

# DIGITAL BADGE

#### **Digital Badging**

The NCTVET is continually looking for new and improved ways to effectively reach its stakeholders, while advancing technologically to meet global standards. As such, the NCTVET is now offering Digital Badges for some Customized programmes. With this, candidates are now able to view their credentials in a digital mode and share competencies digitally.

### What's a Digital Badge?

Badges are visual assets used to communicate a skill, learning achievement, behaviour, competency or credential. They can be verified online and allows you to share your accomplishments with professional and personal networks in one click for maximum visibility and recognition. The data (information) inside a Digital Badge communicates three (3) things about an individual and their achievement:

- Who did something
- What they did
- Who says they did it

### Where are Digital Badges displayed?

The NCTVET's Digital Badges will be issued, displayed and managed through the Credly Acclaim platform. Credly is the end-to-end solution for issuing and managing digital credentials. Credly works with credible organizations, such as the NCTVET, to provide digital credentials to individuals, worldwide. This platform enables you to manage, share and verify your competencies digitally, thus reaching a wider group of persons.



## What happens when you are eligible for a badge?

Once NCTVET verifies that you have met the requirements to receive a badge, an email notification will be sent which will prompt you to accept your Digital Badge.

### How do you accept your Digital Badge?

Click the accept button and follow the steps to set up a profile. You will be able to use your profile to showcase a wide variety of CV worthy skills, behaviours and competencies in a consistent way. In addition, this will help you to build an online portfolio of your lifelong learning and development journey.

### How are achievements shared?

The Credly System makes it easy to share your achievements in a variety of ways. Below, are three (3) key places to share your badges for maximum impact:



- 1. Your social media profiles
- 2. Your website or blog
- 3. Your email signatures

### **Benefits of Digital Badging**

- Easily manage, share and verify your learning achievements
- Secure verification adds credibility to your achievement
- Labour market insights connect your skills with active job opportunities
- Access promotional offers and learning pathways that are available only to badge earners

### **Badge earners**

For more frequently asked questions regarding the Acclaim platform and digital badging please visit: support.youracclaim.com

