



**TO GET THE  
RECOGNITION  
YOU DESERVE.**

Many employers place such high importance on registration that they are happy to pay the fees on their employees' behalf. Fees and annual subscriptions start at well under £100 p.a. depending on the grade of membership, and you can set them against Income Tax.

To join a Professional Body you don't necessarily need a degree. Once in membership, and if you can demonstrate the right mix of qualifications, experience and competence, you may be able to achieve registration as an Engineering Technician, Incorporated Engineer or Chartered Engineer.



Professional Bodies exist to support their members and ensure that they have the up to date skills, knowledge and qualifications needed to work as competent professionals.

As an individual you may find life easier and your career better, if you benefit from the support, information and training that a Professional Body offers. As a member of a Professional Body you could work towards recognition as an Engineering Technician (EngTech), Incorporated Engineer (IEng) or Chartered Engineer (CEng) which would mark you out as a skilled professional and may help you climb the career ladder.



If you are thinking about choices before you finish school, college or university; or if you are a recent graduate, completing an apprenticeship or an experienced building services engineer a Professional Body could help you....

Improve your career prospects and gain a competitive edge by:

- Accessing information about latest industry developments
- Identifying the right training and qualifications
- Getting advice about moving up through membership grades to support your career progression
- Networking with like minded people
- Receiving mentoring, advice and guidance from senior professionals
- Participating in an internationally recognised knowledge network that specialises in your branch of building services engineering
- Receiving support and guidance as you work towards recognised engineer status

If you don't keep on top of current issues your career could suffer. Professional Body membership can help you to keep your knowledge, skills and qualifications up to date.



## Gain confidence and recognition by:

- Achieving recognised engineering status
- Using prestigious letters after your name – such as EngTech MCIPHE, IEng ACIBSE or CEng IET– on your business cards and job applications
- Showing commitment to your career in the sector
- Knowing and be able to tell others that you are maintaining up to date expertise

If you join an appropriate Professional Body and achieve recognition as an Engineering Technician, Incorporated Engineer or Chartered Engineer you and your employer will be able to confidently tell clients that you are a professional building services engineer: just as much a professional as a doctor, lawyer or architect.

Whatever qualifications and/or experience you have, whether you are working in the industry, planning a change of direction, or thinking of enrolling on a building services engineering related course of study, a Professional Body can advise you on the many benefits of and routes to membership.



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