





## **Lifesaving World Championships 2024**

## How to Apply for an Australian Visa Apply Now!

- Research the Australian Government Department of Home Affairs website regarding Entering Australia <a href="https://immi.homeaffairs.gov.au/entering-and-leaving-australia/entering-australia/overview">https://immi.homeaffairs.gov.au/entering-and-leaving-australia/entering-australia/overview</a>
- 2. Understand visa requirements for entry, what you can and cannot bring into Australia and how long the application process will take. You must submit your applications early. We recommend commencing this process immediately.
- 3. Complete the attached Request for a Visa Support Letter of Invitation in full.
- 4. Email the completed Visa Support Letter of Invitation in Word Format to ILS Headquarters <a href="hq@ils.org">hq@ils.org</a> and attach a scanned copy of your passport.
- 5. ILS will verify your details and ILS membership.
- 6. Once verified, ILS will authorise the LWC24 Event Manager to email you a Visa Support Letter of Invitation to attend LWC24.
- 7. Collate and prepare all supporting documents required for your Australian Visa application.
- 8. Return to the Australian Government Department of Home Affairs website here <a href="https://immi.homeaffairs.gov.au/entering-and-leaving-australia/entering-australia/can-i-go-to-australia">https://immi.homeaffairs.gov.au/entering-and-leaving-australia/entering-australia/can-i-go-to-australia</a> and commence the application process. You will be required to set up an ImmiAccount. You will need to decide what type of Visa you will be applying and have a method of payment ready to pay the application fee.