



**GRI**

# Demonstrate your mastery of the GRI Standards

## Become a GRI Certified Sustainability Professional

Gain a competitive edge and show your commitment, and expertise in sustainability reporting by becoming a GRI Certified Sustainability Professional. Access a full sustainability curriculum through the GRI Academy or together with GRI's network of Certified Training Partners.

### What is the Professional Certification Program?

The GRI Professional Certification Program is designed to enhance the knowledge, expertise, and skills of sustainability professionals in implementing the GRI Standards to improve the quality of sustainability reporting. Accessible via the [GRI Academy](#), or a Certified Training Partner, professionals complete five courses that cover the fundamentals of GRI reporting in preparation for a final certification exam.

### Benefits of Certification

Globally applicable professional development that allows you to;

- Improve your reporting skills
- Maintain and upskill your sustainability knowledge
- Enhance your credibility
- Demonstrate your sustainability know-how

### Courses include:

1. Introduction to sustainability reporting and the GRI Standards
2. Stakeholder Engagement
3. Materiality
4. Sustainability Reporting Process
5. Integrating the SDGs into sustainability reporting

*Your certification can be renewed annually by taking continuing education units (CEUs).*

### Pricing

	Price
1. Introduction to sustainability reporting and the GRI Standards	€ 300
2. Stakeholder Engagement	€ 100
3. Materiality	€ 100
4. Sustainability Reporting Process	€ 200
5. Integrating the SDGs into sustainability reporting	€ 200
Certification Exam	€ 350
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>€ 1,250</b>

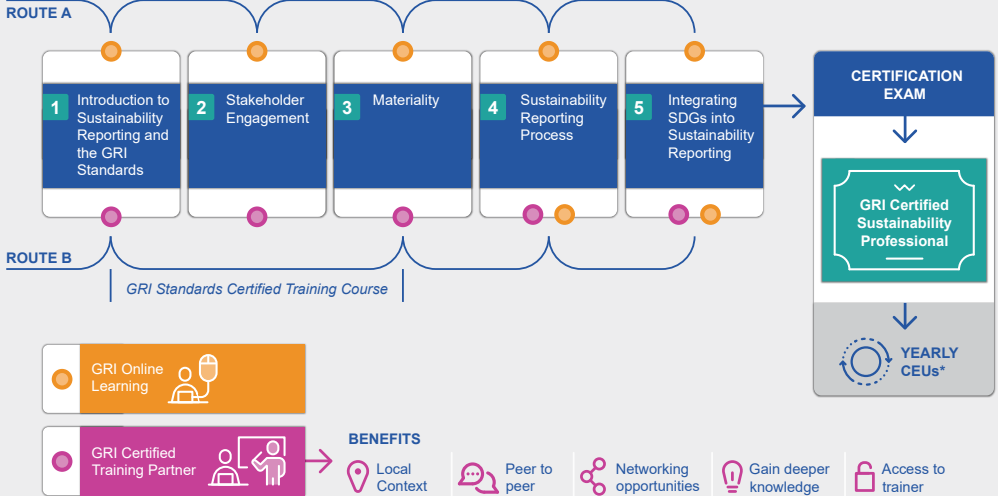
Note: GRI Community members get a 25% discount

# Professional Certification Program

5 courses, covering the fundamentals of GRI reporting, and a certification exam

Two ways of getting certified

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\*Continuing Education Units

## Certified Training Partners

Over 100 training partners across 57 countries offer GRI's Certified Training Course, customized training in a peer-to-peer environment offering networking opportunities and locally tailored content.

Professionals can start their certification journey by taking the GRI Standards Certified Training course, after which they will be awarded three out of five required points towards unlocking the certification exam.

*For professionals who prefer to do online courses via the GRI Academy, each course will award one point towards unlocking the certification exam.*

## GRI Academy

The Professional Certification Program can be accessed via the [GRI Academy](#), a dedicated learning platform for sustainability professionals, which also contains the latest sustainability-related curriculum and a range of continuing education units (CEUs) for professionals to update their certification status annually.



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