

GUIDELINES FOR ASSESSORS OF APPLICATION'S FOR THE BSAS ACCREDITATION REGISTER

ANIMAL SCIENTIST (CERTIFIED)

An Animal Scientist (Certified) is appropriate for those who are mid to senior stage of their career stages of career development, Post PhD and Post graduate Students

Qualifications

Are these Appropriate, **Check the date of the last formal qualification and look for a good level of progression in the Applicant's career from the date of their last formal qualification to help you determine what stage of their career they are at.**

Designation and Descriptor

Intended Designation

Animal Scientist (Certified)

Description of principal professional activity

Take note of these and think are they still appropriate when you have read the Application if not – comment.

Specialisms

- ◆ There should be no more than 3 listed.
- ◆ The specialisms must relate to the designation and be proved by the information provided in the following sections.
- ◆ Specialisms should be current and/or relevant to within a 3 year period, where appropriate species specific

Competencies

- ◆ There are 9 categories in this section – not all boxes will be relevant.
- ◆ In the relevant boxes the information included should be in date order, most recent first.
- ◆ Must provide enough information to validate the appropriate competence and experience at this level in both the descriptor and specialisms.
- ◆ Contain the means where appropriate to verify the information provided. This information may be used should you wish to investigate the information further.
- ◆ Should be written in a way that is clear concise and professional.
- ◆ Information that is not currently/directly relevant to description or specialisms can be included to give the Assessors an overall indication of the wider knowledge and experience of the applicant.

Application statement

Should include (a) if they are a member of BSAS or any other organisation supporting the Register, (b) any conflicts of interests, (c) any other relevant occupations and activities.

Any questions please contact Alison Christie by email at accreditation@bsas.org.uk

For further details of the scheme and its rules, regulations and governances

<https://bsas.org.uk/sites/default/files/accreditationrubricupdate.pdf>