



# Open Application to join the Scouts Australia International Team

Scouts Australia encourages all youth members to have an international experience.

The International Commissioner is looking for enthusiastic volunteers to help grow the opportunities for international Scouting across Australia.

More Australian youth members than ever before are accepting the challenge to plan activities overseas.

Destinations such as the Kandersteg International Scout Centre (KISC) in Switzerland are great locations for local Troops, Units or Crews to plan their own adventure holiday.

Successful candidates will help local groups to manage the

“Plan-Do-Review” of International Travel to ensure compliance with national risk management and child protection requirements.

Many more Scouting members have their first International Scouting experience at their local Scout Group through learning about different cultures, communicating with Scouts overseas, or hosting a foreign Scout.

Promoting these programs and developing new international links will also be vital to the success of this role.

Young people with previous international Scouting experience are especially encouraged to apply for this role.



<b>Position</b>	Scouts Australia International Team
<b>Primary Purpose</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Promotion, administration and support of local group international travel.</li> <li>• Development and promotion of international programs within Australia.</li> <li>• Development of overseas links.</li> </ul>
<b>Responsible to</b>	International Commissioner of Australia
<b>Tenure</b>	The appointment is for three years. Performance is reviewed annually. This is a voluntary position.
<b>Meetings</b>	Annual International Team Conference (weekend)

The most important responsibility of this role is to provide support and offer advice to Tour Organisers, Contingent Leaders and the wider International Team to fulfil their obligations and responsibilities required under national policy. This may involve overseas travel to provide assistance on location for major international events.

Other responsibilities may include:

- Promoting opportunities for overseas travel (including the Kandersteg International Scout Centre - KISC).
- Development of Join-in-Jamboree programs.
- Development of award scheme activities.
- Promotion of International programs including SISEP, JOTA/JOTI and Pen-Pals.
- Development of overseas links.
- Writing documentation to achieve compliance with new government legislation that affect International Scouting programs.
- Be an active member of the Scouts Australia International Team.
- Other duties as requested by the International Commissioner.

#### Selection Criteria:

- Sound representational skills - including the ability to develop networks across Scouts Australia and globally.
- Demonstrated high-level of organisational skills and personal motivation.
- Proven ability to work effectively in small teams and independently.
- Demonstrated capacity for problem solving.
- Well-developed oral and written communication skills - including a high level of competence with information technology and social media.
- The ability to work intergenerationally with all members of Scouts Australia.
- Proven success in the empowerment of youth to lead.
- Have time and capacity available to do justice to the role.
- A passion for international Scouting.





# SCOUTS AUSTRALIA INTERNATIONAL TEAM

## How to Apply:

To apply to join the Scouts Australia International Team you need to fill in the online application form.

## To submit an application you will need the following:

### Part 1: Applicant Details:

- Name
- Branch
- Membership Number
- Current Scouting Role
- Basic Training and Wood Badge Training Completed
- Phone Number
- Postal Address
- Email Address
- Date of Birth

Part 2: Previous related experience - positions, events, and roles.

Part 3: Claims against the Selection Criteria for the position (max 1,500 words)

Part 4: CV Upload

Part 5: Reference Contact Details (We will not accept references from family members)

- Reference 1 Name, Contact Phone Number, Relationship to applicant
- Reference 2 Name, Contact Phone Number, Relationship to applicant

**Please submit completed applications before 5PM on 19 March 2018.**

Note: applications must be completed and submitted in one go, they cannot be saved and completed in stages so prepare all the documents and responses before starting the online form.

**APPLY NOW: <https://form.jotform.co/73618043162856>**

