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APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION

Overseas student application form

1. Complete all sections using BLOCK LETTERS.

- 2. Attach supporting documents, including copies of your passport and academic documents.
- 3. Students will be charged AUD \$300.00 (non-refundable*conditions apply) Application Fee.

1. Personal Details (Please choose by placing an X in the boxes that apply to you)							
Title:	□ Mr. □ Mrs. □ Ms. □ Other	Gender:	□ Male	Female	Other		
Date of Birth: [Day/month/year]		Country of Birth:					
Surname:		Given Names:					

* Please write the name that you used when you applied for your Unique Student Identifier (USI), including any middle names. If you do not yet have a USI and want Australian Study Link Institute (ASLI) to apply for a USI on your behalf, **you must write your name, including any middle names, exactly as written in the identity document** that you choose to use for this purpose. See section on the USI at the end of this form for a detailed explanation.

2. English Language Proficien		1	1			
Do you speak a language other than English at home?	 □ No, English only □ Yes, others - please specify 	Was English the language of instruction in your secondary/tertiary studies?	□ Yes □ No			
How well do you speak English?	□ Very well □ Well □ Not well □ Not at all	Have you taken the English language test in the last two (2) years e.g., IELTS, PTE, TOEFL or equivalent? (if yes, please indicate name of test and score) (If no, please refer to section given below)	 Test Name: Score Achieved: Date: 			
Not Required. I am from (please)	se tick): 🗆 United Kingdo	om 🛛 Ireland 🗆 Canada 🗆 South Africa	🗆 USA			
*Please note that all the students must undertake a Language, Literacy and Numeracy test before the course commencement at ASLI. Language, Literacy and Numeracy test will be conducted on campus by using LLN robot under the supervision of a qualified assessor prior to the commencement.						
Are you of Aboriginal or Torres S						
(For persons of both Aboriginal a	j	1				
🗆 No	Yes, Aboriginal	Provide the second s	nder			
Department of Home Affairs (DHA) Office where you applied for your VISA	 Onshore (please specify the name) Offshore 					
	Yes, please specify t	his below.				
Do you have a Unique						
Student Identifier (USI) Number?						
Unique Student Identifier	□ I will create it myself	(visit www.usi.gov.au) eate a USI on my behalf (read the inform	action provided below in			
(USİ):	Appendix 3)	eate a USI on my benan (read the mon	lation provided below in			
statement of attainment when yo	ou complete your course,	ented from issuing you with a nationally r if you do not have a USI. In addition, we	are required to include your			
at https://www.usi.gov.au/your-u		obtained a USI, you can apply for it direct	спу			
		tifier (USI) information provided below in	"Appendix 3" if the student			
Note: Students are required to read Unique Student Identifier (USI) information provided below in "Appendix 3" if the student authorises ASLI to apply for a Unique Student Identifier. Students will be required to fill up the USI Consent Application form						
during induction prior to course commencement.						
		guage, literacy, and numeracy (LLN) s				
		may have during your study. *LLN tes	st will be conducted on			
campus using LLN Robot und	er the supervision of q	ualified assessors.				
3. Contact Details						
Address (Home Country)						
Address:	1					



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State/Province:		Country :		Post Code:	
Phone no:		Email:			
Residential Address (Australia	ı)	<u> </u>			
Address:					
Suburb:		State:		Post Code:	
Mobile no:		Email:			
Postal Address in Australia (if	different from Residential)				
Address:					1
Suburb:		State:		Post Code:	
Preferred method: □ Email □	D Phone				
4. Passport Details:					
Passport no:		Passport Expiry Date:			
Country and place of passport issue:		1			
A true copy of your original docu	ments must be provided as pa	art of your application.			
5. Visa Details					
 Yes, (if yes, complete the f No 	ollowing section)				
VISA Type:		VISA Subclass:			
VISA Number:		VISA Expiry date:			
6. Education Agent	- Maa - Na		1		
Did you choose any Education Agent? If yes, please fill in the details of the agent referred. If No, proceed to section 7.	□ Yes □ No	Name of the Agent:			
Address:			I.		
Mobile:		Phone:			
Email:		Agent Stamp (if applicable)			
7. Overseas Student Health Co	over		1		
OSHC Arranged	Yes (Fill up Part A) □		No (refe	r to Part B)	
Part A-Insurer Details		1	T		I
Name of the Insurer:		Member Number:		Date of expiry:	
Part B	equires all persons optoring A	ustralia on a Student Vice	to have OS	HC	
 The Australian Government requires all persons entering Australia on a Student Visa to have OSHC. The length of your OSHC MUST cover the total length of your course(s). For visa length information-<u>https://immi.homeaffairs.gov.au/visas/getting-a-visa/visa-listing/student-500/length-of-stay</u>. Note: ASLI does not apply for OSHC on behalf of students. Students are required to arrange their own health cover. However, 					
ASLI can assist students in arrai	nging their own OSHC. Please	e contact ASLI for assistan			;
8. Disability Status (Please che				No	
Do you consider yourself to have If you indicate the presence of a	disability, impairment, or long-				wing list: You
may indicate more than one area	4.	Medical Condition			



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	□ Physical □ Learning	□ Medical illness □ Acquired Brain Impairment			
	0				
	Intellectual	🗆 Vision			
	Other				
	If yes, do you require additional assistance because of this disability or any other support need during your study?				

