

RECOGNITION for YOUR QUALIFICATIONS:

It is generally true that the UK authorities would like you to be able to use your qualifications here to find suitable work. It would be a waste of your talents, and your potential contribution to the UK, if you trained to be a rocket scientist but you're forced to stack shelves in a supermarket.

You may find that people in this country do not understand qualifications you gained in your own country. You can contact the National Academic Recognition Information Centre (NARIC), who will compare your qualifications to British ones, and can tell you what they are equivalent to. You will need to send evidence of your qualifications with a translation in English. Responses to general enquiries and advisory service are free. However, if you would like an individual assessment of your qualification (which results in a letter of comparability), there is a small charge. Contact NARIC by calling 0870 990 4088 or visit their website at www.naric.org.uk