Note on Australia’s education system

The Australian Qualifications Framework (AQF) is the national policy for regulated qualifications in Australian education and training. It incorporates the qualifications from each education and training sector into a single comprehensive national qualifications framework. The AQF was first introduced in 1995 to underpin the national system of qualifications in Australia encompassing higher education, vocational education and training and schools.

Further national definitions of degrees and qualifications beyond the ISCED classification can be found here:

http://www.aqf.edu.au/