



## List of recognised shotfirer training course providers

(as at February 2021)

The following table lists training course providers currently accredited to deliver national units of competency for blasting (RIIBLA) recognised by DMIRS.

Prospective shotfirer trainees should obtain training from these organisations. Generally no other training will be accepted by DMIRS as competency evidence for shotfirer licence applications.

Other RTOs may be scoped to provide shotfirer training, but you should contact DMIRS beforehand to confirm if the training will be accepted.

	Application	Units of competency
1	For all surface operations outside of town boundaries	RIIBLA205E – Store, handle and transport explosives RIIBLA301E – Conduct surface shotfiring operations RIIBLA305E – Conduct secondary blasting
2	For all surface operations inside and outside of town boundaries	RIIBLA205E – Store, handle and transport explosives RIIBLA301E – Conduct surface shotfiring operations RIIBLA305E – Conduct secondary blasting RIIBLA402E – Monitor and control the effects of blasting on the environment
3	For all underground operations except underground coal operations	RIIBLA205E – Store, handle and transport explosives RIIBLA303E – Conduct underground development shotfiring RIIBLA304E – Conduct underground production shotfiring RIIBLA305E – Conduct secondary blasting
4	For all underground coal operations	RIIBLA205E – Store, handle and transport explosives RIIBLA302E – Conduct shotfiring operations in underground coal mines RIIBLA305E – Conduct secondary blasting

A shotfirer training certificate of competency is evidence that a person has completed the training specified in the relevant Unit of Competency and has been assessed against the National Assessment Instrument. Possession of a shotfirer's licence is not to be taken by employers to mean that the person has all the experience and skills required for specific workplace tasks.

Name of training course provider	Contact	Type of training provided (as per table above)
<b>AMPT Services Pty Ltd</b>	Craig Smith <b>Address:</b> 49 Reserve Drive Mandurah WA 6210 <b>Phone:</b> 9583 4918 <b>Fax:</b> 9583 3624 <b>Email:</b> <a href="mailto:csmith@ampt.com.au">csmith@ampt.com.au</a> <b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.ampt.com.au">www.ampt.com.au</a>	1, 3
<b>Blast Management International Pty Ltd</b> (also known as Explofix)	Darren Coutas <b>Address:</b> BMI Perth Office <b>Mobile:</b> 0488 439 990  Peter Duniam <b>Address:</b> 2 Aloomba St Balmoral QLD 4171 <b>Phone:</b> 07 3410 8108 <b>Fax:</b> 07 3902 1529 <b>Mobile:</b> 0409 001 186 <b>Email:</b> <a href="mailto:peter@blastmanagement.com.au">peter@blastmanagement.com.au</a>	1, 2, 3
<b>Blastcon Pty Ltd</b>	Glenn Hames <b>Address:</b> 8/85 Welby Parade Bongaree QLD 4507 <b>Phone:</b> 07 3410 8108 <b>Fax:</b> 07 4921 3006 <b>Mobile:</b> 0429 482 295 or 0419 911 405 <b>Email:</b> <a href="mailto:admin@blastcon.com.au">admin@blastcon.com.au</a> <b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.blastcon.com.au">www.blastcon.com.au</a>	1, 2, 4
<b>ByrneCut Australia</b> (corporate clients only)	Aaron van der Swaag <b>Address:</b> Baker Rd, Perth Domestic Airport Redcliffe WA 6105 <b>Phone:</b> 08 9270 1000 <b>Web:</b> <a href="http://www.byrneCut.com.au">www.byrneCut.com.au</a>	3
<b>Down to Earth</b>	Colleen Newman <b>Address:</b> PO Box 298 Rockingham WA 6968 <b>Phone:</b> (08) 9528 8888 <b>Web:</b> <a href="http://www.down2earth.com.au">www.down2earth.com.au</a>	2
<b>Industry West</b>	Anthony Lockyer <b>Address:</b> - <b>Phone:</b> 0437 551 759 <b>Email:</b> <a href="mailto:alockyer@industrywest.com.au">alockyer@industrywest.com.au</a>	1
<b>Modular Training Pty Ltd</b>	Jackie McNulty <b>Address:</b> Level 3 190 St Georges Terrace Perth WA 6000 <b>Phone:</b> 08 6370 5400 <b>Email:</b> <a href="mailto:admin@modulartraining.com.au">admin@modulartraining.com.au</a> <b>Web:</b> <a href="http://www.modulartraining.com.au">www.modulartraining.com.au</a>	1, 3

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<b>NSW TAFE – Western Institute</b>	<b>Address:</b> March Street Orange NSW 2800 <b>Phone:</b> 02 6391 5886 <b>Fax:</b> 02 6391 5885 <b>Email:</b> <a href="mailto:katrina.m.jay@tafensw.edu.au">katrina.m.jay@tafensw.edu.au</a> <b>Web:</b> <a href="http://www.tafensw.edu.au">www.tafensw.edu.au</a>	1
<b>Orica Australia Pty Ltd</b>	Jeff Taylor <b>Address:</b> Orica Technical Centre George Booth Drive Kurri Kurri NSW 2327 <b>Fax:</b> 02 4939 3762 <b>Mobile:</b> 0466 745 558 <b>Email:</b> <a href="mailto:jeff.taylor@orica.com">jeff.taylor@orica.com</a>	1, 2, 3
<b>Transqual Pty Ltd</b> (Partnership – Blast-It Global)	Drew Martin <b>Address:</b> PO Box 210 Cloverdale WA 6985 <b>Phone:</b> 02 4962 2707 <b>Fax:</b> 02 4962 2646 <b>Mobile:</b> 0477 339 648 <b>Email:</b> <a href="mailto:drew@blastitglobal.com">drew@blastitglobal.com</a>	1, 2