

# A Career in Beauty

The world of beauty therapy offers an endless number of exciting opportunities. In New Zealand, the beauty industry continues to expand and grow as we become more aware of the link between looking good and feeling good.

The College continues to lead the way in beauty therapy training and tutors pride themselves on their ability to provide exceptional outcomes for their students. Many students have gone on to run their own successful businesses, gain international employment and enjoy rewarding and exciting careers within the beauty industry.

2007 has been an exciting year for the College, having just opened a second campus in William Pickering Drive, Albany. The College's large Newmarket campus is conveniently located in Khyber Pass and both locations offer a variety of course lengths and intensities for those seeking to start or advance within the industry.

The professional and highly sought after international qualifications available through the College include CIDESCO and ITEC. NZQA national qualifications are also offered to level 5. The college is currently the only one within New Zealand to offer ITEC IPL training as part of its comprehensive new post graduate training programme.

## BEAUTY SPECIALIST CERTIFICATE

Part Time (46 Weeks)

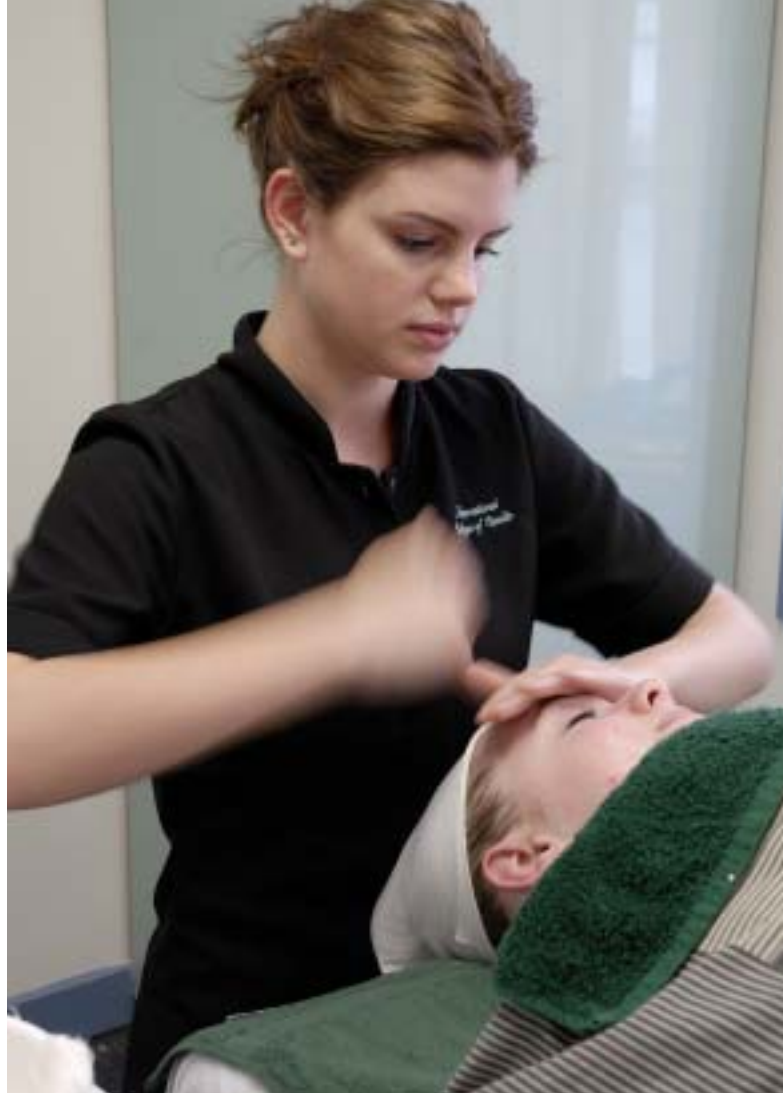
This part-time course is designed for those wanting to enter the beauty industry but cannot partake in full time training. Ideal for those wishing to continue with a present career, the course focuses on all aspects of beauty therapy. Course content includes:

- Facial Therapy
- Waxing
- Manicure & Pedicure
- Anatomy & Physiology
- Dermatology
- Facial Electrical Treatments
- Tinting
- Waxing

## BEAUTY THERAPIST DIPLOMA

Full Time, 1 year

This is a comprehensive course and is recommended for



those who wish to achieve the highest recognition in the industry. The course covers the following:

- Facial Therapy
- Anatomy & Physiology (Advanced)
- Waxing
- Epilation
- Manicure and Pedicure (Advanced)
- Business Management (Advanced)
- Dermatology
- Figure & Posture Analysis
- Body Massage
- Facial & Body Electrical Treatments
- Exercise & Nutrition
- Advanced Studies
- Heat & Hydro Therapy i.e. Sauna, Steam room
- Communication & Interpersonal Skills

## BEAUTY THERAPIST DIPLOMA

Full Time, 18 months

This course is the most comprehensive course the college offers. It enables the students to enter into the workforce with additional skills that many others do not possess. It has been designed to allow students to become fully qualified therapists, plus become skilled in basic IPL, Microdermabrasion, nail augmentation, hair-ups/styling, make up artistry, hot stone massage, Brazilian waxing along with many other opportunities to graduate head and shoulders above other candidates.

- Entry is open to beginners over the age of 16 years. A minimum standard of English is needed and a strong commitment to become one of ICC's success stories.