If yes, do you require additional assistance because of this disability or any other support need during your study? □ Yes □ No

Please provide details of what support you will require during you study:

9. Course Selection (Please choose by placing an X in the boxes that apply to you)

Please be advised that as part of the application process, you will be required to fill up pre-training review form that needs to be submitted along with the application form.

elect	Course Code and Name	CRICOS Course Code	Duration (weeks including holiday breaks) *
	BSB40520-Certificate IV in Leadership and Management	106803F	40 Weeks (including holiday breaks)
	BSB50420 - Diploma of Leadership and Management	104633B	52 Weeks (including holiday breaks)
	BSB60420- Advanced Diploma of Leadership and Management	107072F	52 Weeks (including holiday breaks)
	BSB80120 - Graduate Diploma of Management (Learning)	107073E	52 Weeks (including holiday breaks)
	SIT30821 - Certificate III in Commercial Cookery	109844F	52 Weeks (including holiday breaks)
	SIT40521- Certificate IV in Kitchen Management	109502F	78 Weeks (including holiday breaks)
	SIT50422- Diploma of Hospitality Management	112633B	64 Weeks (including holiday breaks)
	SIT60322- Advanced Diploma of Hospitality Management	112634A	92 Weeks (including holiday breaks)

Note: Details of course information can be obtained from our student prospectus, handbook or by visiting our website: <u>http://www.asli.vic.edu.au//</u>. Alternatively, students can also contact student's administration on +61396399951, 1300200839.

Material Fees will include printed reading materials and handouts or books only.

For Commercial Cookery, Kitchen, and Hospitality Management qualifications: It is a mandatory requirement for students undertaking Commercial Cookery, Kitchen, and Hospitality Management qualifications to have a kitchen kit to enter the kitchen and to be able to undertake training in the kitchen effectively. Kitchen kit includes chef dress, knife kit and safety shoes. Students are required to buy chef dress and knife kit from ASLI only.

Kitchen Kit & Uniform- \$280

Students will have to buy safety shoes separately for the kitchen classes which are mandatory.

Delivery Mode:

For BSB gualifications: Classroom based Face to Face theory learning.

For SIT Qualifications: Classroom based Face to Face theory learning and practical training at ASLI's commercial kitchen with access to a simulated environment.

Delivery Location

Classroom based Face to Face delivery Location (On campus): Level 2, 123 Lonsdale Street, Melbourne, Victoria 3000, Australia Practical training location for SIT Qualifications, i.e., Commercial Cookery, Kitchen, and Hospitality Management qualifications: practical training

component of the courses will be delivered at ASLI's commercial kitchen at: 4-6 Baxter Street, Coburg, Victoria 3058. **For Commercial Cookery, Kitchen, and Hospitality Management qualifications only: Students are required to complete Work Based Training as part of their course, and it will be completed in the workplace commercial kitchen. An induction for WBT students will be conducted at the institute and workplace induction will be conducted at the workplace before commencement of WBT. Please refer to the student prospectus, handbook for individual course information and for further details or contact ASLI institute at +6139639951, 1300200839. Please Note: Students are required to attend a minimum 20 scheduled course contact hours per week.

10. Previous highest qualification achieved (PLEASE DO NOT LEAVE IT BLANK, IT'S MANDATORY)							
Have you successfully completed any of the following qualifications in Australia or hold any overseas qualification? If yes, tick any							
of the below boxes:							
Bachelor's Degree or higher	Advanced Diploma or associate degree	Diploma	Certificate IV				
Certificate III	Certificate II	Certificate	Year 12 or equivalent				
□ Year 11 or equivalent □ Year 10 or equivalent □ Year 9 or equivalent							
Year 8 or below	Never attended school	-					



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11. Qualification details:

Name of the Institute:

Year Awarded:

In the case of overseas qualification, has the qualification been assessed as equivalent to an Australian qualification? □ Yes □ No

Attach documentation including copies of all academic records. Academic records not in English must also be accompanied by a translated copy. If you believe you have relevant work experience, attach details and documentation (e.g., employer reference, curriculum vitae, etc.)

