

# CREDIT EQUIVALENCY CERTIFICATION

Equalizing certifications, academic and offical documents by Universities and Institutions of Higher Education for use in the Middle Eastern & North African (MENA) Region



#### **INTRODUCTION**

European Accreditation Board for Online Education is an independent, membership-based, non-profit organization offering international accreditation to all academic institutions established in the European countries. It aims to promote effective educational practices in schools, colleges and universities.

EABOE is an international quality assurance organization, providing services to improve and maintain highest quality standards in all academic institutions established in Italy, Germany, Austria, Belgium, Sweden, and Albania. EABOE provides international accreditation after a careful assessment of their overall performance. EABOE has designed a quality assurance framework that is consistent with the goals of tertiary education and standards of learning in the European countries.

EABOE encourages all educational institutions to implement quality assurance throughout their institutions, since there is a marked need to support and enhance quality assurance units in the newly formed universities, colleges and schools. EABOE has developed a system for capacity building in quality assurance of all academic institutions imparting education in European countries.

EABOE provides all academic institutions with an international accreditation license to operate with recognition and trust, EABOE awards accreditation after evaluation of an institution's meeting specified standards, such as quality learning, staff qualifications, student intake, research, equipment and facilities provided.

European Accreditation Board for Online Education offers Equalization Certificate for students as well as working adults, seeking education and employment in the European region, who have completed their prior qualifications at an institute outside the Europe. Equalization Certificate from EABOE ensures that the educational certificates held by an individual are equivalent to the standards of education followed by the Higher Education Commission in Europe.

# MISSION

66 To establish, preserve and promote the finest quality standards in education worldwide by acting as a catalyst for information, training and networking to educational institutes.



#### **ABOUT EQUALIZATION CERTIFICATION**

European Accreditation Board for Online Education thoroughly scrutinizes and verifies the authenticity of the educational certificates and qualifications, acquired from institutions outside the European region, which are submitted by an individual to acquire an equalization certificate. EABOE through its equalization certificate ensures that an individual's qualifications correspond with the educational standards approved by the Higher Education Commission and followed by the educational institutions in the Europe.

#### **Evaluation Process**

European Accreditation Board for Online Education offers two types of credit evaluation packages to students and working adults:

# Course Evaluation

EABOE's course evaluation is suitable for students seeking education in the European region. It offers the following:

- Identifies and validates each degree, diploma or certificate
- Indicates duration of the academic program
- Provides equalization certificate for each document
- Lists semester credits along with the course
- Presents a grade point average (GPA) based on academic standards followed in the Europe.

# Document Evaluation

EABOE's document evaluation is suitable for purposes of employment, immigration or validation of secondary school credentials. It offers the following:

- Identifies and validates each degree, diploma or certificate
- Indicates duration of the academic program
- Provides equalization certificate for each document

EABOE's evaluation programs provide students and working adults with flexibility in sending their equalization certificates and validated transcripts to institutions around the Europe, at any time in the future.



#### **Eligibility Criteria**

Students seeking education or employment in the European region may transfer an unlimited number of credits to clear their degree, diploma or certificate requirements, but they will still be required to earn a minimum number of upper division credits to come at par with the academic standards approved by the Higher Education Commission in the Europe or they can apply for an equalization certificate which will validate their academic credentials.

For equalizing any academic qualification issued by an international education institution from countries other than the europe, students are required to provide EABOE with complete educational and work documents along with detailed information required as per EABOE's guidelines. EABOE retains the right to reject an application in the absence of any required document or information.

After the document submission and payment of required fee, EABOE's Equivalency Office starts rigorous course evaluation of transfer credits. On completion, one copy of the evaluation is sent to the student while the second copy is sent to the student's advisory office. This evaluation document will serve as an equalization certificate for student's admission requirements, validating his prior qualifications.

#### BENEFITS OF EQUALIZATION CERTIFICATION FOR STUDENTS & WORKING ADULTS

#### • Equal Opportunity

Through an equalization certificate, an individual's qualifications are properly recognized which leads them to apply for jobs that are relevant to their degree level.

#### • Ensures Quality Education

EABOE ensures students' qualifications correspond with the academic standards followed around the European States. Student's acquired education outside the European States is deemed to be of good standard through EABOE's equalization certificate.

#### Higher Education

Students seeking admission in various European universities must also acquire an equalization certificate from the EABOE to ensure their preceding qualifications are equivalent to the standard of education in the Europe.

#### • Certificate Attestation

Once an individual has acquired an equalization certificate from the EABOE, he also receives attested copies of his academic documents that prove that his previously acquired education is recognized as equivalent to the standard of education followed in the Europe.

#### • Outreach Across the Gulf

By acquiring an equalization certificate from EABOE, an individual can apply for a job anywhere in the Italy, Germany, Austria, Belgium, Sweden, Albania etc.



#### **Equalization Certificate for Students**

European Accreditation Board for Online Education provides equalization certificate to students who have acquired their education outside the European countries. EABOE verifies the authenticity of the academic credentials issued by the higher education institutions in those countries.

EABOE ensures an individual's qualifications satisfy the academic criteria applicable in the europe and assess them according to the academic standards as well as the qualifications issued by the approved higher education.

An equalization certificate issued by the European Accreditation Board for Online Education is official proof that the education acquired by an individual is based on the academic standards followed by the European education system. Through EABOE's Equalization Certificate, an individual can increase his chances of qualifying for better academic prospects in the european universities.

Students who have acquired equalization certificates issued by the European Accreditation Board for Online Education are hired by top multinationals in the europe due to the standard of their qualifications. Click here to read the benefits students have achieved after acquiring their equalization certificate from EABOE.

#### **Equalization Certificate for Working Adults**

European Accreditation Board for Online Education grants equalization certificates to working adults, who are seeking employment in the european region, for higher career prospects. Since the standard of education in the european countries is different from the academic standards followed around the world, it is pertinent for every individual seeking employment in the European region to acquire equalization certificate for his previously acquired education and work experience.

European Accreditation Board for Online Education verifies an individual's academic documents and check for their validation and authenticity. Once their academic credentials are evaluated, EABOE issues the working adult his equalization certificate along with the attested copies of his previous education which will prove to his prospective employer about his standard of education.

Working adults who have acquired equalization certificates through the European Accreditation Board for Online Education have been hired by employers from different industries, such as, manufacturing, engineering, etc based on their standard of education. Click here to read what benefits working adults have received by acquiring their equalization certificate.

