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ASIC Recognised by the Indonesian Ministry as an International Accreditation Agency for Schools

Jakarta, Indonesia – August 19, 2025 — ASIC (Accreditation Service for Schools, Colleges and Universities) is proud to announce its official recognition by the Ministry of Primary and Secondary Education of the Republic of Indonesia as an International Accreditation Agency (Lembaga Akreditasi Internasional – LAI). This designation, formalised through Ministerial Decree No. 73/O/2025, authorises ASIC to accredit schools across Indonesia, including Satuan Pendidikan Kerja Sama (SPK) institutions.

This recognition follows a rigorous evaluation process led by the Badan Akreditasi Nasional Pendidikan Anak Usia Dini, Pendidikan Dasar, dan Pendidikan Menengah (BAN-PDM). ASIC's inclusion in the Ministry's official list of approved international accreditation agencies reflects its commitment to global standards in education quality assurance and its collaborative approach to strengthening education standards in Indonesia.

"We are honoured to receive this recognition," said Lee Hammond, ASIC CEO. "It represents the culmination of years of dedicated work and an on-the-ground presence in Indonesia. We are excited to work with schools throughout Indonesia for educational excellence through our international accreditation."

ASIC also acknowledges the vital role played by PSSI (Perkumpulan Sekolah SPK Indonesia) in facilitating meetings and helping to ensure the voices of Indonesian leaders, educators, and experts were heard and understood throughout the process. A successful pilot project, completed in 2024, subsequently led to three schools chosen from across Indonesia - New Zealand School Jakarta, Manado Independent School, Xin Zhong School (Surabaya) - achieving ASIC Premier Accreditation.

ASIC joins a list of only three other international accrediting bodies recognised by the Ministry. "This milestone recognition strengthens ASIC's global footprint and reinforces its mission to support educational institutions in delivering high-quality, internationally benchmarked learning experiences," concludes Lee Hammond.

About ASIC: ASIC's mission is deeply rooted in supporting the diverse landscape of global educational excellence. Its Standards of Accreditation are specifically international, designed to recognise and celebrate the unique strengths of different countries, modes of educational delivery, and curriculum worldwide. Beyond accreditation, ASIC works to build meaningful collaboration across the education sector, with its dedicated programme of conferences and webinars connecting education leaders, government representatives, and sector experts from 70+ countries.



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