- Students achieve a Diploma in Beauty Therapy (level 5)
- All unit standards achieved can be credited towards a future programme of study.
- Graduates will have knowledge in the following fields: Beautician, Facial Therapy, Body Therapy, Make-up, Basic hair styling, IPL, Microdermabrasion, Threading, Eye-lash perming, Brazilian waxing and Electrology.

## POST GRADUATE COURSES

The International College of Camille is New Zealand's leading post graduate centre for advanced beauty therapy courses. The College prides itself on remaining at the forefront of the very latest technology available in IPL, LED and Luminology. Block courses offered at the College include Reflexology, Aromatherapy, Diet and Nutrition, Stone Therapy, Indian Head Massage, Micro Dermabrasion, brazilian waxing make up artistry and Advanced Electrolysis Red Vein.

## CAREER PROSPECTS IN BEAUTY THERAPY

This rapidly expanding market offers a wide base of areas that graduates may choose to work in. The College also runs a Job Opportunity Board where all available positions are posted.

### **The Beauty Clinic**

Upon successful graduation, you will be qualified to either attain a position in a beauty therapy clinic or become self-employed. The College has a network of career placements for students in New Zealand and around the world.

### **Cosmetic Houses**

Many of the leading cosmetic houses require qualified beauty therapists to represent their brands either as travelling consultants or working instore at cosmetic counters in department stores.

### **Cruise Liners**

Steiner Leisure has chosen The International College of Camille as the preferred Beauty Therapy Training College to hold their interviews for students/beauty therapists who wish to travel the world and work on the Steiner cruise liners.

Steiner employ over one thousand beauty therapists per year giving the adventurous at heart the ability to see places that most people only dream about

### **Air Liners**

Virgin Airlines, based in the U.K. are now employing beauty therapists to work on their transatlantic flights performing relaxing treatments such as facials and massage.

### **Pharmacies**

Pharmacies are always in need of beauty practitioners who can either rent space or gain employment at their counters.

### **Destination and Resort Spas**

Opportunities for employment in European and Australian health farms and spas are high for those with a Beauty Therapist qualification from Camille. Advice and contacts can be supplied for this challenging work.


### **Gymnasiums**

As a Health and Beauty Therapist you may be seeking employment in a health club/gymnasium working in a variety of roles.

### **Slimming Salons & Health Clubs**

More of these salons and clubs are opening each year to provide an answer for people who find they cannot slim without guidance.

### **Appearance Medicine Clinics**

A great number of positions are available for beauty therapists to work alongside skin specialists, dermatologists, plastic surgeons and nurses, providing treatments using microdermabrasion, skin peels and other advanced skin treatments for pre & post surgery. 

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# Q&A with Belinda Dolan-Roberts

Interested in working within the beauty industry? We put some of your questions about this fascinating and rewarding career to the International College of Camille's director, Belinda Dolan-Roberts.

## HOW HAS THE BEAUTY INDUSTRY CHANGED OVER THE PAST 25 YEARS?

It has emerged as a credible field and growth in the area is happening at an alarming rate. The opportunities for learners to qualify, find a suitable post and upskill in further post graduate specialisms is a huge development for the industry.

## DO YOU THINK THOSE IN THE BEAUTY INDUSTRY RECEIVE MORE RECOGNITION/ RESPECT NOW THAN EARLIER GENERATIONS DID?

Most certainly, gone are the days when beauty therapists were thought of as just painting nails, today's therapists are highly trained experts in their field. The training is very intensive and the level of knowledge they graduate with is first year degree level. Plastic surgeons are now employing therapists for pre and post operative care. Many therapists are also working on advanced skin rejuvenation treatments and with the latest technology being used, now is a great time to launch into this exciting career.

## ARE YOU SEEING A CHANGE IN TREND RELATING TO THE AGE OF STUDENTS?

Generally we see a superb mixture of the young and the not so young. Women's role have changed dramatically in society and with more women in business and high powered roles than ever before that is being reflected in our student body.

## WHAT PROCEDURES AND TREATMENTS ARE CURRENTLY PROVING MOST POPULAR?

The industry is definitely leaning towards the appearance medicine and medi spa treatments i.e. anti aging. As women, we want to look the best we can and with the amazing advances in technology we now have the opportunity to delay the signs of aging.

## TELL US ABOUT THE JOB PROSPECTS FOR YOUR GRADUATES

The list is endless, the prospects for our learners here at the college are immense. We have a professional development and work experience programme built into



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their training which prepares them for whatever role they set their mind to achieving. We have had 5 students alone this week who have been offered roles on a cruise ship, appearance medicine clinic, beauty clinic and two at day spas. Considering they only completed their course 2 weeks ago, that is an indication of the demand for our graduates. We also have a number of graduates who have successfully set up their own companies around New Zealand the feedback we receive is very positive with many returning to the college for additional courses such as IPL and Microdermabrasion.

## WHAT IS THE BEST OPTION FOR THOSE WHO ARE NOT SURE IF BEAUTY THERAPY IS RIGHT FOR THEM?

They need to come along to one of our open days that are happening on; 14<sup>th</sup> November in Newmarket 10-6 pm, 21<sup>st</sup> November in Albany on the 10-6 pm or 24<sup>th</sup> November in Albany between 10-1 pm. Here they will have a tour of the college, chance to see classes in action experience a complementary treatment. It is a great opportunity to chat to staff and look at the many options of evening and daytime classes. Alternatively pick up the phone to one of our team who will be more than happy to assist. ☎

**Contact the International College of Camille today on (09) 520 4615.**