Test of English Proficiency (TOEFL/IELTS) Exemptions

If you have received a 4 year bachelor or graduate degree in one of the following countries, you are exempt from the TOEFL or IELTS requirement:

Antigua
Australia
Bahamas
Barbados
Belize
Bermuda
Cameron
(You are exempt if you studied under the British system, not exempt if you studied under the French system)
Canada
(English speaking Canada only)
Cayman Islands
Dominica
Gambia
Ghana
Grand Turks and Caicos Islands
Grenada
Guyana
Ireland
Jamaica
Kenya
Lesotho
Liberia
Montserrat
Namibia
New Zealand
Nigeria
Sierra Leone
Singapore
South Africa
St. Lucia
St. Vincent
Swaziland
Tanzania
Trinidad and Tobago
Uganda
United Kingdom
United States of America
Virgin Islands (British and US)
Zambia
Zimbabwe

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