

PRESS RELEASE

KATHERINE AWARDS 2007

Group Training NT (GTNT) commenced trading as a not-for-profit company in 1989.

Its main aim was to increase the numbers of Apprentices in training in the Top End and to improve the quality of training provided. Group Training NT has grown to be the largest employer of Apprentices and Trainees in the Northern Territory.

Our current numbers of trainees and apprentices employed by our Group Training arm is greater than 600.



This number represents approximately 21 percent market share throughout the Northern Territory.

The Company also has a range of tailored training arrangements in place with major Northern Territory employers in the private and public sectors.

Throughout the years of operation our services have seen many successes shared by the organisation and the apprentices and trainees that participate in our various programs.

One of the most recent examples of this 'quality breeding success' is the Group Training Northern NT Katherine awards, held Wednesday April 18 at the Knotts Crossing Resort.

Our Katherine office opened its doors in December 2005 and currently has almost 50 apprentices employed within the region; this number includes fulltime and schoolbased apprentices and trainees from Katherine High School.

Group Training NT is increasing its commitment to the region by the expansion of our new office.

GTNT Katherine will provide an extensive recruitment process and has already entered into agreements with a number of major employers. The Board of Directors meets quarterly in Darwin and only once every two years does the Board meet outside of Darwin.

A further example of our commitment to the region is the decision by GTNT's Board of Directors to meet in Katherine in May.

They will also take this opportunity to meet with industry, educational and community, indigenous organisations and other interested parties.

Our services are consistent in providing quality programs that deliver the necessary skills needed for industry.

Group Training Northern Territory is where you find the best Trainees and Apprentices.

Contact Mim in our Katherine office, 89711688 or visit our website www.gtnt.com.au more information.