

PECB TRAINER CERTIFICATION PROGRAM

About PECB¹

PECB is a leading certification body dedicated to fostering digital trust through comprehensive education, certification, and certificate programs across various disciplines. We empower professionals to develop and demonstrate their competence in digital security and other areas of expertise by providing world-class certification programs that adhere to internationally recognized standards.

Vision: As the global leader in digital trust education and certification, our vision is to empower and inspire professionals by enhancing their skills and fostering their professional success.

Mission: Our mission is to empower professionals with the knowledge and skills to protect their digital assets and ensure business continuity. Through our comprehensive programs, we aim to foster a secure digital ecosystem where innovation thrives and risks are managed effectively.

Values: Growth, Change, Harmony, Simplicity, Reliability, and Quality

¹ Notes

- The legal name of PECB is "PECB Group Pte. Ltd."
- PECB is an acronym that stands for "Professional Evaluation and Certification Board." • Education (used in the first sentence of this page) refers to training courses developed by PECB, and offered globally through its network of partners.
- Certification refers to certification services provided according to ISO/IEC 17024. Certificate Program refers to certificate program services provided according to ANSI/ASTM E2659.
- "Certified" refers to ISO/IEC 17024 certifications' requirements and "Certificate holder" refers to ASTM E2659 certificate programs' requirements. Certificate holders are not certified, licensed, accredited, or registered to engage in a specific occupation or profession.





Accreditations and Affiliations

At PECB, we are driven and culturally powered by a systemic process of continual improvement and professional development. As a testament to our high standards and commitment to providing quality services to our clients, PECB is accredited by a number of bodies and is a member of many professional organizations. For detailed information on our accreditations and affiliations, click [here](#).

PECB Code of Ethics

The Code of Ethics is the set of values that PECB is committed to following, and defines the responsibilities of PECB professionals, including employees, trainers, examiners, invigilators, members of different committees, partners, distributors, certified individuals, and certificate holders. To read the PECB's Code of Ethics, click [here](#).

Why Become a PECB Certified Trainer?

All PECB training courses worldwide are delivered by PECB Certified Trainers who go through a rigorous certification process that evaluates their knowledge, skills, experience, and competences for a given scheme. Trainer certification is a mandatory process that all PECB Trainers must go through. Anyone who meets the requirements outlined in this document is welcome to become a PECB Certified Trainer.

The role of a PECB Certified Trainer is to provide trainees with the knowledge and skills to perform better in their role or position. To do so, trainers should be well-prepared and organized, stay up to date with current trends, have strong communication and interpersonal skills, and display loyalty to their trainees and PECB.

The benefits of becoming a PECB Certified Trainer are:

- ✓ Building a profile as an expert
- ✓ Getting exclusive free early access to newly released courses
- ✓ Obtaining well-paid training mandates
- ✓ Delivering top-quality training course materials
- ✓ Meeting a wide range of professionals from the same field
- ✓ Gaining worldwide teaching opportunities
- ✓ Increasing visibility among other trainers as a PECB Certified Trainer
- ✓ Obtaining various benefits as per the [PECB Trainer Level Scheme](#)





Prerequisites

To be eligible to become a PECB Certified Trainer, a candidate needs to fulfill the following criteria:

Education

The candidate must hold a bachelor's degree or an equivalent level of academic education. As an alternative, candidates with secondary level education may be considered for trainer certification if they have at least ten (10) years of professional experience in the respective scheme in which the training course will be delivered.

Note: PECB does not require candidates to submit academic diplomas. Education must be declared in the candidate's CV

Work Experience

The candidate must have five (5) years of professional work experience, two (2) of which are relevant to the field of training courses to be delivered.

Teaching Experience

The candidate must have at least 200 hours of teaching, training, or instructional experience. Acceptable forms of evidence include:

1. A letter from a current or previous employer confirming that you have delivered training sessions, courses, or workshops.
2. An official attestation or certificate confirming that you conducted a class, seminar, or training session.
3. A trainer certification or accreditation from another recognized organization or institution.
4. Copies of course materials, lesson plans, or training outlines you have developed and delivered.
5. Participant feedback forms or evaluations demonstrating your involvement in teaching or training.
6. Documentation of webinars, online courses, or virtual training sessions you have led.
7. Proof of facilitation in professional development programs or industry-specific workshops

PECB Lead Certification

The candidate must have at least one (1) PECB Lead certification for the training course they intend to deliver. A PECB Lead certification can be a Lead Implementer, Lead Auditor, or Lead Manager depending on the scheme

Trainer Certification Requirements and Application

Besides the prerequisites, candidates need to go through the Trainer Certification Program by completing the application through their myPECB account. To apply, candidates select “Become a Trainer” from their dashboard and complete the following steps:

For the step-by-step description refer to PECB Trainer Certification Program Manual.



Step 1: Trainer Eligibility Form

Candidate begins the application by completing the Trainer Eligibility Form, which collects the core information needed to assess their application. This includes a recent professional headshot (to appear on the public trainer directory), a summary of their work experience, their CV, and details of their professional and teaching experience, including the languages in which they can deliver training.



