

**ARKANSAS BOARD OF LICENSURE FOR PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS
AND PROFESSIONAL SURVEYORS**

COMITY INFORMATION FOR PROFESSIONAL SURVEYORS

Pursuant to A.C.A. § 17-48-203(b)(1) and Article 8.E.2.a.i.(a)(4) of the Board's Rules, an applicant for comity licensure must have met this State's requirements for original licensure in effect at the time the applicant was originally licensed. Following is a summary of the requirements from prior rules.

<u>If you were originally licensed</u>	<u>Arkansas Requirements</u>
1967-1975	6 years-experience which can include: 1) teaching surveying in an approved curriculum in a school, technical institute or college (max. 5 years); 2) employment using knowledge and skills acquired in surveying; 3) completing Land Surveying course from Int. Corr. School of Scranton, PA (max. 4 years); or 4) one year for each year in a technical program such as Civil or Surveying Technology (max. 4 years), and pass an examination.
1976-1979	(a) Graduate from approved engineering curriculum with sufficient surveying courses, 2 years-experience and 16 hours examinations; or (b) Graduate from surveying technology curriculum, 2 years-experience and 16 hours examination; or (c) 6 years-experience in land surveying which can include: 1) one year for each year in an approved engineering or engineering technology curriculum majoring in surveying (max. 2 years); or 2) completing Land Surveying course from Int. Corr. School of Scranton, PA (max. 4 years); and 16 hours examination;
1980-1986	(a) Graduate from approved engineering curriculum with sufficient surveying courses, 2 years-experience, and 8-hour examination in the fundamentals of surveying and 8-hour examination in the principles and practice of surveying; or (b) Graduate from surveying technology curriculum, 2 years-experience, and 8-hour examination in the fundamentals of surveying and 8-hour examination in the principles and practice of surveying; or (c) 6 years-experience in land surveying which can include: 1) 1 year for each year in an approved engineering or engineering technology curriculum majoring in surveying (max. 2 years); or 2) completing Land Surveying course from Int. Corr. School of Scranton, PA (max. 4 years); and 8-hour examination in the fundamentals of surveying and 8-hour examination in the principles and practice of surveying;
1986-2016	(a) Graduate from BS curriculum with 9 hours surveying, 3 of which are in legal aspects of surveying, 2 years-experience, and 8-hour examination in the fundamentals of surveying and 8-hour examination in the principles and practice of surveying; or (b) Graduate from surveying technology curriculum, 2 years-experience, and 8-hour examination in the fundamentals of surveying and 8-hour examination in the principles and practice of surveying; or (c) 6 years-experience in land surveying which can include 1 year for each year in an approved engineering or land surveying curriculum (maximum of 2 years) and 8-hour examination in the fundamentals of surveying and 8-hour examination in the principles and practice of surveying.
2017-Present	(a) BS Degree in Surveying, Geomatics, Geomatics Engineering, or Spatial Information Systems with a minor or emphasis in Surveying, from a program accredited by ABET or approved by the Board, 3 years-experience, NCEES Fundamentals of Surveying Exam, NCEES Principles of Practice of Surveying Exam and AR State Exam. (b) AS or AAS in Surveying or Surveying Technology from a program approved by the Board, 6 years-experience, NCEES Fundamentals of Surveying Exam, NCEES Principles of Practice of Surveying Exam and AR State Exam. (c) BS curriculum of four (4) years and at least thirty (30) hours of surveying or surveying-related courses, 3 years-experience, NCEES Fundamentals of Surveying Exam, NCEES Principles of Practice of Surveying Exam and AR State Exam.