

Professional Qualifications for Corporate Membership

Exemption from Professional Assessment

(Candidates must read this leaflet in conjunction with M3 Routes to Membership)

The following Institutions have **Reciprocal Recognition Agreements (RRAs)** with the HKIE. Corporate Members of these Institutions may be admitted to the HKIE in a corresponding discipline, without a Professional Assessment, providing they have undergone a Professional Assessment/Review¹ which includes an interview by the parent Institution. These Agreements only apply to those Members of the HKIE and Members of these Institutions who have been admitted via normal procedures and do not apply to Members of these Institutions who joined via their own RRAs. The RRAs do not apply to Mature Route Candidates except in the case of The Institution of Civil Engineers (ICE). All applications will be subject to verification by the parent Institution, endorsement by the HKIE Qualifications and Membership Board and final approval of the Council.

The eligibility for holders of the professional qualifications from the Institutions below to a particular discipline shall be assessed and allocated by the HKIE. Under the RRAs, the HKIE retains full discretion as to the admission of any candidate to Corporate Membership. The HKIE also retains the right to require whatever additional assessment deemed necessary in individual cases, or even not to accept an application. In the circumstances that a discipline matching interview is required, the applicant may be asked questions related to his/her competences. Only two Corporate Member supporters, in the same discipline as the applicant, are required when completing the Corporate Membership application.

NOTE TO APPLICANTS: Effective from 5 July 2025, RRAs applicants are required to ask their Parent Institution, and the ECUK (if applicable), to complete HKIE confirmation request form(s) to confirm their membership status. The completed request form is required to be sent back DIRECTLY to the HKIE by the required Institution(s). The confirmation request forms are available to be downloaded from the HKIE website.

The British Computer Society (BCS) - see Note G

The Chartered Institution of Building Services Engineers (CIBSE) - see Note J

The Chartered Institution of Highways & Transportation (CIHT) - see Note X

The Chartered Institution of Water and Environmental Management (CIWEM) – see Note T

China Association for Science & Technology (CAST) - see Note C

Chinese Society of Engineers (CSE) – see Note AC

Energy Institute (EI) – see Note O

Engineering New Zealand (EngNZ)² - see Note E

Engineers Canada⁴ - see Note I

Engineers Ireland⁵ - see Note F

Guangdong Society for Electrical Engineering (GSEE) – see Note AB

Hong Kong Computer Society (HKCS) - see Note L

Hong Kong Institute of Qualified Environmental Professionals (HKIQEP) – see Note AE

The Guangdong Institution of Engineers (GDIE) – see Note AD

The Institute of Marine Engineering, Science & Technology (IMarEST) - see Note N

The Institute of Measurement and Control (InstMC) - see Note H

The Institution of Chemical Engineers (IChemE)

The Institution of Civil Engineers (ICE) – see Note Z

The Institution of Engineering and Technology (IET) – see Note U

The Institution of Engineers, Australia (Engineers Australia)³ - see Note A

The Institution of Fire Engineers (IFE) - see Note W

Institution of Gas Engineers and Managers (IGEM) - see Note P

The Institution of Mechanical Engineers (IMechE) - see Note AA

Institute of Materials, Minerals and Mining (IOM3) - see Note K

The Institution of Structural Engineers (IStructE) - see Note V

The National Administration Board of Engineering Registration (Structural) - see Note M

The Royal Aeronautical Society (RAeS) - see Note Y

The Royal Institution of Naval Architects (RINA) - see Note R

The Society of Operations Engineers (SOE) - see Note S

Notes:

- A.
- i) The HKIE and the IEAust renewed the RRA and all applications made on or after 12 October 2009 shall be subject to the new agreement and the following terms.
 - ii) This agreement applies to reciprocal recognition for Members of the HKIE and Registered Chartered Professional Engineers of the IEAust and Registered National Professional Engineers in Australia.
 - iii) Applicants must fulfill the following in order to qualify for Members of the HKIE pursuant to this Agreement:-
 - (a) Provide a continuing professional development record for the purpose of application; and
 - (b) Attend an interview based upon submission of a Training and Experience Report for the purposes of matching the applicant to a discipline of the HKIE.
 - (c) This Agreement is only applicable to the following disciplines of the HKIE:
 - Biomedical
 - Building
 - Building Services
 - Chemical
 - Civil
 - Control, Automation & Instrumentation
 - Electrical
 - Electronics

- Environmental
- Fire
- Gas
- Geotechnical
- Information
- Manufacturing, Industrial & Systems
- Marine & Naval Architecture
- Materials
- Mechanical

B. Repealed.

C. The HKIE and Chinese Society of Engineers (CSE) (中國工程師聯合體) established a new Reciprocal Recognition Agreement on 21 May 2023, which superseded the previous Reciprocal Recognition Agreement between the HKIE and the CAST. Note AC refers.