12. Employment

Which of the following best describes your current employment status? □ Full time employee

□ Part time employee

Unemployed-seeking full time work

□ Unemployed-seeking part time work □ Self-employed - not employing others □ Not employed -not seeking employment

□ Employed - unpaid worker in a family business

□ Self-employed – employing others

13. Payment Details

□ Payment by Credit Card (Please fill in the credit authorisation form)						
Note: 3% surcharge i	is charged on every transactic	on for the paymen	nt made by credit card			
Bank Cheque made	e payable to Australian Study	Link Institute (AS	SLI)			
□ Bank Transfer to be	e made to the following bank a	account:				
Ezidebit (This is a	direct debit option; if you are	selecting Monthly	instalment then this is the only method of payment)			
Account Name:	RTO Connect Pty Ltd					
Account Number:	10656505	BSB No:	063009			
Swift Code:	CTBAAU2S					
Bank Name:	Commonwealth Bank					
Bank Address:	221 William Street Melbour	ne 3000				
NOTE: ASLI is requi	red to report the students to	the Departmen	t of Home Affairs based on unsatisfactory course progress.			
Students must maintain competency in 50% or more units for satisfactory course progress in each study period and attend their						
classes regularly as attendance will be monitored regularly. Students are also required to attend their classes and maintain 80%						
of attendance throug	hout the course. Kindly go the	rough Appendix 2	2 given below and student's handbook for detailed information			
on Attendance and C	Course progress.					

All prospective students are required to familiarise themselves with the Enrolment policy and procedures (given inside Enrolment Kit) of ASLI and Student's handbook for detailed information about the campus, facilities, equipment, learning resources, fee payable and fee payment, grounds on which enrolment may be deferred, suspended, or cancelled, course progress and attendance policy, complaints, and appeals, ASLI's policies and procedures etc. This will be available on ASLI's website <u>http://www.asli.vic.edu.au/</u> or the student's handbook.

Student Declaration and Consent

- I declare that the information provided on this form and supporting documentation is true and correct.
- L I have read and understood the information in handbook, student prospectus, including Entry requirements, Privacy policy, Refund policy, Course progress and attendance policy, Complaints and appeals policy and procedures of ASLI provided to me along with this application form.
- □ I consent to the collection, use and disclosure of my personal information in accordance with the Privacy Notice.
- □ I have read and understand ASLI's Enrolment policy and procedures. (Available on ASLI's website http://www.asli.vic.edu.au/ and student's handbook)
- L acknowledge that the provision of incorrect information or documentation or the withholding of information or documentation relating to my application may result in the cancellation of my enrolment.
- I confirm that I have been fully advised of the fees, cancellation and refund conditions and I agree to be a student at ASLI
- □ I have read and understood important information (Appendix 2) provided to me along with this application form.
- L understand that I am responsible for keeping a copy of written agreements as supplied by ASLI, and receipts of any payments of tuition fees or non-tuition fees.

STUDENT SIGNATURE

Student D	Date
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Appendix 1

Pre-Training Review (PTR)

The Pre-Training Review (PTR) is conducted prior to the enrolment into your course of studies to ensure that the training and assessment provided by Australian Study Link Institute (ASLI) can meet the student's individual needs.

Before we make an offer, ASLI is required to review the student's current competencies, student needs, English level, *support requirements and oral communication skills, to enrol them in the most appropriate course to achieve their intended outcomes.

*Refer to ASLI's Student support and welfare policy for more information on the support services provided by the institute.

The pre-training review ensures that ASLI:

- understands the student's reasons for undertaking the course
- ensures the suitability of the training for the students

• understands the student's current competencies and therefore provides opportunities for these to be assessed

• identifies possible Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) and/or Credit Transfer (CT), student's English level, oral communication skills, knowledge on Language Literacy and Numeracy skills.

• check if the training and assessment strategies employed to deliver the course suits the student's needs, and

• provides relevant support required for the student to succeed in the course.

Guidelines for PTR-To be filled up by Students.

- 1. Students are required to fill up this PTR form.
- Students are required to read all the details of their course, policies, and procedures of the Institute before filling up the answers and complete all the answers of this PTR form in a true and correct manner. Information can be made available from the student prospectus, Student Handbook and/or website.
- 3. Administration Manager or representative will conduct PTR Interview via Telephonic Conversation or via Face to Face.
 - PTR Interview conducted via Telephone-If PTR Interview conducted via telephone. is Administration Manager or representative will call the student and check student's identity like name, date of birth and/or course undertaken to ensure that the student has genuinely completed the information by himself/herself. For telephonic Conversation, a communication log will be retained as an evidence of student declaration in lieu of the student's physical signature e.g., through E-mail, call notes, etc. Response of the discussion will be recorded by the Administration Manager or representative.
 - **PTR Interview conducted Face to Face-** During face-to-face PTR interview, Administration Manager or representative will verify with the student if all the answers have been completed by the student. Discussion notes will be maintained and recorded.
- During both Telephonic and/or Face to face PTR Interview, Administration Manager or representative will verify the answers provided by the student and check:

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- if the student is aware of the policies, procedures, and other information necessary for the students.
- if the student has received true and accurate information and if they are suitable to undertake the course/s.
- 5. Administration Manager or representative will ensure that PTR form received along with the application form is completed by the student intending to apply for the course.

If students have not received sufficient information i.e., are not aware of the policies, procedures, and other information necessary for students to make enrolment decision to study at ASLI, Administration Manager or representative will provide necessary information to the student required to make enrolment decision.

