

SINP Requirements Related to Professional Status or Licensure

Some occupations in Saskatchewan are regulated meaning there are professional certification requirements or standards that must be met in order to work in these occupations. SINP applicants for the Occupations in Demand (OID) and Express Entry (EE) subcategories intending to work in one of these occupations are required to submit additional documentation that is necessary to complete the assessment of your application.

The SINP will advise you after you apply if your work experience and education matches an occupation that requires additional documents. If the SINP requests additional documentation, the processing of your application will be put on hold until you provide the documents about your professional status. All other Required Documents must be included in your application. If Required Documents are missing from your application, it will be returned. Your application fee will not be refunded.

A nomination from the SINP does not guarantee eligibility for licensure in a regulated occupation. In addition, the professional requirements needed to apply to the SINP do not allow you to work in a regulated occupation unless you have received licensure from a regulatory body in Saskatchewan. You may need to complete additional professional requirements when you arrive in Saskatchewan to become eligible for licensure.

Please see the list below for occupations that require documentation related to professional status or licensure for your SINP application.

All applicants to the OID and EE sub-categories must meet the following education requirements. (Please see the OID and EE webpages for more information).

- Have completed post-secondary education, training or apprenticeship comparable to the Canadian education system of at least one year in length.
- Must have earned a diploma, certificate or degree.

For education obtained outside Canada, you must submit an educational credential assessment (ECA) from a designated organization.

The SINP has specific education qualifications for some occupations, which are outlined in the list below.

This is not an occupation eligibility list. Expression of Interest (EOI) selections are not limited to the occupations in this list.

1. Engineering Occupations and Professional Requirements

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 20010 - Engineering managers • 21300 - Civil engineers • 21301 - Mechanical engineers • 21310 - Electrical and electronics engineers • 21320 - chemical engineers • 21321 - Industrial and manufacturing engineers • 21322 - Metallurgical and materials engineers • 21330 - Mining engineers • 21331 - Geological engineers • 21311 - Computer engineers • 21399 - Other professional engineers • 21231 - Software engineers* • 	<p>Please provide proof of correspondence from the Association of Professional Engineers and Geoscientists of Saskatchewan (APEGS) demonstrating that your application for registration as an Engineer-in-Training/Geoscientist-in-Training has been approved, pending payment of fees; or a letter from APEGS indicating that you have been assigned Confirmatory Exams.</p> <p>*Software Designers must pursue licensure through the Canadian Association of Information Technology Professionals (CIPS). Please see page 5 for additional information.</p>

2. Trade Occupations and Professional Requirements

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 80021 - Managers in Horticulture • 22114 - Landscape and horticulture technicians and specialists • 63200 - Cooks • 72010 - Contractors and supervisors, machining, metal forming, shaping and erecting trades and related occupations • 72011 - Contractors and supervisors, electrical trades and telecommunications occupations • 72012 - Contractors and supervisors, pipefitting trades • 72013 - Contractors and supervisors, carpentry trades 	<p>For Express Entry applications, provide a Certificate of Qualification from the Saskatchewan Apprenticeship and Trade Certification Commission (SATCC).</p> <p>For Occupations in Demand applications, provide a letter of approval from the Saskatchewan Apprenticeship and Trade Certification Commission (SATCC), stating that you have completed the trade qualifier assessment (step 1) and you are eligible to write exams in Saskatchewan.</p>	<p>You must have completed an apprenticeship program or vocational training in your chosen trades-related occupation.</p>

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 72014 - Contractors and supervisors, other construction trades, installers, repairers and servicers • 72100 - Machinists and machining and tooling inspectors • 72103 - Boilermakers • 72104 - Structural metal and platework fabricators and fitters • 72105 - Ironworkers • 72106 - Welders and related machine operators • 72200 - Electrician (except industrial and power system) • 72201 - Industrial electricians* • 72202 - Power system electricians* • 72203 - Electrical power line and cable workers • 72300 - Plumbers • 72301 - Steamfitters, pipefitters and sprinkler system installers • 72310 - Carpenters • 72311 - Cabinetmakers • 72320 - Bricklayers • 73101 - Tilesetters • 73110 - Roofers and shinglers • 73111 - Glaziers • 72321 - Insulators • 73112 - Painters and decorators (except interior decorators) • 72401 - Heavy-duty equipment mechanics • 72402 – Heating, refrigeration and air conditioning mechanics • 72410 - Automotive service technicians, truck and bus mechanics and mechanical repairers • 72411 - auto body collision, refinishing and glass technicians and damage repair estimators • 72500 - Crane Operators • 72501 - Water well drillers 	<p>If you hold a certificate of qualification from another Canadian province or hold a Red Seal certification, provide a copy of your certificate.</p> <p>*Industrial electricians (NOC 7242) and Power system electricians (NOC 7243) are not designated trades in Saskatchewan. To work in Saskatchewan as an electrician, you must meet the certification requirements for Electricians (NOC 7241) and the scope of the construction electrician trade in Saskatchewan.</p> <p>Contractor and Supervisor positions are not designated trades and cannot be assessed by the SATCC. Actual trade training and trade work experience hours in a specific trade will be assessed by the SATCC. The SINP will verify your work experience as a contractor or supervisor.</p>	
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3. Other Occupations and Professional Requirements

