DESCRIPTION
During your studies you will learn to master basic drawing skills and use drawing aids. In the process you will be editing entities, shaping curves, controlling object visibility and organising objects, and creating and editing text. You will learn to control constraints, and work with layouts and annotative objects. After completing a task, you should be able to print and plot. You will learn how to store presenting data and extract data. You will also learn how to navigate a 3D model, how to model in 3D and present your data. AutoCAD® will give you an understanding of the art of technical design and the effect of manipulation of technical drawings. It offers innovations that increase design and documentation efficiency and enables you to share those designs with colleagues in a more secure, accurate and seamless way.

CAREER FIELDS/FURTHER STUDIES
Successful students will gain basic knowledge and skills Autodesk® AutoCAD® 2013. Please enquire at your nearest Damelin Correspondence College (DCC) branch for the prospectus containing information with regard to further studies.

PROGRAMME OUTLINE
AutoCAD® 2013
- Getting started
- Basic drawing skills
- Using drawing aids
- Editing entities
- Shaping curves
- Controlling object visibility and appearance
- Organizing objects
- Hatching and gradients
- Working with blocks and Xrefs
- Creating and editing text
- Dimensioning
- Keeping in control with constraints
- Working with layouts and annotative objects
- Printing and plotting
- Storing, presenting, and extracting data
- Navigating 3D models
- Modelling in 3D
- Presenting your design

TYPE OF PROGRAMME
Autodesk® AutoCAD® 2013 is an Agent Programme, which is certified by Autodesk®.

DURATION
You should be able to complete this course within 18 months.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
Grade 11 (Std. 9) with Technical Drawing or N2 with Engineering Drawing, or relevant work experience (2 years).

LEARNING MATERIAL
Quality learning materials designed specifically for distance study are included and, where applicable, up-to-date and current prescribed textbooks are provided for your study convenience.

PRICING
Enquire at your nearest DCC branch for a current programme pricelist.

ADDITIONAL COSTS
Registration/course fees do not include (where applicable) membership costs with professional bodies and/or exam costs (internal and/or external).
ASSESSMENT
On successful completion of your four DCC assignments, you will receive a progress report. Once you have acquired the practical experience on the software package (recommended 50 hours) and successfully passed your assignments, you will be able to enrol for the internationally recognised Autodesk® examination. The recommended hours before attempting the examination is 400 hours of practical hands-on application. Please log onto http://www.autodesk.co.za to register for the examination.

Please note: your examination fees are not included in your tuition fee.

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CERTIFICATION
Upon successful completion of your examination, you will receive your international certification from Autodesk®.

SOFTWARE
Please note that software for this course is included in your course pack.

COLLEGE ACCREDITATION
Damelin Correspondence College (Pty) Ltd has been awarded provisional accreditation by Umalusi. Umalusi is the Council for Quality Assurance in General and Further Education and Training in South Africa. Provisional Accreditation No. FET 00475 PA – see www.umalusi.org.za

COLLEGE REGISTRATION
Damelin Correspondence College (Pty) Ltd has been granted provisional registration by the Department of Higher Education and Training as a private FET College, until 31 December 2014. Provisional Registration No. 2008/FE07/037 – see www.dhet.gov.za

COURSE ACCREDITATION/REGISTRATION
Autodesk® AutoCAD® 2013 is an Agent Programme, which is not an accredited NQF qualification

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STUDENT ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Name of student: ................................................................., hereby acknowledge that I understand the information stated in this document and fully comprehend the specifics explained above and below pertaining to this course. I understand that the programme I am enrolling for is a/an:

☐ National Qualification
☐ Agent Programme
☐ DCC Programme

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which is:-

☐ Accredited or
☐ Non-accredited

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The value and status of the course type is explained in the course brochure, which I have read.

Name of student: ................................................................. Signature: .................................................................

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Name of sales consultant: ................................................ Signature: .................................................................

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* Please note the original signed copy should be kept on the student’s record file.