



Streamlined CITP route FAQ's

If you became a Professional (MBCS) member on or before **10 October 2022**, you can now follow a streamlined route to CITP registration.

- Q. Can the supporter be signed up to a non-UK body?
- A. Yes, providing they have a code of conduct/practice
- Q. Is there a minimum requirement you need to meet before you apply for Chartership?
- A. There are no set pre-requisites, however CITP is broadly at SFIA level 5 and therefore it would be sensible to compare your experience with that level.
- Q. How many examples do we have to provide? Can we provide one (a very long engagement) and expound on it?
- A. Each question requires one example. As competence is an assessment of consistent performance one example across the entire application would not be sufficient.
- Q. Regarding additional documents. What if I am employed in a regulated or security role and I can't share such documents?
- A. If you can redact information that cannot be shared, whilst still delivering supporting evidence this could be an option.
- Q. How far back can we go with our evidence?
- A. IT is a fast-moving industry, so any evidence further back than 3 to 5 years would lack currency.
- Q. Can my supporter be a previous manager if I have recently changed companies?
- A. Yes





- Q. My supporter is a professional colleague who is a BCS Fellow. Is this OK?
- A. Yes this would be a suitable supporter.
- Q. Is there any likelihood to replicate this approach for CEng?
- A. No, we are governed by the Engineering Council with regard to the process for CEng.
- Q. I don't have a degree, but have 40 years' experience in IT. Is a degree required?
- A. No, it is not a requirement.