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12200 - Accounting technicians and bookkeepers 		<p>You must have completed a minimum two-year diploma program in accounting which includes specialized courses in automated accounting, taxation, financial and cost accounting, auditing, intermediate accounting, managerial accounting and accounting</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 21112 - Agricultural representatives, consultants, and specialists 	<p>Provide a copy of your valid membership with the Saskatchewan Institute of Agrologists (SIA).</p> <p>or</p> <p>Provide a copy of the documentation you received from the SIA's Admissions and Registration Committee detailing:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • your "Conditional approval" for membership as an articling member; or • your "Approval" for membership as an articling member. <p>If your education is in a discipline other than agrology, the SIA will not assess your credentials. Provide your educational credential assessment (ECA) from a designated organization.</p>	

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 21200 - Architects 	<p>Provide your “Academic Certification” documentation from the Canadian Architectural Certification Board (CACB).</p> <p>or</p> <p>Documentation from the Canadian Architectural Certification Board (CACB) showing your acceptance into the Broadly Experienced Foreign Architect (BEFA) program including an invitation to apply to the self-assessment phase (2nd step).</p>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 21203 - Land surveyors 	<p>Provide your Certification of Completion from the Canadian Board of Examiners for Professional Surveyors (CBEPS).</p> <p>For more information, visit the Foreign Trained Land Surveyors (FTLS) website.</p>	

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 21231 - Software designers* • 21211 - Data scientists • 21230 - Computer systems developers and programmers • 21232 - software developers and programmers • 21234 - Web developers and programmers • 21233 - Web designers • 21234 - Web developers and programmers 	<p>Provide documentation from the Canadian Association of Information Technology Professionals (CIPS) showing your:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Candidate Membership as an Associate Information Technology Professional (AITP); or • Certified Membership as an Information Systems Professional (I.S.P); or • Certified Membership as an Information Technology Certified Professional of Canada (ITCP) <p>For more information, visit the provincial regulator the Canadian Association of Information Technology Professionals Saskatchewan</p> <p>*Software Engineers must pursue licensure through the Associate of Professional Engineers and Geoscientists of Saskatchewan. Please see page 2 for more information.</p>	<p>You must have completed a minimum three-year program in computer science, information technology, computer science systems, or a related discipline in integrated multimedia or computing science.</p> <p>Computer Science engineering programs will not be considered.</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 22110 - Biological technologists and technicians 	<p>If you have a two year diploma in agrology, provide a copy of your valid membership as an Agricultural Technologist with the Saskatchewan Institute of Agrologists (SIA).</p> <p>or</p> <p>Provide a copy of the documentation you received from the SIA's Admissions and Registration Committee detailing:</p>	

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • your “Conditional approval” for membership as an articling agricultural technologist member; or • your “Approval” for membership as an articling agricultural technologist member. <p>If your education is in a discipline other than agrology, the SIA will not assess your credentials. Provide your educational credential assessment (ECA) from a designated organization.</p>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 22210 - Architectural technologists and technicians 		<p>You must have completed a degree or minimum two year diploma program in architectural technology.</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 31201 - Chiropractor 	<p>Provide a copy of your valid licensure from the Chiropractors’ Association of Saskatchewan (CAS)</p> <p>or</p> <p>Provide proof that you have graduated from a four-year Doctor of Chiropractic (DC) program that has been accredited by the Council on Chiropractic Education Canada (CCEC) or the Councils on Chiropractic Education International (CCEI).</p> <p>Note: The list of accredited programs, and information on the national chiropractic examination eligibility, can be found on the website for the Canadian Chiropractic Examining Board.</p>	

