



Recognition of Prior Learning Printing and Publishing



Cluster Information

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Applicants are required to sit for an assessment according to job functions described in the cluster of Unit of Competency. The years of relevant industry and work experience, assessment method and fees are listed below:

Printing Industry

Cluster Name	QF Level	Years of Relevant Industry and Work Experience	Assessment Method	Assessment Fee
Managing Printing Operation	4	Six years experience in printing industry, of which five years in sales or production, including two years in operation management	Interview and written test	\$1,200
Managing Printing Production	4	Six years experience in printing industry, of which five years in production related work, including two years in production management	Interview and written test	\$1,200
Printing Design	4	Six years experience in design related work, of which two years in printing design	Written test and practical assessment	*(a) \$2,200/ *(b) \$3,200
Desktop Publishing	1	One year experience in desktop publishing	Interview	\$750
	2	Three years experience in printing related work, of which one year in desktop publishing	Interview	\$750
	3	Five years experience in printing related work, of which one year in desktop publishing	Interview and practical assessment	*(a) \$2,300/ *(b) \$3,300
	4	Six years experience in printing related work, of which two years in desktop publishing	Written test and practical assessment	*(a)\$2,200/ *(b)\$3,200
Digital Pre-press Services	4	Six years experience in printing related work, of which two years in digital pre-press services	Written test and practical assessment	*(a)\$2,200/ *(b)\$3,200
Digital Printing	3	Five years experience in printing related work, of which one year in digital printing	Interview and practical assessment	^\$5,200
	4	Six years experience in printing related work, of which two years in digital printing	Interview and practical assessment	^\$6,000
Lithography Printing	1	One year experience in lithography printing	Interview	\$750
	2	Three years experience in lithography printing	Interview	\$750
	3	Five years experience in lithography printing	Interview and written test	\$990
Lithography Printing (Sheet-fed)	4	Six years experience in printing industry, of which two years in Sheet-fed printing	Interview and written test	\$1,200
Lithography Printing (Web-fed)	4	Six years experience in printing industry, of which two years in Web-fed printing	Interview and written test	\$1,200
Special Printing	4	Six years experience in printing industry, of which two years in special printing	Interview and written test	\$1,200
Special Printing (Gravure)	4	Six years experience in printing industry, of which two years in gravure printing	Interview and written test	\$1,200
Managing Lithography Printing	4	Six years experience in lithography printing, of which two years in lithography printing production management	Interview and written test	\$1,200
Screen Printing	1	One year experience in screen printing	Interview	\$750
	2	Three years experience in printing industry, of which two years in screen printing	Interview	\$750
Flexography Printing	2	Three years experience in printing industry, of which two years in flexography printing	Interview	\$750
Print Finishing	3	Five years experience in printing industry, of which three years in print finishing	Interview	\$750

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Managing Print Finishing (Books and Magazines)	4	Six years experience in printing industry, of which four years in print finishing, including two years in print finishing management (books and magazines)	Interview and written test	\$1,200
Managing Print Finishing (Packaging)	4	Six years experience in printing industry, of which four years in print finishing, including two years in print finishing management (packaging)	Interview and written test	\$1,200
Cost Estimating	4	Six years experience in printing industry, of which five years in cost estimating	Written test and practical assessment	^\$2,200
Sales and Marketing	3	Five years experience in sales and marketing, of which two years in the printing industry	Interview	\$750
Managing Sales and Marketing	4	Six years experience in sales and marketing related work, of which three years in the printing industry, including two years in sales and marketing management	Interview and written test	\$1,200
Managing Network and Digital Telecommunication	4	Six years experience in computer network related work, of which three years in computer network management in the printing industry	Interview and written test	\$1,200
Digital Media Publishing of World Wide Web	4	Six years experience in computer network related work, of which three years in digital media publishing of world wide web in the printing industry	Interview and written test	\$1,200
Managing Information Technology	4	Six years experience in IT related work, of which four years in the printing industry, including two years in IT management	Interview and written test	\$1,200
Quality Certification	3	Five years experience in printing industry, of which three years in quality certification	Interview and written test	\$990
Quality Control	4	Six years experience in printing industry, of which five years in quality inspection, including two years in quality management	Interview and written test	\$1,200
Printing Machine & Equipment Maintenance	3	Five years experience in printing related work, of which two years in repair and maintenance of printing equipment	Interview and written test	\$990
	4	Six years experience in printing related work, of which three years in repair and maintenance of printing equipment	Interview and written test	\$1,200
Color Management	3	Five years experience in printing industry, of which three years in color management	Interview and written test	\$990
	4	Six years experience in printing industry, of which five years in color management	Interview and written test	\$1,200
3D Lenticular Printing	4	Six years experience in printing industry, of which one year in 3D lenticular printing	Interview	\$890
Green Printing	4	Six years experience in printing industry, of which one year in green printing	Interview	\$890
E-commerce	4	Six years experience in printing industry, of which one year in e-commerce	Interview	\$890

Publishing Industry

Cluster Name	QF Level	Years of Relevant Industry and Work Experience	Assessment Method	Assessment Fee
Managing Publishing Editing	4	Six years experience in publishing industry, of which four years in editing, including one year in editing management	Interview and written test	\$1,200
Managing Publishing Logistics	4	Six years experience in publishing industry, of which four years in logistics, including one year in logistics management	Interview and written test	\$1,200
Editing (Chinese/English Books)	4	Six years experience in publishing industry, of which four years in Chinese and English books and periodicals editing	Interview and practical assessment	^\$2,500
Editing (Chinese Books)	3	Five years experience in publishing industry, of which three years in Chinese book and periodicals editing	Practical assessment	^\$1,800
	4	Six years experience in publishing industry, of which four years in Chinese books and periodicals editing	Interview and practical assessment	^\$2,500
Multimedia Design	3	Five years experience in multimedia design related work, of which one year in publishing design	Practical assessment	*(a)\$1,800/ *(b)\$2,800
Graphic Design	3	Five years experience in graphic design related work, of which one year in publishing design	Practical assessment	*(a)\$1,800/ *(b)\$2,800
	4	Six years experience in graphic design related work, of which two years in publishing design	+ Interview and practical assessment	*(a) \$2,500/ *(b) \$3,500
Manufacturing and Production Coordination	4	Six years experience in publishing industry, of which four years in manufacturing and production coordination	Interview	\$890
Sales and Marketing	4	Six years experience in sales and marketing related work, of which three years in the publishing industry	Interview and written test	\$1,200
Electronic Publishing	4	Six years experience in publishing industry, of which one year in electronic publishing	Interview	\$890

Note:

*(a) Fee of specific assessment centres
*(b) Fee of workplace examination

⁺ Applicant may be required to bring along his/her design portfolio for interview

[^] Without workplace inspection