

## PORTABILITY

### Reciprocity for Portability

- (1) Reciprocity between each “College” in Australia and New Zealand which is accredited to award a Bachelor of Theology degree is a basic principle of all Portability Arrangements. Currently this relationship exists among the Sydney College of Divinity and the
- Adelaide College of Divinity
  - Australian College of Theology
  - Melbourne College of Divinity
  - Perth College of Divinity
  - Otago University, Department of Theology & Religious Studies

### Guidelines for Portability

- (1) Credit can be given “in block” but the student must satisfy the course requirement as set out in Central Document.
- (2) Where the credit claimed from Portability is up to and including one third of the College degree then the College is prepared to be the degree granting body.
- (3) Where the credit claimed from Portability is equal to or greater than two-thirds of the College degree then the College is not prepared to be the degree granting body.
- (4) Where credit claimed from Portability is between one-third and two-thirds of the College degree the College will negotiate with the other “College” and the student in question re Portability and which Institution will be the degree granting body.

### Requirements

- (1) Students seeking Portability must present to their Member Institution an academic transcript plus satisfactory unit descriptions.
- (2) Allocation of subject area and level must be shown but direct equivalence need not be sought.
- (3) The Member Institution will prepare each case for submission to the Student Administration Committee which will make the recommendation to the Academic Board.