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 31203 - Occupational therapists 	<p>Provide a copy of your valid licensure from the Saskatchewan Society of Occupational Therapists (SSOT)</p> <p>or</p> <p>Provide a copy of the documentation you received from the Substantially Equivalent Assessment Seas (SEAS) process confirming you have fulfilled the requirements for the Professional Specific Credential Assessment (PSCA) and your eligibility to continue to the Competency Assessment.</p>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 32120 - Medical laboratory technologists 	<p>Provide a copy of your valid licensure from the Saskatchewan Society of Medical Laboratory Technologists (SSMLT)</p> <p>or</p> <p>Provide a copy of the Credential Document Review letter from the SSMLT Registrar indicating you meet initial eligibility requirements to apply to the Saskatchewan Society of Medical Laboratory Technologists (SSMLT) for a license.</p> <p>NOTE: To determine eligibility for an SSMLT licence, the applicant must first obtain a Prior Learning Assessment (PLA) report from the Canadian Society for Medical Laboratory Science (CSMLS) for the Credential Document Review application.</p>	

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 32121 - Medical radiation technologists 	<p>Provide a copy of your valid licensure (restricted or full) from the Saskatchewan Association of Medical Radiation Technologists (SAMRT);</p> <p>or</p> <p>Provide a copy of the email from the SAMRT Registrar outlining your eligibility to apply to the Canadian Association of Medical Radiation Technologists (CAMRT) to have your credentials assessed; AND a copy of the letter from the CAMRT notifying you of your assessment result and access to the national certification exam.</p>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 32122 - Medical sonographers 	<p>Provide documentation from Sonography Canada showing your eligibility to challenge their qualifying examinations;</p> <p>or</p> <p>Provide your Examination Confirmation Letter (ECL) or proof of Sonography Certification from the American Registry for Diagnostic Medical Sonography (ARDMS).</p> <p>Note: ARDMS examinations can be written in various testing centres worldwide through Pearson VUE.</p>	

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 32102 - Paramedical occupations 	<p>Provide a copy of your valid licensure from the Saskatchewan College of Paramedics (SCoP);</p> <p>or</p> <p>Provide a copy of the correspondence from SCoP outlining your eligibility to apply to write the national certification exam related to your practice level.</p>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 31200 - Psychologists 	<p>Provide documentation from the Saskatchewan College of Psychologists showing your eligibility for provisional licensure.</p>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 41300 - Social workers 	<p>Provide a copy of your valid registration with the Saskatchewan Association of Social Workers (SASW)</p> <p>or</p> <p>If you have a Bachelor's Degree or Master's Degree in Social Work, provide your assessment of equivalency letter from the Canadian Association of Social Workers (CASW).</p>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 42201 - Social and community service workers 	<p>If you have a Bachelor's Degree or Master's Degree in Social Work, provide your assessment of equivalency letter from the Canadian Association of Social Workers (CASW).</p> <p>If your education is in a discipline other than social work the CASW will not assess your credentials. Provide your educational credential assessment (ECA) from a designated organization.</p>	<p>You must have completed a degree or minimum two year diploma program in social work, child and youth care, social science or psychology.</p>

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 42202 - Early childhood educators and assistants 	<p>Level I, II or III Early Childhood Educator Certification is required for SINP eligibility.</p> <p>Provide a copy of your valid Certificate of Qualification at Level II or III in Early Childhood Education from the Saskatchewan Ministry of Education.</p> <p>OR</p> <p>Provide a copy of your assessment letter indicating Pre-Approval for ECE Qualification in Saskatchewan and the Early Learning and Childcare Assessment Sheet from the Saskatchewan Ministry of Education*</p> <p>*Note: For OID/EE applicants, the Saskatchewan Ministry of Education requires you to provide your SINP Invitation to Apply or Letter of Receipt of Application before they will assess your application for Pre-Approval of Early Childhood Educator Qualifications.</p>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 42203 - Instructors of persons with disabilities 		<p>You must have completed a degree or minimum two year diploma program with a specialization in special education, rehabilitation, orientation and mobility, visual impairment, hearing impairment or intellectual disability.</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 63202 - Bakers 		<p>You must have completed a minimum two year diploma program or a vocational training program specializing in baking and pastry arts which includes at least one year of on the job training.</p>