

The Joint Professional Bodies

Qualified Persons Eligibility Scheme

News Bulletin

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The Joint Professional Bodies (JPB) are committed to keeping in touch with the Qualified Person's community and will be updating this page with a quarterly newsletter to share relevant updates and information about the QP eligibility scheme.

Qualified Person Interviews

Since the beginning of April 2022, we have reinstated face-to-face interviews. Location details and the appropriate information will be provided when candidates are booked in for their interviews, but these will be held in one of the three professional bodies' offices in Central London.

We do appreciate that there may be some candidates that will be unable to attend face to face interviews under exceptional circumstances. We will therefore consider requests for virtual interviews on a case-by-case basis. Please inform your QP Officer before you are invited to interview if you think this may apply to you.

Registration Form

The JPB have been operating a registration process since October 2021. It is now mandatory that all candidates register with their professional body before they intend to fully apply. Even if you have previously started compiling your QP application prior to these updates, you are now required to submit a registration form and request the new application and sponsor forms.

The registration form is available online and at a minimum, applicants will need to be a member of a professional body and have identified a sponsor to submit a form. Once a form is received, the QP Officer will check that:

- the registrant has the appropriate membership level;
- the registrant's qualification meets the legal requirements and;
- the registrants sponsor(s) meet the requirements.

Once a candidate has successfully registered, they will receive a copy of the application and sponsor forms that they should use.

The registration process is free of charge and does not restrict you to a submission date or even to submit an application. The level of information needed is basic and required to help us identify any potential issues as early in the process as possible and long before the full application.

All candidates, regardless of what stage of their QP training they are in, are encouraged to register as early as possible.