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## Global FM - Education Position Statement

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### Description:

This document defines the Global FM position statement on the need to evaluate and compare different countries educational qualifications and their effect on facilities management practitioners wherever in the world they practice.

### Purpose:

Through a desk top study different countries qualifications in relation to facilities management vocational and educational qualifications will be evaluated and compared with each other with a view to determine relevant alignment and apply a global recognition system

### Impact on Organizational Strategy:

As facilities managers' travel and work across the globe and organisations are increasingly becoming involved in the global production and distribution of their goods and services, the qualifications of the facilities manager must be transferable and recognized. This will enable such organizations to assess the relevant competencies of such individuals in a systematic and consistent manner.

### Content:

Global FM's position in terms of education is that facilities management is a critical component to ensure that a company's strategic plans are efficiently and effectively implemented in all of its targeted markets. The profession's practitioners must demonstrate their level of knowledge and experience through globally recognized qualifications. Global FM will complete the evaluation of existing qualifications and sponsor the development of a framework that ensures that existing and future qualifications conform to a globally recognized standard.