

Department of Immigration and Multicultural Affairs

Application for general skilled migration to Australia

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For information about the type of applications available under the General Skilled Migration program, see *Application details* on page 5 of this form.

This form refers to 'onshore' and 'offshore' visas.

You must apply for an 'onshore' General Skilled Migration visa while you are in Australia, and you can only be granted an 'onshore' visa while you are in Australia.

You would generally apply for an 'offshore' General Skilled Migration visa while you are outside Australia. However, depending on your circumstances, and the conditions on your current visa, you may be able to apply for an 'offshore' General Skilled Migration visa while you are in Australia. To be granted an 'offshore' General Skilled Migration visa, you must be outside Australia.

For further details, see the department's website **www.immi.gov.au/skilled/**

Applying online

The Department of Immigration and Multicultural Affairs (the department) offers the facility for applicants to apply online for:

- the Onshore General Skilled visa categories; and
- the Skilled Independent Regional (Provisional) visa.

For information on how to apply online go to the department's website **www.immi.gov.au/e_visa**/

Applying on this form

This form is for people who wish to apply for:

- the Offshore General Skilled visa categories;
- the Onshore General Skilled visa categories;
- the Skilled Independent Regional (Provisional) visa; and
- the Onshore New Zealand citizen visa categories.

See page 5 Application details.

Before completing this form, please read carefully the information on General Skilled Migration on the department's website **www.immi.gov.au/skilled**/

Making a valid application

To make a valid application you must provide certain supporting documents with your application. The documents required are different for each type of application. If you do not provide the required documents your application will not be valid and will be returned to you.

Supporting documents

You will find the checklist of the documents you must provide in support of your application on the department's website www.immi.gov.au/skilled/

You only need to complete a checklist from this website if you are sending your application by mail or courier. If you are applying online, the electronic application form has an in-built checklist.

In either case, enclose all documents listed on the relevant checklist with your application.

You may be asked to provide other documents during processing. 'Certified copies' of documents means authorised or stamped true copies of originals by a person or agency recognised by the law of your country. In Australia, they must be certified by a Justice of the Peace or Commissioner for Declarations or by a person before whom a statutory declaration may be made.

Documents in languages other than English **must** be accompanied by an **English translation** completed by a translator accredited by the National Accreditation Authority for Translators and Interpreters (NAATI). Refer to the Yellow Pages $^{\text{TM}}$ or the NAATI website www.naati.com.au for a list of available translation services in your state/territory.

Note: You must include **both** a certified copy of the original language document **and** a certified copy of the translated document with your application. Do **not** send original documents (except police clearances).

Lodging your application

All applications for General Skilled Migration from both outside Australia and in Australia must be sent to the Adelaide Skilled Processing Centre **only**.

By mail:

The Adelaide Skilled Processing Centre Department of Immigration and Multicultural Affairs GPO Box 1638 ADELAIDE SA 5001 AUSTRALIA

By courier:

The Adelaide Skilled Processing Centre Department of Immigration and Multicultural Affairs 4th Floor 55 Currie Street ADELAIDE SA 5000 AUSTRALIA

Any application made on this form and lodged at any other office cannot be accepted. It will not be a valid application and will not be processed.

You must:

- complete the form in English;
- answer all questions truthfully; and
- provide supporting documents where necessary.

If you provide incorrect information or documents, it may affect whether you are granted a visa or not, or whether your visa may be subsequently cancelled.

Read the notes for each question. If a question is not applicable, write 'N/A'. Any changes or corrections you make must be initialled and dated by each person who signs the form. If you use any other sheets of paper for providing additional information, each page must also be signed and dated by all persons who sign the form.

Visa application charge

Payment must accompany your application and is generally not refunded if the application is unsuccessful. To check the visa application charge, see form 990i *Charges* available from the forms section of the department's website

www.immi.gov.au/allforms/990i.htm or check with the nearest office of the department. If you intend to pay by credit card, please provide details in **Part Q**.

Method of payment

In Australia

To make a payment, please pay by credit card, debit card, bank cheque or money order made payable to the Department of Immigration and Multicultural Affairs. Debit card and credit card are the preferred methods of payment.

Outside Australia

Before making a payment outside Australia, please check with the Australian Government office where you intend to lodge your application as to what methods of payment they can accept.

Who is covered by this form?

The application form covers a family unit, that is a primary applicant and, if applicable, spouse and dependants.

If you have a spouse, consider which of you is more likely to meet visa requirements before completing the form. That person should be the **primary applicant** and complete **Part B** *Applicant's details*.

Dependent children

A dependent child may be your natural child, adopted child or step-child. 'Step-child' means a natural or adopted child of your current spouse or a natural or adopted child of your former spouse where the child is under 18 years of age and you have a legal responsibility to care for them (for example, where your former spouse is deceased and you have legal custody of the child). You will need to provide a certified copy of the overseas or Australian court order in relation to the custody of the child.

A child aged 18 years or over is not considered dependent if he or she is married or in a de facto/common law relationship or is engaged to be married.

A child aged 18 years or over will not be considered dependent unless you can show that they are wholly or substantially reliant on you for financial support for their basic needs of food, shelter and clothing. You must also show that you have provided that support for a significant period and that the child is more reliant on you than on any other person or source. Unless you can provide evidence of this, they should apply separately. You should also be aware that a child aged 25 years or over will generally not be considered dependent.

Children of any age who have a total or partial loss of bodily or mental functions, which stops them earning a living, are regarded as dependent and part of the family unit (whether or not they migrate with you). Give details of such children and whether they are in your care or in an institution.

In all cases you should attach evidence of your child's dependency on you.

Other dependants

You may include other relatives in your application if they are wholly or substantially reliant on you for financial support for their basic needs of food, shelter and clothing and they have been reliant on you for that support for a substantial period. They must also be more reliant on you for support than on any other person or source.

A relative may also be considered dependent on you if they are reliant on you for financial support because they have a mental or physical disability which stops them from earning a living to support themselves.

