



# VMS

GRADUATE  
INSTITUTE



Please email your completed forms to [education@vma.org.au](mailto:education@vma.org.au) or fax them to +61 7 5501 6010

This form has two sections:

**PART 1:** Enrolment for the Graduate Institute Program: All applicants **must** complete this section.

**PART 2:** Nomination for a Graduate Institute Scholarship: This section is optional, however should be completed if you wish to nominate for one of the three full fee-paying scholarships available (noting that airfares and incidentals are not included).

#### SCHOOL DETAILS:

**Location:** Salt Resort, Kingscliff New South Wales

**Dates:** Sunday 12 November to Thursday 16 November  
*(Note: GI commences at 11am on Sunday, so it is strongly suggested that students travelling should arrive on Saturday 11 November, departing Friday 17 November.)  
Accommodation for the Saturday is included in the registration fee.*

**Cost:** \$5,145\* (Members)  
\$5,630\* (Non-members, includes 12 months VMA Membership)  
*\*Prices include Accommodation and GI program. Does not include airfares, optional activities or incidentals.*

**Minimum Qualification:** Applicants must be a:

- a) Paid financial Member of the VMA or prepared to join the VMA, and
- b) Graduate of the Venue Management School.

**Capacity:** The Graduate Institute is restricted to 16 students. Should a greater number of applications be received than positions available, the VMS committee will allocate positions at its discretion.

- Closing Date:** 1) Nominations for the Scholarship will close Friday 30 June 2017, with winners announced no later than Friday 28 July 2017.  
2) Applications for the Graduate Institute program will not close until Friday 1 September 2017.

**PART 1: ENROLMENT DETAILS (all applicants must complete this section):**

**Applicants Name:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Venue (Name and location):** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Employer:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Position:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Year of VMS Graduation:** \_\_\_\_\_

**PART 2: SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION (Optional):**

I wish to nominate for and declare my eligibility for the following full fee paying scholarship at the Graduate Institute (pleas tick only 1 box)

**International Venue:** Please tick this box if your primary venue is located in any country outside of Australia

**Regional Venue:** Please tick this box if your primary venue is located within Australia, outside of a capital city

**Metropolitan Venue:** Please tick this box if your primary venue is located within Australia, in a capital city

**Experience:** List your previous roles in the venue industry:  
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**Career:** What are your ambitions and what vision do you have for your career?  
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**Intention**

Why do you want to attend the Graduate Institute? (What do you believe will be the outcomes for you and what are the benefits to your employer?)

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**Selection Criteria:**

*The VMS Committee will award one full scholarship in each of the three categories listed above at its discretion. All applications will be assessed using the following criteria:*

- *Paid VMA Membership duration*
- *Graduation of VMS, with a preferred gap of at least one year*
- *Any financial hardships of your venue/ employer that may preclude enrolment otherwise*
- *Management experience*
- *Articulation of perceived career benefits derived from attending GI*
- *Explanation of employer benefits from attending GI*