- 7. For example: If students have answered "No" or have not answered the questions in the PTR form, Administration Manager or representative will provide students with true and accurate information so that students can make an informed decision about their enrolment in the courses at ASLI.
- While conducting PTR, Administration Manager or representative will take information from the Application form and Pre training review form to identify any support and needs required by the student which includes: disability support, RPL/CT, English language support, etc.
- 9. At the final stage of the PTR, the Administration Manager or representative will fill up the pre training evaluation checklist to ensure that the student is enrolled in a course suitable to his/her needs, abilities, and study/career goals, and to recommend appropriate learning or other support.

Please Note: Administration Manager or representative will take holistic approach while assessing student's answers during Pre-Training Review by ensuring that all the answers provided by students aligns with their educational and future goals. If student's answer does not align with the student's educational or future goals, a thorough discussion with the student will be conducted and support or guidance will be offered if required.

Student will not be given admission if student's stated reasons for undertaking course does not align with his/her future and/or previous experience in that particular area (if any).

Application Rejection

Student's Application will be rejected if:

- Student does not have the appropriate work experience, level of skills and the ability to undertake the course successfully.
- Enrolment in the course is not aligned with the student's educational goals, work/career goals and/or previous experience in that area (if any).
- Student does not meet the entry requirements specified for the course including English requirements, academic requirements, age, and does



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not have the ability to undertake this course successfully.

 Student does not have appropriate listening and oral communication skills as interpreted during PTR Interview.

Do you have access to enough information to make an informed decision about your enrolment in this course at ASLI? Let us know if you have questions or need more information. Refer to question below.

Entry requirements for your proposed course including English language requirements, Language Literacy and Numeracy Test, computer literacy requirements etc? If no, please specify.

Yes, No

Content of your proposed course, duration of your proposed course including holidays, delivery location, whether your course includes a work placement, delivery method, workbased training (where applicable), assessment method etc? If no, please specify.

Yes, No

Did you get information about indicative course-related fees incurred throughout the course, applicable fund withdrawal policies (refund), course progress/attendance monitoring policy, satisfactory academic performance, assessment information and methods, about the grounds upon which your enrolment or course may be deferred, suspended or cancelled? If no, please specify.

Yes, No

Are you aware about the institute's policies and procedures including RPL, internal and external complaints procedures, appeals processes, your rights to act under the Australia's consumer protection laws, course progress requirements to successfully complete the course & the conditions under which you might be reported to the Department of Home Affairs (DHA)? If no, please specify?

Yes, No

Have you been advised that, as part of the view or audit of your training, you may:

 Receive a survey from the National Centre for Vocational Education Research (NCVER) and/or an invitation to take part in a project endorsed by a funding body.

Be contacted by someone authorised by the funding body and/or the Regulator to talk to you about your training.

RTO Connect Pty Ltd T/A Australian Study Link Institute Version Number-Version 23.02 Email - info@asli.vic.edu.au Administration Manager or representative will inform the student before rejecting and discuss reasons for rejection of application. Students are requested to fill all the questions provided in the form below. If any doubt arises, please contact ASLI administration on +61396399951.

Yes, No

Are you willing to commit to undertake a minimum of 20 hours of study and work-related assessments as this qualification requires minimum 20 hours of study per week?

Yes, No

Administration Manager or representative will contact the students if students feel that they have not been provided enough information or if students are not aware of it. *Please give us a call on +61396399951 or send an email on apply@asli.vic.edu.au if you are facing any problem*

Suitability of this course for you

O To get a job

- o To get a better job or promotion
- It was a requirement of my job.
- To develop my existing business
- To start my own business
- o To try for a different career
- o To get into another course of study
- I wanted extra skills for my job.
- o For personal interest or self-development
- o To get skills for community/voluntary work
- o Others

In case of others, please state the reason:

- 2. Have you had any previous experience/industry directly related to this course? How is this course able to help you in your future career prospective?
- 3. Why did you choose Australian Study Link Institute as your desired course provider for this course?
- 4. Do you require any kind of support? For example, in English language proficiency, computer support? If yes, please specify what kind of support?



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For students undertaking commercial cookery, Kitchen, and Hospitality Management qualification.

5. Have you ever had difficulty while working in

what kind difficulty)

commercial or hospitality industry, for example,

difficulty in handling complex food items, as you will be required to handle complex foods including

cooking of various processed or raw meats, poultry, seafoods and dairy items? (If yes, please inform us

□ Mixed mode of online learning and face to face □ Practical Training □ Others, please specify

7. Computer and Internet Skills

Do you have regular access to computer devices, the internet, M.S Office, Power Point, etc? If no, please specify if you require support.

Yes, No

8. Do you wish to apply for an RPL or Credit Transfer? If yes, please complete the RPL/CT Form available online at ASLI's website or at ASLI reception.

□ Yes, (please fill RPL application form available on ASLI's website) □ No

- 6. Mode of Study/Learning Style: Thinking about how you'll best learn, which method will suit you the best?
- □ Classroom based face-to-face □ Workplace experience Student Declaration
 - □ I certify that I have filled this PTR Form by myself
 - □ I have completed all the answers of this PTR form in a true and correct manner and provided genuine answers to the best of my knowledge.