Other relatives dependent on you or your spouse may include, for example, an aged, unmarried relative.

A form 47A Details of child or other dependent family member aged 18 years or over must be completed for each dependant aged 18 years or over, whether migrating or not. Form 47A can be downloaded free from the department's website www.immi.gov.au/allforms/

Custody requirement

The department will seek to ensure that allowing a child to migrate is not in contravention of Australia's international obligations in relation to the prevention of child abduction. If your application includes a child under 18 years of age and the child's other parent is not migrating with you or there is any other person who has the legal right to determine where the child can live, you will need to provide a Statutory Declaration from each of them giving permission for the child to migrate. Alternatively, you can provide a certified copy of a valid court order showing that you/your spouse has the legal right to remove the child from the country.

About the information you give in this form

The department is authorised to collect information provided on this form under Part 2 of the *Migration Act 1958* 'Control of Arrival and Presence of Non-citizens'. The information provided will be used by the department for assessing your eligibility for a visa to travel, enter and remain in Australia. It may also be used for other purposes relating to the administration of the Migration Act, for example, to assist migrants with settling in Australia, to monitor the conduct of migration agents or for ensuring compliance with the Migration Act.

The information provided on this form, including any information on your health, will be used to assess your health for an Australian visa and may be disclosed to the relevant Commonwealth, State and Territory health agencies and examining doctor(s).

Form 1071i *Health Requirement for permanent entry to Australia* provides additional information on Australia's visa health requirements. This form is available at offices of the department or from the department's website

www.immi.gov.au/allforms/

The information provided might also be disclosed to agencies who are authorised to receive information relating to adoption, border control, business skills, citizenship, education, employment, health assessment, health insurance, health services, law enforcement, payment of pensions and benefits, taxation, review of decisions and regulation of migration agents.

The collection, access, storage, use and disclosure by the department of the information you provide in this form is governed by the *Privacy Act 1988* and, in particular, by the 11 Information Privacy Principles. The information form 993i *Safeguarding your personal information*, available from the department's website, gives details of agencies to which your personal information might be disclosed.

The *Freedom of Information Act 1982* also relates to your personal information. Under this Act you can apply for access to documents containing your personal information. You or someone authorised to access information on your behalf can apply to do this at any office of the department in Australia. There is no fee for accessing your own information. If you are overseas, you must also provide the Australian mission overseas with an address in Australia to which copies of personal records can be sent. More information on how to make a request under the Freedom of Information Act is given on form 424A *Request for access to documents*.

Authorisation of a person to receive only written communications

You may authorise another person to only receive all written communications about your General Skilled Migration application with the department. That person will be known as your authorised recipient. To do this, you will need to complete **Part L** Options for receiving written communications and **Part M** Authorised recipient details in this form. The authorised recipient will need to sign at **Part N**. You can only appoint one authorised recipient at any time. The department will communicate with the most recently appointed authorised recipient.

The department is required under section 494D of the *Migration Act 1958* (the Act) to send your authorised recipient any written communications relating to your application that would otherwise have been sent to you. The department will send your authorised recipient only information which you are entitled to receive. For example, if you are a visa applicant and have a sponsor, your authorised recipient will not receive personal information about your sponsor, unless your sponsor also appointed the same authorised recipient.

If you decide to change your nominated authorised recipient after you have lodged this application you must promptly advise the department in writing. You may use form 1231 *Appointment of authorised recipient* for this purpose.

Authorisation of a migration agent to act on your behalf

If you have a migration agent acting on your behalf in relation to your General Skilled Migration application, you need to complete **Part L** Options for receiving written communications and **Part O** Agent details. The migration agent will need to sign at **Part P** Agent consent.

Appointing a migration agent to act on your behalf includes authorising the department to:

- discuss your General Skilled Migration application with the agent and seek further information from them; and
- send your agent written communications about your General Skilled Migration application that would otherwise have been sent to you.

Note: Your migration agent will be your authorised recipient for written communication under section 494D of the Act and you will be taken to have received any documents sent to them.

If you change your migration agent or end his/her appointment, after you have lodged this application, you must promptly advise the department in writing, preferably by using form 956 *Appointment of a migration agent*, which is available on the department's website or from your migration agent.

The department will communicate with your agent about your application, including your personal information such as health, police checks, financial viability and personal relationships. If your agent authorises it (see **Part P**), this communication may take place by e-mail or fax.

The department will only send your agent information which you are entitled to receive. For example, if you are a visa applicant and have a sponsor, your agent will not receive personal information about your sponsor, unless your sponsor has also appointed the same agent.

In some situations, the department's staff will need to speak with you directly, rather than with your migration agent - for example, if you are applying for a visa the department may interview you. In some situations, the department's staff will also send documents to you directly (eg. passport) instead of to your agent, but it will inform your agent that it has done so.

If you have appointed a migration agent to act for you, you are still responsible for the accuracy of information and supporting documentation that you give to your agent so that your agent can provide it to the department.

When you provide the details of your migration agent, please make sure you include their 7-digit:

- migration agent registration number (if they are a registered migration agent); or
- offshore agent ID number (if they have been allocated one by the department).

Note: Agents who operate overseas do not need to be registered. They may however, have been allocated an ID number by the department.

Using a migration agent

You are not required to use a migration agent. However, if you use a migration agent, the department encourages you to use a registered migration agent. Registered agents are bound by the Migration Agents Code of Conduct, which requires them to act in the lawful best interests of their clients and act professionally.

A list of registered migration agents is available from the Migration Agents Registration Authority (MARA) website www.themara.com.au

You can contact the MARA at:

E-mail: themara@themara.com.au

PO Box Q1551 QVB NSW 1230 AUSTRALIA

Telephone: 61 2 9299 5446 Fax: 61 2 9299 8448

The MARA investigates complaints against registered migration agents and may take disciplinary action against them. If you have a concern about a registered migration agent, you should contact the MARA. A copy of the complaint form is available from the MARA website.