D. Repealed.

- E.
- i) The HKIE and the EngNZ renewed the RRA and all applications made on or after 15 May 2026 shall be subject to the new agreement and the following terms.
 - ii) This agreement applies to reciprocal recognition for the Chartered Members of Engineering New Zealand (CMEngNZ) and Corporate Members of the HKIE.
 - iii) This Agreement is mutually applicable to the following Practice Fields recognised by EngNZ and the Disciplines of the HKIE:-

Engineering New Zealand	HKIE
Aerospace Engineering	Aircraft
Bioengineering	Biomedical
Construction Engineering	Building
Building Services	Building Services
Chemical Engineering	Chemical
Civil Engineering	Civil
Electrical Engineering	Electrical
Information Engineering	Electronics
Mechatronics Engineering	
Environmental Engineering	Environmental
Fire Engineering	Fire
Geotechnical Engineering	Geotechnical
Transportation Engineering	Logistics & Transportation
Industrial Engineering	Manufacturing, Industrial & Systems
Mechanical Engineering	Mechanical

- iv) Applicants who have obtained their substantive training and experience in a jurisdiction should apply for Membership in that jurisdiction first. If these applicants wish to apply for Membership in the other jurisdiction first, their submissions under this Agreement could be subject to a review which may comprise any or all of the following:

- (a) Submission of a Training and Experience Report;
- (b) Interview;
- (c) Written Assessment;
- (d) Submission of record of continuing professional development.

Each Institution has the discretion to determine the extent and scope of the review.

- F.
 - i) Applicants who have obtained their substantive training and experience in a jurisdiction shall apply for Chartered / Corporate Membership in that jurisdiction first. If these applicants wish to apply for Chartered / Corporate Membership in other jurisdiction first, they shall have relevant working experience in that jurisdiction for not less than 6 months at the time of submitting the applications for them to be eligible to make submissions under this Agreement.
 - ii) Applicants for Corporate Members of the HKIE shall identify a Discipline in which they consider it would be appropriate for them to be enrolled. Acceptance to a Discipline shall, however be assessed by the Institution. The assessment will normally include an interview based upon education, Training and Experience Reports for matching of Discipline.
- G.
 - i) The HKIE and the BCS renewed the RRA and all applications made on or after January 2025 shall be subject to the new agreement and the following terms.
 - ii) This Agreement applies to reciprocal recognition of requirements for Members of the HKIE in the Information Discipline with Members of the BCS who are Chartered Engineers (The Chartered Engineer status must be obtained through Membership of the BCS).
 - iii) Applicants who have obtained their substantive training and experience in a jurisdiction should apply for Membership in that jurisdiction first. If these applicants wish to apply for Membership in the other jurisdiction first, their submissions under this Agreement could be subject to a review which may comprise any or all of the following:
 - (a) Submission of a Training and Experience Report;
 - (b) Interview;
 - (c) Written Assessment;
 - (d) Submission of record of continuing professional development.

The HKIE has the discretion to determine on the extent and scope of the review.

- H. Applicants who have obtained their substantive training and experience in a jurisdiction shall apply for Members in that jurisdiction first. If these applicants wish to apply for Members in the other jurisdiction first, their submissions under this Agreement shall be subject to a review which may comprise any or all of the following:
 - (a) Submission of a Training and Experience Report;
 - (b) Interview;
 - (c) Essay test;
 - (d) Submission of record of continuing professional development.

The HKIE has the discretion to determine on the extent and scope of the review.

