



# Aus4Skills

## Australian Alumni Grants Fund Approval

Alumnus' Name(s): Nguyen Van Kien, Le Ngoc Hiep, Nguyen Van Thai

Project Title: Scale up small scale organic farming and trade for female Khmer farmers to improve livelihood, nutrition, health and recover impacts of the Covid-19 pandemic in Tri Ton District, An Giang, Vietnam

Approved Grant: VND 216,956,250

19 January 2021

Dear Nguyen Van Kien, Le Ngoc Hiep, Nguyen Van Thai

Congratulations! We are pleased to inform you that your grant application has been approved for funding by the Australian Embassy. It has been a very competitive process this year with the receipt of 150 applications from the three cohorts of Broader, Aus4Skills HRD and Disability Inclusion alumni. These proposals were assessed in strict accordance with the AAGF Application Guidelines.

We draw your attention to the relevant provisions of the AAGF [Application](#), [Financial](#) and [Communications](#) Guidelines relating to financial requirements and disbursement, monitoring & evaluation and reporting requirements. Please note that the maximum duration for Grant implementation is 12 months and the implementation should commence within 3 months since the date of this approval letter.

Grant recipients are requested to sign the attached Grant Agreement with Coffey International Development Pty Ltd, the managing contractor who manages Aus4Skills on behalf of the Australian Government. Please log in your [SmartyGrants account](#) and upload the signed agreement in the **Grant Agreement Form** by 26 January 2021. If the signed agreement is not received by the deadline, we cannot guarantee your Grant and your award may be withdrawn.

Once we have your signed agreement uploaded, the **First Fund Request Form** will be added to your SmartyGrants account for fund disbursement.

At a later date you will be invited to participate in AAGF workshops. The workshops conducted after approval will provide you with useful information in relation to grant financial management, monitoring & evaluation and reporting on SmartyGrants system.

In case you are unable to implement your approved proposal, please inform us within 7 days since receiving this letter via [AAGF@australiaawardsvietnam.org](mailto:AAGF@australiaawardsvietnam.org).

Again, we congratulate you on your successful proposal for Australian Alumni Grants funding.

Please contact us if you need any further clarification.

Yours sincerely

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