Restrictions on giving immigration assistance

In Australia, anyone (including a lawyer) who uses knowledge of migration procedure to offer immigration assistance to a visa or cancellation review applicant, sponsor or nominator, must be registered, unless exempted from registration requirements by law. There are serious criminal penalties under Part 3 of the Act for breaching the law – including possible imprisonment if the unregistered person asks for, or receives, a fee or reward for their services.

Using an agent exempted from registration

Certain people, such as officials, parliamentarians, diplomats, close family members (ie. only your spouse, child, adopted child, parent, brother or sister), sponsors and nominators, are able to provide you with immigration assistance as long as they do not ask or receive a fee or reward. If you wish to appoint an 'exempted' agent, you must complete form 956 *Appointment of a migration agent* and attach it to this application form.

Applications for multiple visas

If you are a dependent applicant (eg. the spouse of a primary applicant) and you wish to appoint a different migration agent to the primary applicant, you must fill out a separate form 956 *Appointment of a migration agent*, or advise the department in writing. Otherwise, the agent appointed by the primary applicant will have the authority to act for all persons included in the application.

Notification of giving immigration assistance

Under section 312A of the Act, a registered agent has a duty to notify the department when lodging an application on behalf of a client or within 28 days of commencing to act on behalf of a visa applicant. This notification can be done by completing, and your agent signing the relevant sections of this application form.

Consent to communicate electronically

The department may use a range of means to communicate with you. However, electronic means such as fax or e-mail will be used only if you indicate your agreement to receiving communication in this way.

To process your application the department may need to communicate with you about sensitive information, for example, health, police checks, financial viability and personal relationships. Electronic communications, unless adequately encrypted, are not secure and may be viewed by others or interfered with. If you agree to the department communicating with you by electronic means, the details you provide will be used by the department only for the purpose for which you have provided them, unless there is a legal obligation or necessity to use them for another purpose, or you have consented to use for another purpose. They will not be added to any mailing list.

The Australian Government accepts no responsibility for the security or integrity of any information sent to the department over the internet or by other electronic means.

If you authorise another person to receive documents on your behalf and they wish to be contacted electronically, their signature is required on the form to indicate their consent to this form of communication.

Further information

For more details on the General Skilled Migration visas, visit the department's website **www.immi.gov.au/skilled/** or complete an online enquiry form at **www.immi.gov.au/contacts/** or call 1300 364 613 (if calling from outside Australia dial the international code +61).

Note: The ASPC prefers that you communicate with them by e-mail.

Home page

www.immi.gov.au

General enquiry line

Telephone **131 881** during business hours in Australia to speak to an operator (recorded information available outside these hours). If you are outside Australia, please contact your nearest Australian mission.



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Please read pages 1 to 4 carefully before you complete this application.		
Part A – Application details		
How many FAMILY MEMBERS (including the applicant)		Skilled – Independent Regional (Provisional) visa
are included in this application for migration?		The following visa class can be applied for while you are in or outside Australia.
TYPE OF APPLICATION – select one only		However, you can only apply for the 'onshore' Skilled – Independent
Offshore General Skilled categories		Regional (Provisional) visa if you are in Australia, and:
Skill – Matching (Class BR, subclass 134)		 you are an overseas student and apply within 6 months of successful completing post-secondary study at an Australian education
Skilled – Independent (Class BN, subclass 136)		institution(s) after at least 2 years of full-time study;
Skilled – State/Territory Nomination Independent		- you hold an Occupational Trainee visa; or
(Class BN, subclass 137)		- you hold a Working Holiday visa.
Skilled – Australian Sponsored (Class BQ, subclass 138)		For details see the department's website www.immi.gov.au/skilled.
▶ If you have selected one of the above categories go to Question 5		Skilled – Independent Regional (Provisional) (Class UX, subclass 495) – OFFSHORE
Onshore General Skilled categories		▶ If you have selected the above category go to Question 5
The following visa classes are available only to overseas students in		If you have selected the above category go to question 3
Australia who apply within 6 months of successfully completing their post secondary studies at an Australian educational institution(s) after at		Skilled – Independent Regional (Provisional)
least 2 years of full-time study, (for details see the department's website		(Class UX, subclass 495) – ONSHORE
www.immi.gov.au/skilled/).		Skilled – Independent Regional (Provisional)
Skilled – Independent Overseas Student		(Class UX, subclass 495) – Application for a
(Class DD, subclass 880)		2nd Skilled – Independent Regional (Provisional)
Skilled – Australian Sponsored Overseas Student		▶ If you have selected one of the above categories go to Question 3
(Class DE, subclass 881)		Onshore New Zealand Citizen categories
Skilled – Designated Area Sponsored Overseas Student		Skilled – Onshore Independent New Zealand Citizen
(Class DE, subclass 882)		(Class DB, subclass 861)
The following visa class is available only if you are in Australia and		Skilled – Onshore Australian Sponsored
you hold a Skilled – Independent Regional (Provisional) visa.		New Zealand Citizen (Class DB, subclass 862)
Skilled – State/Territory Nominated Independent		Skilled – Onshore Designated Area Sponsored
(Class BN, subclass 137)		New Zealand Citizen (Class DB, subclass 863)
▶ If you have selected one of the above categories go to Question 3		If you have selected one of the above categories go to Question 5
	3	Do you hold a Graduate - Skilled (Temporary) (subclass 497) visa?
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		Yes Date of expiry / /
		Go to Question 5
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Type of visa you currently hold

