

SGUNITED SKILLS (SGUS) CERTIFICATE IN ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING PROGRAMME

Frequently Asked Questions

A. Questions relating to SGUS Certificate in Electrical Engineering Programme

1. Where can I find the details of the SGUS Certificate in Electrical Engineering Programme?

The programme brochure can be downloaded on the SIPG website at:

www.spgroup.com.sg/what-we-do/training

2. How can I register for the Programme?

You may register via the registration link found in the programme brochure.

Please note that each application is subject to SIPG's review on a first-come-first-served basis and only successful applicants will be contacted. If your application is through to the next stage, our SIPG officer will contact you via Email to request for supporting documents (e.g. educational certificates).

Should the selected applicant be uncontactable, unqualified or unable to commit to the programme schedule, the training place will be given to the next applicant on the waiting list.

3. Who are eligible to apply?

The Programme is open to Singapore Citizens and Permanent Residents aged 21 and above who are currently seeking employment.

Applicants must possess at least a NITEC/Higher NITEC in Electrical Engineering, or a Diploma in Engineering (any discipline).

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4. What is the programme duration and fee?

The programme duration is six months, or 370 training hours, consisting of 17 modules, including a group project.

The programme fee is S\$500 (inclusive of GST). Trainees may use their SkillsFuture Credit to pay for the programme fee.

5. When should I make payment and what are the available modes of payment?

SIPG will send you an Invoice once we confirm your availability. Please make payment only after you have received the invoice. We accept bank transfer and mailed cheque payment.

6. Will I be penalized or required to refund the course fee subsidy if I drop out of the programme midway?

This Programme allows trainees to exit without penalty if they are successfully placed into a job or have secured a job on their own accord while undergoing training.

However, trainees who exit the programme without a valid reason may be asked to pay an administrative fee.

SIPG will refund you the amount for the remaining modules. If you have used your SkillsFuture Credit to pay, it will be refunded back as SkillsFuture Credit.

7. Who will be conducting the Programme?

The SGUS Certificate in Electrical Engineering Programme will be jointly conducted by Singapore Institute of Power and Gas, Ngee Ann Polytechnic or Singapore Polytechnic.

8. Where, when and how will the Programme be conducted?

The Programme is scheduled to start in February 2021 and end in July 2021.

Modules conducted by Ngee Ann Polytechnic or Singapore Polytechnic will be conducted on weekday evenings from 6:30pm to 10pm.

Modules conducted by SIPG will be conducted on weekdays from 8:30am to 5:30pm and Saturdays from 8:30am to 5:30pm.

Modules will be conducted either via Live Virtual Class or Face-to-Face training at the Institute's premise. Information on the mode of delivery, location and timetable of each module will be confirmed before programme commencement.

9. Will there be any Assessment?

Yes, written and/or practical assessments will be included in each module.

10. What are the passing criteria for each module?

Trainees must attain at least 75% attendance rate and pass the module assessment.

11. What happens when I fail a module?

Trainees who fail any module will be allowed to retake the assessment. However, if they do not pass the assessment on the second attempt, they will be deemed to have failed the programme and will be removed. They will also not qualify for the monthly training allowance in that particular month.

12. What is the maximum class size?

The maximum class size is 10 trainees.

13. Who should I contact to find out more about the programme and future intakes?

Please email your enquiries to SIPG at training-institute@spgroup.com.sg.

B. General Questions relating to the SGUnited Skills Programme initiative

Please refer to the FAQs issued by SkillsFuture Singapore regarding the SGUnited Skills Programme initiative.

https://www.skillsfuture.sg/-/media/SGUnited/FAQ/SGUnited_Skills_FAQs.pdf