Student Signature......Date:

Important Information for Students

Please read the below given information carefully before signing the application form. Students may contact ASLI for any further information or email us at <u>apply@asli.vic.edu.au</u>. It is advisable to read student prospectus, handbook for detailed information.

Note: ASLI provides airport pick up. Students are required to fill the Airport Pick up form available on ASLI's website or students can email their request for Airport pick up at sso@asli.vic.edu.au. Students are requested to contact ASLI at 61396399951 for any other information. Airport pick up fees: AU\$100 (From airport to ASLI Head

Office) Kindly contact us in advance (preferably 5 working days) to avoid any inconvenience.

There is a help desk available at the airport for international students to assist students in finding suitable airport pick up services e.g., UBER, Sky Bus and taxi services.

Course Monitoring and Attendance Policy

ASLI has a Course Monitoring and Attendance Policy which states that the students are required to maintain satisfactory course progress throughout the course. Students are also required to attend their classes and maintain 80% of attendance throughout the course. Low attendance implies that students might not be able to complete their course on time and this will lead to unsatisfactory course progress. Hence,

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course timetables to make satisfactory course progress. ASLI is required to report students on the basis of unsatisfactory course progress to the Department of Home Affairs (DHA) via PRISMS.

Note: Student's attendance will be recorded at each scheduled class and it will be reviewed on weekly basis based on trainer attendance records. Low attendance may lead to unsatisfactory course progress which can lead to you being reported to the DHA on the basis of unsatisfactory course progress.

For detailed information, kindly refer to Course Monitoring and Attendance Policy available on website or refer to Student's handbook.

Fee Payment

a) The initial tuition fee, application fee and material fee (if applicable) as stated in the offer letter must be paid in advance before the commencement of the course for confirmation of enrolment at the institute.

b) Students are not required to pay more than the initial tuition fee amount as stated on the offer letter (or 50% of the tuition fee) before the start of the course. However, students can pay more than 50% if they wish to do so. Any amount of fees paid before the start of the course will be reflected on the Confirmation of Enrolment (COE).

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c) Any remaining tuition fees can be paid through payment plan arrangements. All students are required to understand and sign the fees agreement which states the next instalment amounts with the due dates. All due dates on the tuition fees will be kept at standard 15th of every month until fully paid.

d) Student must pay full tuition fees for each term by the due date or as specified in the invoices unless any other payment plan/arrangement is agreed with the institute.

e) Tuition fees will be payable to the Institute by a bank draft or telegraphic transfer (or other approved payment options) in Australian dollars as agreed by the institute.

f) Students must pay their fee directly to Australian Study Link Institute (ASLI). Student should not pay the fee to the agent and/ or third party in relation to the application for enrolment.

Reminder letter

In case the student's instalment falls on a particular month, a friendly email reminder along with the first warning letter will be issued to the student after 7 working days of the date when the student has missed the payment i.e. 7 working days after the "due date". Students may also be informed via phone call or post for initial reminder.

After sending the first warning letter, if the student fails to make the payment again and does not communicate with the accounts department, a second warning letter will be issued to the student after 7 Working days of sending the first warning letter. Students will be provided with 7 more working days to make the payment or to request for an extension. Students may call ASLI on +61396399951 for any further enquiries.

g. If a student fails to make the payment of the outstanding fees even after a final notice and/or email, "Intention to cancel Enrolment" letter will be sent to the student. Student's enrolment will be cancelled after 20 working days of final notice. The suspension of enrolment will cause following restrictions to apply:

> i. Loss of access to the institute library service, Learning Management System, classroom, computer system including internet and others.

> ii. Loss of access to enrolment records, results and academic certificates.

iii. Inability to attend any classes where this may result in students having to repeat missed work and/units.

The student has the right to appeal against the decision from the date of letter. Refer to complaints and appeal policy for information available on ASLI's website.

If the student decides to appeal against the decision, his/her enrolment will be kept active until both internal and external appeal process is completed.

h) If students choose not to appeal against the institute's decision and makes no further payment or do not contact the institute concerning their debt, their enrolment may be cancelled, and the student will be reported to the Department of Home Affairs for non-payment of fees.

i) If student decides to not appeal against the decision and accepts to pay the fees, then students will be required to pay the full dues along with late fee of \$50 per week.

j) An additional fee for re-assessments will be applicable when:

- Students have to undergo reassessment after two additional attempts. (Re-assessment fee after 2 attempts \$300), or
- Students have to repeat a subject if students are unable to demonstrate competency after 3 reassessment attempts. (Repeat unit fee- \$300).

k) Students who enrol in additional courses will be required to pay a separate tuition fee as specified for the course.

I) The tuition fee charged to the student will remain the same provided the student remains enrolled in the same course. If the student transfers the course, tuition fee for the transferred course will be applied.

Please Note: Fees are subject to change without prior notice. However, fees will not change after the signed agreement has been received for the duration of same course. Please contact the student administration for updated fees and charges.

m) If the student's visa status changes (e.g. becomes a temporary or permanent resident), the student will continue to pay full overseas student fees for the duration of the enrolled program.

n) ASLI reserves the right to engage in any third party to recover any outstanding fees payable to the institute. The cost incurred to the Institute for engaging a third party to recover such outstanding fees will be charged to the student.

