

Engineers Geoscientists Manitoba - Action Plan

In response to the recommendations made by the Fair Registration Practices Office, the Engineers Geoscientists Manitoba committed to the following action plan in March 2023:

Recommendation	Action(s)	Anticipated Completion Date	Status Update
1. Remove the residency requirement for application.	EngGeoMB will remove the Manitoba residency requirement for all application types. This change will be communicated to stakeholders and posted on public communication materials including the EngGeoMB website.	April 1, 2023	Completed
2. Rewrite the English language proficiency policy for mobility applicants in a manner that supports full compliance to labour mobility obligations.	<p>EngGeoMB will modify our English language proficiency policy for mobility applicants in order to be consistent with the Labour Mobility Chapter of CFTA, to make it clear that mobility applicants coming from any province other than Quebec will be accepted as being proficient in English.</p> <p>For mobility applicants from Quebec and for applicants who are not registered in another Canadian jurisdiction, EngGeoMB will assess the applicant to ensure that either:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">a) the applicant has a degree from a university where English was the language of instruction; orb) the applicant can demonstrate English proficiency equivalent to Canadian Level Benchmark (CLB) of benchmark level 8¹	May 1, 2023	Completed

¹ <https://www.welarc.net/the-benchmarks>

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<p>3. Provide clear, accurate and easily accessible assessment criteria information for EngGeoMB’s assessment of academic qualification.</p>	<p>EngGeoMB will develop an academic assessment framework, which will guide the development of assessment criteria used for assessing engineering applicants who graduate from non-accredited programs of study. Criteria will be posted publicly on the EngGeoMB website. Criteria currently exists and is available for geoscience applicants. Criteria could be in the form of assessment tables for each engineering discipline, and would be consistent with Engineers Canada, Canadian Engineering Qualifications Board (CEQB) syllabi².</p> <p>EngGeoMB will endeavour to collaborate with other Canadian engineering regulators on the development or sharing of common assessment criteria information.</p>	<p>December 1, 2023</p>	<p>Delayed and in process – updated completion date: December 2024</p>

² <https://engineerscanada.ca/become-an-engineer/examination-syllabi>