

## Blair Lomax

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**From:** David Burdette <David.Burdette@insol.org>  
**Sent:** 08 July 2021 00:58  
**To:** Blair Lomax  
**Subject:** Re: INSOL International Foundation Certificate ("the Certificate")

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Dear Blair,

Many thanks for sending these documents through. I would be happy to allow you to enrol on the Foundation Certificate. Please upload your CPI certificate as your qualification when you complete the online registration form.

I look forward to receiving your application in due course.

Best wishes,  
David

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**From:** Blair Lomax <Blair.Lomax@uk.gt.com>  
**Date:** Wednesday, 7 July 2021 at 20:34  
**To:** David Burdette <David.Burdette@insol.org>  
**Subject:** RE: INSOL International Foundation Certificate ("the Certificate")

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Hi David

No worries – I appreciate we're in different time zones.

My CV is a few months out of date but I attach it nonetheless. I've also attached a copy of my job spec and CPI certificate for your information.

Please let me know if you need anything further.

Kind regards

Blair

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Hi Blair,

Apologies for the delayed response. Pleased we could get the nationality thing out the way.

Could you please send me your CV so that I can look at your experience? The reason for the entry requirement of a degree is because we do not wish to set people up to fail. So if I do allow you to enrol, it will be on the understanding that you do the course at your own risk.

Many thanks and best wishes,  
David

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**From:** Blair Lomax <[Blair.Lomax@uk.gt.com](mailto:Blair.Lomax@uk.gt.com)>  
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**Subject:** RE: INSOL International Foundation Certificate ("the Certificate")

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Dear David

Many thanks for your response.

Apologies for the oversight – I confirm that I am a British National.

One last query – I do not possess a bachelor's degree (per the course requirements) but have circa nine years' relevant work experience. Can you please confirm that, should I formally apply to undertake the Certificate, that my relevant work experience will suffice?

I look forward to hearing from you.

Many thanks

Blair

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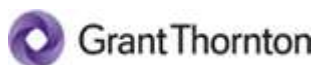
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Dear Blair,

Many thanks for your e-mail and the interest you have shown in the Foundation Certificate.

In your e-mail you do not state what your nationality is. From what you have written it would seem you are not a BVI national, in which case there would be no bar to you registering for the BVI module. If you are a BVI national you will be unable to take the BVI module for the purposes of obtaining the certificate, but you would be able to take it as an additional module. Unfortunately no exceptions will be made to the rule as you are deemed to know the law of the country of which you are a national.

If you could please let me know your nationality I will be able to assist you further.

Best wishes,  
David

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**From:** Blair Lomax <[Blair.Lomax@uk.gt.com](mailto:Blair.Lomax@uk.gt.com)>

**Date:** Friday, 2 July 2021 at 20:40

**To:** David Burdette <[David.Burdette@insol.org](mailto:David.Burdette@insol.org)>

**Subject:** INSOL International Foundation Certificate ("the Certificate")

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Good evening David

By way of an introduction, my name is Blair Lomax, and I am interested in enrolling in the above.

I have worked in the UK insolvency market for the best part of nine years but have recently moved to the BVI to pursue an offshore role.

I have been working in the BVI for less than three weeks and looked into the Certificate as a means to increase my knowledge of insolvency within the jurisdiction, but note candidates may not select their home jurisdiction as one of the elective modules – I wondered if any allowance could be made in this regard, given my position?

I look forward to hearing from you.

Many thanks and kind regards

Blair

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