CPS BENEFITS

Improved career and business prospects Use of the Proof of authorized commitment to ongoing certification logo on business professional development documents Listing in the **Opportunities** to participate public online register of in *APO **PCBP** international assignments

Networking with other certified persons in the productivity specialist community

CERTIFICATION FLOW Applicant comply with all prerequisites of CPS requirements 02 **Submit Application** 03 **Desktop Assessment** Sit for CPS Written **Examination** 05 Face-to-face Interview 06 **Approval of Certification** 07 Issue Certificate and **Update Register (Online)** To download application form and for more information, please visit the NPO website or contact: PRODUCTIVITY CERTIFICATION BODY OF PAKISTAN, PCBP SECRETARIAT **National Productivity Organization** 11th Floor, STP Building, F-6/1, Islamabad : 051-9244254-55 Tel : 051-9244088 E-mail: pcbp@npo.gov.pk Website: www.npo.gov.pk



PRODUCTIVITY SPECIALIST CERTIFICATION PROGRAM

"Certified persons are recognized by 21 APO member countries as leading global productivity professionals"

WHAT IS PRODUCTIVITY SPECIALIST CERTIFICATION PROGRAM?

A program to certify a highly skilled individual whose work concentrates primarily on applications of productivity solutions and productivity-related activities such as Consultancy, Training, Promotion & Research.



*Asian Productivity Organization

THE PREREQUISITES

PRODUCTIVITY SPECIALISTS

University degree or diploma with at least 5 years of work experience, or high school certificate with ° 10 years of work experience or equivalent.

- 1) 2 years of work experience with implementation of a minimum of 2 productivity improvement projects
- 2) Minimum of 200 *work hours on consultancy. training, promotion, and/or research in the last 12months

SENIOR PRODUCTIVITY **SPECIALISTS**



University degree or diploma with at least 8 years of work experience or equivalent or high school certificate with 16 years or work experience or equivalent.

- 1) 8 years of work experience with implementation of at least 8 productivity improvement projects
- 2) Minimum of 2000 *work hours on consultancy. training, promotion, and/or research in the past few years, with at least 200 hours in the last 12 months



MASTER PRODUCTIVITY **SPECIALISTS**



APO certified senior productivity specialists or equivalent recognized productivity-related professional certification.



- 1) Active, continuous practice as a productivity specialist at the time application
- 2) A minimum of 14 years of work experience as a productivity specialist.
- 3) Minimum of 4000 *work hours on consultancy. training, promotion and/or research in the past few years, with at least 1000 hours performed in assignment leadership roles.

*comprising advisory work, data collection, analysis, making recommendations, report writing, training design, and training on productivity solutions



- 3) Submit at least 2 positive testimonials from clients on productivity projects undertaken in the last 24 months
 - 4) Prerequisite productivity knowledge and understanding:
 - Completed comprehensive productivity training program (APO, NPO, international, etc.) covering at least 8 productivity solutions.
 - Aggregation of short training programs covering at least 8 productivity solutions as outlined in Table 4 (refer to PS-101 available on www.npo.gov.pk).
 - Training programs attended may be either face-toface or e-learning in nature, within the 3-year period immediately prior to the application date.
 - Evidence of practice illustrating knowledge and understanding of productivity solutions is acceptable.



- Passed the written examination conducted by the **PCBP**
- 6) Have a knowledge of and work experience in data collection and productivity diagnosis techniques.
- 7) Have a knowledge and understanding of at least 8 productivity solutions
- 8) Have a Knowledge and applications of at least 1 basic or focused productivity improvement solution



- 3) Submit at least 3 positive testimonials from clients on productivity projects undertaken in the last 24 months
- 4) Prerequisite productivity knowledge and understanding:
- Completed comprehensive productivity training program (APO, NPO, international, etc.) covering at least 15 productivity solutions.
- Aggregation of short training programs covering at least 15 productivity solutions as outlined in Table 4 (refer to PS-101 available on www.npo.gov.pk).
- Training programs attended may be either face-toface or e-learning in nature, within the 3-year period immediately prior to the application date.
- Evidence of practice illustrating knowledge and understanding of productivity solutions is acceptable.



- 5) Passed the written examination conducted by the
- 6) Have a Knowledge of and work experience indata collection and productivity diagnosis techniques.
- 7) Have a knowledge and understanding of at least 15 productivity solutions
- 8) Have a Knowledge and applications of at least 3 basic or focused productivity improvement solution



4) Submit at least 5 positive testimonials from clients on productivity projects undertaken in the last 24 months



At least 5 international assignments (consultancy, training, promotion, and/or research) outside the country of residence or executing assignments in-country assigned by an international organization.

ROLES

Certified productivity specialists are expected to be able to:

- Identify, apply and explain productivity improvement solutions and related methodologies to improve productivity;
- Adopt a structured productivity framework to diagnose productivity problems as well as develop and implement solutions
- Provide promotion, training, research, and consultancy services to NPOs (National Productivity Organizations), client enterprises, and other organization