

Training and Posting

Training Location	All ATC theory training (College Phase) is conducted at the Airservices Australia's Training College in Melbourne.
Training Duration	Applicants with no prior experience (Ab Initio) <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ College Phase - 12 months approx.▪ Final Field Training - 4 – 6 months approx.
Postings for Final Field Training	<p><u>Enroute Trainees</u></p> <p>Applicants who are selected for Enroute training will be notified, at the time they are given a formal offer of employment, of whether they have been posted to Melbourne or Brisbane (this is based on the preference of the candidate and review of the selection panel). This will be their location for final field training and ongoing employment as an ATC. Details on Airservices Australia's Enroute Centres are available at the following web link:</p> <p>http://www.airservicesaustralia.com/aboutus/facilities/centres.asp</p> <p><u>Tower Trainees</u></p> <p>Tower Trainees may be posted to any of the Air Traffic Management towers for final field training. A graduate ATC is expected to achieve the required licensing standards in any of the tower air traffic control environments. There are three Tower environments – Radar, Regional and GAAP (General Aviation Aerodrome Procedures). Details on Airservices Australia's control towers are available at the following web link:</p> <p>http://www.airservicesaustralia.com/aboutus/facilities/towers.asp</p> <p>Tower postings (based on operational and training requirements) will be notified during the college phase of training.</p>
Trainee acceptance of postings	<p>It will be an express condition of the offer of training and employment that trainees agree to serve at any location in Australia at which Airservices Australia has an ATC presence.</p> <p>Candidates are asked to indicate their preference for stream, which may have an effect on location.</p>