## **HEA Fellowships**

HEA Fellowship is an international recognition of a commitment to professionalism in teaching and learning in higher education and demonstrates that your practice is aligned with the UK Professional Standards Framework (UKPSF). HEA Fellowship brings a range of benefits to develop and progress your career. It provides a valuable measure of success and is increasingly sought by employers across the higher education sector as a condition of appointment and promotion.

HEA Fellowships are awarded depending on your level of knowledge and experience. If you, have completed accredited programmes or have a proven track record of experience within the UKPSF, you may apply to become an HEA Fellow at one of the following four categories:

- Associate Fellow (AFHEA)
- Fellow (FHEA)
- Senior Fellow (SFHEA)
- Principal Fellow (PFHEA)

Senior and Principal Fellowships are typically awarded to experienced staff who are able to demonstrate impact and influence through leading and managing within a learning and teaching context. Principal Fellows must be able to demonstrate a sustained and effective record of impact at a strategic level in relation to learning and teaching.

There are two ways to gain HEA Fellowship, depending on your career journey so far:

- Experienced route for those wishing to apply on the back of their practice in teaching and learning.
- Accredited route for those who have completed HEA-accredited courses.

## FURTHER INFORMATION

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