

OVERSEAS APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION WITH THE FARRIERS REGISTRATION COUNCIL



1. Identity of applicant:

Photo ID in the form of a copy of the photo ID page from your passport, driving licence or identity card must be attached to this application

1.1 Title:		First Name(s):		Surname(s)	
1.2 Passport number or Identity Card number:					
1.3 Country of issue:					
1.4 Gender:					
1.5 Date of Birth:	____ / ____ / _____				
1.6 Place of Birth:	Country: _____				
1.7 Contact address details in home Country / normal Country of residence:					
Telephone (with dialling codes):				Email:	
1.8 Contact address details in Great Britain:					
Telephone (with dialling codes):				Email:	
Mobile:				Other:	

2. Reason for Application:

2.1 Reason(s) for seeking registration with the FRC? (e.g. to achieve qualification; to establish yourself as a farrier in GB; employment etc)	
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3. Qualification:

Qualification Title:	
Issuing Authority / Body:	
Date qualification achieved:	____ / ____ / _____
Country qualification achieved:	
Duration of qualification i.e. number of years/months undertaken to complete the qualification	

Full time or part time qualification	
Workplace or college-based	
Language qualification completed in:	
<p>If qualification was not completed in English, evidence to be submitted by applicant that they hold either a minimum of GCSE Grade C in English (or equivalent); an International English Language Testing Certificate (IELTS) at Level 6 or higher (Academic Test); or by demonstrating completion of a nationally recognised Diploma level course and/or examination (or higher level of study) undertaken in English.</p>	

4. Experience in Farriery:

Only persons who can show they have regularly and gainfully engaged in farriery for at least two years prior to the date of their application can make an overseas application. This must be in the form of a letter from an accountant and a veterinary surgeon if self employed or from an employer and from a veterinary surgeon if employed.

4.1 I therefore base this application on my farriery experience gained in _____
 (Country) for the period _____ to _____.

4.2 Details of Apprenticeship served (if any):	From:		To:	
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Name:

Address:

Telephone (with dialling codes):		Email:	
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4.3 Details of any additional Formal Training (if any):	From:		To:	
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Name of Training Provider:

Address:

Telephone (with dialling codes):		Email:	
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4.4 Details of farriery employment history, including dates, employed or self-employed status, full or part time:
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4.5 Details of any Continued Professional Development (CPD) undertaken:
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4.6 Horses shod per week:					
4.7 Tools for shoeing that you will be bringing with you:					
4.8 Is Farriery your only business?		Yes		No	
4.9 If no, what percentage of your time is spent on farriery?					
4.10 What is the rest of your business?					
4.11 What type of horses do you work on?					
4.12 Do you specialise in any type of shoeing?		Yes		No	
If yes, please detail....					
4.13 What percentage of shoes you fit are handmade?					

5. Annual Return

Police Cautions & Convictions

Please select and complete either Option A or Option B:

Option A: I have no police cautions or convictions to declare.

Option B: I have the following police cautions or convictions to declare.

State whether caution or conviction, and nature of the offence	Date of caution or conviction (DD/MM/YY)	Name and location of police authority or court	Penalty or conviction handed down

Please continue on, and attach, additional pages if required.

Insurance:

Professional Indemnity Insurance

I confirm that I have professional indemnity insurance cover in respect of me practising farriery within GB.

I am aware that under Section 5 of the Farriers (Registration) Act 1975, as amended, it is a criminal offence for a person to wilfully procure or attempt to procure the entry of their name in the Register by making or producing or causing to be made or produced any false or fraudulent representation or documentation, either orally or in writing.

I accept that should I be required to visit GB to complete any training as part of my application, it is my responsibility to obtain an appropriate visa, if applicable and that the Council accepts no liability for persons who choose to travel without the correct visa for the duration and nature of their visit.

I confirm I have read and understood the 'Guide to Applications for Registration by Overseas Farriers', including the section 'How your Information will be used'.

I hereby apply for Registration in Part 1 of the Register of Farriers on the grounds set out in Section 7(1) of the Farriers (Registration) Act 1975, as amended. I DECLARE that the information given on this form is true.

SIGNED:		DATED:	
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Checklist - Supporting Documents Attached to this Application:

- Yes Proof of Nationality
- Yes Copy of Farriery Qualification Certificate – certified copies are preferred to original documents
- Yes Copy of Farriery Qualification Syllabus – for the correct year / date of completion
- Yes Proof of two years professional experience - at least two (2) statements supporting that the applicant has been regularly and gainfully engaged in shoeing horses for at least two (2) years. The references which must be written in English, should be signed, dated and on headed notepaper
- Yes Evidence of English Language competency (if applicable) - This should be either be a GCSE in English at Grade C or above (or equivalent); an International English Language Testing System (IELTS) certificate at Level 6 or higher (Academic Test); or evidence of completion of a nationally recognised Diploma level course and/or examination (or higher level of study) undertaken in English
- Yes Initial Application Processing Fee

The completed application form, with relevant application fee and supporting documents should be returned to:

**The Farriers Registration Council
14 Swan Court
Forder Way
Cygnet Park
Hampton
Peterborough
PE7 8GX**