



Brownfield expert?

Are you ready to take the next step?

The SiLC registration scheme

A SiLC is a registered specialist in land condition: a senior professional with broad awareness, knowledge and understanding of land condition issues who can give impartial and professional advice in the complex area of contaminated land management and brownfield regeneration.



The benefits of registration

SiLC is the only professional registration scheme of its type for experienced individuals working in land condition assessment and regeneration of brownfield land. Registration demonstrates commitment, expertise and professionalism in your chosen discipline.

The value of SiLC status is increasingly being recognised by government, commercial organisations and regeneration agencies.

Who administers the scheme?

The SiLC Professional and Technical Panel (PTP) is the ruling committee on all registrations. The organisations that make up the PTP are the

- Association of Geotechnical and Geoenvironmental Specialists
- Chartered Institute of Environmental Health
- Chartered Institution of Water and Environmental Management
- Geological Society
- Institute of Environmental Management and Assessment
- Institution of Civil Engineers
- Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors
- Royal Society of Chemistry
- The Royal Environmental Health Institute of Scotland.

CIRIA is the secretariat for the registration scheme on behalf of the SiLC PTP.

How can I become a SiLC?

Candidates for registration must have

- a degree or equivalent qualification
- relevant experience in land condition matters including the assessment of brownfield land
- chartered status or membership of relevant UK professional bodies at a specified level (relevant professional bodies are those dealing with land assessment, remediation, inspection and sale processes).

Every year, we run two introductory days to help candidates understand the SiLC requirements and the assessment process, and to explain what our assessors look for in a prospective SiLC.

If you would like further information on the scheme or on how to register for SiLC status, please contact:

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