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# Certified GDPR & Data Protection Specialist (CGDPRs)



# Welcome

The Professional Development Institute® (PDI) is one of the leading international institutions specialized in qualifying and developing professional competencies. It is headquartered in the United Kingdom (UK) and has a proven track record in preparing specialized professionals across vital sectors, including banking, finance, and insurance. PDI is distinguished by offering internationally recognized professional certifications that enhance individual efficiency and strengthen their capabilities in the global workplace.

This professional certification aims to enhance compliance competencies in protecting customer privacy and personal data, while familiarizing participants with international best professional practices in managing obligations related to privacy and personal data protection through:

- Understanding the importance of protecting customer privacy and personal data.
- Reviewing the details of the European General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR).
- Analyzing and understanding the applicability of GDPR provisions to financial institutions outside the European Union.
- Understanding the obligations imposed by the GDPR in both law and practice.



## What you will Learn- Key Takeaways



- Understand data and its operational cycle.
- Differentiate between different types of data.
- Apply legal frameworks.
- Implement compliance and best practices.
- Assess and manage risks.
- Integrate cybersecurity into data protection practices.

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## Modules:4

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### Module One:

- Definition of Data and Its Types
- Mastering the Data operational cycle.
- Related key terms
- Legal Foundation

### Module Two:

- Requirements of the European General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR).
- Procedures for implementing GDPR requirements.
- Other relevant data protection laws.
- Personal data and special categories of data.
- International best practices in protecting customer privacy and personal data.
- Data processing agreements.
- Institutional responsibilities for protecting customer data.

### Module3:

- Assessing compliance risks with international privacy and data protection requirements.

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- Mechanisms for addressing and mitigating compliance risks.
- Developing compliance programs for privacy and personal data protection.
- Methods for reducing the severity of risks.
- Sanctions imposed on institutions for breaches and non-compliance.

## Module Four:

- The relationship between cybersecurity and customer data protection.

## Target Audience:

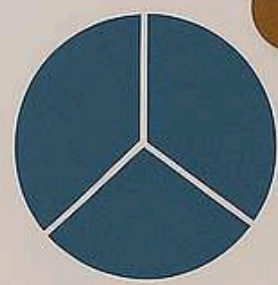
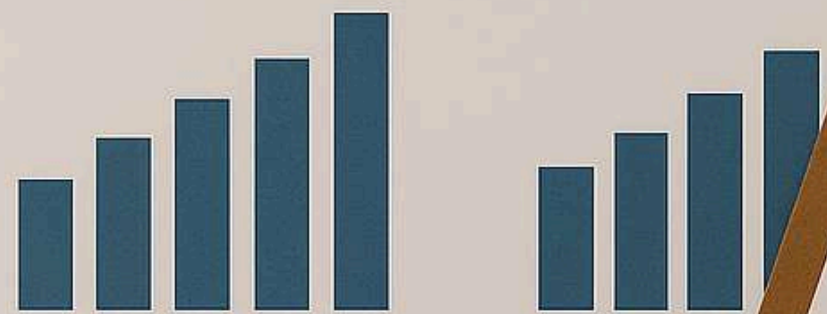
- Employees in IT, information protection, and cybersecurity departments.
- Employees in data protection departments (Data Protection Officers – DPOs).
- Employees in risk management departments at all levels.
- Employees in compliance departments at all levels.

SECURITY

PRIVACY



# GDPR & DATA PROTECTION



GDPR  
AGREEMENT

INDIVIDUAL DETAILS

ADDRESS

## Further Information

### Eligibility Requirements


Applicants must:

- hold a degree from a recognized educational organization.
- have professional experience in the field.
- Sit for and pass the certification examination.
- Adhere to the Professional Development Institute (PDI) Code of Ethics.

### About Exam:

- The examination is offered in multiple languages to support international candidates.
- All candidates are required to sit for their exam at an accredited PDI Test Centre.
- The exam duration is (3) hours.
- Each exam consists of 100 multiple-choice questions (MCQs).

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