Date of expiry

Part B – Applicant's details

5	Applicant's full name		person (the primary applicant), what is that person's name?
	(as shown in your passport or travel document)		Family name
	Family name		Given names
	Given names		
			Sex Male Female
6	Name in your own language or script	17	Current marital status
	(if applicable)		Never married
			Widowed Divorced Provide evidence with your application, go to Question 19
7	Other ways you spell your name		Separated DAY MONTH YEAR Engaged Date of intended marriage / /
	Family name		
	Given names		Married Date of marriage / / In a de facto Date relationship boggs
			relationship Date relationship began / /
8	Name in Chinese Commercial Code Numbers	18	Will your spouse be migrating with you?
	(if applicable)		No If your spouse does not intend to migrate with you, attach a note explaining why and saying whether your
			spouse intends to join you later, or other reason.
9	Other names you are, or have been, known by		If you are separated, attach a statutory declaration that
	(including name at birth, previous married names, aliases)		gives the name of your spouse, date of marriage and date of separation, and (if the separation is permanent)
			states that you are getting, or intend getting, a divorce.
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10	Sex Male Female	19	Your current residential address Note: A post office box address is not acceptable as a residential
	DAY MONTH YEAR		address. Failure to give your residential address will result in this application being invalid.
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12	Place of birth		
12	Town/city		
	Country		
			POSTCODE
13	Details from your passport	20	Address for correspondence
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	Date of issue / /		
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	Issuing authority/		
	Place of issue as shown in your		
	passport		
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14	Of which countries are you a citizen?		POSTCODE
15	Country of current residence		

16 If you are applying on the basis of being a family member of another

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	spouse) intend	to bring to Australia?			Place of issue	
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	Australian dolla	r equivalent AUD				
	16			34	Of which count	tries is your spouse a citizen?
>>	If you do not ha	ve a spouse go to Part D				
	D 10			35	Spouse's count	try of current residence
	Part C – I	Details of spouse				•
25	Spouse's full na	ame				
	(as shown in pa	assport or travel document)		36	Spouse's resident	
	Family name				(II the same as	s yours, write 'SAME AS Question 19')
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28 Name in Chinese Commercial Code Numbers

21 Your telephone numbers

Date of issue

Date of expiry
Issuing authority/
Place of issue as
shown in passport

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Family name		40	Are all these children in your care and legal custody?
Given names			No
			Yes
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residence Citizenship			
		41	Does any other person have custodial, access or
Passport number		71	guardianship rights to any of these children?
Country of passport			No No
	DAY MONTH YEAR		Yes Sive details
Date of issue	/ /		
Date of expiry	/ /		
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shown in passport			
Family name			
Given names			
		42	Are there any legal impediments to the children's travel?
Sex	Male Female		No
Date of birth	DAY MONTH YEAR		Yes ☐▶ Give details
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Issuing authority/			No No
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44 Give details of all your and/or your spouse's children under 18 years

Part E – Dependent children aged 18 years or over and other dependants

45 Give details of ALL your and/or your spouse's dependent children aged 18 years or over and other dependants. *(Include any dependent children of a dependant)*

Full name		Date of birth			Marital	Relationship	Country of current residence	Migrating	g with you?
	DAY	MON	TH	YEAR	status	to you			, ,
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Each dependant listed above must complete a form 47A, whether migrating or not.

Form 47A is available from any Australian mission, or the department's website www.immi.gov.au/allforms/

Part F – Details of other family members

46 Give details of ALL your and your spouse's other family members, not already listed in Part D or Part E (If not living, write 'DECEASED' in country of current residence column)

Full name	Sex _{M/F}	Dat	e of birth	YEAR	Marital status	Country of current residence
Parents (including step-parents)						
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Non-dependent children who are aged 18 years or over						
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Part G – Health and character

Is this an application for an:	49 Have you, or any other person included in application, ever:	this	
offshore general skilled visa? Go to Question 48 onshore general skilled visa? Go to Question 49	 been convicted of a crime or offence in country (including any conviction whic now removed from official records)? 	•	3
Have you, or any other person included in this application, ever currently have tuberculosis or any other serious disease (includir illness), condition or disability?		No Yes	3
No Yes Is the disease, condition or disability one that requi	been acquitted of any criminal offence other offence on the grounds of menta illness, insanity or unsoundness of mires or is.	al No Voc	3
likely to require medical, hospital or special care?	 been removed or deported from any country (including Australia)? 	No Yes	3
No Yes▶ Give ALL relevant details	 left any country to avoid being remove deported? 	d or No Yes	3
	been excluded from or asked to leave country (including Australia)?	any No Yes	3
	committed, or been involved in the commission of war crimes or crimes against humanity or human rights?	No Yes	s [
	been involved in any activities that wo represent a risk to Australian national security?	uld No Yes	3
	have any outstanding debts to the Australian Government or any public authority in Australia?	No Yes	s [
	been involved in any activity, or been convicted of any offence, relating to th illegal movement of people to any cou (including Australia)?		s [
	 served in a military force or state sponsored/private militia, undergone a military/paramilitary training, or been trained in weapons/explosives use 		e [
	(however described)?	No Yes	i
	If you answered 'Yes' to any of the above it applies to and give ALL relevant details criminal conviction, please give the natur sentence and dates of any period of impr	. If the matter relates to a e of the offence, full detai	t ils of
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Note : The department is authorised to collect information on thunder the <i>Migration Act 1958</i> . The information on this form, in the results of any tests for Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) used to assess your health for an Australian visa. A positive HIV test result will not necessarily lead to a visa being denied. Your	cluding), will be or other		
may be disclosed to the relevant Australian Government, State Territory health agencies.			
Form 1071i <i>Health requirement for permanent entry to Austral</i> provides additional information on Australia's visa health requirement form is available from the department's website www.immi.gov.au/allforms/			
vv vv.iiiiiii.yov.au/aiiiviiiis/			

