CIWEM Membership Application Guidance

For Member of the Chartered Institution of Water and Environmental Management (MCIWEM)
Guidance for Member, MCIWEM

Membership provides recognition of your professional achievements and allows you to engage with people and experiences that will continue your development. We provide support to ensure your personal growth is not neglected due to the pressures of your everyday life.

**Is MCIWEM the right grade for you?**

1. **MCIWEM is perfect for those who are** a recent entrant into the industry and still developing competence – you may have more experience than a graduate, but less than that needed for chartership.

2. Operating in the water and/or environmental sector and are not currently considering, or able to achieve, Chartered Water and Environmental Manager (C.WEM).

3. Already Chartered and want the prestige of association with CIWEM, but not necessarily a further Chartership.

The requirement to become a MCIWEM is normally a minimum of 2 years of relevant experience and does not necessarily require technical qualifications or experience.

**Entry requirements**

Do you have each of the following?

- An honours degree or NEBOSH Diploma in Environmental Management

- Demonstrable experience in water and/or environmental management over a minimum of 2 years

**Application**

To apply for Member, MCIWEM, you will need to

1. Complete an online application form
2. Complete a 500-word report which details the skills and knowledge you have gained during your water and/or environmental career or a summary of your NEBOSH Diploma assignment
3. Submit a copy of your most up-to-date CV
4. Submit copies of relevant certificates signed by your sponsors
5. Have two sponsors who are members of CIWEM who can review and sign-off your application. You will need to submit a signed letter from each of your sponsors alongside your application confirming they have done this.
Your report must be written in the first person and demonstrate your responsibility in water and/or environmental management. You should identify projects/pieces of work for which you have had responsibility and describe your roles and responsibilities in these.

This report should describe:
1. an understanding of the environmental drivers and issues surrounding your work
2. your role in promoting good environmental practice

Your CV should include the main roles and responsibilities for each post and the duration of employment.

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