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CHARTERED MEMBERSHIP

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GLOBAL RECOGNITION FOR SENIOR ENERGY LEADERS AND INDUSTRY EXPERTS

The **Chartered Membership (Ch.IBOGP®)** represents the highest professional distinction awarded by the **International Board of Oil and Gas Professionals (IBOGP®)** to exceptional practitioners, senior executives, and technical leaders in the global energy sector.

It is a mark of verified expertise, integrity, and long-term contribution to the profession, reflecting global competency standards established under ISO 21001 (Educational Organizations Management Systems), ISO/IEC 42001 (AI Management Systems), and ISO 29993 (Learning Services Outside Formal Education).

Holding the title of **Chartered Member** affirms that an individual has achieved mastery in their discipline, demonstrated leadership excellence, and continues to influence the global energy community through innovation, sustainability, and knowledge-sharing.





WHO SHOULD JOIN

The Chartered Membership (Ch.IBOGP®) is designed for senior professionals who lead and manage critical aspects of oil, gas, and energy operations worldwide.

This membership category is ideal for experienced engineers, project managers, safety leaders, consultants, and executives who have attained Chartered-level certifications and wish to be recognized globally for their achievements.

Typical applicants include senior engineers and technical directors, project managers, operations managers, HSE and risk management leaders, digital transformation specialists, sustainability consultants, and advisors to government or corporate energy bodies.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

To qualify for Chartered Membership, applicants must have successfully completed an **IBOGP® Chartered-level Certification Exam** such as the *Certified Reservoir and Subsurface Engineering Expert (CRSRE®)*, *Certified AI and Gas Analytics Specialist (C-AIGAS®)*, *Certified Petroleum and Energy Economics Technical Specialist (CPEETS®)*, or *Certified Safety, Fire & Systems Engineering Professional (CSFSE®)*, among others.

Applicants must also have at least two to five **years of progressive professional experience** in the oil, gas, or energy sectors, with clear evidence of increasing responsibility, leadership, and contribution.

All candidates are required to commit to the IBOGP® Code of Professional Ethics and maintain compliance with the organization's Chartered Member Standards of Practice. Continuous professional development and ethical conduct remain central to sustaining this credential.





MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS

The **Ch.IBOGP®** designation symbolizes professional authority, trust, and leadership.

It demonstrates that the member possesses advanced technical knowledge, operational judgment, and strategic insight recognized by global peers and industry regulators.

Global Recognition and Prestige

Chartered Members are entitled to use the distinguished post-nominal “Ch.IBOGP®” after their names. Each member is officially listed in the IBOGP® Global Professional Registry, where their credentials are digitally verified and accessible to employers, regulators, and industry partners worldwide.

Members also receive a globally recognized digital certificate and ISO-aligned credential, ensuring the highest standards of validation and professional visibility.

Professional Influence and Visibility

Chartered Members enjoy the privilege of being featured in the **IBOGP® Professional Registry**, including a professional biography and recognition page. They may be invited to serve as advisors to certification councils, participate in academic and industry panels, and contribute to curriculum and policy reviews.

This visibility extends to opportunities for publishing technical papers, case studies, and research in IBOGP® journals and platforms.

Leadership and Advisory Roles

Chartered Members are eligible to participate in technical and advisory capacities within the organization. They can serve as exam reviewers, curriculum advisors, workshop mentors, or certification assessors, contributing their expertise to future generations of professionals.

They are also regularly invited to participate in **IBOGP® Leadership Roundtables** and **Global Energy Forums** to exchange insights on innovation, sustainability, digital transformation, and energy transition leadership.

Professional Development and Continued Learning

Chartered Members receive priority access to recertification programs, executive leadership workshops, and continuous professional development sessions.

They benefit from significant discounts on IBOGP® global conferences, training courses, and technical symposiums, as well as exclusive access to webinars that explore cutting-edge developments in safety systems, ESG governance, and digital energy technologies.



Networking and Collaboration

Becoming a Chartered Member provides direct access to a global network of high-level professionals, experts, and innovators. Members engage with peers through exclusive industry events, technical working groups, and international summits.

This community fosters professional collaboration, career advancement, and opportunities for thought leadership on a global scale.

CAREER ADVANCEMENT PATHWAY

The **Chartered Member (Ch.IBOGP®)** designation is an integral milestone in the IBOGP® professional progression ladder.

Members typically advance through the following pathway:

Student Member → Associate Member (AIBOGP®) → Certified Professional (CIBOGP®) → Chartered Member (Ch.IBOGP®) → Fellow (FIBOGP®).

Each level represents higher responsibility, professional recognition, and global influence, culminating in the Chartered and Fellowship tiers, which reflect mastery and leadership excellence in the international energy community.

EXAM FEE AND RENEWAL

The **Chartered Membership (Ch.IBOGP®)** requires an exam fee of **\$450**, which includes professional evaluation, credential issuance, and registration within the global chartered members' database.

Chartered Members hold their credential for a period of three years. Renewal is achieved through successful completion of recertification requirements and submission of a record of continuing professional development (CPD) activities.

Members are encouraged to remain active within IBOGP® activities and to contribute to knowledge-sharing, mentorship, and industry leadership.

HOW TO REGISTER

Interested professionals can apply for Chartered Membership through the **IBOGP® Membership Portal at www.ibogp.org/chartered-membership**

Applicants must complete the Chartered Membership application form and upload supporting documents including:



- Proof of successful completion of an IBOGP® Chartered-level certification.
- A current résumé demonstrating at least seven years of relevant professional experience.
- Two professional references or endorsements from industry peers or supervisors.

Upon submission, candidates will be required to pay the exam fee of **\$450** through the secure online system.

After review and approval, successful candidates will receive an official notification, a digital certificate, a Chartered membership badge, and inclusion in the **IBOGP® Global Professional Registry** within ten business days.

For assistance or inquiries, applicants can contact **membership@ibogp.org**

GLOBAL LEADERSHIP AND LASTING IMPACT

The **Chartered Membership (Ch.IBOGP®)** is more than a professional title—it is a global standard of excellence.

It recognizes individuals who lead with vision, uphold ethical responsibility, and contribute to the advancement of energy, technology, and sustainability.

Chartered Members of IBOGP® are trusted advisors, mentors, and innovators shaping the policies, practices, and technologies that define the future of oil and gas.

Lead with authority. Influence with integrity. Excel with IBOGP®.

Join the global circle of Chartered Professionals today and elevate your professional legacy.

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