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ACCEPTED QUALIFICATIONS LIST

This document outlines the accepted qualifications list used to inform the membership grade assessment process.
This document should be read in conjunction with the ARMI Bye Laws.

The qualification levels outlined below are recognised across the Qualifications and Credits Framework (QCF) regulatory framework (and SCQF in Scotland). Each membership application must be accompanied by evidence that the applicant holds the two qualifications (or accepted equivalent) required for the grade of membership applied for.

Acceptable Leadership and Management Qualifications

Where no previous precedent has been set and the submitted qualification does not appear on the 'Additional Accepted Qualifications list' (see over page), the decision as to whether a leadership and management qualification meets the requirement for membership will be decided by the Board on a case by case basis. In making their decision, the Board will consider whether the qualification contains a significant number of units which broadly fit in to any of the following categories:

- **Working with people** – e.g. motivating teams and individuals, techniques and strategies to develop the people you manage
- **Managing yourself and personal skills** – e.g. assessing your own leadership performance, handling challenges, opportunities and stresses.
- **Providing direction** – e.g. planning and leading team activities, leading and managing individuals and teams
- **Facilitating innovation and change** – e.g. effective management of change, and strategies to encourage innovation.
- **Achieving results** – e.g. techniques for making effective decisions and finding and implementing solutions
- **Using resources** – e.g. planning and controlling budgets

Fellow

- 1 QCF / NVQ Level 5 Certificate (Scottish SCQF Level 8) or above, leadership and management qualification.
AND
- 2 Level 4 asbestos competency qualification. Currently the only qualification meeting this requirement is the RSPH Level 4 Certificate in Asbestos Removal for Contract Managers

Member

- 1 QCF / NVQ Level 4 Certificate (Scottish SCQF Level 7) or above, leadership and management qualification.
AND
- 2 Level 4 asbestos competency qualification. Currently the only qualification meeting this requirement is the RSPH Level 4 Certificate in Asbestos Removal for Contract Managers.

Affiliate

- 1 QCF / NVQ Level 3 Certificate (Scottish SCQF Level 6) or above, leadership and management qualification.
AND
- 2 Level 3 asbestos competency qualification. Currently the only qualification meeting this requirement is the RSPH Level 3 Certificate in Asbestos Removal for Supervisors

Additional Accepted Leadership and Management Qualifications

The following other organisations and professional bodies have had their qualifications or assessment criteria mapped against those of ARMI and the following grades of membership can be offered subject to all other membership criteria for the specified grade being met.

Name of Organisation	Qualification	Grade of ARMI membership applicable to
CSkills	Level 6 NVQ Diploma in Construction Site Management	Fellow/Member/Affiliate
Edexcel	Level 5 NVQ in Construction Management	Fellow/Member/Affiliate
CSkills	Level 4 NVQ in Construction Contracting Operations—General	Member/Affiliate
CSkills	Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Occupational Work Supervision (Construction)	Affiliate

Leadership and Management Qualifications Which Have Been Deemed To Be Unacceptable

The following qualifications have previously been submitted to ARMI. The Board has considered whether these qualifications meet the Leadership and Management qualification requirements for ARMI membership and have decided that they do not. Applicants are advised that submitting the following qualifications as evidence of a Leadership and Management qualification will lead to the application for membership being rejected.

Name of Organisation	Qualification	Grade of ARMI membership applicable to
All Asbestos Training Providers	All Asbestos Training certificates	Fellow/Member/Affiliate
City and Guilds	Level 5 NVQ Diploma in Occupational Health and Safety Practice	Fellow/Member/Affiliate
CSCS	All CSCS cards	Fellow/Member/Affiliate
IOSH	Managing Safely in Construction	Fellow/Member/Affiliate
NEBOSH	Level 3 Certificate in Construction Health and Safety	Fellow/Member/Affiliate
NEBOSH	Level 3 Certificate in Occupational Health and Safety	Fellow/Member/Affiliate
WAMITAB	Level 4 in Waste management Operations—Managing Transfer Hazardous Waste	Fellow/Member/Affiliate