- I.
 - i) Applies to Licensed Engineers (Professional Engineer, PEng) in Canada in which the corresponding registration or licensing authority in the province / territory has ratified the Mutual Recognition Agreement between the HKIE and the Engineers Canada. The following Constituent Members of the Engineers Canada had ratified the Agreement and the Agreement is now applicable to the jurisdictions of these Constituent Members:

- (a) Association of Professional Engineers and Geoscientists of British Columbia (APEGBC)
 - (b) Association of Professional Engineers of Yukon (APEY)
 - (c) Association of Professional Engineers and Geoscientists of New Brunswick (APEGNB)
 - (d) Association of Professional Engineers of Prince Edward Island (APEPEI)
 - (e) Association of Professional Engineers of Nova Scotia (APENS)
 - (f) Association of Professional Engineers of Manitoba (APEGM)
 - (g) Association of Professional Engineers and Geoscientists of Alberta (APEGA)
 - (h) Association of Professional Engineers, Geologists and Geophysicists of the Northwest Territories (NAPEGG)
 - (i) Association of Professional Engineers & Geoscientists of Saskatchewan (APEGS)
- ii) Applicants must have a minimum of four years acceptable engineering experience of which one year must be obtained in a Canadian environment or equivalent when they became a PEng in Canada.
- iii) Applicants must attend an interview based upon submission of a Training and Experience Report for the purpose of matching the applicants to a discipline of the HKIE.
- iv) Applicants who would like to enter into the Structural Discipline of the HKIE must pass the Part III examinations jointly organised by the HKIE and the IStructE (The Institution of Structural Engineers) on or before 31 December 2011, or the HKIE Structural Examination.
- v) Applicants must demonstrate that they have obtained the equivalent of one year of experience in the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region.
- J. i) The HKIE and the CIBSE renewed the RRA and all applications made on or after 20 November 2024 shall be subject to the new agreement and the following terms.
- ii) This agreement applies to reciprocal recognition for Members of the HKIE in the Building Services Discipline with Members of the CIBSE who are registered Chartered Engineers.
- iii) Applicants who have obtained their substantive training and experience in a jurisdiction shall apply for Membership in that jurisdiction first. If these applicants wish to apply for Membership in another jurisdiction first, their submissions under this Agreement could be subject to a review which may comprise any or all of the following:
- (a) Submission of a Training and Experience Report;
 - (b) Interview;
 - (c) Writing Assessment;
 - (d) Submission of record of continuing professional development.
- Each Institution has the discretion to determine the extent and scope of the review.
- iv) Note to Applicants: Please send the HKIE Confirmation Request Form (Home Professional Institution) to CIBSE at membership@cibse.org.
- K. i) The Institute of Materials (IoM) and the Institution of Mining and Metallurgy (IMM) have merged and formed the Institute of Materials, Minerals and Mining (IOM3) in June 2002.
- ii) The HKIE and the IOM3 renewed and combined the previous RRAs into one and all applications made on or after 20 February 2023 shall be subject to the new agreement and the following terms.

- iii) This agreement applies to reciprocal recognition for Members of the HKIE in the Geotechnical and Materials Disciplines with Members of the IOM3 who are Chartered Engineers (Chartered Engineer status must be obtained through professional assessment by the IOM3).
- iv) Applicants who have obtained their substantive training and experience in a jurisdiction shall apply for membership in that jurisdiction first. If these applicants wish to apply for membership in the other jurisdiction first, their submissions under this Agreement shall be subject to a review which may comprise any or all of the following:
 - (a) Submission of a Training and Experience Report;
 - (b) Interview;
 - (c) Writing Assessment;
 - (d) Submission of record of continuing professional development.

Each Institution has the discretion to determine the extent and scope of the review.

