

Join CIHT today

We are here to
support you every
step of the way



We are here for you at every stage of your membership – from student through to retiree. Through the support and opportunities we provide, we can help you build the career you want.

CIHT is the home for all people working in highways and transportation infrastructure. CIHT members come from within the private, public and academic sectors. We offer a neutral space to inform, network and discuss transport sector agenda items, with the sector at large, offering 360-degree perspective and insight.

We champion equality, diversity and inclusion. We work with employers to encourage people from all backgrounds to choose a career in our sector.

Society relies on sustainable and integrated environmentally friendly transport and infrastructure systems. Our members play a vital part in meeting that need.

CIHT works with our members to improve the standard of practice across the fields of highways, transportation and infrastructure. We are the lead voice of the highways and transportation profession in the UK and globally. We educate and support you throughout your career, and in turn, input from our members drives the CIHT forward. We are here for you, providing support and development opportunities throughout every stage of your career. CIHT:

- Offers local advocates and support in the form of your local officers
- Delivers learning resources
- Provides best practice guidance and case studies
- Offers awards to help you to further your career
- Provides a structured approach to plan and record your continuing professional development (CPD) online
- Organises conferences and webinars to share best practice and the results of research
- Proactively approaches the national and regional governments on highways and transportation issues
- Provides you with an opportunity to gain professional qualifications in Highways and Transportation

“Transport touches people’s everyday lives which is why it is such a rewarding industry to work in.”

- Dana Skelley

Events

CIHT runs a series of high-profile events that provide CPD and an opportunity to celebrate good practice across the highways and transportation industry. Events take place across the UK and internationally and provide high-quality, professionally delivered lectures along with the opportunity to network with peers. Certificates of attendance are also provided for appraisal.



A lifetime of learning with CIHT

Continuing professional development (CPD)

Continuing professional development (CPD) is the process of planning, undertaking and recording learning activities which develop the skills and knowledge you need as a professional working in highways and transportation.

For more information and short helpful guides, visit www.ciht.org.uk/CPD

Webinars

CIHT runs an annual programme of CPD-accredited webinars focusing on a key member-facing topic area. Content will feature insight, thought-leadership and best-practice case studies that inspire and enthuse while bringing the topic area to life. Delivered by a subject expert, our webinars provide you with an opportunity to understand the topic area better and discuss issues with like-minded professionals focusing on the same challenges.

CIHT Learn

CIHT Learn is launching in Spring 2022. As a member, you will be able to take full advantage of instant access to eLearning activities and resources right at your fingertips, connecting you with opportunities to earn CPD credits across the globe. With features such as a personalised homepage reflecting your interests, CPD recording facilities for those who are eligible and a CPD tracker on your homepage displays where you are in your CPD cycle.

Awards and prizes

The CIHT Awards is an annual global competition that offers an opportunity to showcase your work and give it the international recognition it deserves. Visit www.ciht.org.uk/ciht-awards to find out about the support and spotlights we can give you.

Young Professionals' Conference

Usually taking place in November each year, the Young Professionals' Conference is a fantastic opportunity to learn more about the CIHT, network with peers and understand what challenges lie ahead. Check the CIHT website for the next event.

Join a global network of transport professionals

Peer networking

Providing opportunities and facilities for professional networking and discussions both in the UK and internationally is an important part of our work. Through the regions and CIHT Connect, you can make connections you will value for a lifetime

Get involved and shape the CIHT

Your relationship with the CIHT can be lifelong and we welcome your involvement in the shaping and running of the CIHT. Becoming an active member of the CIHT is your opportunity to shape our work, help widen the reach of your sector, give your profession a voice and even help you further your career.

Inspire the next generation

The STEM Ambassadors Programme is a network of volunteers, all with a passion for Science, Technology, Engineering and/or Maths (the STEM subjects). STEM Ambassadors inspire young people to continue studying STEM subjects and help them to explore the applications of their studies in the wider world. They broaden career horizons, raise aspirations, and build understanding of the role that these subjects play in everyone's lives. CIHT are very proud to be associated with our volunteer STEM

Ambassador members, who offer their time and enthusiasm to prove the value of the Highways & Transportation sector, by using real life scenarios that bring subjects to life for children.

STEM Ambassadors come from a wide range of STEM-related jobs and disciplines across the UK. They use their own personal and professional experiences to help bring a new and inspiring perspective to STEM lessons and career opportunities.

To become a CIHT STEM Ambassador and inspire the next generation, please register online and your local STEM contact will then email you about the next steps.

