

PETER BENNETT FRSA, FCIB – Résumé

Peter has been involved, in the design and development of examinations and competence assessment programmes for more than 20 years. He formed QuestionBank Management Ltd (QBM) in July 1995 which, in 2015, became Assessment Design and Development Ltd (AD&D).

Peter deals specifically with the design and development of assessment programmes for awarding bodies, internal corporate use and professional examinations. QBM grew steadily over the first eight years of its existence concentrating in the main on the financial services industry. In 2003 the company was restructured and expanded into other industry sectors like, Health and Safety, Tourism, Telecoms and IT.

By adopting this strategy, Peter has had exposure to the way assessments are designed and developed in many parts of the world including USA, South Africa, Netherlands, Denmark, Finland and in different industry segments including Financial Services, Telecommunications, IT, Auditing, world trade finance. This means that ADD's clients get added value from someone who has the experience to understand their needs precisely and provide a tailored service.

Most recently Peter has been involved with the design and development of the Construction Industry Training Board's (CITB) new examination suite and the development of the Institute for the Motor Industry's examinations. He is also involved in writing content for the Chartered Institute for Securities and Investment's examinations in Pensions Administration and Islamic Finance.

On a personal note Peter:

- was elected as a Fellow of the Chartered Institute of Bankers in 2000,
- is a member of the, US based, Institute for Credentialing Excellence (ICE),
- has judged, on a competency based model, the Financial Adviser of the Year Award on behalf of FT Business in the UK and Incoming and Outgoing Call Centre Professional,
- has had many articles published on the subject of competence assessment and the design and development of professional qualifications,
- has presented at many conferences, in the UK and other countries (including South Africa and the USA) on the subject of competence development and assessment and the design and development of professional qualifications,
- was the UK's competence assessment expert on ISO/TC222222 for Financial Planning.
- has been engaged as the lead consultant for the introduction of many examinations for professional bodies.

Reference for Peter Bennett

This reference is to confirm that Peter Bennett supported Cskills Awards-CITB in the design and development of its examinations.

Peter did this by running many workshops over the course of four months. The workshops were three days in length and comprised of an introductory session, lasting a day followed by two days during which some content was developed.

This enabled us to develop a large bank of questions (over 3,500) which we were able to use when we launched the examination suite in August 2013.

On top of these workshops, Peter subsequently undertook similar projects with other divisions of CITB including Nuclear and Health and Safety.

I would have no hesitation in recommending Peter to any organisation that requires help in the field of training for designing and developing assessments and examinations.

Shaun Davison

New Business Developer Cskills Awards-CITB

Reference for Peter Bennett

This reference is to confirm that Peter Bennett supported Nokia in the design and development of objective assessments which are used to measure the competence of both Nokia's employees and those to whom Nokia outsources business.

He did this by running many workshops over the course of five or six years. The workshops took place in many different countries including, Finland, Germany, Italy, Spain, Poland, Denmark, Hungary and Holland in Europe together with Thailand, Philippines, China and Indonesia in Asia and Brail in South America.

I would have no hesitation in recommending Peter to any organisation who requires help in the field of designing and developing assessments and examinations.

Jesper Ørting

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