0) ASLI has Refund's policy and procedures to ensure all students are treated fairly and with integrity when applying for refunds.

p) All refunds applications will be submitted to the student administration department and the following procedures will be followed in assessing the application.

q) All 'refunds' will be approved by the Administration Officer and the applications will be processed within 10 working days of the application being placed.

Refund of Tuition fees

A student who wishes to apply for a refund of tuition fees in accordance with this refund policy should do so by filling up a Refund Application form is available at ASLI's reception and on ASLI's website <u>http://www.asli.vic.edu.au/</u>. Students must submit refund application form along with other supporting documents on campus. The documents should be submitted to: Australian Study Link Institute

Accounts Officer

Level 2, 123 Lonsdale St, Melbourne, VIC 3000, Australia **Or** Email us at <u>accounts@asli.vic.edu.au</u>

All students' refunds are conditional on the following:

ASLI COURSE FEE REFUND TABLE - Please refer to the course refund table below for details							
Refund circumstances	Refund of tuition fees paid	Refund of material fees	Application Fee				
Withdrawal at least 12 full weeks or more prior to agreed start date.	100%	100%	No refund				
Withdrawal between 6 to 11 full weeks prior to the agreed start date.	50%	100%	No refund				

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Withdrawal in 5 full weeks or less	No refund	No refund	No refund		
Withdrawal after the course start date	No refund	No refund	No refund		
Course withdrawn by the institute	100%				
Application rejected by the Institute	100%	100%	No Refund		
The course is not provided fully to the student because the Institute has a sanction imposed by a government regulator.	Refund of unused portion of tuition fees for future terms	No refund	No refund		
Visa refused prior to the course commencement	 Total amount of the pre-paid fees received by ASLI for the course in rest the student course less the following amount. (a) 5% of the total amount of pre-paid fees that the provider received in of the student for the course before the default day; or (b) a maximum sum of \$500 whichever is lesser 				
Visa is refused after the commencement of the studies due to not meeting visa requirements.	The refund amount = weekly tuition fee x the number of weeks in the default period a. The weekly tuition fee = total tuition fee for the course / number of calendar days in the course x 7. This amount is rounded up to the nearest whole dollar. b. The number of weeks in the default period = number of calendar days from the default day to the end of the period to which the payment relates/7	No Refund	No refund		
RPL fee	No refund if the 'Statement of Attainment' is provided	No refund	No refund		
Visa refused due to submission of the fraudulent documents by or on behalf of the student	No refund	No refund	No refund		
Withdrawal from the course without notification or breaching their visa conditions	No refund	No refund	No refund		
Visa cancelled due to actions of the student	No refund	No refund	No refund		
Student abandons the course	No refund	No refund	No refund		
The Institute cancels an enrolment due to serious student misconduct	No refund	No refund	No refund		

Note: If a student's enrolment falls within no refund timelines before the agreed start date of the course and the student decides to withdraw from the course, then there will be no refund.

For example: If a student enrols in week 5 before course start date, he/she will not be eligible for refund if student withdraws from the course as enrolment falls within no refund time of 5 weeks prior to the agreed start date of the course.

COOLING OFF PERIOD

ASLI will provide applicants a 7-day cooling off period. This means that if a student accepts the offer letter to study at ASLI and pays ASLI relevant course fees as per the signed agreement. If the student changes their mind (for any reason), a full refund of course fees paid till date will be provided. Students must notify ASLI in writing within 7 days of the signed agreement date.

STUDENT'S RIGHTS TO APPEAL

- a. Any student who is refused for a refund by the Institute may appeal within 20 working days in writing to the student Administration Manager or representative and follow the complaints and appeal process of ASLI.
- b. The institute's appeal process does not restrict the student's right to pursue other legal avenues.

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Timeline for refund

It is to be noted that refund will be made available to students differently based on the student's default and providers (ASLI) default.

i. In case of Student default: Refund will be paid within the period of 20 working days after receiving written notification/claim from student and relevant forms duly signed by the student.



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ii. In case of Provider's (ASLI) default: Refund will be paid within the period of 14 days after cessation of the course.

Please refer to detailed information on fee payment and refunds on the Fee Payment and Refund policy available on ASLI's website and/or student's handbook.

Tuition Protection Services

- The Tuition Protection Service (TPS) is an initiative of the Australian Government to assist international students whose education providers are unable to fully deliver their course of study. The TPS ensures that international students can either:
- complete their studies in another course or with another education provider or
- receive a refund of their unspent tuition fee For more information, please visit <u>https://tps.gov.au/Home/NotLoggedIn</u>

Media Consent

From time to time, ASLI staff may request to take photographs/videos or verbal/written interviews/testimonials of students at ASLI or at places where the student is involved in an activity. These creations may be used in a classroom, or at onthe-job work activities or could be published by ASLI in print, digital or broadcast media such as documents, the student magazine, website, television, YouTube, social media platforms, newsletters, displays, journals, professional development materials for trainers and marketing collateral. Staff may also at times request that students provide any of the above of the students' own creation for the same purposes.