50	Have you, or any other person included in this application, ever been refused an entry permit or visa to Australia? No Yes	Have you/your spouse or any dependent family member (migrating with you or not) previously been to Australia, held or currently hold a visa for travel to Australia?
	Have you, or any other person included in this application, ever had an entry permit or visa cancelled in Australia?	No ☐ Yes ☐ ▶ Give details
	Are you, or any other person included in this	Full name
	application, waiting on a decision on any other	Purpose of stay in Australia
	visa application?	DAY MONTH YEAR
	If you answered 'Yes' to any of the above questions, you must	Date of arrival / /
	state who it applies to and give ALL relevant details.	Date of departure / /
		Visa number V
		Full name
		Purpose of stay in Australia
		DAY MONTH YEAR
		Date of arrival / /
		Date of departure / /
		Visa number V <
		Full name
		Purpose of stay in Australia
		Date of arrival
		Date of departure / /
51	Have you/your spouse or any dependent family members (migrating	Visa number <
	with you or not) ever served in the armed forces?	Full name
	No .	
	Yes Give full names, and enclose evidence of service, discharge and rank on discharge	Purpose of stay in Australia DAY MONTH YEAR
	uischarge and rank on discharge	Date of arrival
		Date of departure / /
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		visa number V
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53 You **must** list the countries where you and/or your spouse lived for 12 months or more in the last 10 years, including your home country and Australia.

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Country		Dates lived there	Last permanent address in that country	Who lived there?
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Part H – Basic requirements for primary applicant

The primary applicant must meet the basic requirements.

54	What is your nominated occupation?	
	(Your occupation must be on the Skilled Occupations List on form 1121i which is available from the department's website www.immi.gov.au/allforms/)	If you are applying for a Skilled Australian Sponsored (subclass 138) visa and your sponsor lives in Sydney, Gosford, Newcastle, Wollongong or Illawarra as defined by postcode (see below) you must nominate an occupation on the Sydney and Selected Areas Skilled Shortage List (SSASSL) – see form 1121i. AREA POSTCODE Sydney 1000-1920; 2000-2249; 2555-2574; 2740-2786 Gosford 2250-2263 Newcastle 2264-2300; 2302-2310; 2314-2327, 2334, 2335 Wollongong 2420, 2421, 2423, 2425, 2500-2530 Illawarra 2531-2535
55	What is the ASCO code for your nominated occupation?	
56	Is this an application for an: onshore General Skilled visa or an onshore Skilled – Independent Regional (Provisional) visa? onshore New Zealand Citizen category? offshore General Skilled visa or an offshore Skilled – Independent Regional (Provisional) visa?	▶ Go to Question 57▶ Go to Question 58▶ Go to Question 58
57	Have you applied for a skills assessment from the relevant assessing authority for your nominated occupation? No Yes	You are not eligible to apply for this visa Name of assessing authority Date you applied for assessment Reference or receipt number Go to Question 59
58	Have you obtained a skills assessment from the relevant assessing authority for your nominated occupation which confirms that your skills have been assessed as suitable for your nominated occupation?	You are not eligible to apply for this visa Name of assessing authority Date of assessment Reference or receipt number Go to Question 59
59	Are you aged under 45 years? No Yes	You are not eligible to apply for a General Skilled Migration visa unless: - you are invited to apply for the Skilled – Independent Regional (Provisional) (subclass 495) visa, and apply within the specified time period; or - you are the holder of a Skilled – Independent Regional (Provisional) (subclass 495) visa and are applying for a Skilled – State/Territory Nominated Independent (subclass 137) visa. This only applies if you were the main applicant for the Skilled – Independent Regional (Provisional) (subclass 495) visa or you are the spouse of the main applicant.

60	Do you have at least vocational English? No		_	The only categories under which you may be eligible are the Skill — Matching visa and the Skilled — Designated Area sponsored categories, in which case a lower level of English may be acceptable in certain circumstances. For more information, see www.immi.gov.au/skilled/general-skilled-migration/			
		Yes)	If you are using IELTS test results as evidence of your English language ability, please provide below the Test Report Form (TRF) Number that is included on your IELTS certificate.			
61	Qualification record List post-secondary qualifications with the n Please include copies of your academic tran						
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Qualification	Institution	City/Country		Period	
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62 Employment history

List employment history, with the most recent experience first

Employer and city	Occupation/position			
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Part I – Basic requirements for spouse

Only give details of basic requirements for your spouse **if their skills are to be considered in this application**.

63	What is your spouse's nominated occupation?			
64	What is the ASCO code for your spouse's nominated occupation?			
65	Has your spouse obtained a skills assessment from the relevant assessing authority for their nominated occupation?	No Voc	>	Your spouse's skills cannot be considered for this application until the skills assessment is received
		Yes		Name of assessing authority
				Date of spouse's // / sassessment
				Reference or receipt number
66	Is your spouse aged under 45 years?	No Yes		Your spouse is not eligible to be considered for this application
67	Does your spouse have at least vocational English?	No		You are not eligible for spouse points for this application
		Yes		If you are using IELTS test results as evidence of your spouse's English language ability, please provide below the Test Report Form (TRF) Number that is included on your spouse's IELTS certificate.
68	Spouse's qualification record			

Spouse's qualification record
List post-secondary qualifications with the most recent first
Please include copies of your academic transcripts with your application

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69 Spouse's employment history

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List employment history, wi	h the most recent	experience	first

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70	Points Test			
	Please indicate the points you are claiming for the following factors		Points	
	(Also give your spouse's points, if your spouse is also to be assessed)	Self	Sp	pouse
	Skill			
	Age			
	English language ability			
	Specific work experience			
	Occupation in demand/job offer			
	Australian qualifications			
	Regional Australia – residence and study			
	State/Territory Sponsorship points [Skilled – Independent Regional (Provisional) visa applicants ONLY]			
	Spouse skills			
	Bonus points			
	Total points for Skilled – Independent categories			
	Relationsl	hip –		
	add 15 points to the higher score a		15	
	Total points for Skilled – Austra	alian		
	Sponsored category	ories		
71	If you are applying for bonus points, please specify which kind of bonus points you are applying for (You can select only one kind).			
	Capital investment in Australia			
	Australian work experience			
	Fluency in one of Australia's community languages Language			
	Note : To meet this requirement you must have professional level language skills (written or oral). These must be evidenced by standard to an Australian degree) gained from a university where all instruction was in one of the listed languages or by accred			

1	If you are applying for bonus points, please specify ν points you are applying for (You can select only one	nd of bonus				
	Capital investment in Australia					
	Australian work experience					
	Fluency in one of Australia's community languages	Language				

standard to an Australian degree) gained from a university where all instruction was in one of the listed languages or by accreditation with the National Accreditation Authority for Translators and Interpreters (NAATI) at the professional level (Translator/Interpreter level).

