

All membership applications shall be checked by a Membership Qualifications Committee to ensure that all applicants meet the minimum requirements for the desired grade of membership. This committee will be responsible for determining the equivalence or otherwise of any alternative qualification of an applicant. The committee may, from time to time, make recommendations to the membership on changes to the qualification requirements.

Student Member

- A Student Member is a full-time student under the age of 25 who has an interest in metrology but is not qualified for a higher grade of membership and has been duly elected to this grade by the Society.
- Student Members have the same privileges as other members and may vote on all matters except those relating to the rules, qualification requirements and constitution of the Society.
- The joining fee and the annual subscription are waived for student members.

Associate Member

- An Associate Member is a member who has an interest in metrology but is not qualified for a higher grade of membership and has been duly elected to this grade by the Society.
- Associate Members have the same privileges as other members and may vote on all matters except those relating to the rules, qualification requirements and constitution of the Society.
- The joining fee is \$45.00 and the annual subscription is \$45.00.

Member

- A Member is a member who has been duly elected by the Society to this grade after providing evidence of the following qualifications:
 - o Appropriate experience in metrology and either:
 - o A qualification in engineering or science equivalent to a degree or associate diploma from an Australian University or TAFE, or,
 - o Persons with lesser formal qualification but with more extensive practical experience may be acceptable as a member if the Membership Qualifications Committee deems this as equivalent qualification.
- Members have all privileges of membership and may vote on all matters.
- The joining fee is \$45.00 and the annual subscription is \$45.00.

Fellow

- A Fellow is a member who has been duly elected to this grade and is either:
 - o A person who has been eligible for membership as a Member for at least 5 years and who has held a position of considerable responsibility for metrology activities for not less than 5 years, or
 - o A person who has been eligible for membership as a Member for at least 5 years and who has made significant contributions to the art or science of metrology.
- Fellows have all privileges of membership and may vote on all matters.
- The joining fee is \$45.00 and the annual subscription is \$45.00.

Honorary Fellow

- An Honorary Fellow is a person who is elected to this grade by the membership in recognition of their conspicuous service to metrology or the Metrology Society of Australasia.
- There shall be no more than 25 Honorary Fellows at any one time.
- Honorary Fellows have the same privileges of membership and voting rights as apply to Associate Members.
- There is no joining fee or annual subscription for Honorary Fellows.