- L.
 - i) The HKIE and Hong Kong Computer Society (HKCS) established a Reciprocal Recognition Agreement on 27 May 2005 and this Agreement applies to Corporate Members of the HKIE (Information Discipline) and Full Members of the HKCS (including Fellows).
 - ii) In order to qualify for reciprocal recognition under this Agreement, the HKIE requires Full Members of the HKCS to possess all of the following professional formation.
 - (a) An engineering/computing degree in a relevant subject accredited/recognized by the HKIE and the HKCS.
 - (b) One of the following experience formation in Information and Communication Technologies/ Information System (ICT/IS) work:
 - 1) A minimum of 8 years post graduation experience for applicants who had been Full Members of HKCS of less than 2 years, or
 - 2) A minimum of 6 years post graduation experience for applicants who had been Full Members of HKCS for not less than 2 years, or
 - 3) A minimum of 4 years post graduation experience for applicants who had been Full Members of HKCS for not less than 4 years.
 - (c) A period of responsible experience in ICT/IS work for not less than 2 years. This period of experience can be achieved through the period of post graduation experience required in (b).
 - iii) The HKIE shall retain full discretion as to the admission of any applicants for Membership. The HKIE shall assess each applicant in accordance with his/her individual merits and in cases necessary, conduct an interview in assessing a particular applicant.
 - iv) An applicant from HKCS under this Agreement shall first obtain support from HKCS on his/her application by filling up a section in the Membership application form to this effect.
- M. Information will be provided to Class I Registered Structural Engineers in the Mainland who have passed the Assessment under the Mutual Recognition Agreement.
- N.
 - i) The HKIE and the IMarEST renewed the RRA and all applications made on or after 21 November 2024 shall be subject to the new agreement and the following terms.

- ii) This agreement applies to reciprocal recognition for Members of the HKIE in the Marine and Naval Architecture Discipline and Members of the IMarEST who are Marine Engineers or Naval Architects, Chartered Engineers (CEng) and Chartered Marine Engineers (CMarEng) (The Chartered Engineer status must be obtained through Membership of the IMarEST).
- iii) Applicants who have obtained their substantive training and experience in a jurisdiction shall apply for Membership in that jurisdiction first. If these applicants wish to apply for Membership in another jurisdiction first, their submissions under this Agreement could be subject to a review which may comprise any or all of the following:
 - (a) Submission of a Training and Experience Report;
 - (b) Interview;
 - (c) Written Assessment;
 - (d) Submission of record of continuing professional development.

Each Institution has the discretion to determine on the extent and scope of the review.

- O.
 - i) The HKIE and the EI renewed the RRA on 5 December 2022. All applications made on or after this date shall be subject to the new agreement and the terms therein.
 - ii) This agreement applies to Member of the HKIE in the Energy (ENY) Discipline and Chartered Engineer and Member (CEng MEI) of EI. (The Chartered Engineer status must be obtained through Membership of EI).
 - iii) Applicants who have obtained their substantive training and experience in a jurisdiction shall apply for Membership in that jurisdiction first. If these applicants wish to apply for Membership in another jurisdiction first, their submissions under this Agreement could be subject to a review which may comprise any or all of the following:
 - (a) Submission of a Training and Experience Report;
 - (b) Interview;
 - (c) Written Assessment;
 - (d) Submission of record of continuing professional development.

Each Institution/Institute has the discretion to determine on the extent and scope of the review.

- P.
 - i) The HKIE and the IGEM renewed the RRA on 27 March 2023. All applications made on or after this date shall be subject to the new agreement and the terms therein.
 - ii) This agreement applies to reciprocal recognition for Members of the HKIE in the Gas Discipline and Corporate Members (Chartered Engineer) of IGEM.
 - iii) Applicants who have obtained their substantive training and experience in a jurisdiction shall apply for Membership in that jurisdiction first. If these applicants wish to apply for Membership in another jurisdiction first, their submissions under this Agreement could be subject to a review which may comprise any or all of the following:
 - (a) Submission of a Training and Experience Report;
 - (b) Interview;
 - (c) Written Assessment;
 - (d) Submission of record of continuing professional development.

Each Institution has the discretion to determine on the extent and scope of the review.

- Q. Repealed.

- R.
- i) The HKIE and the RINA renewed the RRA and all applications made on or after 17 March 2008 shall be subject to the new agreement and the following terms.
 - ii) This agreement applies to reciprocal recognition for Members of the HKIE in the Marine and Naval Architecture Discipline and Members of the RINA who are Chartered Engineers (CEng) (The Chartered Engineer status must be obtained through Professional Review by the RINA).
 - iii) Applicants who have obtained their substantive training and experience in a jurisdiction shall apply for Membership in that jurisdiction first. If these applicants wish to apply for Membership in another jurisdiction first, their submissions under this Agreement could be subject to a review which may comprise any or all of the following:
 - (a) Submission of a Training and Experience Report;
 - (b) Interview;
 - (c) Writing Assessment;
 - (d) Submission of record of continuing professional development.

Each Institution has the discretion to determine on the extent and scope of the review.

