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# **C**Eng



## SHAPING YOUR FUTURE

Get recognition for your expertise and hard work

Access life-long learning resources

Improve your career prospects

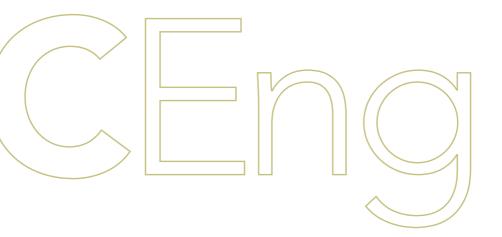
Have a greater influence within your organisation and industry

Boost your self-esteem



## REALISING YOUR POTENTIAL

Are you a motivated individual with real potential? Do you possess a natural talent for problem solving through creativity and innovation? If the answer to both questions is yes, then you may well have what it takes to become one of the elite of the engineering profession – a Chartered Engineer.



## WHY BECOME CHARTERED?

The letters 'CEng' after your name carry considerable prestige and clearly mark you out as a significant player in the world of engineering and technology.

### These are the benefits of the status you enjoy:

- The status of being part of a technological elite
   Chartered Engineers are at the forefront of meeting the world's most pressing challenges and ensuring society's continued wellbeing and prosperity.
- Recognition of your expertise and hard work
   And once you have gained such recognition you are unlikely to want to relinquish it. Most Chartered
   Engineers remain registered until they retire.
- High self-esteem
   Chartered Engineers place a high value on their award and derive a greater sense of satisfaction from it than from their other qualifications.

- Improved career prospects
  The CEng award demonstrates
  to employers that the holder has
  experience, drive and commitment
  and has fulfilled the competence
  requirements of an internationally
  recognised standard.
- Greater influence within your organisation and industry
   Chartered Engineers command respect. They work at the most senior levels in all sectors of engineering and business.
- Access to life-long learning
   Chartered Engineers are kept
   fully up-to-date on the latest
   technological developments and are
   provided with many opportunities to
   add to their skills.



## How you get there

If you don't already belong to an engineering institution, make joining one your first priority. The institution you choose is most likely to be one that has accredited your degree and relates to your engineering discipline or area of work. For a full list, see: www.engc.org.uk/peis

Follow and document your professional development – guidelines will be available from your institution. The evidence might come through your employer's training and development scheme, or from your personal record of how you gained your professional competences. Part of your professional development could also take place during formal education, including on industrial placements.

As soon as you feel that you are able to demonstrate the required technical and personal competences, as set out in the UK-Standard for Professional Registration (UK-SPEC), apply for assessment by your institution.

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### Start early

It helps a lot to join an institution while a student, or soon after graduation, and follow the junior grades through to full membership and registration.

However, institution membership and registration applications are also common and welcome from those already established and working in industry.

#### **Qualifications**

The registration process can be very straightforward, especially if you have particular educational qualifications:

- An accredited Bachelors degree with honours in engineering or technology, plus either an appropriate Masters degree or Engineering Doctorate (EngD) accredited by a professional engineering institution, or appropriate further learning to Masters level.
- Or an accredited integrated MEng degree.

Bachelors but no Masters?

If you do not have a Masters degree there are different ways in which you can meet the requirements.

Your institution may recognise work-based learning to the equivalent of Masters level.

Alternatively, you may be able to enter a work-based learning programme which will allow you to gain a Masters degree while simultaneously developing the competences needed for CEng registration. Please see www.engc.org.uk/engineeringgateways

You may also wish to consider Incorporated Engineer (IEng) registration as an interim step to CEng.

Start your journey to Chartered status now: www.engc.org.uk/ professional-registration



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