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NEW INTERPRETERS PROJECT - SYDNEY

NAATI is pleased to announce it is now accepting registrations for the first intake for the New Interpreters Project in 2010. This intake will be assessed for a workshop to be conducted in SYDNEY.

The National Accreditation Authority for Translators and Interpreters Ltd (NAATI) is administering a new national project, namely the New Interpreters Project, funded by the Australian Government.

The Project aims to increase the number of NAATI interpreters in both metropolitan and selected regional areas around Australia. The Project will target these areas to increase the number of interpreters in new/emerging languages, rarer languages and languages for which there are shortages in rural and regional areas.

Applications for the New Interpreters Project must be received by the 5th March 2010 to be considered for the workshop planned for April 2010.

SYDNEY WORKSHOP DATES:

Session 1: Saturday, 10th April 2010

Session 2: Saturday, 17th April 2010

Workshop Duration: 15 hours

(Successful applicants must attend BOTH sessions and complete ALL 15 workshop hours)

HOW TO APPLY:

- Confirm your language is eligible (*refer to new and emerging language list overleaf*).
- Complete all parts of the '[Application for NAATI New Interpreters Project](#)' form available from NAATI. This form can be downloaded from the following link:
<http://www.naati.com.au/tw-nip.html>
- Complete an A Form '[Application for Accreditation by Testing](#)' **OR** R Form '[Application for Recognition](#)'. These forms can be downloaded from the following link:
<http://www.naati.com.au/at-applicationforms.html>
- Check the 'new and emerging language list' first to see whether you need to complete the A Form **OR** R Form.
- R Forms must be accompanied by official references (see Part 4). Recognition cannot be granted until all eligibility criteria have been met.
- Include proof of identification and passport photos verified and signed by a witness as specified in the forms.
- Follow the checklist provided in the forms to ensure you have completed ALL the sections and submitted ALL required documentation.
- Do not send any money. There will be no cost to people who are approved to participate in the project.
- All applications will be reviewed and successful participants will be notified in writing.
- Incomplete applications will not be accepted.**

LIST OF NEW AND EMERGING LANGUAGES

'R FORM' - APPLICATION FOR RECOGNITION REQUIRED		
Acholi	Kingoni	Moru
Bari	Kinyarwanda	Nepali
Chaldean	Kirundi	Pojulu
Chin	Kono	Siym
Creole	Kpelle	Sukuma
Dzhongka	Krio	Susu
Eastern Kaya	Kuku	Temne
Ewe	Liberian Pigdon	Tigre
Fanti	Kurdish (Sorani)	Tshiluba
Fullah	Kurdish (Kurmanji)	Twi
Fur	Lingala	Uighur
Gan	Lisu	Uzbek
Hmong	Loko	Watchi
Ikbo	Luo	Yalunka
Kachin	Madi	Zande
Kakwa	Mandingo	
Kannadai	Maru	
Karen	Mende	
Kikuyu	Mina	

'A FORM' - APPLICATION FOR ACCREDITATION BY TESTING REQUIRED	
Amharic	Lao
Arabic (Sudanese) [Sudan]	Nuer
Burmese	Oromo
Dari	Sinhalese
Dinka	Swahili/Ki-Swahili
Hazaragi	Tamil
	Tigrinya

SEND COMPLETED APPLICATIONS TO:

NAATI
 New Interpreters Project
 Po Box A161
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Inquiries about the New Interpreters Project in Sydney should be directed to the NAATI NSW State Office on 02 9267 1357.

Sincerely,

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