- S.
- i) This agreement applies to reciprocal recognition for Members of the HKIE in the Control, Automation & Instrumentation (CAI), Mechanical (MCL) and Manufacturing, Industrial & Systems (MIS) Engineering Disciplines and Fellows of the SOE who are registered as Chartered Engineers with the Engineering Council of the United Kingdom (the Chartered Engineers status must be obtained through Membership or Fellowship of the SOE).
 - ii) Applicants who have obtained their substantive training and experience in a jurisdiction shall apply for corresponding Membership/Fellowship in that jurisdiction first. If these applicants wish to apply for corresponding Membership/Fellowship in another jurisdiction first, their submissions under this Agreement could be subject to a review which may comprise any or all of the following:
 - (a) Submission of a Training and Experience Report;
 - (b) Interview;
 - (c) Writing Assessment;
 - (d) Submission of record of continuing professional development.

The HKIE has the discretion to determine on the extent and scope of the review.

- iii) Applicants for Membership of the HKIE shall identify the discipline in which they consider it would be appropriate for them to be enrolled. Acceptance to a discipline shall, however, be assessed by the HKIE. The assessment shall include a partial professional assessment consisting of examination of a report on training and experience, and an interview.
 - iv) Applicants for Membership of the HKIE in Mechanical Discipline are required to submit a one-page summary of their experience to demonstrate their abilities in applying engineering theory and principles in engineering practice in the Mechanical Discipline.
- T.
- i) This agreement applies to reciprocal recognition for Members of the HKIE in the Chemical (CML), Civil (CVL), Environmental (ENV) and Mechanical (MCL) Engineering Disciplines and Members of the CIWEM who are Chartered Engineers (the Chartered Engineer status must be obtained through Professional Review (including interview) by the CIWEM).
 - ii) Applicants who have obtained their substantive training and experience in a jurisdiction shall apply for Membership in that jurisdiction first. If these applicants wish to apply for

Membership in another jurisdiction first, their submissions under this Agreement could be subject to a review which may comprise any or all of the following:

- (a) Submission of a Training and Experience Report;
- (b) Interview;
- (c) Writing Assessment;
- (d) Submission of record of continuing professional development.

Each Institution has the discretion to determine on the extent and scope of the review.

- iii) Applicants for Membership of the HKIE shall identify the discipline in which they consider it would be appropriate for them to be enrolled. They are strongly advised to highlight their relevant experience, including duties and responsibilities in a particular project, in the applying discipline in preparing the submission for assessment. Acceptance to a discipline shall, however, be assessed by the HKIE. The assessment may include a partial professional assessment consisting of examination of a report on training and experience, and an interview.
- U.
 - i) The HKIE and the IET renewed the RRA on 3 November 2025. All applications made on or after this date shall be subject to the new agreement and the terms therein.
 - ii) This agreement applies to reciprocal recognition for Members in Biomedical (BME), Electrical (ELL), Electronics (ENS), Control, Automation & Instrumentation (CAI), Manufacturing, Industrial & Systems (MIS) and Information (INF) Engineering Disciplines of the HKIE and Members of the IET who are Chartered Engineers. The IET Chartered Engineer registration must be obtained through the IET's normal professional review process (including interview by the IET).
 - iii) Applicants for Membership of the HKIE shall identify the discipline in which they consider it would be appropriate for them to be enrolled. Applicants are required to highlight their relevant experience, including duties and responsibilities in a particular project, in the applying discipline in the application. The HKIE would then conduct assessment on the applications and if necessary, discipline matching interview might be required. Based upon the outcomes of discipline matching interview, assessors would reserve the right to conduct Writing Assessment in cases they think appropriate.
- V. The Mutual Recognition Agreement between the HKIE and the IStructE (the Agreement) ceased to exist on 1 January 2012. Applicants who obtained their MStructE CEng qualification on or before 31 December 2011 would still be eligible to apply for Membership of the HKIE under the original terms in the Agreement whilst applicants who obtain their MStructE CEng qualification after 31 December 2011 would be assessed on an individual basis. For applicants who have submitted applications in 2011 to sit for the IStructE Examination in 2012, they would be eligible under the original terms in the Agreement to apply for Membership of the HKIE should they pass the examination and meet all requirements for CEng.
- W. The Mutual Recognition Agreement between the HKIE and the IFE (the Agreement) ceased to exist on 20 February 2025.
- X.
 - i) The HKIE and the CIHT renewed the RRA on 4 November 2025. All applications made on or after this date shall be subject to the new agreement and the terms therein.
 - ii) This agreement applies to reciprocal recognition for Members of the HKIE in the Civil (CVL) and Logistics & Transportation (LTE) Disciplines and Members of the CIHT who are Chartered Engineers (the Chartered Engineer status must be obtained through Professional Review by the CIHT). Applicants for Membership of the HKIE shall identify the discipline in which they consider it would be appropriate for them to be enrolled.

