

THE GOLF CLUB MANAGERS' ASSOCIATION



A FLEXIBLE, INCLUSIVE AND
REWARDING ACCREDITATION
PATHWAY, DESIGNED TO CAPTURE
YOU AND YOUR VALUE
TO THE INDUSTRY.

YOUR Skills

YOUR Achievements

YOUR Development

YOUR Accreditation

ACCESSIBLE

- GCMA ACCREDITATION is open to any full member of the GCMA who is in an active role within Golf Club Management.

INCLUSIVE

- GCMA ACCREDITATION is designed to value and recognise the wide range of backgrounds, skills, knowledge, experience, learning and qualifications that contribute towards being a successful Golf Club Manager.

FLEXIBLE

- GCMA ACCREDITATION is not limited to any one set programme or series of qualifications. Recognition is given to a balance of experience, skills and knowledge, qualifications and C.P.D.

ASPIRATIONAL

- GCMA ACCREDITATION provides a clear and achievable pathway for developing your skills, knowledge and career opportunities.

CREDIBLE

- GCMA ACCREDITATION is based on existing best practice and comparable industry standards in CPD, career pathway and Accreditation frameworks.

WHY SHOULD I BECOME GCMA ACCREDITED?

- When applying for a job, it will differentiate you from other candidates
- It demonstrates that you keep your knowledge and skills up to date through continuous learning and development
- It demonstrates eagerness to learn which indicates future potential
- It will help to boost career progression and salary prospects
- It provides recognition of your skills, knowledge and achievements by your peers and the golf industry
- To capture the value that a professional, experienced, and knowledgeable Golf Club Manager brings to their Golf Club and to the industry as a whole

HOW IT WORKS

GCMA ACCREDITATION recognises your experience, skills, knowledge and achievements as well as your learning and qualifications and ongoing commitment to your own personal and professional development.

Your application will need to include:

- Career history and summary of roles within the golf industry
- An up to date record of learning, development and qualifications
- Evidence of ongoing commitment to professional and personal development
- A summary of your knowledge, responsibilities and achievements in golf club management

ACCREDITATION LEVELS



Recognised as a highly experienced and accomplished Golf Club Manager demonstrating continued success at medium or larger sized clubs, normally with a minimum of 10 years experience within the industry.

*only available to Full Members of the GCMA



A highly proficient and knowledgeable Golf Club Manager, at a medium to larger sized club, normally with a minimum of 5 years experience within the industry.

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Suitable for anyone employed in a position of Golf Club Management at a small to medium sized club, able to demonstrate the effective management of a Golf Club and normally with a minimum of 3 years experience within the industry.

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Suitable for anyone employed in a Management position within a Golf Club (Department Head, Deputy Manager or a new Golf Club Manager) with aspirations for career progression and professional development.

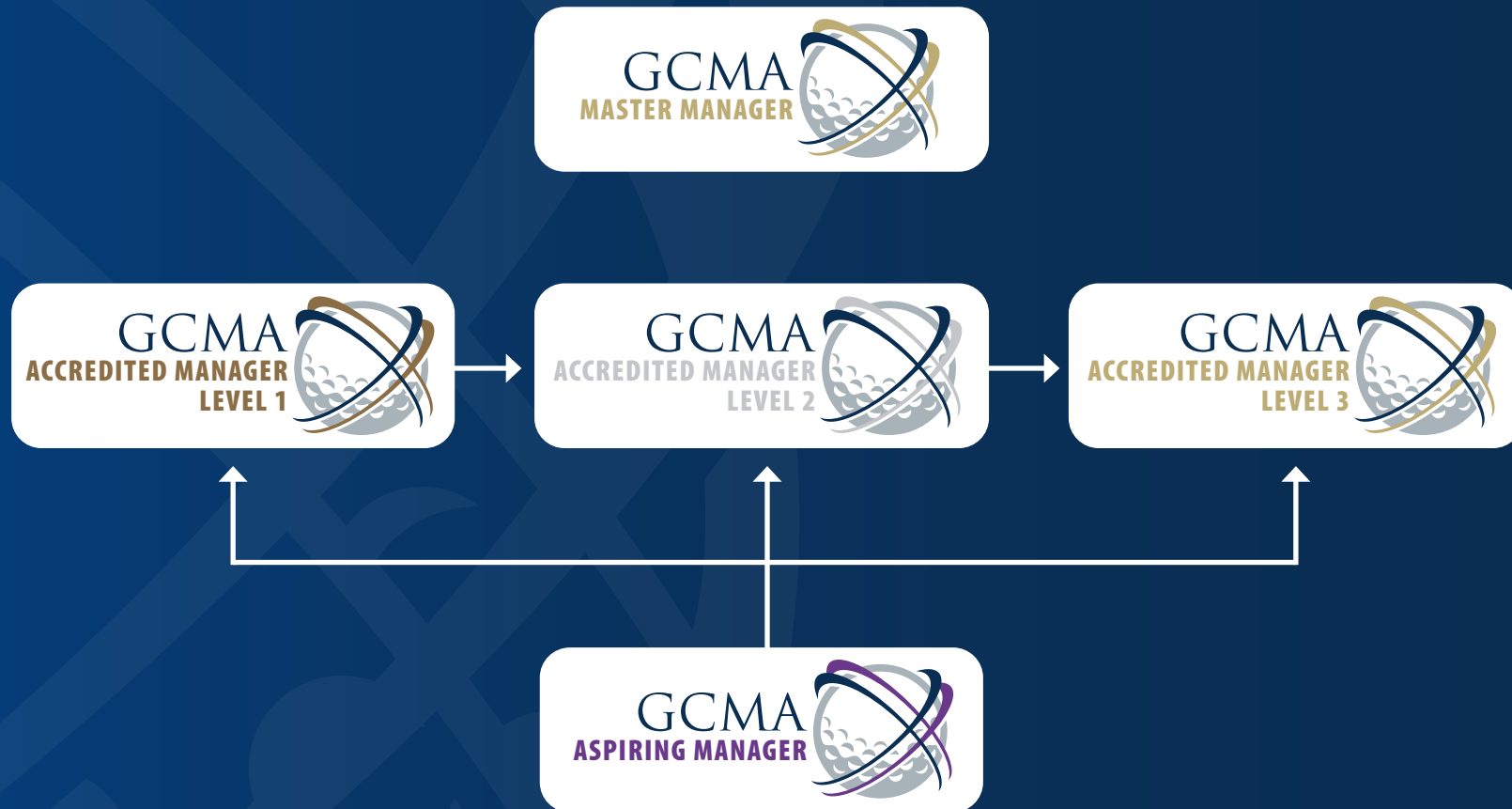
*available to all Affiliate and Full Members of the GCMA

ACCREDITATION LEVELS



GCMA MASTER MANAGER status will be open for applications from 2025. Available to GCMA Accredited Managers able to demonstrate outstanding leadership and contribution to the golf industry and within the Association.

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YOUR
Experience



YOUR
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