



CITY UNIVERSITY  
MALAYSIA

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# Accreditation OF PRIOR EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING



- Teaching
- Employability
- Academic Development
- Online Learning
- Inclusiveness
- Occupational Safety & Health (The First in The World)





# APEL.A

## What's **APEL.A**?

**APEL.A** is to assess the readiness of learner to undertake tertiary studies based on their formal, informal and non-informal learning through a specially designed instrument

### **FORMAL LEARNING**

Intentional learning or program of study delivered within an organized & structured context (pre-school, primary school, secondary school, technical college & university) that may lead to formal recognition or a recognized qualification.

### **INFORMAL LEARNING**

Learning which takes place continuously through life and work experiences (also known as experiential learning).

### **NON-FORMAL LEARNING**

Learning takes place alongside the mainstream systems of education and training. It may be assessed but does not normally lead to a formal certification.

## **MIN REQUIREMENT**

### **MASTER'S DEGREE**

(by Courework & Mixed Mode)

- ▶ Malaysian Citizen.
- ▶ At least 30 years of age in the year of application.
- ▶ STPM/Diploma/Equivalent.
- ▶ Relevant work Experience.
- ▶ Fee (RM) - RM560.00.

### **ASSESSMENT INSTRUMENTS**



### **BACHELOR'S**

- ▶ Malaysian Citizen.
- ▶ At least 21 years of age in the year of application.
- ▶ Relevant work Experience.
- ▶ Fee (RM) - RM370.00.

### **ASSESSMENT INSTRUMENTS**





# APEL.C

## What's APEL.C?

Accreditation of prior experiential learning for the purposes of awarding credits for course within a programme study.

## BENEFITS?

- Close the gap
- Coast & time saving
- Reduce redundant learning
- Encourage lifelong learning

## WHO CAN APPLY?

- Registered students at City University Malaysia.
- Malaysian and Non-Malaysians.
- No age requirement.

## CLASSIFICATION OF LEARNING



### FORMAL LEARNING

STPM/SPM/Diploma/Bachelor



### NON-FORMAL LEARNING

Seminar/ Training



### INFORMAL LEARNING

Interest/ Hobbies

## ASSESSMENT INSTRUMENTS?



- Depending on the course that you want to transfer.
- Two type of assessment instruments : Challenge Test or Portfolio.



- Maximum credit transfer allowed up to 30% from the minimum credits of the coursework component.



- Learners may apply for APEL.C at anytime during their studies. However, learners may be advised to submit their applications for APEL.C during the 1<sup>st</sup> year of study.



# APEL.Q

## What's **APEL.Q**?

An award of academic qualifications to individual learners through the evaluation and assessment of prior experiential learning towards fully accredited programmes offered by the City University Malaysia.

### **FORMAL LEARNING**

Learning of study delivered within an organized and structured context (preschool, primary school, secondary school, college and university) that may lead to formal recognition or a recognized qualification.

### **NON-FORMAL LEARNING**

Learning takes place alongside the mainstream systems of education and training. It may be assessed but does not normally lead to a formal certification.

### **INFORMAL LEARNING**

Learning which takes place continuously through life and work experiences. It is often unintentional learning.

## MIN REQUIREMENT

Academic	Work Experience
Certificate	5 years
Diploma	10 years
Advanced Diploma	12 years
Bachelor's Degree	15 years
Master's Degree	20 years
Doctoral Degree	25 years

## ASSESMENT INSTRUMENTS

- 20% Portfolio
- 20% Field Validation Visit
- 30% Challenge Test
- 30% Capstone

# RECOGNITIONS



## OUR MISSION

To advance knowledge and learning through quality education for the nation and humanity

## OUR VALUES

Integrity, Respect,  
Academic Freedom,  
Open-mindedness,  
Professionalism,  
Creativity & Connection

## OUR VISION

To be an internationally renowned school in lifelong learning, teaching, research, innovation, and publication



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