

Europass certificate supplement



1. Title of the certificate (NL)

Ervaringsbewijs: assistent podiumtechnicus (m/v)

In the original language

2. Translated title of the certificate

Certificate of professional competence: assistant-performing arts technician (m/f) (EN)

Titre de compétence professionnelle: assistant régisseur de spectacle (h/f) (FR)

This translation has no legal status.

3. Profile of skills and competences

The occupational standard was developed and approved by the sectoral social partners.

The holder of the certificate of professional competence can:

install technical stage equipment:

- work according to the instructions of the stage manager or performing arts technician
- > fit up technical equipment in a logical order
- > connect technical equipment ensuring it functions, the cables are not twisted and the connections can be traced
- > fit up spotlights, cloths, props and sound equipment on the fly bars, ensuring the maximum distributed load and point load is not exceeded
- > secure all items on the fly bar with a safety cable that is strong enough to secure the weight, minimises the fall height and doesn't obstruct the moving parts
- place a ballet floor ensuring it is flat, well stretched, and the strips join perfectly

setup technical stage equipment:

- place shutters, gobos and gels, ensuring they can't fall from the unit
- > place counterweights to ensure the fly system always is in balance
- > put height marks (dead marks) on hauling line in order to prepare changeovers after positioning by the stage manager or performing arts technician
- > focus lanterns on instruction of the stage manager or performing arts technician

operate technical stage equipment:

- > perform changeovers in view ensuring the set pieces are at the exact spot with a limited amount of action
- operate the fly bars with an agreed speed to the corresponding dead marks
- operate the follow spot on stage managers cue

detect and solve electrical problems:

- > measure voltage with a meter
- detect simple errors in electrical systems by excluding the possible causes
- > isolate the power before working on an electric installation
- > replace lamps of lanterns according to the instructions
- replace plugs, ensuring the cable sheath is clamped in the plug and the cable can not be pulled loose
- always inform the responsible person in case of electrical problems.

Explanatory note

This document is designed to provide additional information about the specified certificate and does not have any legal status in itself. The format of the description is based on the following texts: Council Resolution 93/C 49/01 of 3 December 1992 on the transparency of qualifications, Council Resolution 96/C 224/04 of 15 July 1996 on the transparency of vocational training certificates, and Recommendation 2001/613/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 10 July 2001 on mobility within the Community for students, persons undergoing training, volunteers, teachers and trainers.

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cooperate:

- > exchange functional information with colleagues about the distribution, implementation and progress of the work
- follow the instructions of colleagues on tasks that have to be performed in collaboration
- honour agreements

work safely

- > use mobile towers, scaffolds and ladders so they can not move or fall
- inform colleagues on stage before lowering fly bars or if a piece of scenery is unstable
- > fix cables so no one can trip over them
- use tools only for work for which they are intended
- > put materials and equipment back in the correct place after work
- use safety shoes and gloves
- apply lifting techniques

4. Range of sectors and occupations relevant to the holder of the certificate

The holder of the certificate of professional competence can work as an assistant-performing arts technician, in the live performance industry and social profit (theatres, cultural centres, operas, theatre, dance and music companies), production of live performance and rental of stage equipment.

5. Official basis of the certificate		
Name and status of the body awarding the certificate Test centre recognized by the Flemish government	Name and legal status of the national/regional authority providing accreditation/recognition of the certificate Flemish Ministry of Employment and Social Economy Koning Albert II laan 35 box 21	
Level of the certificate (national or international)	B-1030 Brussels Grading scale / Pass requirements	
Flemish level RAC (Recognition of Acquired Competences)	All competences as described in point 3 must be proved.	

International and European agreements

Legal basis

- Flemish Government Order of 23 September 2005 implementing the Decree of 30 April 2004 on obtaining a certificate of occupational competence
- Ministerial Order of 21 January 2008 determining the standard for the title of assistant-performing arts technician (= certificate of professional competence)

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6. Officially recognized ways of acquiring the certificate

Description of followed pathways	Percentage of total programme (%)	Duration (hours/weeks/months/years)
Recognition of acquired competences	100 %	Max. 7 hours
Total duration of the assessment leading to the certificate		Max. 7 hours

Additional information

The assessment was developed according to the assistant-performing arts technician standard, as established and approved by employee and employer representatives from the sectors of performing arts and social profit. The assessment consists of an optional portfolio evaluation and the actual assessment by 2 evaluators according to the assistant-performing arts technician standard.

More information is available at:

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