**DIPLOMA OF EVENT MANAGEMENT SIT50316**

**Scholarship Application Form**

**Information about the Diploma**

Registered training organisation: Meetings & Events Australia, RTO ID: 91329

Number of units of competency: 20

Course Duration: Anticipated 2 to 2.5 years part time study

Study Mode: Online independent study with weekly Zoom classes, regular workshops and weekly trainer support

Eligibility: Applicants must:

be at least 18 years of age

have 1 year’s (FTE) experience of working in the Events (or tourism or hospitality) industries

have completed a Certificate III or higher qualification

be an Australian citizen or permanent resident

residents in one of the designated regional Victoria LGA’s including Yarra Ranges Shire and Mornington Peninsula Shire (At least one participant will be selected from East Gippsland Shire Council and at least one from the following LGA’s located in Victoria’s High Country – Alpine Shire, Wangaratta Rural City, Towong Shire, Mansfield Shire and Indigo Shire)

Anticipated start date: July 2022 (TBC)

**APPLICANT DETAILS – please tell us about you**

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| **First Name** |  | | |
| **Family Name** |  | | |
| **Date of Birth**  Please note applicants must be over 18 years of age |  | | |
| **Address** |  | | |
| **Mobile Telephone** |  | | |
| **Work Telephone** |  | | |
| **Employer**  If currently working |  | | |
| **Job Role**  If currently working |  | | |
| **Number of years’ work experience in events, tourism or hospitality industry**  Please note applicants should have at least 1 year’s full time work experience (or equivalent) | 1 – 2 years  3 – 4 years  5 – 6 years  6 – 9 years  10 + years | | |
| **Employer Letter of Support**  If currently working | **I have attached a letter of support from my employer**  **Yes**  **No**  **I am not currently working** | | |
| **Qualifications to date**  Please indicate all achieved  Include name of qualification (if relevant) and year achieved  *Meetings & Events Australia (MEA) recognises relevant prior learning and this may allow you to gain credit for some parts of the course* | **Completed Year 12** | | |
| **Certificate III** | **Discipline Area** | **Year Achieved** |
| **Certificate IV** | **Discipline Area** | **Year Achieved** |
| **Diploma** | **Discipline Area** | **Year Achieved** |
| **Advanced Diploma** | **Discipline Area** | **Year Achieved** |
| **Bachelor Degree** | **Discipline Area** | **Year Achieved** |
| **Postgraduate Degree** | **Discipline Area** | **Year Achieved** |

**INTEREST IN THE COURSE – please answer the following questions to explain your interest in studying the Diploma of Event Management SIT50316**

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| **Q1** | **Why do you want to complete the Diploma of Event Management SIT50316** |

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| **Q2** | **How would the scholarship assist you in achieving your current or future career goals?** |
| **Q3** | **What are the three major challenges for the event sector in your region?**  **1**  **2**  **3** |
| **Q4** | **What are the three major strengths that your region has as an event destination?**  **1**  **2**  **3** |
| **Q5** | **There are 20 units of competency in the course; which unit is most interesting to you and why?** |
| **Q6** | **Studying will require a commitment to study and the ability to participate in online learning, weekly Zoom classes and regular workshops.**  **Please confirm that you have the capacity to make this study commitment.**  **Please also explain how you plan to manage your study alongside any other commitments.** |

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| **Terms and Conditions**  Please see separate document | **I confirm that I have read and understood the Terms and Conditions for this Scholarship and agree to be bound by them** |
| **NAME**  Please print |
| **SIGNATURE** |
| **DATE** |