The Certification Programme Committee (CPC) plays a central role in the SETAC Europe Certification of Environmental Risk Assessors (CRA) programme.

What Do We Do?

The Certification Programme Committee is central to the CRA programme and dedicated to manage and further optimise it.

We are responsible for:
- Evaluating candidates wishing to start the training
- Developing and submitting multiple-choice exams to candidates proofing the basic knowledge
- Checking the eligibility of candidates for direct certification
- Reviewing the environmental risk assessment report and staffing a suitable Examination Panel for every candidate
- Evaluating and controlling the quality of courses for inclusion in the CRA list of approved courses
- Developing a system for the re-certification of certified risk assessors
- Supervising the CRA programme
- Contributing to the development of a Global SETAC certification programme
- Promoting the CRA programme and advocating for the certification of risk assessors working for government, industry or consultancy.

Who We Are?

We are SETAC members, environmental scientists and environmental risk assessors from all sectors within SETAC, believing in the importance of an internationally recognised standard for Environmental Risk Assessors. Coming from academia, business and government, we share our different perspectives, expertise and opinions.

How We Do It?

We work closely with other committees like the CRA Advisory Board and the SETAC Europe Education Committee.

We meet 6-8 times a year via telephone conference and once a year face-to-face during the SETAC Europe Annual Meeting, while urgent matters are discussed via email.

Come and Join Us!

We have vacancies - find out more on the SETAC website and join us! To apply, please send a covering letter explaining your motivation to join the CPC and a CV to Kees van Gestel, Certification Programme Committee Chair: kees.van.gestel@vu.nl.

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