



**Skilled - Nominated (subclass 190) visa
Self Assessment Guide**

Name: _____ **EOI No. (if any)** _____

*Please circle the **points** that most accurately reflect your response to each criterion*

Criteria	Description	Points
Age <i>at time of invitation</i>	18–24 (inclusive)	25
	25–32 (inclusive)	30
	33–39 (inclusive)	25
	40–44 (inclusive)	15
	45–49 (inclusive)	0
English language ability <i>at time of invitation</i>	Competent English—IELTS 6 / OET B	0
	Proficient English—IELTS 7 / OET B	10
	Superior English—IELTS 8 / OET A	20
Skilled employment <i>at time of invitation</i>	Skilled employment outside Australia	
	At least three but less than five years (in last 10 years)	5
	At least five but less than eight years (in last 10 years)	10
	At least eight and up to 10 years (in last 10 years)	15
	Skilled employment in Australia	
	At least one but less than three years (in last 10 years)	5
	At least three but less than five years (in last 10 years)	10
At least five but less than eight years (in last 10 years)	15	
At least eight and up to 10 years (in last 10 years)	20	

A maximum of 20 points can only be awarded for any combination of overseas and Australian skilled employment

Overseas employment in your nominated skilled occupation or a closely related skilled occupation

Australian employment in your nominated skilled occupation or a closely related skilled occupation

Employment must be in the number of years required immediately prior to receiving an invitation

Educational qualifications <i>at time of invitation</i>	Doctorate from an Australian educational institution or a doctorate awarded by an overseas educational institution of a recognised standard	20
	At least a Bachelor degree, including a Bachelor degree with Honours or Masters, from an Australian educational institution or a bachelor qualification awarded by an overseas educational institution of a recognised standard	15
	Diploma or trade qualification awarded by an educational institution in Australia, or qualification or award recognised by the relevant assessing authority in determining your skills for your nominated occupation	10
Australian study requirements <i>at time of invitation</i>	One or more degrees, diplomas or trade qualifications awarded by an Australian educational institution and meet the Australian Study Requirements	5
	Credentialed community language qualifications	5
Other factors <i>at time of invitation</i>	Studying and living in regional Australia or a low population growth metropolitan area (excluding distance education)	5
	Partner skill qualifications	5
	Professional Year in Australia for at least 12 months in the four years before the day you were invited	5
Nomination/sponsorship <i>at time of invitation</i>	Nomination by state or territory government (<i>visa subclass 190 only</i>)	5
TOTAL POINTS		

A self-assessment does not guarantee NSW State nomination. Your application will still be rigorously assessed on the information and documents provided at time of request for nomination

For more detailed information on the criteria and assessment guidelines, please refer to Booklet 6 of the Department of Immigration and Citizenship (www.immi.gov.au)