Be the change you want to see

Would you like to help guide the future direction of our work? Our board and committee positions are an ideal opportunity to support the CIHT, make decisions and ensure members' voices are represented. To see what vacancies we have coming up, visit www.ciht.org.uk/get-involved

Why volunteer?

Our members explain what volunteering has meant for them and discuss the value of standing up and being counted. Read their stories at www.ciht.org.uk/journeys

Make your voice heard

We consult with members for their expert opinion when preparing responses to external policy matters that concern our sector. If you would like to share your views on any current consultations, please email technical@ciht.org.uk



Developing your skills

We want our members to feel prepared for all aspects of work, including management, leadership and supervision. Developing skills such as judgement and decision making; critical thinking; time management; being able to form and maintain good working relationships, to inspire and motivate others, to engage productively with stakeholders, to resolve disputes, to negotiate effectively, and particularly to communicate effectively are key.

Build your portfolio

Boost your CV while adding to our knowledge base by submitting a case to The Work, a curated resource of over 90 case studies representing best practice, so that others can learn from your experience.

Make a difference to your career

Are you ready to take the next step in your career? Do you have academic qualifications or experience in industry but you are not sure what your next steps should be to gain professional recognition? Professional qualifications are a measure of skill and professionalism in the industry and recognise an individual's knowledge and practical experience. CIHT offers access to the full range of engineering qualifications (EngTech, IEng and CEng) as well as the Chartered Transport Planning Professional (CTPP) qualification awarded by CIHT and the Transport Planning Society (TPS).

Getting your professional qualification through CIHT means you receive tailored and relevant support and guidance. Your reviewers are experienced in the sector and understand the issues you face as a highways and transportation professional.

Engineering

- Chartered Engineer (CEng)
- Incorporated Engineer (IEng)
- Engineering Technician (EngTech)

If you are interested in EngTech, IEng or CEng registration, the first step of the application process is to complete an online initial assessment so that we can officially confirm your route for your chosen qualification. It is free of charge and should take no longer than five minutes to complete. We simply require you to upload a copy of your CV and copies of any relevant academic qualifications which you hold. We aim to respond to all initial assessments within five working days.

Transport planning

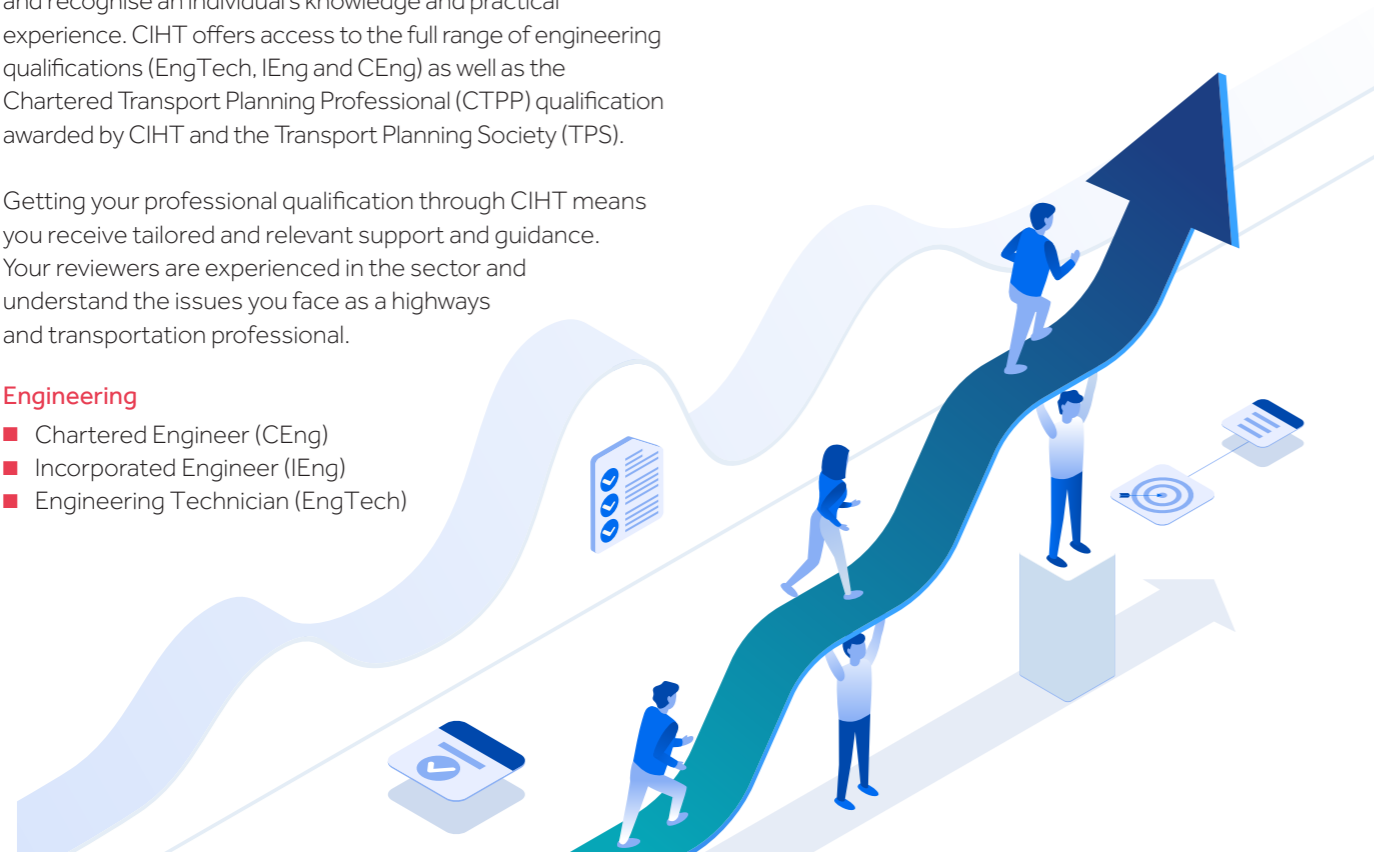
- Chartered Transport Planning Professional

