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CPD Activities



Activity	Definition and Examples	Points Allocation	Max per CPD Cycle
Qualifications	Qualifications awarded by the IoIC or other internal-communication related qualifications awarded by Government recognised educational institutions. Qualifications must include stated learning outcomes, some form of assessment, and reflective learning.	IoIC Foundation Diploma – 40 Points IoIC Advanced Diploma – 40 Points Masters in Internal Communication Management – 60 Points Level 4, 5 and 6 Qualifications – 40 points	N/A
Training	Formal training - including in-house training - provided by the IoIC, or by an external approved third party, which sets clear objectives and learning outcomes.	½ half day – 4 points 1 day – 8 points 1+ day – 10 points	30 points
Conferences and speaker-led events	IoIC or other related industry or business conferences, seminars, and events which include informative presentations on topics delivered by subject experts, and set clear objectives and learning outcomes. Please note: events which are purely networking do not count as CPD.	1 day – <mark>4 points</mark> 2+ day – <mark>8 points</mark>	16 points
Webinars and podcasts	A webinar or podcast provided by IoIC, or by an external approved third party, which sets clear objectives and learning outcomes. Please note: webinars can be viewed live or on-demand so long as they are watched in their entirety and you are able to reflect on the practical benefits of the content	2 points	8 points
Peer-reviewed content	Industry-specific research and reading into relevant subject areas – including peer- reviewed books, factsheets, reports, guides, journals and publications by leading experts.	Books – 5 points ⁻ Other – 2 points	12 points

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Relevant and topical non peer-reviewed content	Sector related publications (in print and digital), including articles, blogs, guides and case studies.	Per piece of content – 1 point	8 points
Mentoring and Coaching	Where a formal mentoring or coaching relationship has been established. Receiving formal instruction, guidance and support from a designated mentor or coach. Providing formal instruction, guidance and support as a designated mentor or coach.	Per session – 2 points	12 points
Author, contributor, speaker	Writing articles, reports, books, guidance and supporting documentation, which are published for use of others. Speaking at events, conferences, panels, podcasts and news/media outlets.	Author (peer reviewed): Book – 20 points Paper/journal – 10 points Article/short-form guidance – 5 points Speaking: 3 points	20 points
Volunteering	Volunteering on IoIC Board and Advisory Boards, Committees, Steering Groups, Ambassador Programmes, and other IoIC groups. Relevant volunteering which contributes to skills development and/or contributes to the profession.	Per session – 3 points	8 points

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