Arkansas Board of Licensure for Professional Engineers and Professional Surveyors

COMITY INFORMATION FOR PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS

Pursuant to A.C.A. § 17-30-302(d) and Article 8.C.2.a.i(a)(2) of the Board's Rules, an applicant for comity licensure must have met this State's requirements for original licensure in effect at the time the applicant was originally licensed. Following is a summary of the requirements from prior rules.

If you were originally licensed: 1953-1955	Arkansas requirements (a) Graduate from accredited program, 4 years-experience, 2 days of examinations on fundamentals and field experience; or (b) 8 years-experience, 2 days of examinations on fundamentals and field experience.
1956-1959	(a) Graduate from accredited program, 4 years-experience which can include graduate study in engineering (max. 1 year), 2 days of examinations on fundamentals and field experience; or(b) 8 years-experience, 2 days of examinations on fundamentals and field experience.
1960-1974	 (a) Graduate from accredited program, 4 years-experience which can include graduate degree in engineering (max. 1 year), 2 days of examinations on fundamentals and field experience; or (b) 8 years-experience, 2 days of examinations on fundamentals and field experience.
1975-1985	(a) Graduate from accredited program, 4 years-experience which can include graduate degree in engineering (max. 1 year), 8-hour exam in the fundamentals of engineering and 8-hour exam in the principles and practice of engineering; or (b) 8 years-experience which can include: 1) completing a portion of an engineering curriculum (1/2 year for each year completed up to 2 years); 2) credit for degree other than engineering if courses are basis for engineering career (up to 1 year), 8-hour exam in the fundamentals of engineering and 8-hour exam in the principles and practice of engineering.
1986- 7/2001	(a) Graduate from accredited program, 4 years-experience which can include graduate degree in engineering (max. 1 year), 8-hour exam in the fundamentals of engineering and 8-hour exam in the principles and practice of engineering; or (b) Graduate from accredited engineering technology program, 5 years-experience which can include graduate degree in engineering (max. 1 year), 8-hour exam in the fundamentals of engineering and 8-hour exam in the principles and practice of engineering; or (c) 8 years-experience which can include: 1) completing a portion of an engineering curriculum (1/2 year for each year completed up to 2 years); 2) credit for degree other than engineering if courses are basis for engineering career (up to 1 year), 8-hour exam in the fundamentals of engineering and 8-hour exam in the principles and practice of engineering.
7/2001 -Present	(a) Graduate from accredited program, 4 years-experience which can include graduate degrees in engineering (1 year for each degree up to 2 years), NCEES exam in the fundamentals of engineering and NCEES exam in the principles and practice of engineering.