□ I consent to the use of my photos / videos / testimonials / interviews to be used in ASLI's promotional materials prepared for marketing purposes in Australia and overseas.

Media Consent withdrawal option

You have the right to refuse the use of your image or work. You may also decline the media consent by choosing "no consent" option below or withdraw your consent any time by sending an email or contacting ASLI's student administration.

□ I do not consent to the use of my photos/videos/testimonials/interviews to be used in ASLI's promotional materials prepared for marketing purposes in Australia and overseas.

Complaints and Appeals Policy

ASLI has a student's "Complaints and Appeals Policy and Procedures" to provide students with a fair and equitable process for resolving any disputes or complaints they may have. After completing ASLI's informal and formal complaints processes, a student dissatisfied with

the outcome may lodge an internal appeal. If dissatisfied with the outcome, students may lodge an appeal externally i.e., request mediation through the Commonwealth Ombudsman, which is free of cost. It is important that the student refers to a detailed complaints and appeals procedure in student's handbook. Alternatively, it can be obtained from the Administration or viewed at website http://www.asli.vic.edu.au/.

IMP NOTE: The Commonwealth Ombudsman is a free and independent service (phone 1300 362 072).

Examples of an external or independent body or person may include:

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- private conciliators or dispute resolution counsellors
- a complaints and appeals body established by a peak industry body.
- representatives of Commonwealth and state or territory
- government departments including the Office of the Training Advocate; or Commonwealth and state or territory offices of the Ombudsman may be the appropriate body for a public provider.

The Commonwealth Ombudsman (OSO)

The Commonwealth Ombudsman investigates complaints about problems that overseas students have with private education and training in Australia. The Ombudsman's services are free, independent and impartial. You can find out more about this service on their website: <u>http://www.ombudsman.gov.au/</u>.

Privacy Notice

Personal information may be collected and disclosed to relevant bodies which may include verification of a student's previous qualifications, Commonwealth and State Agencies and the Department of Home affairs regarding change in enrolment details or in case of a breach of the visa conditions such as unsatisfactory course progress.

Australian Study Link Institute (ASLI) will endeavour to take all the reasonable steps to protect personal information from misuse, loss or unauthorised access, modification, or disclosure.

Australian Study Link Institute stores and uses personal information only for the purposes of administering student enrolment and education. The information collected is confidential and will not be disclosed to third parties without your consent, except to meet government, legal or other regulatory authority requirements.

Information is collected on this form and during your enrolment to meet the obligations of Institute under the ESOS Act and the National Code 2018; and to ensure student compliance with the conditions of their visas and their obligations under Australian immigration laws generally. The authority to collect this information is contained in the Education Services for Overseas Students Act 2000 (ESOS Act 2000), the Education Services for Overseas Students Regulations 2019 and the National Code of Practice for Providers of Education and training to Overseas Students 2018 (National Code 2018). Information collected about you on this form and during your enrolment can be provided, in certain circumstances, to the Australian Government and designated authorities and, if relevant, the Tuition Protection Scheme and the TPS Director. In other instances, information collected on this form or during your enrolment can be disclosed without your consent where authorised or required by the law.

Under the National Vocational and Training Regulator (Data Provision Requirements) Instrument 2020, ASLI is required to collect personal information about you and to disclose that personal information to the National Centre for Vocational Education Research Ltd (NCVER).

Your personal information (including the personal information contained on this application form, USI and your training activity data) may be used or disclosed by ASLI for statistical, administrative, regulatory and research purposes. ASLI may disclose your personal information for these purposes to third parties, including:

•-Commonwealth and State or Territory government departments and authorised agencies.



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- -National Centre for Vocational Education Research (NCVER);
- Personal information that must be disclosed to NCVER may be used or disclosed by NCVER for the following purposes:
- Populating authenticated VET transcript
 - pre-populating ASLI's student application/enrolment forms
 - facilitating statistics and research relating to education, including surveys and data linkage

Understanding how the VET market operates, for policy, workforce planning and consumer information; and Administering VET, including programme administration, regulation, monitoring and evaluation.

You may receive an NCVER student survey which may be administered by an NCVER employee, agent, or third-party contractor. Please note that you may opt out of the survey at the time of being contacted.

NCVER will collect, hold, use and disclose your personal information in accordance with the Privacy Act 1988 (Cth), the VET Data Policy and all NCVER policies and protocols (including those published on NCVER's website at www.ncver.edu.au).

Please Note: Information collected from you on this form may be shared with your authoried education agent if required.

Therefore, it is your responsibility to notify ASLI if you are planning to change or have changed your authorized education agent within 5 working days.

Access, correction, and complaints

You have the right to seek access to or correction of your own personal information. You may also complain if you believe your privacy has been breached. Complaints and Appeals policy and procedures is available on ASLI's website and can also be made available from the reception.

Emergency Medical Indemnity

also authorise ASLI or their representative to obtain Medical Treatment in the event of an emergency and indemnify ASLI or their representative.