- iii) Applicants who have obtained their substantive training and experience in a jurisdiction shall apply for Membership in that jurisdiction first. If these applicants wish to apply for Membership in another jurisdiction first, their submissions under this Agreement could be subject to a review which may comprise any or all of the following:

- (a) Submission of a Training and Experience Report;
- (b) Interview;
- (c) Writing Assessment;
- (d) Submission of record of continuing professional development.

Each Institution has the discretion to determine the extent and scope of the review.

- Y. i) This agreement applies to reciprocal recognition for Members of the HKIE in the Aircraft (ACE) Discipline and Members of the RAeS who are Chartered Engineers (the Chartered Engineer status must be obtained through passing Professional Interview of the RAeS).

- ii) Applicants who have obtained their substantive training and experience in a jurisdiction shall apply for Membership in that jurisdiction first. If these applicants wish to apply for Membership in another jurisdiction first, their submissions under this Agreement could be subject to a review which may comprise any or all of the following:

- (a) Submission of a Training and Experience Report;
- (b) Interview;
- (c) Writing Assessment;
- (d) Submission of record of continuing professional development.

Each Institution has the discretion to determine the extent and scope of the review.

- Z. i) The HKIE and the ICE renewed the RRA on 3 November 2025. All applications made on or after this date shall be subject to the new agreement and the terms therein.

- ii) This agreement applies to reciprocal recognition for Members of the HKIE in the Civil (CVL) and Geotechnical (GEL) Disciplines and Members of the ICE (MICE) qualified as a Chartered Civil Engineer.

- iii) Applicants who have obtained their substantive training and experience in a jurisdiction shall apply for Membership in that jurisdiction first. If these applicants wish to apply for Membership in another jurisdiction first, their submissions under this Agreement could be subject to a review which may comprise any or all of the following:

- (a) Submission of a Training and Experience Report;
- (b) Interview;
- (c) Writing Assessment;
- (d) Submission of record of continuing professional development.

Each Institution has the discretion to determine the extent and scope of the review.

- iv) Applicants for Membership of the HKIE shall identify the discipline in which they consider it would be appropriate for them to be enrolled. They shall provide a report of training and experience with the application for the purpose of discipline matching which highlights their relevant experience, including duties and responsibilities assigned in the projects involved with reference to 5.4.1 of M3 Routes to Membership. Acceptance to a discipline shall be assessed by the HKIE.

- AA. i) The HKIE and the IMechE renewed the RRA on 27 September 2016. All applications made on or after this date shall be subject to the new agreement and the terms therein.

- ii) This agreement applies to reciprocal recognition for Members of the HKIE in the Mechanical (MCL) Discipline and Members of the IMechE who are professionally registered as Chartered Engineers with the Engineering Council of the United Kingdom and who are entitled to the post-nominals CEng MIMechE. The Chartered Engineer status must be obtained / maintained through Membership of the IMechE.
- iii) Applicants who have obtained their substantive training and experience in a jurisdiction shall normally apply for Membership in that jurisdiction first. If these applicants wish to apply for Membership in another jurisdiction first, their submissions under this Agreement could be subject to a review which may comprise any or all of the following:
 - (a) Submission of a Training and Experience Report;
 - (b) Interview;
 - (c) Writing Assessment;
 - (d) Submission of record of continuing professional development.

Each Institution has the discretion to determine the extent and scope of the review.

- iv) Applicants who submit their applications on or after 15 April 2024 shall provide a Training and Experience Report with the application to identify their substantive training and experience which highlights their relevant professional experience, including duties and responsibilities assigned in the projects involved with reference to Section 5.4.1 of M3 Routes to Membership, and record of 3 years continuing professional development.