	Ability to	communicate	in English	
Full name	Functional o	r Limited	None	Main language
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Part J - Skill Matching Database

Complete this section if you are applying under:

- Skilled Independent*, or
- Skilled Independent Overseas Student*, or
- Skilled Australian Sponsored Overseas Student*, or
- Skilled Australian Sponsored*, or
- Skill Matching category

Do NOT attach additional papers to this part of the form. Information provided in attachments will not be included in the database. PLEASE FILL IN THE FORM USING BLOCK LETTERS

This section does not apply to those applying under the 'New Zealand citizen' visa categories. (If this section does not apply to you, go to Part K)

You will need to repeat some details you have previously given. The information you provide in this section will be entered on the Skill Matching Database and may be given to employers and Skill Matching Database organisations including State/Territory governments, Regional Certifying Bodies and Area Consultative Committees in Australia who may facilitate skill matching. Completing this form will expand the range of sponsorship opportunities which might become available to you.

*Do not fill in this Skill Matching Database form if you do not wish to be included on the Skill Matching Database.

PRIMARY APPLICANT

73	Your full name	Family name						
	Toda Tall Tidatio	Given names						
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74	Sex	Male		Female				
75	Date of birth		DAY	MONTH YEAR				
76	Your current residential address Note : A post office box address is not accepta a residential address. Failure to give your residential address will result in this application being inv	dential					POS	TCODE
77	Address for correspondence from an employe (If the same as your residential address, write							
							POS	TCODE
78	Your telephone numbers	Office hours	COUNT	TRY CODE AREA COD	E)	NUMBER		
		After hours	() ()			
			COUNT	TRY CODE		NUMBER		
		Mobile	()				
79	Do you agree to the department communicating with you by fax or e-mail?	No Yes		Give details	E	NUMBER		
		Fax number	() ()			
	E	-mail address						
				Please provide you				
80	Country of birth							
81	Of which countries are you a citizen?							
82	Number of people in your migration application	n						

post secondary qualifications	3				
Qualificatio			Institution and city	Country	Year of award
training and qualification spec be any other qualifications an include your current occupat	cialisation d specialised training whi ion and duties which you	ch may i will desc	nterest an employer ribe in a later question		
yment history ur employment history, with t	he most recent experienc	e first			
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nt occupation and duties be your current occupation an assist an employer to recogn formation you enter will be av ample: I am currently employe	ise your range of expertise ailable to employers that ed at [company name] as	e. search th	ne Skill Matching Database.		
	be any other qualifications and include your current occupation when thistory are employment history, with the Employer and atted occupation and duties be your current occupation are assist an employer to recogniformation you enter will be avalample: I am currently employer.	yment history ur employment history, with the most recent experienc Employer and city ated occupation code It occupation and duties be your current occupation and duties. Please use tech assist an employer to recognise your range of expertise formation you enter will be available to employers that	be any other qualifications and specialised training which may include your current occupation and duties which you will describe include your current occupation and duties which you will describe include your current occupation and city atted occupation code It occupation and duties be your current occupation and duties. Please use technical and assist an employer to recognise your range of expertise. formation you enter will be available to employers that search the ample: I am currently employed at [company name] as a [job tite]	be any other qualifications and specialised training which may interest an employer include your current occupation and duties which you will describe in a later question yment history ur employment history, with the most recent experience first Employer and city Occupation/position atted occupation code It occupation and duties be your current occupation and duties. Please use technical and trade specific language if this assist an employer to recognise your range of expertise. formation you enter will be available to employers that search the Skill Matching Database. ample: I am currently employed at [company name] as a [job title] since [start month and year].	be any other qualifications and specialised training which may interest an employer include your current occupation and duties which you will describe in a later question

88 Membership of professional or trade associations

from the Skill Matching Database.

	Name of	association		Membership status	Date of effect
				·	DAY MONTH YEAR
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89	How did you hear about the	Department's website	9	Departmental officer	Migration Agent
	Skill Matching Database?	Recruitment seminar/EXPO)	Newspaper/Advertising	
		Other	r 🕨		
90	Applicant's declaration		Signature		
	I declare that I understand the purpo	ose of the information I have	of primary		
	provided on this form. I consent to the	he details on this form being	applicant		
	circulated to employers and Skill Mai			DAY MONTH YEAR	
	including State/Territory government and Area Consultative Committees in		Date	/ /	
	skill matching. Specifically, the infort				
	employers and Skill Matching Databa				
	but is not limited to, your: added date	,			
	date, visa application status, eligibility	code and English proficiency.			
	When you have secured emp	oloyment in Australia,			
	please advise the departmen	nt to remove your details			

If your spouse satisfies the basic requirements of General Skilled Migration (see Booklet 6) they can also include their details on the Skill Matching Database if you are applying under:

- Skilled Independent*
- Skilled Australian Sponsored*
- Skilled Independent Overseas Student*
- Skilled Australian Sponsored Overseas Student, or
- Skill Matching*.

