



# NEC Accreditation Suite

## The Gold Standard

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# Looking for formal recognition – ready to achieve accredited status with NEC.

Using an interactive learning syllabus, our training programmes offer individuals the unique opportunity to receive recognition for an internationally acknowledged Accreditation standard that is sought after by employers.

Once successfully accredited with NEC, participants are eligible for inclusion on the NEC Accreditation Register.

## Why get accredited with us?

- Gain the **complex technical and practical skills** to excel in your role as a project leader
- Benefit from **interactive learning programmes** that can be applied internationally and are recognised and valued by employers
- Become an **ambassador for your organisation, embedding best practice** across your team and maintaining standards
- Receive **certification** of NEC Accreditation on successful completion and take the opportunity and to be listed on a register for accredited NEC professionals.

## How can I become accredited?

Exclusive to NEC, the accreditations for ECC Project Managers, ECC Supervisors, TSC and DBO Service Managers, are renowned as the NEC Gold Standard.

They embed best practice in organisations and demonstrate a commitment to maintaining standards and upskilling teams.

Our Accreditation programmes run virtually and in classroom around the world.

The programmes have been developed specifically for those with practical experience of using the NEC contracts and are looking to move into a leadership role, or are already practicing in such a role on design, construction or maintenance projects.

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The bespoke NEC in-house training programme was delivered to a total of 382 employees in the period of just nine months, which for a bespoke course, is rapid. The training was a great success and enjoyable. ”

**Andy Cruise**  
Commercial Capability Manager,  
Capital Delivery, National Grid

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The NEC Accreditation reflects the duties carried out by our members on an ECC project and represents a fantastic opportunity for them to gain additional recognition for their skills and expertise. ”

**Rachel Morris**  
ICWCI Chief Executive Officer



# Choose your Accreditation pathway.



## How to book an NEC Accreditation:

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New to Accreditation

Accredited Programmes:

- NEC3: ECC Project Manager Accreditation
- NEC3: ECC Supervisor Accreditation
- NEC3: TSC Service Manager Accreditation
- NEC4: ECC Project Manager Accreditation
- NEC4: ECC Supervisor Accreditation
- NEC4: TSC Service Manager Accreditation
- NEC4: DBO Service Manager Accreditation

Programmes are available in a variety of formats and are accessible from around the world. All accreditations conclude with an online assessment and certification of achievement.

Qualification

Upon successful completion, participants are eligible for inclusion on the Register for Accredited NEC Professionals. The NEC Accreditation is valid for five years and will need to be renewed to maintain accreditation status.

NEC4 Extension

For all NEC3 accredited professionals who wish to extend their accreditation to cover NEC4, you will need to complete the following as a requirement:

- Short classroom based training course
- Online assessment

Who should enrol?

- NEC3 accredited Project Managers
- NEC3 accredited Supervisors
- NEC3 accredited Service Managers

Successful completion would achieve an NEC4 accreditation valid for 5 years and is awarded separately from your current NEC3 accreditation.

Renewing

The NEC3 and NEC4 Accreditations are valid for five years. All NEC accredited professionals will have to renew their status to maintain currency.

The renewal process is as follows:  
Complete and pass a multiple-choice online assessment.

You will be granted access to the renewal module six months before your status expires. You will be given up to six months to complete the module and assessment. It must be completed before your existing accreditation expires.

Failure to complete and pass the assessment will affect your accredited status.

Who should enrol?

NEC accredited professionals whose accredited status is due to expire within the next six months. The module and assessment should be completed before your status expires or you may need to complete the whole training.



I found the course to be hugely informative and it has significantly improved competence in managing an NEC contract, whilst also opening up the opportunity to move into a project management role in the future. I found it very beneficial to partake in the course as it gave me the contextual knowledge prior to regularly using NEC contracts on live projects.

**Ryan O'Malley**, Assistant Quantity Surveyor for Trebes  
NEC4 ECC Project Manager Accreditation



The course has really strengthened my knowledge on the parts of the contract I use on a day-to-day basis as well as giving me a well-rounded understanding of parts I don't necessarily use every day. Plus, it's a great sense of achievement when you pass.

**Samantha Evison**, Senior Quantity Surveyor, Costain  
NEC4 ECC Project Manager Accreditation



Being accredited provides me with a recognised qualification and therefore indicates to the Employer and the Contractor that I have adequate knowledge... I would strongly recommend it as the only recognised qualification for Service Managers.

**Hugh Dannatt**, Highways and Transportation Team Shropshire  
Council - TSC Service Manager





# nec4 | Improvement through collaboration

NEC is the fourth evolution of the NEC suite of procurement contracts. It has been built from user and industry best practice learnings and has been specially designed to support innovation through digital advances and encourage collaboration across the world.

NEC4 reflects procurement and project management developments and emerging best practice, with improvements in flexibility, clarity and the ease of administration.

### THE NEC4 SUITE OF CONTRACTS

Alliance Contract (ALC)	Framework Contract (FC)
Design, Build and Operate Contract (DBO)	NEC4: Professional Service Contract (PSC)
Dispute Resolution Service Contract (DRSC) (previously NEC3 Adjudicator's Contract)	NEC4: Professional Service Subcontract (PSS)
	NEC4: Professional Service Short Contract (PSSC)
Engineering and Construction Contract (ECC)	Supply Contract (SC)
Engineering and Construction Short Contract (ECSC)	Supply Short Contract (SSC)
Engineering and Construction Subcontract (ECS)	NEC4: Term Service Contract (TSC)
Engineering and Construction Short Subcontract (ECSS)	NEC4: Term Service Subcontract (TSS)
	NEC4: Term Service Short Contract (TSSC)
Facilities Management Contract (FMC)	
Facilities Management Short Contract (FMSC)	
Facilities Management Subcontract (FMS)	
Facilities Management Short Subcontract (FMSS)	

### Key Benefits include:



Streamlined  
processes  
and updated  
definitions



Improved contract  
administration  
and reduces  
administration costs



Greater clarity  
and reduced  
potential for  
problems



Provision for  
BIM and early  
contractor  
involvement



Improved Risk  
Opportunity  
and Risk  
Management

# nec4 | NEC4 ECC Project Manager Accreditation Blended Training

To support the growing demands for a more flexible programme, NEC's gold standard training course is now available in a blended format. As an alternative to the traditional four-day training course offered for the NEC4 Project Manager Accreditation (PMA), the blended format offers an enhanced learner experience and greater flexibility to study at a time and place to suit.

The blended learning consists of around 30 hours of online learning and a one-day tutor led consolidation session. Successful completion of the training programme and assessment will enable a delegate to describe themselves as an accredited NEC4 Project Manager, an industry recognised standard.





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