



Re-Certification Strategy

The Concept of Experience Evidences

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Why Re-Certification?

A certificate shall display the skills of a person to perform a certain activity professionally.

If a person has not used the knowledge for more than 2 years, or has not shown interest in the field for more than 2 years, it is assumed that the skills are either outdated or need refreshment.

To keep a high level of quality of certificate in EuroSPI and to represent a high quality image to automotive industry a re-certification schema has been established.



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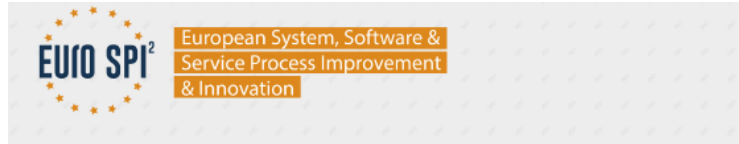
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The Concept of Experience Evidences



Re-Certification



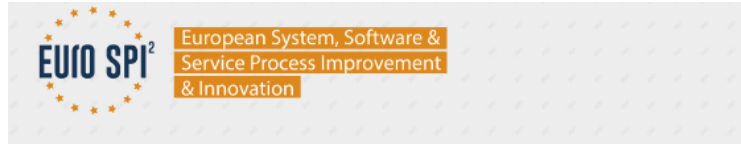
Certificates in EuroSPI are by default issued for a period of 2 years.

After the 2 years the certificate is still regarded to be valid till end of the year but requires latest by the end of the year a renewal.

e.g. Issued by April 2021 and valid till April 2023, the certificate is still valid till December 2023 (transition period) and needs to be renewed before the 31.12.2023.



Experience Evidences Types



Observation Period 2 Years:

Type C: Attending an annual EuroSPI workshop at the EuroSPI conference at least once in the last 2 years.

Type M: Attending an annual EuroSPI TechDay at least once in the last 2 years.

Type W: Providing work evidence, referring to the last 2 years.

Type P: Providing references to publications in the field in the last 2 years.

Type S: Providing evidences as a student.



Experience Evidences

By submitting the evidences, the certificate can be renewed.

How to submit evidences is described in the next section.

Evidences illustrate the person is still active and interested in the topic and stays aligned with the state of the art.



Collection and Submission of EEs for Re-Certification



How to provide Experience Evidences of active work

There are different types of acceptable experience evidences:

Type C: Attending an annual EuroSPI workshop at the EuroSPI conference at least once in the last 2 years.

The screenshot shows the EuroSPI 2024 website homepage. At the top is a dark navigation bar with links: Home (Welcome), About (EuroAsia SPI²), Programme, Workshop (Communities), Registration (And Prices), Submission, Information (Center), Download (Center), and Administration. Below this is a secondary navigation bar with links: SPI Manifesto, Media, Program Committee, Certification, and Vision, along with a search box. The main content area features the EuroSPI 2024 logo on the left, which includes the text "European System, Software & Service Process Improvement & Innovation" and "In cooperation with initiatives in Asia, Africa and USA". To the right of the logo is a large blue banner for the "31st EuroSPI Conference" with the text "EuroSPI 2024 Munich, Germany & online" and a background image of a cityscape with a church. Below the banner is a row of small circular icons and navigation arrows.



How to provide Experience Evidences of active work

There are different types of acceptable experience evidences:

Type M: Attending an annual EuroSPI TechDay at least once in the last 2 years.

<https://conference.eurospi.net/index.php/en/programme/associated-tech-days>

Online Technology Day



Advanced Assessment and Improvement Methods and Tools

The Tech Day is a pre-event to the EuroSPI² 2024 Conference showcasing new state of the art technology in the field of assessments, benchmarking data and future learning infrastructures. The technology days allow EuroSPI supporting partner organizations to manage their own events in association with EuroSPI and at a date where it is possible for technology day participants to also register and come for EuroSPI. There are key note presentations and content based webinar sessions. Key note sessions are from leading industry or experts, and webinar sessions are presenting and refer to tools for which ISCN can provide test accounts or services.

To Register for Free write an Email to techday@iscn.com



How to provide Experience Evidences of active work

There are different types of acceptable experience evidences:

Type W: Providing work evidence, referring to the last 2 years.

Sending the evidence by Email with SUBJECT RECERTIFICATION <JOB ROLE NAME> to certification@eurospi.net.

The mail shall include the text

I, <first family name>, apply for recertification for the job role <job role name>.

To the email you need to attach:

- your existing certificate (the ID on it allows to identify you in the system) which is to be renewed
- a letter signed by your employer / partner confirming that you work in projects / studies related to the topic



How to provide Experience Evidences of active work

There are different types of acceptable experience evidences:

Type P: Providing references to publications in the field in the last 2 years.

Sending the evidence by Email with SUBJECT RECERTIFICATION <JOB ROLE NAME> to certification@eurospi.net.

The mail shall include the text

I, <first family name>, apply for recertification for the job role <job role name>.

To the email you need to include:

- the reference to the publication which should be indexed
- publications in proceedings, journals, books are counting
- Note: not published papers at local and not indexed books etc. do not count



How to provide Experience Evidences of active work

There are different types of acceptable experience evidences:

Type S (1/2): Providing evidences as a student.

The EuroSPI certificates are also applied at universities in Europe. Students during their study program only pay once.

e.g. a student studies from 2021 to 2026 and did the certificate in 2023. The student can renew 2025 free of cost.

It is assumed that students at work places in industry will be able to afford the re-certification fee.



How to provide Experience Evidences of active work

There are different types of acceptable experience evidences:

Type S (2/2): Providing evidences as a student.

Sending the evidence by Email with SUBJECT RECERTIFICATION <JOB ROLE NAME> to certification@eurospi.net.

The mail shall include the text

I, <first family name>, apply for recertification for the job role <job role name>.

To the email you need to include:

- the reference to the professor at the university that confirms your involvement

Note: Alternatively, the professor can send an email with the list of students to recertify by email.



Fees



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The fees can be different per job role.

Currently a standard recertification fee of a minimum of 75 Euros applies as a default.

High technical job roles like safety engineer/manager and cybersecurity engineer/manager apply a fee of 150 Euro.

If a person submits Type W,P evidences the fees apply.

If a person submits a Type C evidence, the fee is not charged, since the person already paid the attendance of the EuroSPI workshop/conference.

If a person submits type S evidence, only the first certificate and a student price (agreed with the university) applies, the renewal is free of cost during the study (within a sensible study duration).



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