Step 2: PECB Trainer Role Introduction

Each candidate is required to watch the PECB Trainer Role Introduction video in full. This video offers a closer look into PECB’s services and clarifies the standards, responsibilities, and expectations that come with being a PECB Certified Trainer. It sets the foundation for everything that follows in the certification process, so trainer applicants are strongly encouraged to watch it attentively.

Watching the entire video is mandatory, and candidates cannot proceed until it has been completed.



Step 3: Quiz

Each candidate must take a short quiz consisting of questions entirely based on the content of the PECB Trainer Role Introduction video. Passing the quiz is mandatory to proceed with further steps. Candidates can retake the quiz up to three times.



Step 4: PECB Certification

Each candidate needs to have the PECB Certification of the respective training course(s) intended to be delivered (e.g., to be able to deliver the ISO/IEC 27001 Lead Auditor training course, the trainer must have the ISO/IEC 27001 Lead Auditor certification issued by PECB).

There are two ways to obtain the PECB Certification:

- Taking a PECB training course through a PECB Partner and passing the exam. Passing the exam is mandatory to apply for certification.
- Sending the professional certification(s) issued by a certification body accredited under ISO/IEC 17024. For this, an equivalency process follows, and if successful, the candidate will be invited to apply for the PECB Certification.



For trainers wanting to deliver courses in different [Families of Standards](#), additional evidence may be required by PECB at any time of the trainer certificate cycle, to be submitted through the website or via email.

The candidate must have at least one PECB Lead certification.

Step 5: Trainer Demo Presentation

Each candidate must submit a short 5-minute video demonstration of their presentation skills and knowledge on the chosen standard. The language of the video and presentation must be in English, French, or Spanish. The video can be recorded multiple times, or a pre-recorded video can be submitted; however, only one video may be submitted as the final step.

Once all steps have been completed, the application is automatically submitted to the PECB Trainer Program team for review.

The evaluation process is based on the following criteria:

- Teaching abilities
- Communication skills
- Professional experience
- Familiarity with the ISO standards

Applications are evaluated within 48 business hours of submission. If all requirements are met, the application is approved accordingly.

If any documentation or information is missing, the candidate will be notified, and the application will proceed upon receiving a response.

The overall timeline in such cases depends on how quickly the candidate replies with the necessary information. Depending on the evaluation results, a candidate may also be asked to comply with additional requirements, such as attending a training session, delivering a training course under supervision, or passing an exam.

Step 6: Read and sign the Trainer Agreement (post-approval)

Once the application is reviewed and approved, the PECB Trainer Agreement is sent to the candidate. The trainer must read, agree, and sign the agreement to finalize their trainer certification. The matters below and more must be acknowledged in the agreement:

- Misrepresentation or unauthorized possession of PECB certificates
- Usage of PECB Certification Mark/Logo
- Compliance with the PECB [Code of Ethics](#)

Candidates whose applications are accepted will gain access to a new trainer dashboard and will be awarded the "PECB Certified Trainer" certificate.



Trainer Certificate

Applying for the Certificate

Candidates who successfully complete all steps and meet the criteria, will be awarded with the official PECB Certified Trainer designation and certification.

PECB
**Professional Evaluation and
Certification Board**

recognizes that
JOHN DOE

is hereby approved as a
Certified Trainer

CERTIFICATE NUMBER	ISSUANCE DATE	EXPIRATION DATE
XXXX-XXX	JUNE 01, 2026	JUNE 01, 2028


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Recertification of Trainers

Recertification Requirements

The trainer recertification process can be performed three (3) months prior to or after the expiry date. If recertification has not been completed within this period, the trainer may be required to restart the certification process from the beginning.

To renew the certificate, trainers are required to fulfill the following requirements:

1. PECB Certification

For each scheme for which the trainer wants to get recertified, they must hold the respective PECB certification, which must be valid. The trainer must hold at least one PECB Lead certification.

2. Delivering a PECB Training Course

The trainer must have delivered at least one (1) PECB training course during the past three (3) years.

3. Positive Feedback

The trainer must have maintained a positive average rating of 3.5 or above on the training courses delivered throughout the three (3) year tenure as a Trainer.

4. PECB Trainer Agreement

The trainer must read, agree, and sign the PECB Trainer Agreement

5. Presenting PECB brand and services accurately

The trainer must present the PECB Brand, and the services derived from and offered by it, accurately, efficiently, and ethically.

**For the trainers who did not manage to get recertified, a waiting period of one (1) year is applied, until they can reapply again.*

**If after three years the recertification requirements are met, the certificate will be renewed.*





Suspension of Trainer Certificate

PECB reserves the right to suspend a certificate in case of:

- Unsatisfactory performance and/or low feedback from trainees
- Failure to provide to PECB the evidence outlined in this document
- Excessive or serious complaints by stakeholders, until the investigation has been completed and a decision can be taken

Revocation of Trainer Certificate

PECB reserves the right to revoke a certificate in case of:

- Misrepresentation of PECB
- Falsification of trainer certificate
- Misrepresentation of PECB certificate or unauthorized possession or use of PECB Mark and Logo
- Breach of the PECB Code of Ethics



If you have questions and/or comments regarding the Trainer Certification Program, please contact:
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