

# **CIEA Corporate Membership Scheme**

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The CIEA Corporate Membership Scheme is an effective way for an organisation to demonstrate its commitment to excellence in assessment and to provide CIEA membership to key members of staff.

### **About the CIEA**

The CIEA was set up to improve standards in educational assessment.

We are a professional membership organisation. Our members include teachers, examiners, school and college leaders, academics, awarding organisations and people responsible for professional development in diverse sectors including finance, health and land management.

Setting and carrying out assessments requires skill, expertise and experience. The CIEA supports assessors by:

- Maintaining a national Continuous Professional Development Framework [CIEA Professional Framework diagram](#).
- Accrediting individuals against the framework, with a clear progression route through the CIEA grades - Associate, Member and Fellow - for those who meet the professional standards
- Setting standards of conduct through a binding [Code of Practice](#)
- Training and accrediting the most experienced assessors as [Chartered Educational Assessors | CIEA \(herts.ac.uk\)](#)
- Providing specialist, high quality training for individuals and organisations
- Supporting its members with advice, information and services

## Membership Levels

There are four levels of CIEA Membership, as can be seen in the diagram below. Affiliate membership is open to anyone with an interest in assessment regardless of experience and who may or may not wish to move up to one of the voting grades of membership. The other voting levels of membership, Associate, Member and Fellowship are open to those with demonstrable experience in educational assessment.

Further information about the CIEA membership levels and joining criteria can be found on the CIEA website [here](#).

Affiliate	Associate	Member	Fellowship
• £39	• £72	• £92	• £126

## Corporate Membership

Attractive corporate membership packages are available: these allow multiple people in an organisation to access member benefits at a group discounted rate. Corporate Memberships are based on Affiliate memberships.

## Corporate Membership packages

There are three types of corporate membership packages depending on the number of memberships purchased by an organisation. Details can be found below.

Package One	Package Two	Package Three
• Five to ten Affiliate Memberships • 10% discount	• Ten to fifty Affiliate Memberships • 15% discount	• Above fifty Affiliate Memberships • 20% discount

Please contact us for further information to access bulk memberships for Associate, Member or Fellow level memberships on [administratorciea@herts.ac.uk](mailto:administratorciea@herts.ac.uk).

## Benefits of membership

- All corporate members are graded Affiliate members, with no need to 'prove' a membership level
- Your organisation would become part of a professional community that shares an interest in best practice in assessment.
- Monthly newsletter with current articles, information and with the potential for networking.
- Access to high quality training by experts to support accreditation of individuals and institutions (fees apply, please see the [Training](#) pages for further information)
- Access to our resources on the website which are only available to members.
- Post-nominals recognising level of accreditation for voting levels of membership

In addition to discounted Affiliate Memberships, other benefits of Corporate Membership include.

- Acknowledgement of support in one issue of *On the Mark* newsletter with your logo and a link to your website
- Acknowledgement of support on the CIEA website with your logo and a link to your website for the duration of the agreement
- You can advertise on your website that you are one of our corporate supporters, using the CIEA name and Corporate Member logo for the duration of the agreement