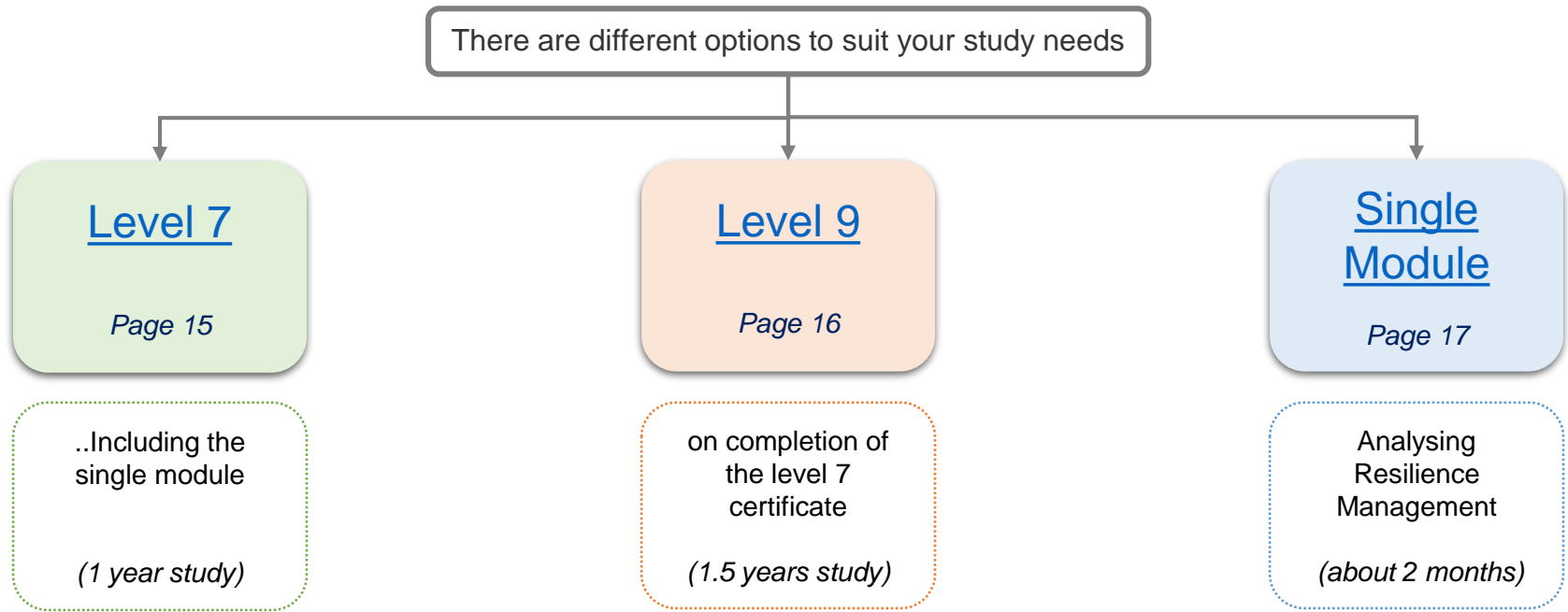


Professional Development Award (PDA)

ScoRDS and New College Lanarkshire are pleased to announce the launch of the next cohorts for the PDA in Resilience Management. The PDA in Resilience Management is a highly relevant and credible qualification, fully accredited by the Scottish Qualifications Authority.



The PDA offers a broad range of skills that are central to effective resilience management including:

- Project management
- Decision making
- Leadership
- Strategic change management
- Organisational innovation
- Communicating and influencing decision making
- Learning and development



"I found the Level 7 PDA very beneficial in helping me gain a better understanding of the context and background of the whole resilience landscape. Having settled more into my role I really valued the opportunity to expand this learning and get into the real nitty gritty of key resilience subjects and learn more tools and techniques through Level 9 that have better equipped me to effectively carry out my role. The processes and approaches I researched in modules such as Decision Making, Communicating and Influencing and Leadership have enabled me to take a fresh approach to successfully planning, managing and delivering projects and having the ability to apply learning on the job helped to cement some newly acquired skills. Excellent support from the tutors (and my colleagues) throughout kept me on the right track and I would highly recommend the Level 9 PDA to everyone in the Resilience Community!"

A student from the last level 9 course

Level 7

For colleagues wishing to develop themselves as resilience practitioners but who cannot commit to the full PDA qualification in one chunk for either financial or time constraints, the level 7 certificate is an ideal option giving the flexibility to fit your studies round your work and family commitments.

The four key modules for this award are:

- Analysing Resilience
- Project Management
- Introduction to Learning and Development
- Organisational Innovation

Information sessions

Interested but want to know more??
Why not pop along to an information session:-

29 November in Perth

or

4 December at a NCL campus

You can speak to the Course Tutor and ScoRDS who will be happy to answer your questions about the PDA.

To find out more or to book a place, please contact either [Julie Tarbet](#) or [Suzanne Wilkie](#).