

Malaysian Software Testing Board (MSTB)

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REGISTRATION FOR ISTQB CERTIFIED TESTER ADVANCED LEVEL (CTAL) EXAMINATION

Instructions:

- Please complete the form below. Please print legibly.
- Please attach the following documentation for pre-qualification purposes (for first time exam or non pre-qualified persons)
 - A copy of the latest updated resume, listing in full the employer and work history
 - A copy of the CTFL certificate
 - A copy of the relevant certificates/degrees held at the time of application
- Remit the Advanced Level one-time pre-qualification fee and plus examination fees together with this application. Payments may be made in cash or cheque (payable to "Malaysian Software Testing Board"). For other arrangements, please contact the MSTB Secretariat at +603-89965401

Personal Information

Full Name (as per IC / passport)	:	<input type="text"/>
Nationality	:	<input type="text"/>
IC Number (New) (Malaysian only)	:	<input type="text"/> - <input type="text"/> - <input type="text"/>
ISTQB CTFL Certificate No	:	<input type="text"/>
CTFL Certificate Issued by	:	<input type="text"/>
Passport No. (if applicable)	:	<input type="text"/>
Gender	:	M / F
Company/Employer Name	:	<input type="text"/>
Job title	:	<input type="text"/>
Preferred Address*	:	<input type="text"/>
	:	<input type="text"/>
City	:	<input type="text"/>
Postcode	:	<input type="text"/>
	:	Country <input type="text"/>
Telephone No (Work)	:	+ <input type="text"/> - <input type="text"/>
Telephone No (Home)	:	+ <input type="text"/> - <input type="text"/>
Telephone No (Mobile)	:	+ <input type="text"/> - <input type="text"/>
Preferred Email**	:	<input type="text"/>

Examination Information

Exam type (please ✓)	:	<input type="checkbox"/> First time	<input type="checkbox"/> Re-take
Requested Exam & Fees (please ✓)	:	<input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Qualification (RM 300) (mandatory for first time exam)	
		<input type="checkbox"/> ISTQB Advanced Level Test Manager (RM 525)	
		<input type="checkbox"/> ISTQB Advanced Level Test Analyst (RM 525)	
		<input type="checkbox"/> ISTQB Advanced Level Technical Test Analyst (RM 525)	
Location/Center	:	<input type="text"/>	
Requested Exam Date	:	<input type="text"/> / <input type="text"/> / <input type="text"/>	
		Day Month Year	

Terms and conditions:

- * = The address where all correspondences and certificates will be sent to.
- ** = Exam results notification will be sent to this email.
- Only candidates who have undergone pre-qualification and proven at the time of exam as eligible to receive the certification, will be provided with the certificate upon passing the exam. Certificates will be delivered within four (4) weeks from exam date.
- Candidates will be notified of exam results within two (2) weeks of the examination date.
- Certificates will be issued only after clearance of payment dues, if any.

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ISTQB CERTIFIED TESTER ADVANCED LEVEL (CTAL) – NOTIFICATION TO CANDIDATES (Version 1.0.0, September 2008)

Please read the following information carefully before registering for any CTAL examination. You are advised to contact Malaysian Software Testing Board (MSTB) at secretariat@mstb.org for clarification, if required.

Qualifications to Receive an ISTQB Advanced Level Certificate

To qualify for an ISTQB Advanced Level (CTAL) certificate, the candidate must undergo a pre-qualification process by MSTB that will verify that:

- The candidate have passed an ISTQB Certified Tester Foundation Level exam and hold an ISTQB Certified Tester Foundation Level certificate issued by an ISTQB-recognized National Board e.g. MSTB;
- If the candidate **has not successfully completed** a bachelor's degree or higher from an accredited institution in computer science or a related field, the candidate must have at least five years of verifiable full-time work experience in software or systems testing, development, quality assurance, engineering or a related fields;
- If the candidate **has successfully completed** a bachelor's degree or higher from an accredited institution in computer science or a related field, the candidate must have at least two years of verifiable full-time work experience in software or systems testing, development, quality assurance, engineering or a related field, though the candidate must have three years of such experience before they can obtain the Full Advanced Level Certificate;¹
- Successfully pass one or more ISTQB Certified Tester Advanced Level exams administered by an ISTQB-recognized National Board e.g. MSTB

The candidate **must be qualified** to receive the Advanced Level certificate **at the time** the candidate took (and pass) the exam. Additional experience accrued or degrees completed **after** taking an exam do not count toward qualification for that exam, but may contribute towards subsequent exams.

However, the candidate may take one or more ISTQB Certified Tester Advanced Level exams **prior to** receiving pre-qualification approval from MSTB, but MSTB shall issue an ISTQB Certified Tester Advanced Level certificate **only after** the candidate has satisfied all pre-qualification criteria within six (6) months after taking the exam.

Documentation proof for pre-qualifications required

To ensure timely qualification by MSTB, candidates are required to submit the pre-qualification approval request and the following documentation proof **at least 10-working days** before the exam date for MSTB to sufficiently perform the pre-qualification tasks.

- Candidate to submit a copy of their ISTQB Certified Tester Foundation Level certificate to MSTB, if the candidate obtain this certificate from a National Board other than the certifying MSTB. The certificate must show the name of the National Board that issued the certificate.
- Candidate to submit a copy of their diploma and/or transcripts to the certifying MSTB. The diploma and/or transcripts must show the name of the institution that issued the diploma along with sufficient information for MSTB to verify the diploma and the accreditation of the institution.
- Submit a copy of their resume or curriculum vitae to the MSTB, along with sufficient information for the MSTB to verify the work experience with their current and/or past employers.

¹ The Full Advanced Level Certificate is earned by passing all three exams; i.e., Advanced Test Manager, Advanced Test Analyst, and Advanced Technical Test Analyst. Therefore, this means that a candidate can take obtain at most two Advanced certificates out of the three if they have only two years experience.

The candidate, and not the certifying MSTB, is responsible for obtaining any legally or procedurally required releases from applicable National Boards, institutions, or employers that will allow the MSTB to verify qualifications. Candidate shall also be required to sign a release form to allow MSTB to perform the pre-qualifications.

MSTB shall provide official email notification of the pre-qualification outcome to the candidate, and his/her records with MSTB will be updated to reflect the latest status of pre-qualifications.

Pre-Qualification Fees and Exam Fees

To enable the certifying MSTB to verify qualification, there is a one-time qualification fee of RM300 payable to MSTB prior to taking one or more Advanced Level exams. Each component exam, including re-examinations, has its individual exam fees payable to MSTB prior to taking the exam.

More information

These Advanced Level pre-qualification guidelines are current as at time of publication and are in line with the global International Software Testing Qualifications Board (ISTQB) process and procedures. For further information, please contact MSTB at secretariat@mstb.org.