Appendix 3

If you wish for Australian Study Link Institute (ASLI) to create a USI on your behalf, be aware of the following:

ASLI will collect information about you for the purpose of creating a USI, this information is collected under the *Student Identifiers Act 2014*. This information can only be used for:

- Applying, verifying, and giving a USI
- Resolving problems with a USI; and
- Creating authenticated vocational education and training (VET) transcripts.
- This information may be shared with:
- Commonwealth and State/Territory government departments and agencies and statutory bodies performing functions relating to VET for:
- The purpose of administering and auditing VET, VET providers and VET programs.
- Education related policy and research purposes; and
- To assist in determining eligibility for training subsidies
- VET regulators to enable them to perform their VET regulatory functions.
- VET admissions Bodies for the purpose of administering VET and VET programs,
- Current and former Registered Training Organisations to enable them to deliver VET courses to individual, meet their reporting obligations under the VET standards and government contracts and assist in determining eligibility for training subsidies.
- Schools/Institutes for the purpose of delivering VET courses to the individual and reporting on these courses.
- The National Centre for Vocational Education Research for the purpose of creating authenticated VET transcripts, resolving problems with USIs and the collection, preparation and auditing of national VET statistics;
- Researchers for education and training related research purposes.
- Any other person or agency that may be authorised or required by law to access the information.
- Any entity contractually engaged by the Student Identifies Registrar to assist in the performance of his or her functions in the administration of the USI system; and

Will not be disclosed without your consent unless authorised or required by or under law.

If you would like us (ASLI) to apply for a USI on your behalf, you must authorise us to do so (refer to USI section mentioned above in the application form and declare that you have read the privacy information at https://www.usi.gov.au/documents/privacy-notice-when-rto-applies-their-behal. You must also provide some additional information as noted below so that we can apply for a USI on your behalf.

Students will be required to fill up USI consent Application form during induction prior to the course commencement.



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OFFICE USE ONLY				
Staff Member:				
Signature:			Date:	
Student ID:				
Student Application Checklist				
Particulars	Yes	No	Comments (if required)	
Student Management System Updated (if applicable)				
New Student/Existing Student				
Any support need identified on application form have been discussed with the student and forwarded to relevant support officer to make arrangements for support.				
Student Enrolment Activated				
ID number Issued				

Office use: Pre-Training Review

Note to the Administration Manager or representative: Administration Manager must refer to Guidelines and Procedures of "Pre-Training Review-Assessor Version" while evaluating PTR questions completed by students.

Pre-Training Evaluation				
Qualification applying for:				
Student name:				
PTR call conducted via:	Face to face	Telephone	Other, please specify	
Summary of Discussion (Administration Manager or representative must provide summary of the discussion had with the student).				

Pre-Training Evaluation Checklist		
ASLI staff must use this pre-training review checklist to ensure that the student will be enrolled in a course suitable to their needs, abilities, and study/career goals, and to recommend appropriate learning or other support.		
Section 1		
Identity has been verified.	□ Yes □ No	
Understands course information including entry requirements, units, and course duration, including holidays, mode of study, location and assessment methods.	□ Yes □ No	
Student is aware of the course progress and attendance requirements including deferment suspension and cancellation of the course	□ Yes □ No	
Student is fully aware of the fees including tuition and non-tuition fees. Student is also aware of refund policy and procedure	□ Yes □ No	
Student's answers have been discussed thoroughly with the student to ensure that the student is aware of the policies, procedures, and other information necessary to make enrolment decision to study at ASLI.	□ Yes □ No	
Student is eligible for RPL/CT (if yes, please initiate RPL/CT process)	□ Yes □ No	
Student is aware of the visa obligations including change of address and full-time study requirements.	□ Yes □ No	
Student has been provided with the information if answers provided for information received section is 'NO'.	□ Yes □ No	
A copy of ASLI indicative fee schedule has been supplied to the student.	□ Yes □ No	
Training plan is established based on the information provided.	□ Yes □ No	
Students have been provided with pre-enrolment information for which they are not aware of (conducted via face to face or over the phone)	□ Yes □ No	

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Section 2		
Have appropriate educational qualification/ work experience, level of skills and the ability to undertake this course	Yes	
successfully as defined in entry requirements of the course.	🗆 No	
Enrolment in this course is aligned with the student's educational goals and work/career goals.	Yes	
	🗆 No	
Student meets the entry requirements specified for the course including English requirements, academic	Yes	
requirements, age, and can undertake this course successfully.	🗆 No	
Student has appropriate listening and arel communication skills	Yes	
Student has appropriate listening and oral communication skills.	🗆 No	
A negative response (i.e. No) in "Section 2" questions must result in the rejection of the enrolment application and other options must be discussed with the student.		
Enrolment to Proceed		
If no, please specify why?		
If additional assistance/recommendation for support or adjustment is identified, please ensure proper processing to the Student		
Services/Academic Department.		
Recommendations on the required support/adjustments (in conjunction with the application form)		
Administration Manager or Representative		
Nowa		
Name:		
Signature: Date:		