

Associate of the Society of Actuaries (ASA)–Requirements

To attain the ASA designation, a candidate must successfully complete the requirements shown below, and must have the Application for Admission as an Associate approved by the SOA Board of Directors. Requirements include examinations, an e–Learning course, validation of educational experiences outside the SOA Education system (VEE), and a professionalism seminar.

Candidates have flexibility with regard to the order requirements are completed. Click on any exam/requirement below to go to its home page and learn about any specific eligibility requirements.

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ASA Requirements

CERA Requirements

FSA Requirements

Exam P–Probability	Exam FM–Financial Mathematics	Exam M–Actuarial Models–Financial Economics Segment (MFE)	Exam M–Actuarial Models–Life Contingencies Segment (MLC)	Exam C–Construction and Evaluation of Actuarial Models
VEE* Economics	VEE* Corporate Finance	VEE* Applied Statistics	Fundamentals of Actuarial Practice (FAP) e–Learning Course	Associateship Professionalism Course (APC)

* Validation by Educational Experience–Candidate must show that subject has been sufficiently covered by university or other coursework.