

Specification of Competency Standards
for the Fashion
Unit of Competency.

Functional Area - Design

Title	Evaluating fashion industry innovations and practices
Code	111611L4
Range	This applies to individuals who are required to view the global fashion industry development and evaluate the trends that will have an impact on the current practices of a fashion business.
Level	4
Credit	2 (<i>For Reference Only</i>)
Competency	Performance Requirements 1. Knowledge in the subject area Be able to: • understand the design and production technologies adopted in the fashion industry • understand the major development directions and trends of the fashion industry and market (e.g., sustainability, circular supply chain) • understand the key sources of industry and technology trends information to analyse the development trends of the fashion industry 2. Application and process Be able to • analyse the key industry organisations and information sources in the fashion industry, and decide their relevance and reliability in industry development trends • analyse global industry trends related to production, workflows and supply in the fashion industry and evaluate their impact on industrial operational practice • analyse key components of the supply chain relating to fashion sourcing, production and distribution and evaluate their efficiency and potential directions for optimisation • evaluate digital processes and industry software solutions for fashion projects related to fashion design, production, supply, and distribution • analyse major driving factors influencing the development of the fashion industry (e.g. sustainability requirements) and evaluate their impact on industrial operations • analyse emerging trends of industry innovation and practice (e.g. robotics applications, circular economy) and evaluate their impact on design and business processes 3. Exhibit professionalism Be able to • keep collect and update the latest developments in the global fashion industry, and apply relevant information to the work
Assessment Criteria	The integrated outcome requirements of this UoC are the abilities to accomplish: • Analyse the industry trends, developments, operational innovations, and new practice of the fashion industry, evaluate their impact on design and business operations, and make reasonable judgments.
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