





Target Audience	<ul> <li>Individuals entering the BA Profession:         <ul> <li>Students enrolled in BA Academic Programs</li> <li>New Graduates</li> </ul> </li> <li>Professionals transitioning careers</li> <li>Functional managers who are not BAs but manage them</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Current ECBAs or Developing BAs who have attained the required work experience</li> <li>Those who have fallen into the role of BA professional</li> <li>Hybrid BAs</li> <li>Non-BA Consultants</li> <li>Product owners/managers</li> <li>Trainers</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Current CCBAs/ECBAs or Developing BAs who have attained the required work experience</li> <li>Seasoned BAs</li> <li>BA Consultants</li> <li>Trainers</li> </ul>
Work Experience	No work experience required	Minimum 3750 hours of BA work experience aligned with the BABOK® guide in the last 7 years	Minimum 7500 hours of BA work experience aligned with the BABOK® guide in the last 10 years
Knowledge Area Expertise	No expertise required	Minimum 900 hours in each of 2 of the 6 Knowledge Areas OR Minimum 500 hours in each of 4 of the 6 Knowledge Areas	Minimum 900 hours in each of 4 of the 6 Knowledge Areas
Assessment	Knowledge-based examination Online proctored exam Basic multiple choice 50 questions Knowledge based 1 hour	Scenario-based examination  Computer based testing (CBT)  Situations described in 2-4 sentences  Multiple choice answers  130 questions  3 hours	Case study-based examination  Computer based testing (CBT)  Longer cases (1-1.5 pages) of information  Multiple questions about the case  Multiple choice answers  120 questions  3.5 hours
Professional Development	Minimum 21 hours of Professional Development Training in the past 4 years	Minimum 21 hours of Professional Development Training in the past 4 years	Minimum 35 hours of Professional Development Training in the past 4 years
References	No reference required	2 references from a career manager, client or CBAP® recipient	2 references from a career manager, client or CBAP® recipient
Signed Code of Conduct	Yes	Yes	Yes
Application Fee	\$60 USD	\$125 USD	\$125 USD
Exam Fee	\$110 USD for members \$235 USD for non-members	\$325 USD for members \$450 USD for non-members	\$325 USD for members \$450 USD for non-members
Recertification	No renewal required	Renewal every 3 years	Renewal every 3 years