* Do not fill in this Skill Matching Database form if your spouse does not wish to be included on the Skill Matching Database. (If this does not apply to you, go to **Part K**)

	SPOUSE				
91	Spouse's full name	Family name			
		Given names			
92	Sex	Male	Female		
93	Date of birth		DAY MONTH YEAR ///		
94	Spouse's residential address (If the same as yours, write 'SAME AS Question	on 76')			
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95	Address for correspondence from an employe (If the same as residential address, write 'AS.				
	(,		POSTC	ODE
			COUNTRY CODE AREA CODE NUMBER		
96	Spouse's telephone numbers	Office hours	() ()		
		After hours	()()		
			COUNTRY CODE NUMBER		
		Mobile	()		
97	Does your spouse agree to the department	No			
	communicating with her/him by fax or e-mail?	Yes	▶ Give details		
		Fax number	COUNTRY CODE AREA CODE NUMBER		
	F.	mail address			
	L		Note: Please provide your spouse's personal e-mail	address as this	
			is the preferred method of contact for Australian en		
98	Spouse's country of birth				
99	Of which countries is your spouse a citizen?				
100	Education and trade qualifications List all post secondary qualifications				
	Qualification		Institution and city	Country	Year of award

	Other training and qualification specialisation Describe any other qualifications and specialised training which may interest an employer							
	Do not include your spouse's current occupation and duties which							
102	Employment history List your spouse's employment history, with the most recent expe	rience first						
	Employer and city	Occupation/position		Period YEAR				
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	The information you enter will be available to employers that sear For example: I am currently employed at [company name] as a [jo year]. My duties include: [list relevant roles and responsibilities].							

105 Membership of professional or trade associations

Name of association	Membership status	e of effe	ect	
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I declare that I understand the purpose of the information I have provided on this form. I consent to the details on this form being circulated to employers, State/Territory governments and regional organisations in Australia who may facilitate skill matching.

When you have secured employment in Australia, please advise the department to remove your details from the Skill Matching Database.

Signature of spouse					_
	DAY	MONTH	YEAR	_	
Date		/ /			

Part K – Assistance with this form

107	Did you receive assistance in completing this form?						
	No						
	Yes Please give details of the person who assisted you						
	Title: Mr Mrs Miss Ms Other						
	Family name						
	Given names						
	Address						
	POSTCODE						
	Telephone number or daytime contact						
	COUNTRY CODE AREA CODE NUMBER						
	Office hours () ()						
	Mobile phone						
108	Is your agent registered with the Migration Agents Registration Authority (MARA)? No Yes Fig. 60 to Part L						
109	Is your agent in Australia?						
	No ☐▶ Go to Part L						
	Yes						
110	Did you pay the person and/or give a gift for this assistance? No						
	Yes How much did you pay?						
	AUD AND/OR						
	What kind of gift did you give? (eg. jewellery)						
	Value of gift (approximately)						
	AUD						

$Part\ L-Options\ for\ receiving\ written\ communications$

111	All written communications (Tick one box only)	about this application should be sent to:
	Myself ▶	All written communications will be sent to the address for communications that you have provided in this form. Go to Part Q
		· Go to Part O
	Offshore agent	
	Agent exempted from registration	You must complete form 956 <i>Appointment</i> of a migration agent and attach it to this application form. Go to Part Q
	Authorised recipient	This is a person authorised to only receive written communications. All written communications that would otherwise have been sent to you in relation to this application will be sent to that person.
112	information about you, and/orevealed, in the course of the	person to receive health and/or character or your dependants, that may arise, or be is application (for example, requests for health information about you, or the results
	No Yes	
		Continued on the next page

Part M – Authorised recipient details

Note: Do NOT complete this section if you are acting as a migration agent, go to Part 0

113	Provide details of the		thorised o	n vour behalf to			act on your behalf and t ns about this application		all written	
	receive all written co	mmunications abo	ut this app	olication.	1	Migration Ager Number (MARI		:	7 DIGITS	: :
	Title: Mr Mr	s Miss	Ms	Other]	OR	,			
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	Given names					(if allocated by	the department)	•	<u> </u>	
	Authorised recipient'	s postal address			1	Title: Mr	Mrs Miss	Ms	Other	
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	E-mail address						g with you by fax, e-mail	or other e	electronic mea	ans?
115	I understand and acc	cent that I am the I	nerson anı	pointed by the		No Yes Fin	ve details			
	applicant to receive			ounted by the		100	COUNTRY CODE AREA CO	DDE	NUMBER	
	Signature of					Fax number	() ()		
	authorised recipient					E-mail address	S			
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>>	Now go to Part Q					Signature of agent				
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Part O – Agent details

116 Provide the details requested below about the agent who is

Part Q – Payment details

119	Do you have the application fee to include with your application? (check for the correct fee listed in the form 990i <i>Charges</i> on the department's website)						
	No ☐ Yes ☐ ▶ Go t	o Question 121					
120	Is this application	n for a Skill Matching visa?					
		lication will be returned unassessed o Question 124					
121		y your application charge? ia, debit card or credit card are the preferred methods					
	Bank cheque Money order Please make payable to: Department of Immigration and Multicultural Affairs Debit card						
	Credit card						
	Payment by <i>(tick one box)</i> Australian Dollars						
MasterCard Diners Club American Express JCB AUD							
	Credit card num	ber					
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	Expiry date : / :						
	Cardholder's na	me					
	Telephone [number	(AREA CODE)					
	Address						
		POSTCODE					
	Signature of cardholder						

Credit card information will be used for charge paying purposes only.

