

Oceanic Consultants expands its business to Canada and USA

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Oceanic Consultants Pvt Ltd, the Melbourne-based leading overseas education consultancy firm with its offices spread across India, providing overseas education solutions for Australia, Canada, New Zealand and United Kingdom has now expanded its business portfolio to Canada and USA.

With the ever increasing demand of its services, the company announced that it has recently tied up with some of the prestigious educational institutions in the US and Canada including the likes of the University of Cincinnati, Northern Michigan University, Foothill and De Anza Colleges, Thompson Rivers University, Fraser International College and Bow Valley College. In the first year of its foray into Canada and the US, Oceanic Consultants expects to recruit a total of 1,200 students into the above mentioned educational institutions.

The overseas educational consultancy firm is certified by the American International Recruitment Council (AIRC). American International Recruitment Council (AIRC), which is the US certifying body for approving recruitment agencies from different countries, develop standards of ethical practice pertaining to recruitment of international students to American educational institutions, to address two constituencies — educational institutions and student recruitment agents. Oceanic Consultants CEO Naresh Gulati said with the certification granted, they were targeting to send 300-400 students from India to various universities in US in the first year of operation.

Elaborating on Oceanic Consultants foray into US and Canada, Mr Naresh Gulati said, "The foray into Canada and USA is an attempt to provide wider options to the students interested in studying overseas especially because each student has individual's goals and aspirations. Over the past years, we have seen significant increase in the number of students from India keen on studying overseas. This expansion is to meet the increasing demand of our services across India. Over the years, we have assisted thousands of people with their study choices and student visa applications. Today our consultancy is reckoned as one of the front runners in the business of overseas education consulting. With premium consulting service to the students interested in pursuing their higher education overseas, we are poised to be the global leader in the international student recruitment business."

Revealing the company's future business expansion plans in India, Mr Naresh Gulati said Oceanic Consultants Australia (OCA) Group would be investing AUD 10 million for setting up

70 offices across India to grow its international student recruitment business in India. Currently, through its wide network of offices in Punjab, Delhi, Gujarat, Kerala, Karnataka and Tamil Nadu, Oceanic Consultants provides a wide array of customized career choices suited to the aptitude, qualification and budget and further addresses all the needs of prospective students ranging from getting admission and student visa to helping students with complete travel arrangements. Oceanic combines client focused world-class service through dedicated counselors, with the state-of-the-art technology and world-class infrastructure to make this possible.

Oceanic Consultants has recently launched 'Dream Start 2011' program in collaboration with more than 35 international institutions to offer more than 40 students across India an opportunity to study at participating institutions without paying any course fee.

For more information on the list of universities participating and process to apply for fee waiver, please visit www.dreamstart.oceanicconsultants.com

About Oceanic Consultants:

Established in 1996, Oceanic Consultants Private Limited has over a decade of impeccable record of providing consultancy to aspirations of overseas education. The head office of the company is in Melbourne and Network Offices are located UK and various parts of India. Oceanic currently provides consultancy for Australia, Canada, New Zealand and United Kingdom. Oceanic has an extensive network spread over major 20 India cities, to provide world class service to the aspiring Indian students. Moreover a fine blend of centralized and decentralized operations help the students save on both time and costs. Oceanic provides consultancy on all aspects of overseas education free of charge to the students. A highly dedicated team of seasoned professionals provide customized solutions to every client.

With more than 13 years of expertise in the overseas education industry, Oceanic Consultants is clearly a leader in the category. It is also the recipient of the Australian Business Award for two consecutive years in 2008 and 2009 and was listed as the 32nd fastest growing company in Australia by Business Review Weekly (BRW) in the year 2008.