"Applicant" means the person applying for the bursary.

"Station" means the HOT 1027FM (Pty) Limited, the licensed broadcaster of the HOT1027FM radio station.

"Charity" means Hot Cares NPC.

"Bursary Sponsor" means The IIE School of Hospitality & Service Management (IIE HSM):

The Independent Institute of Education (IIE) is a private higher education institution in South Africa and is a wholly owned subsidiary of investment holding company ADvTECH Group Limited.

"Recipient" means the Applicant who has been awarded the bursary.

"Media" means printed media, radio, and television and includes social media.

## Entry Requirements:

To enter, interested parties must visit the HOT1027FM website and provide their personal details, contact information, and write a motivation as to why they should be the recipient of the bursary. Individuals may also nominate eligible candidates who are available to study from the 22<sup>nd</sup> of July 2024.

## Eligibility for Applying for and Receiving the Bursary:

- The bursary competition is open to individuals who meet the eligibility requirements specified in the competition guidelines.
- The entry must be submitted before 12 July, 12:00 PM.
- The three bursary giveaway winners will be announced live on HOT1027FM on the 19<sup>th</sup> of July 2024 on the Just Plain Drive Show.
- The bursary will only cover the duration of the IIE's Higher Certificate in Hospitality Management programme. The winners will be liable for any additional years should they choose to pursue a course that spans longer than the duration of the aforementioned programme.
- Participants should also explain what winning a bursary to study towards a Higher Certificate in Hospitality Management at IIE HSM would mean to them. This will provide the winner with an opportunity to enhance their knowledge and skills in the hospitality industry and take the first step towards a fulfilling career in the field.
- The judges will be looking for participants who demonstrate a deep understanding of the hospitality industry and who have a clear vision for their future in the field. The judges will also be looking for participants who can communicate their ideas effectively and persuasively.
- This is an excellent opportunity for anyone with a passion for hospitality to showcase their talent and gain recognition for their skills. We encourage all eligible participants to enter the competition and take the first step towards an extraordinary career in hospitality.

- Classes will officially commence on July 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2024. It is imperative for the recipients of the bursaries to be present and attend classes from July 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2024, until the completion of the 18-month programme. (Contact)
- Three individual bursaries are available:
  - Three bursaries for the IIE Higher Certificate in Hospitality Management, inclusive of the student's uniform, to the total value of R164,700.
  - Included in the bursary giveaway are the textbooks for the three bursary recipients, priced at R4,000 each.
- Exclusions:
  - The bursary excludes any costs of a personal nature, supplementary assessment fees, replacement of textbooks, uniform, and equipment.
  - Travel expenses are not covered. As students will be completing workintegrated learning in hotels (shift work), students must have their own transport or other suitable method to travel to and from work. Public transport is often not available during these times. Additionally, travel to campus for classes is also at the student's own cost. IIE HSM's campus locations include:
    - IIE HSM Rosebank campus: 3 Keyes Ave, Rosebank, 2196, South Africa.
    - IIE HSM Cape Town campus: The Quadrant, 146 Campground Road, Newlands, Cape Town 7708.
- The programme details for the Higher Certificate in Hospitality Management are as follows:
  - Certification: The IIE's Higher Certificate in Hospitality Management
  - NQF Level: 5
  - SAQA ID No: 115450
  - Credits: 120
  - Duration: Contact (1 Year Full-Time)

## **Data Protection and Contact Information:**

All personal information collected during the entry process will be handled in accordance with the Protection of Personal Information Act (POPIA).

The information gathered, including personal details and contact information, will be used for the purposes of administering the competition, contacting entrants, and selecting and notifying winners. By submitting an entry, the entrant agrees to allow IIE HSM to use their name and entry for promotional purposes.

By submitting an entry, entrants' consent to the use of their information for these purposes. Entrants also agree to be contacted by IIE HSM for further communication related to the competition and bursary award.

## **Minimum Admission Requirements**

Before applying for the bursary, entrants must ensure they meet the minimum admission requirements outlined below. They should have the necessary documentation ready and available, as they may be required to provide proof of eligibility if selected:

- For South African Students:
  - National Senior Certificate (NSC): Higher Certificate (HC) pass with English results of 30% or higher, OR
  - National Senior Certificate (NSC): Higher Certificate (HC) pass with English results of 40% or higher, OR
  - Senior Certificate (SC): Endorsement with English results of 33.3% or higher, OR
  - Senior Certificate (SC): Higher Certificate (HC) pass with a minimum of 30% in Language of Learning and Teaching (LOLT) in NSC/SC(a), OR
  - Senior Certificate (SC): Higher Certificate (HC) pass with a minimum of 33.3% in SC.
- For International Students:
  - SAQA Evaluation Certificate with NSC Level 4 equivalence, with at least 30% or equivalent for English.
- Senate Discretionary Details:
  - Mature Age Exemption:
    - Candidates may qualify for a mature age exemption if they meet one of the following criteria:
      - Candidates must have attempted the Senior Certificate or equivalent, attained the age of 23 before or during the first year of registration, with three years' work experience and proven ability relating to the proposed programme, as well as adequate communication skills; OR
      - Candidates must have attained the age of 45 before or during the first year of registration.
  - Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL):
    - Where candidates do not satisfy the formal admission requirements for this qualification, The IIE may consider an admission application in terms of the Credit Accumulation and Transfer, Recognition of Prior Learning and Qualification Completion Policy (IIE010).
  - General Education Development (GED):
    - An USAF qualification developed by the American Council on Education (ACE). Candidates with a GED qualification may be admitted if they have a SAQA Evaluation Certificate with NSC L4

equivalence, as well as a minimum score of 145 out of 200 for all 4 GED subjects.

- OQSF Qualifications:
  - Candidates with an OQSF Level 4 120-credit cognate qualification may be admitted once access and approved by the relevant Head of Faculty.

Entrants should ensure they meet these minimum admission requirements and have the necessary documentation, such as their National Senior Certificate or equivalent, ready for submission if selected as a potential recipient of the bursary. Additionally, The IIE will only register applicants who provide a valid Study Visa, other permit, or proof of application for a Study Visa allowing them to take up studies in South Africa. Failure to meet these requirements may result in disqualification from the competition.

- IIE HSM is committed to ensuring the privacy and security of all personal data collected and will not disclose or share this information with any third parties, except as required by law or for the purposes of administering the competition.
- IIE HSM reserves the right to cancel or amend the competition and terms and conditions without notice.