



Freedom of Information Request FA 20/09/01087

List of all subclass 124 and 858 Distinguished Talent visas decided between 01/07/2019 and 30/06/2020 including nominated occupation, applicant's country of passport and outcome (granted or refused).

Visa applications granted for subclass 124 between 01/07/2019 and 30/06/2020 by Citizenship and Occupation
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Source: Department of Home Affairs, 2020 (DD-3538.01)

Note 1: Includes primary applicants only.

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Visa Subclass	Citizenship Country	Occupation	Activity Month						
			31/07/2019	31/08/2019	31/10/2019	30/11/2019	31/12/2019	31/01/2020	29/02/2020
124 Distinguished Talent	Brazil	452499 Sportspersons nec	< 5						
	Canada	452499 Sportspersons nec				< 5			
	China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	211213 Musician (Instrumental)		< 5					
		452499 Sportspersons nec	< 5			< 5			
	India	234112 Agricultural Scientist						< 5	
		452499 Sportspersons nec							< 5
	Ireland, Republic of	351311 Chef							< 5
	Korea, South	242111 University Lecturer							< 5
		452499 Sportspersons nec							< 5
	Russian Federation	452499 Sportspersons nec				< 5			
	Serbia	452499 Sportspersons nec			< 5				
	United Kingdom	211113 Entertainer or Variety Artist							< 5
		212111 Artistic Director		< 5					
		212211 Author					< 5		
		224411 Intelligence Officer		< 5					
		452499 Sportspersons nec					< 5		
124 Distinguished Talent Total			< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	5



Visa applications **refused** for subclass **124** between **01/07/2019** and **30/06/2020** by **Citizenship** and **Occupation**
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Source: Department of Home Affairs, 2020 (DD-3538.02)

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Visa Subclass	Citizenship Country	Occupation	Activity Month				
			31/07/2019	30/09/2019	31/12/2019	31/01/2020	29/02/2020
124 Distinguished Talent	China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	211299 Music Professionals nec			< 5		
		249211 Art Teacher (Private Tuition)		< 5			
	Iran	452499 Sportspersons nec	< 5				
	Ireland, Republic of	452499 Sports persons nec				< 5	
	Sri Lanka	452499 Sportspersons nec					< 5
124 Distinguished Talent Total			< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5

Visa applications **granted** for subclass **858** between **01/07/2019** and **30/06/2020** by **Citizenship** and **Occupation**
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Visa Subclass	Citizenship Country	Occupation	Activity Month					
			31/07/2019	31/08/2019	30/09/2019	31/10/2019	30/11/2019	31/12/2019
858 Distinguished Talent	Bosnia and Herzegovina	272411 Historian						
	Brazil	211112 Dancer or Choreographer	< 5					
		211311 Photographer						
		452499 Sportspersons nec	< 5		< 5	< 5		
	Bulgaria	452499 Sportspersons nec						< 5
	Canada	211112 Dancer or Choreographer						
		211199 Actors, Dancers and Other Entertainers nec						
		211213 Musician (Instrumental)						
	Chile	211214 Singer		< 5				
	China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	242111 University Lecturer						
		272314 Psychotherapist		< 5				



	452499 Sportspersons nec						
Colombia	211299 Music Professionals nec		< 5				
Czechia	452499 Sportspersons nec						
Denmark	224912 Liaison Officer						
Estonia	452499 Sportspersons nec						
Fiji	452499 Sportspersons nec	< 5	< 5				
Finland	211213 Musician (Instrumental)						
France	452499 Sportspersons nec	< 5					
Germany, Fed Republic of	452499 Sportspersons nec	< 5		< 5			
Hungary	452322 Sports Umpire						
Indonesia	452499 Sportspersons nec						< 5
Italy	452499 Sportspersons nec						
Kenya	452499 Sportspersons nec						
Korea, South	211213 Musician (Instrumental)		< 5				
	431112 Barista					< 5	
	452312 Gymnastics Coach or Instructor						
	452499 Sportspersons nec			< 5			< 5
Malaysia	452499 Sportspersons nec				< 5		
Mexico	452499 Sportspersons nec	< 5					
Montenegro	452499 Sportspersons nec						
Nepal	452499 Sportspersons nec		< 5				
Netherlands, Kingdom of The	452499 Sportspersons nec						
New Zealand	452499 Sportspersons nec						
Papua New Guinea	452499 Sportspersons nec	< 5					
Russian Federation	452499 Sportspersons nec			< 5			
Serbia	452499 Sportspersons nec	< 5					
Spain	212111 Artistic Director						
	452499 Sportspersons nec				< 5		
Thailand	452499 Sportspersons nec				< 5		
United Kingdom	139915 Sports Administrator						
	139999 Specialist Managers nec	< 5					
	211213 Musician (Instrumental)						
	211299 Music Professionals nec						< 5
	212111 Artistic Director	< 5					< 5
	225113 Marketing Specialist						
	233411 Electronics Engineer				< 5		
	233612 Petroleum Engineer						
	242111 University Lecturer						
	452321 Sports Development Officer		< 5				
	452412 Golfer						
	452499 Sportspersons nec			< 5			
United States of America	111111 Chief Executive or Managing Director						



