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Joining the Arboricultural
Association as Technician Member

*Advice for Hong Kong
Applicants*



What are the requirements to join as a Technician Member?



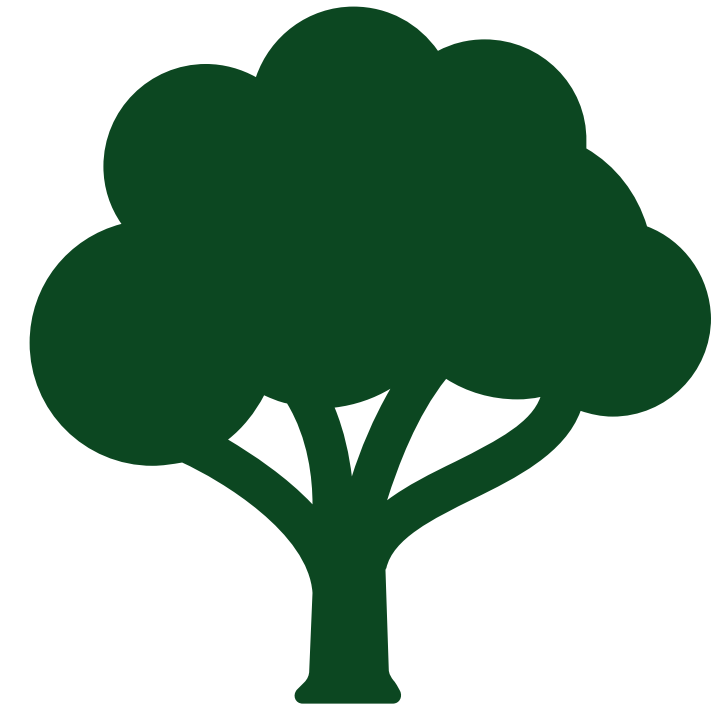
- Technician applicants must hold a substantial academic qualification in Arboriculture or a closely related subject at HK Qualification Level 3/4, or higher.
- We are **not** able to accept practical skills qualifications such as tree climbing or tree felling; or single topic courses such as Supervision of Tree Work or PTI as your primary qualification for your application.

Hong Kong Qualifications we accept for Technician Membership

Qualifications in Arboriculture

1. Advanced Diploma in Tree Management & Conservation - HKU SPACE
2. Certificate in Professional Tree Management - OUHK
3. Professional Diploma in Arboriculture - CUHK
4. Diploma in Arboriculture - CUSCS
5. Professional Certificate in Arboriculture and Tree Work Supervision – IVE
6. Certificate in Professional Tree Management – LiPACE
7. Associate Degree in Tree Management – CIE HK Baptist University
8. Higher Diploma in Conservation and Tree Management – IVE

You will need to upload a copy of your qualification certificate when you apply.



Qualifications in Related Subjects

1. Professional Diploma in Horticulture & Landscape Management - THEi
2. Bachelor Degree in Horticulture, Environmental Science, Woodland Management or Forestry

If applying with a Qualification in a Related Subject you will need to **provide a copy of your qualification certificate** and two additional documents with your application.

-A detailed resume

-A CPD log, listing any relevant arboriculture related short courses undertaken, or any seminars, talks or conferences attended.



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Evidence required for Applications with Related Qualifications



What information needs to be covered in my Resume?

To allow our assessors to make an accurate decision on your application your resume should provide the following information:



- Your current job title and current responsibilities and duties – focusing on arboriculture.
- Your past job titles and previous responsibilities and duties- focusing on arboriculture.
- Dates should be provided for each role held (start date and end date).
- Details of qualifications achieved and dates
- Details of other education or training and dates
- Details of any relevant volunteering or charity work

What information needs to be covered in my CPD (Continuous Professional Development) record?

- Any Arb related courses completed with dates of attendance.
- Any Arb related seminars, conferences or talks with dates of attendance.
- Any Arb related volunteer work or mentoring with dates.
- Any Arb related online training or e-learning.
- Any Arb related reading or research completed or ongoing.

We would expect to see evidence of several related training courses, or attendance at Arboricultural events or seminars. Tree related volunteering would also count.

Please note that practical arboricultural training such as climbing or chainsaw courses are not as highly regarded as more academic or scientific training for membership application CPD purposes.



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How to Apply



- The easiest way to apply is online via our website www.trees.org.uk
- Please make sure you have your supporting documents ready to upload before starting your application.
- Please note that the email address you register with will be the address we use to contact you.
- Please ensure that your postal address is populated in the correct format.
- Please be aware that our system automatically formats names in the European tradition – Personal name(s) followed by Family name. If you would like us to format your name differently for your certificate or card please let us know.



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Thank you for viewing this presentation, we hope it helps you prepare your application.

Questions?

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