- AB.
- i) This mutual recognition agreement applies to the following:
 - (a) Members of the HKIE in the Electrical (ELL) Discipline are eligible to apply for Electrical Engineers (電氣工程師) of Guangdong;
 - (b) Members of the HKIE with five years of post-membership experience and Fellows of the HKIE in the ELL Discipline are eligible to apply for Senior Electrical Engineers (電氣高級工程師) of Guangdong; and
 - (c) Electrical Engineers and Senior Electrical Engineers of Guangdong who are members of the GSEE for not less than two years are eligible to apply for Members of the HKIE in the ELL Discipline.
 - ii) Applicants from Guangdong must be a permanent resident of Mainland China.
 - iii) Applicants must satisfy the ELL professional education, training and work requirements recognised by the GSEE. If the language of instruction of applicant's undergraduate degree programme is not English, a English language proficiency test score must be provided to prove that the applicant's English proficiency has reached an overall score of 6.5 or above in the IELTS.
 - iv) Applicants should submit their application forms together with a copy of the information required for professional evaluation/assessment and interview (with original copies ready for checking), including:
 - (a) Proof of permanent residency;
 - (b) Proof of professional qualifications and membership certificate of the original professional body as appropriate;
 - (c) Proof of language proficiency;
 - (d) Proof of training and experience;
 - (e) Personal technical resume, main projects completed, electrical technical solutions provided and key points of certain projects/products designed. The materials are required to be written in English and submitted in duplicate;
 - (f) Certification of Qualification (for applicants from Guangdong only) ([Appendix A](#) refers)

- v) Unless specially approved, applicants who meet the requirements for mutual recognition of qualifications are required to take the written examinations and interviews arranged by the HKIE:
- (a) Written examination (Essay task or technical write-up) in English. Reference can be made to the “Scope of Qualification Assessment for Electrical Engineers” ([Appendix A](#) refers).
 - (b) Interview will be conducted in English for about 45 minutes. Applicants need to give a 15-minute presentation at the start of the interview.

The HKIE has the final authority on the approval of application and will reject applicants who do not meet the requirements or make false declarations.

- AC.
- i) The mutual recognition applies to Senior Professional Engineer (資深工程會員) of CSE and Fellow (資深會員) of the HKIE.
 - ii) The engineering categories of CSE and the engineering disciplines of the HKIE included in the Mutual Recognition Agreement and their corresponding category/discipline to each other:

CSE 中國工程師聯合體	HKIE 香港工程師學會
Civil 土木工程類	Civil 土木
Electrical 電氣工程類	Electrical 電機
	Energy 能源
Mechanical 機械工程類	Manufacturing, Industrial and Systems 製造、工業及系統
	Mechanical 機械
Measurement Control and Instrumentation 測量控制與儀器儀表類	Control, Automation and Instrumentation 控制、自動化和儀器儀表
Information and Communication 信息通訊工程類	Information 資訊
Chemical 化學化工類	Chemical 化學
Building and Construction 建築工程類	Building 建造
	Building Services 屋宇裝備

- iii) Applicants are required to have at least five consecutive years of discipline-related engineering experience at senior technical positions and 10 years of relevant work experience after obtaining the professional engineering qualification.
- iv) Applicants are required to complete an application form for Fellowship and must read this leaflet in conjunction with M2 Routes to Fellowship which can be downloaded from HKIE website.

AD. i) This mutual recognition applies to 「專業工程會員」 and 「資深工程會員」 of the Guangdong Institution of Engineers (GDIE), and Member (正會員) and Fellow (資深會員) of the HKIE.

ii) The agreement is now applicable to these Constituent Members of the GDIE:

- a) Guangdong Institute of Electronics (廣東省電子學會)
- b) Guangdong Mechanical Engineering Society (廣東省機械工程學會)
- c) Guangdong Province Highway Society (廣東省公路學會)
- d) Guangdong Provincial Society for Rock Mechanics and Engineering (廣東省岩土力學與工程學會)
- e) Guangdong Society for Electrical Engineering (廣東省電機工程學會)
- f) Guangdong Society of Civil Engineering and Architecture (廣東省土木建築學會)
- g) Measurement Control Technology and Equipment Application Promotion Association of Guangdong Province (廣東省測控技術與裝備應用促進會)

iii) The engineering categories of GDIE and the engineering disciplines of the HKIE included in the Mutual Recognition Agreement and their corresponding category/discipline to each other:

