

CHARTERED MEMBERSHIP

EXPERIENCED PRACTITIONER ASSESSMENT OF PROFESSIONAL COMPETENCE (EP-APC)

EP-APC APPLICATION FORM

Last name

First name

 Membership number
(if applicable)

Note: This application form must be completed in accordance with Experienced Practitioner Assessment of Professional Competence (EP-APC) Guidance June 2019 available at: www.rtpi.org.uk/ep-apc-resources. Failure to follow instructions could delay your application.

ELIGIBILITY

Please select the educational background that applies to you. (See Section 2 of EP-APC Guidance).

Educational background	Experience required
<input type="checkbox"/> a. Planning degree (fully or partially RTPI accredited)	5 years
<input type="checkbox"/> b. Planning degree (non-RTPI accredited)	5 years
<input type="checkbox"/> c. Non-planning degree	6 years
<input type="checkbox"/> d. RTPI Town Planning Technical Support Apprenticeship	6 years
<input type="checkbox"/> e. Other	10 years

PCS ALTERNATIVE COMPETENCY: LEADERSHIP

There is an optional *Leadership in planning* competency for candidates who have significant strategic level experience. Please indicate whether you will be applying on this basis and, if so, which roles were gained at a strategic level within the employment history section. (See section 5 of EP-APC Guidance).

Are you applying under the optional *Leadership in spatial planning* competency (C14)? Yes ☐ No ☐

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EDUCATION

Please list your education history starting with the most recent. If you wish to add additional courses please include them at the end of the application form under 'additional information'.

University/College:		Course:	
Date commenced: DD/MM/YY	Date completed: DD/MM/YY	Full time <input type="checkbox"/> Part time <input type="checkbox"/>	Undergraduate <input type="checkbox"/> Post graduate <input type="checkbox"/>
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Date commenced: DD/MM/YY	Date completed: DD/MM/YY	Full time <input type="checkbox"/> Part time <input type="checkbox"/>	Undergraduate <input type="checkbox"/> Post graduate <input type="checkbox"/>
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EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Document all your planning related roles in chronological order, starting with the most recent experience. If employed by the same organisation in multiple roles, you should list **each role separately**. Refer to this information as the basis for your Practical Experience Statement (PES).

If you have more than 5 positions, please include this information at the end of the application form under 'additional information'.

Company:	From DD/MM/YY to DD/MM/YY
Job title:	Full time <input type="checkbox"/> Part time <input type="checkbox"/>
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Strategic level: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	

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Part-time experience:

If you are relying on any part-time experience you must detail below how you calculated your experience to equal the required total experience. (See section 2 of EP-APC Guidance).

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Specialism:

Candidates are required to demonstrate a specialism as part of their EP-APC application. (See Section 4 [C13] and 5 [C.14] of the EP-APC Guidance).

My specialism is:

CORROBORATOR DECLARATION FORMS

You must provide a Corroborator Declaration Form **for each role** you have referenced in the written submission. Please list all the Corroborator Declaration Forms that you are submitting and add additional rows as required. (See section 10 of the EP-APC Guidance).

Dates covered by the corroboration period	Company providing corroboration for	Corroborator's name and position during corroboration period	Relation to the applicant
DD/MM/YY			
DD/MM/YY			
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SUBMISSION WORD COUNT

Please note that the total overall word limit for the written submission is 7,000 words (+/- 10%) and will be verified in the RTPI's administration checks before your application is accepted.

The word count for the Professional Development Plan (PDP) only includes the text you have added to the template – any text that forms part of the PDP template will be excluded from your word count.

Practical Experience Statement (PES): 0000

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Professional Competence Statement (PCS): 0000

Professional Development Plan (PDP): 0000

TOTAL: 0000

EXAMPLES OF PROFESSIONAL WORK

You are required to submit examples of your professional work to support your application. 5-10 examples are required, please give each document a number and title so that they are identifiable and list this information below. (See section 8 of the EP-APC Guidance).

Document number	Title of document

CHECKLIST

I have included the following with my application:

- ☐ EP-APC Application Form
- ☐ Personal Details and Payment Form
- ☐ Complete written submission with all three components (PES, PCS and PDP)
- ☐ Scanned copies of any relevant degree certificates or apprenticeship completion certificate (educational backgrounds a, c or d)
- ☐ Academic transcripts (educational background b only)
- ☐ Planning Degree Statement and Matrix (educational background b only)
- ☐ Examples of professional work (5-10 examples)
- ☐ Sponsor Declaration Form completed by a Chartered Town Planner
- ☐ Corroborator Declaration Form(s) completed by each employer referenced in your application
- ☐ Proof of administration fee payment

For details on how to submit your application please see: www.rtpi.org.uk/membership-submit.

Please note that failure to provide any of these items will result in your application being rejected.

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DECLARATION

DATA PROTECTION

The information you provide in this application form will be held securely on the RTPI's database and will be processed in accordance with the General Data Protection Regulation and 2018 Data Protection Act. The RTPI and its assessors will neither disclose, nor permit members of its staff to disclose, any confidential and/or personal information you provide unless required to do so by law. Your information will be used to assess your application and notify you of the outcome.

If your application is successful the information you have provided will form the basis of your membership record. If we already hold a record of your details, the information provided in this form will be used to update your record. As part of your membership benefits the RTPI contacts members by email and post to keep you informed of the RTPI's activities and services, including the services provided by its partners. The names of elected Chartered Members are published in our magazine – *The Planner* – and on the RTPI's website. If your membership lapses for any reason, we will continue to contact you for up to one year, unless you actively contact us to cancel your membership.

If you do not consent to us using your data in this way then your membership application will not be processed and it will be returned to you. You can withdraw your consent at any time by contacting us at dataprotection@rtpi.org.uk. This may mean that we are no longer able to provide you with the membership service you have signed up for.

I certify that I have read the Experienced Practitioner Assessment of Professional Competence (EP-APC) Guidance June 2019, available at: www.rtpi.org.uk/ep-apc-resources, and have based my submission on this document. I also certify that all the information contained in this document is true and correct and is based on my personal experience.

I wish to be elected as a Chartered Member of the Royal Town Planning Institute and confirm that, if I am elected, I will abide by and observe the provisions of the Royal Charter, Bye-laws, Regulations and the Code of Professional Conduct, that I will pay the appropriate subscriptions for my class and that I will work to promote the objectives of the Institute.

☐ **(Please tick) I consent to my application being processed and my data being used as outlined in the attached data protection statement.**

Signature of candidate:
(typed name is acceptable)

Date: DD/MM/YY

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Please add any additional education or career information here.