

Are you a tour guide or operator in the Marianas?

Apply today to get certified!

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TOUR GUIDE

Certification Program

New Session Starts

MARCH 2026

Register for the upcoming certification program
to ensure your business stays compliant with
Public Law 18-58.



For more information, contact the Marianas Visitors Authority at
(670) 664-3200 or email gsablan@mymarianas.com





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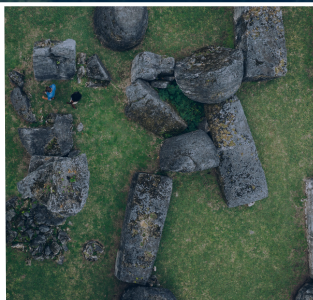
The Tour Guide Certification Program (Lite), offered in collaboration between the Marianas Visitors Authority (MVA) and Northern Marianas College (NMC), is a condensed 12-hour refresher designed for previously certified tour guides, as well as tour guides who are currently employed under licensed tour operators.

Open to *previously certified Tour Guides & Active Tour Guides* employed under a *licensed Tour Operator*.

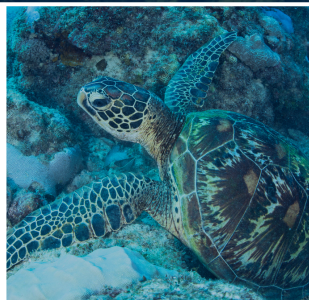
- ✓ Strengthen your understanding of local culture, history, and island attractions
- ✓ Receive a certification and stay aligned with today's tourism standards
- ! Participation is **required** under **CNMI Public Law 18-58, the Tour Operator and Tour Guide Regulatory Act of 2013***



HISTORY & CULTURE



SCENIC & HISTORIC LANDMARKS



ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION



RULES, REGULATIONS, & SAFETY

APPLY
by
FEBRUARY
27, 2026

COST
\$150

START
in
MARCH
2026



REGISTER NOW

Contact **NMC's Center for Training and Innovation** for more information at cdi@marianas.edu or (670) 237-6802

* Pursuant to: CNMI PL 18-58: To authorize the Marianas Visitors Authority to regulate tour operators and tour guides by amending 4 CMC § 2103 and adding a new Article 6. 4 CMC § 2103: No person may be employed as a tour guide...he or she has received an MVA-approved certification...that they have...passed MVA-approved examinations on: (1) The history and culture...; (2) The scenic and historic landmarks...; (3) Protection and conservation of the natural environment.