

Assessment of your foreign qualifications

If you would like to work or study in Sweden, you can benefit from an assessment of your foreign qualifications. The Swedish Council for Higher Education (UHR) can help you with this.

UHR offers two options for an assessment, at no cost. You can apply for a recognition statement or use the evaluation service at our website. You can show both to a prospective employer when applying for a job.

A recognition statement is a document that shows what your qualification corresponds to in the Swedish education system. To prepare the statement, we review your education documents. You can apply at our website.

The Qualifications Assessment Tool, also found at our website, shows you directly what your qualification corresponds to in Sweden. Together with your education documents, you can use your evaluation as a basis when applying for jobs. Not all countries are available in the online service – if your country is missing, you can apply for a recognition statement instead.

If you would like to continue your studies in Sweden

A recognition statement for an upper secondary education indicates if you are eligible for university studies, what grade point average you have and for what subjects you are qualified.

You do not need a recognition statement for your foreign qualifications to apply to higher education studies. Instead, you can apply directly at [Antagning.se](#) or [Universityadmissions.se](#).

If you wish to work in a regulated profession

Some professions are regulated in Sweden. This means that a special licence or authorisation is required to work in them. Contact the authority responsible for the regulated profession – for example, the Swedish National Agency for Education for teacher certification and the Swedish National Board of Health and Welfare for a licence to practice as a doctor or nurse.

Apply for recognition:

uhr.se/en/recognition/application

Qualifications Assessment Tool:

uhr.se/en/qualifications-assessment-tool

More about recognition:

uhr.se/en/recognition

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