GDIE 廣東省工程師學會	HKIE 香港工程師學會
Construction (Civil) 建築(土木)工程	Civil 土木
Highway Engineering 公路工程	
Electrical Engineering 電機工程	Electrical 電機
Geotechnical Engineering 岩土工程	Geotechnical 岩土
Information and Communication Engineering 信息通信工程	Electronics 電子
Instrument, Control and Measurement 測量控制與儀器儀表	Control, Automation & Instrumentation 控制、自動化和儀器儀表

Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning 暖通工程	Building Services 屋宇裝備
Water Supply and Drainage Engineering 給水排水工程	
Mechanical Engineering 機械工程	Mechanical 機械
	Manufacturing, Industrial & Systems 製造、工業及系統

- iv) a) Applicants are required to have at least five consecutive years of discipline-related engineering experience at senior technical positions (高級技術崗位).
- b) To apply Fellow (資深會員) of the HKIE, applicants are also required to submit the following documents in English:
- (a) A detailed resume (approximately 5 pages) outlining the job positions held over the past 10 years, including personal titles, the scale of operations, and the organization chart etc.;
(一份詳細履歷 (約5頁) 去交代過去10年的工作職位，含個人的職稱、運作的規模和組織的員工架構等；)
 - (b) Proof of continuous professional development activities;
(包括持續專業發展活動的證明；)
 - (c) A list of personal professional publications;
(列出個人專業出版文獻；)
 - (d) Details on supporting professional activities.
(提供支持專業活動的詳情。)
- c) To apply for the HKIE Fellowship (資深會員), applicants are required to complete an application form for Fellowship and must read this leaflet in conjunction with M2 Routes to Fellowship which can be downloaded from HKIE website.
- v) Each Institution has the discretion to determine the extent and scope of the review. The HKIE reserves the right to require further supplementary documents or undertake any forms of further assessment if deemed necessary.
- vi) 「專業工程會員」and「資深工程會員」of the GDIE with good standing, based on their personal preferences, can submit reciprocal recognition applications to the HKIE through regular arrangements organized by the GDIE.
- vii) Applicants are required to submit Certification of Qualification (資格證明書) together with the application materials. ([Appendix B](#) refers)
- viii) To apply for the HKIE Graduate Membership (初級會員), please refer to the application form for Graduate Membership.

- (a) Applicants should satisfy all admission requirements for application to Membership if they would like to apply for the HKIE Corporate Membership to specific discipline.

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- i) This agreement applies to reciprocal recognition for Members of the HKIE in the Environmental (ENV) Discipline and Professional Members of the Hong Kong Institute of Qualified Environmental Professionals (HKIQEP).
 - ii) In order to qualify for reciprocal recognition under this Agreement, the HKIE requires the following elements in the formation of an Engineer in the Environmental Discipline:-
 - (a) An accredited/recognised engineering degree, but not limited to Washington Accord, in a relevant engineering subject; or
 - (b) A relevant science degree such as in Biology, Chemistry, Environmental Science, Applied Science, “topped-up” with a Master’s degree in engineering or equivalent; or
 - (c) A degree of applied science nature with a minimum of 8 years post-degree experience in the Environmental Discipline.
 - iii) Applicants’ submissions under this Agreement could be subject to a review which may comprise any or all of the following:
 - (a) Submission of a Training and Experience Report;
 - (b) Interview;
 - (c) Writing Assessment;
 - (d) Submission of record of continuing professional development.

Each Institution has the discretion to determine the extent and scope of the review.

- ¹ For the Institutions in the United Kingdom, Professional Assessment/Interview mentioned in this paragraph must be conducted at the level which would enable the applicants to satisfy the registration requirements for Chartered Engineer.
- ² Engineering New Zealand was formerly known as the Institution of Professional Engineers New Zealand (IPENZ) before it changed its name in 2017.
- ³ The Institution of Engineers Australia is also known as Engineers Australia.
- ⁴ Engineers Canada was formerly known as the Canadian Council of Professional Engineers (CCPE) before it changed its name in 2007.
- ⁵ Engineers Ireland is an operating name adopted by the Institution of Engineers of Ireland (IEI) since 2005.