63909	6	149	12 Months	MICT SETA

OVERVIEW

Business analysis is a vital instrument within the business environment to ensure that information technology is able to provide effective solutions for business enterprises. The development of business analysts through a suite of qualifications will have a positive impact on the broader economy of South Africa. It will also assist with bringing South Africa inline with international trends and satisfy industry requirements.

WHAT YOU WILL BE ABLE TO DO

- Analyse a business scenario.
- Develop a business case.
- Compile user requirement specifications.
- Develop functional specifications.
- Monitor quality assurance activities throughout the life cycle of the project.

MODULES

- Conduct solution assessment and validation
- Manage and communicate requirements
- Perform Enterprise Analysis
- Perform requirements analysis
- Perform requirements elicitation
- Plan and monitor the business analysis process
- Conduct communication within a business environment
- Demonstrate logical problem solving and error detection techniques
- Investigate implementation options for Information Technology (IT) solutions
- Analyse and participate in the design of Information Systems
- Apply concepts and principles of business ethics in the professional environment
- Conduct an organisational needs analysis

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- Apply the principles of designing computer system inputs and outputs
- Contribute to the implementation, post-implementation review and maintenance of information systems
- Demonstrate an understanding of change management for computer systems
- Demonstrate insight into current global events and their potential impact on a business sector in South Africa
- Design an organisational structure which supports the achievement of the organisational mandate
- Develop understanding within an organisation about the risks associated with its functioning and contexts
- Manage information technology resources in a municipal finance environment
- Promote and uphold strategic leadership in line with Public Sector vision, values, objectives and priorities

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

This qualification provides opportunities for people to engage in further learning towards a specialisation in business analysis or achieve competencies that are portable to other specialisations such as systems development or systems support. This will therefore enable business analysis competencies to be strengthened, and enable individuals who are currently working in a business systems environment, to better contribute to the implementation of solutions that support the business requirements. The competencies of business analysis have been identified as a target development area for the ICT sector and the South African government. The demand for this qualification is evidenced by these National initiatives as well as international demands and trends. It is intended to empower learners to acquire knowledge, skills, attitudes and values required to operate confidently as individuals in the South African community and to respond to the challenges of the economic environment and changing world of work. Ultimately, this qualification is aimed at improving the productivity and efficiency of business analysts within all sectors in South Africa.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

- Communication at NQF Level 5.
- Computer Literacy at NQF Level 5.
- Knowledge of Business analysis.

ASSESSMENT

Formative assessments conducted during the learning process will consist of written assessments, simulation in a practical environment and a number of self-assessments.

Summative assessment consists of written assessments, assignments and simulation in a practical environment, integrating the assessment of all unit standards and embedded knowledge. Summative assessments is only conducted once the learner has demonstrated proficiency during formative assessment.

LEGACY QUALIFICATION

This SETA-registered qualification is being phased out. Last date for new enrolments: 01 December 2026. Ask us about the QCTO occupational replacement.

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