Part R – Declarations

122 APPLICATION VALIDITY DECLARATION FOR ONSHORE GENERAL SKILLED AND ONSHORE SKILLED - INDEPENDENT REGIONAL (PROVISIONAL) VISA APPLICANT/S

- I declare that I have applied to a relevant assessing authority for an assessment of my skills for my nominated skilled occupation (applicants for subclasses 880 and onshore 495 only).
- I declare that I (or my spouse) have applied to a relevant assessing authority for an assessment of my (or my spouse's) skills for the nominated skilled occupation (applicants for subclasses 881 and 882 only).
- I declare that I meet the 2 years study in Australia requirement (subclasses 880 applicants only).
- I declare that I (or my spouse) meet the 2 years study in Australia requirement (applicants for subclasses 881 and 882).
- I declare that I meet the 2 years study in Australia requirement or am an eligible Occupational Trainee (subclass 442) or Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa holder (for onshore subclass 495 applicants only).
- I declare that I, and all persons included in this application, have undergone a medical examination for the purpose of this application at Health Services Australia or an approved panel doctor.
- I declare that I, and all persons included in this application who are aged 16 years or over, have applied in the last 12 months to the Australian Federal Police for a check of my/their criminal records.
- I declare that I, and all persons included in this application, have an eligible sponsor (applicants for subclasses 881 and 882 only).
- · I declare that I, and all persons included in this application, are able to make a General Skilled Migration visa application without first returning to my/their home country to fulfil Government sponsored student visa obligations.
- I declare that I am sponsored by a State/Territory government agency or Regional Certifying Body (onshore subclass 495 applicants only).
- I declare that I am aged under 45 years or that I have received a letter from the department inviting me to apply for a Skilled - Independent Regional visa on the basis of my earlier application for a subclass 136 Skilled – Independent visa (**onshore subclass 495** applicants only).

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30001033 730	subclass 455 applicants only						
Signature of primary applicant							
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123 APPLICATION VALIDITY DECLARATION FOR OFFSHORE SKILLED – INDEPENDENT REGIONAL VISA APPLICANT/S

- I declare that a relevant assessing authority has assessed my skills for my nominated skilled occupation.
- I declare that I am sponsored by a State/Territory government agency or Regional Certifying Body.
- I declare that I am aged 18 years or over and under 45, or have received a letter from the department inviting me to apply for a Skilled – Independent Regional visa on the basis of my earlier application for a Skilled – Independent (subclass 136) visa.

Reference numb	er quoted on my invitation letter
Signature of primary applicant	
	DAY MONTH YEAR
Date	

124 DECLARATION FOR ALL APPLICANTS

Warning: Under the *Migration Act 1958*, there are penalties for deliberately giving false or misleading information.

- I declare that the information I have supplied in this application is complete, correct and up-to-date in every detail.
- I understand that if I give false or misleading information, my application may be refused, or any visa granted may be cancelled.
- I understand that if this application is approved, any person not included in this application will not have automatic right of entry to Australia by way of this application.
- I will inform the Department of Immigration and Multicultural Affairs
 of any changes to my personal circumstances (including change of
 address) while my application is being considered.
- I authorise the Australian Government to make any enquiries
 necessary to determine my eligibility for permanent stay in Australia,
 and to use any information supplied in this application for that
 purpose.
- I have read and understood the information supplied to me in this application.
- I consent to my details and information about my visa application being provided to employers, Commonwealth and State/Territory governments and regional organisations in Australia, who may facilitate skill matching.

Signature of primary applicant						
		DAY	10M	NTH	YEAR	_
	Date		/	/		

When lodging your application do NOT place the application in any binder, folder or plastic sleeve.

125	Have you completed the visa specific checklist from the department's website www.immi.gov.au/skilled/					
	No					

126 DECLARATION FOR SKILLED - INDEPENDENT REGIONAL (PROVISIONAL) VISA APPLICANTS (ONSHORE AND OFFSHORE) **Signature** The primary applicant and each accompanying person aged 16 years and over must sign this declaration. Name Family name Given name **Signature** DAY MONTH YEAR Date of birth Name Passport/travel document number **Signature** I declare that if granted a Skilled – Independent Regional (Provisional) visa: I understand and acknowledge that the visa granted will be for a Name 3-year temporary stay in Australia; • I understand that I will be expected to live and work in regional **Signature** Australia or a low population growth metropolitan area; • I understand that all my family members holding a Skilled -Independent Regional (Provisional) visa will also be required to live Name and work/study in regional Australia or a low population growth metropolitan area; • I understand that if I am granted a Skilled – Independent Regional **Signature** (Provisional) visa a condition code will be included on the visa label (and my family member's visa labels) advising that I and all my family

Name

members holding a Skilled - Independent Regional (Provisional) visa

I understand that if I and all my family members holding a Skilled – Independent Regional (Provisional) visa do not comply with the conditions of the Skilled – Independent Regional (Provisional) visa it

 I understand and acknowledge that holding a Skilled – Independent Regional (Provisional) visa does not make me, or any of my family

 I understand and acknowledge that if I, and any of my family members, are granted a Skilled – Independent Regional (Provisional) visa, we may not be able to access the range of government services and

 I authorise the Department of Immigration and Multicultural Affairs to notify the decision on this application to the sponsoring agency in a state or territory government, including information relating to any

YEAR

benefits that are available to permanent visa holders;
I understand that it is my responsibility to investigate my and my family members' eligibility for government benefits and services with

MONTH

must not live or work/study outside regional Australia or a low

population growth metropolitan area;

members, eligible to enrol in Medicare;

the appropriate government agency;

criterion/criteria not met.

Date

Signature of primary applicant

may be cancelled;

127 ACKNOWLEDGMENT REGARDING SOCIAL SECURITY PAYMENTS

This acknowledgment must be signed by the primary applicant and each accompanying person aged 16 years or over.

I understand that if granted a visa:

- there is a two-year wait period for social security payments, including unemployment benefits, for most newly arrived migrants;
- I will need to have enough money, even if unemployed, to support
 myself for the first 2 years and if I run out of money or fail to get a
 job in that period, that would not be sufficient reason to make me
 eligible for social security income support payments;
- the cost of living in Australia, compared to many other countries, is high;
- approval to migrate does not guarantee employment in Australia and that it is entirely my own responsibility to secure employment after arrival, including investigating my prospects before I arrive in Australia;
- work availability varies significantly from time to time in different parts
 of Australia and that for many jobs in Australia, applicants must be
 eligible for membership of a professional or industry organisation
 and/or be able to be registered or licensed with an Australian state
 authority before working in a particular occupation.

Signature of primary applicant	
Date	DAY MONTH YEAR
Signature	
Name	