		211112 Dancer or Choreographer						< 5
		211299 Music Professionals nec					< 5	
		211311 Photographer						
		211411 Painter (Visual Arts)						
		222311 Financial Investment Adviser						
		232311 Fashion Designer						
		249111 Education Adviser						
		452499 Sportspersons nec						
	Uruguay	452499 Sportspersons nec						
858 Distinguished Talent Total			11	7	5	5	< 5	6

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			31/01/2020	29/02/2020	31/03/2020	30/04/2020	31/05/2020	30/06/2020
858 Distinguished Talent	Bosnia and Herzegovina	272411 Historian		< 5				
	Brazil	211112 Dancer or Choreographer						
		211311 Photographer	< 5					
		452499 Sportspersons nec		< 5				
	Bulgaria	452499 Sportspersons nec						
	Canada	211112 Dancer or Choreographer					< 5	
		211199 Actors, Dancers and Other Entertainers nec						< 5
		211213 Musician (Instrumental)						< 5
	Chile	211214 Singer						
	China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	242111 University Lecturer	< 5					
		272314 Psychotherapist						
		452499 Sportspersons nec	< 5					
	Colombia	211299 Music Professionals nec						
	Czechia	452499 Sportspersons nec					< 5	
	Denmark	224912 Liaison Officer				< 5		
	Estonia	452499 Sportspersons nec		< 5				
	Fiji	452499 Sportspersons nec		< 5				
	Finland	211213 Musician (Instrumental)		< 5				
	France	452499 Sportspersons nec						
	Germany, Fed Republic of	452499 Sportspersons nec						
	Hungary	452322 Sports Umpire	< 5					
	Indonesia	452499 Sportspersons nec						
	Italy	452499 Sportspersons nec		< 5				< 5
	Kenya	452499 Sportspersons nec					< 5	
	Korea, South	211213 Musician (Instrumental)						
		431112 Barista						
		452312 Gymnastics Coach or Instructor						< 5
		452499 Sportspersons nec						



Malaysia	452499 Sportspersons nec						
Mexico	452499 Sportspersons nec						
Montenegro	452499 Sportspersons nec					< 5	
Nepal	452499 Sportspersons nec						
Netherlands, Kingdom of The	452499 Sportspersons nec			< 5			
New Zealand	452499 Sportspersons nec					< 5	
Papua New Guinea	452499 Sportspersons nec						
Russian Federation	452499 Sportspersons nec		< 5				
Serbia	452499 Sportspersons nec						
Spain	212111 Artistic Director			< 5			
	452499 Sportspersons nec						
Thailand	452499 Sportspersons nec						
United Kingdom	139915 Sports Administrator						< 5
	139999 Specialist Managers nec						
	211213 Musician (Instrumental)			< 5			
	211299 Music Professionals nec						< 5
	212111 Artistic Director						
	225113 Marketing Specialist					< 5	
	233411 Electronics Engineer						
	233612 Petroleum Engineer		< 5				
	242111 University Lecturer	< 5					
	452321 Sports Development Officer						
	452412 Golfer			< 5			
	452499 Sportspersons nec					< 5	< 5
United States of America	111111 Chief Executive or Managing Director						< 5
	211112 Dancer or Choreographer						
	211299 Music Professionals nec		< 5				
	211311 Photographer						< 5
	211411 Painter (Visual Arts)	< 5					
	222311 Financial Investment Adviser		< 5				
	232311 Fashion Designer					< 5	
	249111 Education Adviser						< 5
	452499 Sportspersons nec		< 5				
Uruguay	452499 Sportspersons nec						< 5
858 Distinguished Talent Total		6	12	< 5	< 5	9	11



Visa applications **refused** for subclass **858** between **01/07/2019** and **30/06/2020** by **Citizenship** and **Occupation**
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858 Distinguished Talent	Brazil	211499 Visual Arts and Crafts Professionals nec					< 5	
	Canada	211199 Actors, Dancers and Other Entertainers nec		< 5				
	Estonia	452499 Sportspersons nec				< 5		
	France	452499 Sportspersons nec						< 5
	Iran	452499 Sportspersons nec					< 5	
	North Macedonia	211413 Sculptor					< 5	
	United States of America	452499 Sportspersons nec			< 5			
	Zambia	249111 Education Adviser	< 5					
858 Distinguished Talent Total			< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5



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