Depending on your qualifications and experience, there are four different routes to achieve CTPP. You need to be a member of CIHT, TPS, or another suitable professional body (contact us to find out more) to make an application. Once you have successfully completed the Transport Planning Professional (TPP) assessment, you can apply for Chartered TPP status with CIHT.

Road safety auditing

- Society of Road Safety Auditors (SoRSA) Certificate of Competency

The SoRSA Certificate of Competence (CoC) is an internationally recognised assessment that validates your expertise in road safety engineering, collision investigation and/or road safety auditing.



Supporting you through the process

As you look ahead to taking your qualifications, we know how challenging the prospect can be. We want you to know that we are here to support you every step of the way. Most of us relish a challenge and this significant step can be one of the most fulfilling achievements in your career. There are, however, activities and services provided by the CIHT that could ease the process and allow you to reach your full potential more quickly such as support from your region, mentoring, webinars on preparing for the review and guidance.

Get your management skills recognised by becoming a Chartered Manager (CMgr)

If you are already CEng, IEng or CTPP registered and a CIHT member, you may want to consider applying for Chartered Manager (CMgr) status. CMgr is a globally recognised management qualification. CIHT has partnered with the Chartered Management Institute (CMI) to offer our qualified members a route to become a Chartered Manager (CMgr).

- Subscription to our exclusive member-only publication, *Transportation Professional* (which is available in print and digital format) and its archive
- Email updates
- Access to our library of CPD lectures and webinars, recorded at live events
- Access to a fast-growing community of like-minded professionals through our discussion portal - CIHT Connect:
- An exclusive portfolio containing money-saving discounts and offers

For more membership information visit

www.ciht.org.uk/get-the-most-out-of-your-membership/

Making the most of your membership

CIHT membership provides a host of exclusive benefits to help you invest in your career and keep up with the latest developments in your field. We encourage all our members to make the most of the benefits we offer, which include:

Did you know?

You can claim tax relief (UK)

If you are a UK tax payer, you can reduce the cost of your subscription fees through tax relief – contact HM Revenue and Customs on 0845 3000 627 or visit www.hmrc.gov.uk to find out more.

Join CIHT today

Joining CIHT is a straightforward online process that does not require an interview. If you are working or studying in the highways and transportation sector, there is a grade of CIHT membership that will suit you:

Apprentice – those on apprenticeship scheme

Student – studying full or part-time

Graduate (GradCIHT) – just started or seeking employment following graduation

Associate (AMCIHT) – early career or working in non-technical role

Member (MCIHT) – three-plus years of professional experience

Fellow (FCIHT) – senior and influential role

Visit www.ciht.org.uk/get-the-most-out-of-your-membership/ for more details.

We need your details, your CV and the name of a proposer/seconded.

Or contact us at: membership@ciht.org.uk



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