

Reinstatement of Mountain Training England Approvals

Mountain Training England recognises past providers, course directors and tutors may wish to become reinstated. Approval may have been lost for a number of reasons e.g. lack of course delivery or update workshop attendance. We understand those concerned may have a great deal of past and current experience to draw from. Re-induction is mandatory due to the ever developing nature of Mountain Training schemes.

Provider reinstatement

Whilst recognising past delivery, there is no provider reinstatement procedure due to Mountain Training England's constantly evolving delivery model. If providers wish to become reinstated they must re-apply as a new applicant.

Leadership scheme applications are considered once a year by Mountain Training England's Screening Committee. Their recommendations are usually approved by the Executive Committee at the January meeting. Skills schemes applications will be considered quarterly.

Course director and tutor reinstatement

Applications are considered once a year on a case by case basis by Mountain Training England's Screening Committee. Their recommendations are usually approved by the Executive Committee at the January meeting for leadership schemes or at each quarterly meeting for skills schemes. Successful course directors and tutors are able to attend specific induction events held following these dates. Induction event attendance is mandatory for successful applicants. Individuals who seek approval for multiple schemes must attend each relevant induction event.

Application procedure

Providers may apply for course directors and tutors to be reinstated by contacting mark@mountain-training.org. The breadth and depth of the individual's recent, relevant experience is carefully considered on application. This can add weight to a reinstatement applicant being accepted without additional requirements. The provider must supply evidence of this recent experience and any recent Mountain Training course experience (recordable in the individual's DLOG).

Course director reinstatement (leadership awards);

Applicants must have the minimum experience of working as 'course staff' on **one, full training and one full assessment course for each scheme being applied for within the last 5 years**. Successful applicants will commonly have significantly more. On considering the application Mountain Training England's Screening Committee may request more experience which may extend to the mandatory experience for a new application i.e.

'Each applicant is required to have a minimum of 6 full courses of experience for the scheme being applied for, with at least 2 different providers, within the last 5 year period. These must be a mix of training and assessment courses and be recorded on the relevant provider's course report within the Candidate Management System.'

Tutor reinstatement (Hill & Mountain Skills or Rock Skills);

Applicants must demonstrate they have **significant recent relevant leadership or instructional experience**. As a guideline, individuals should have a minimum of 10 quality day's leadership (walking) or instructional (climbing) experience in the last 5 years.

If further experience is requested a time period to achieve this will be established. There is no appeal process. The decision of the Executive Committee is final.