

**CGA Fellowship Qualifying Examinations
Registration Contract**

SESSION: January 2021
REGISTRATION DEADLINE: Monday, December 21, 2020

EXAM DATES & TIMES: (please retain a copy of this page)

Preliminary Level	Monday, January 25, 2021	Two 3-hour sessions:	9 am – 12 pm & 1 pm – 4pm
Prof Level (Theory)	Tuesday, January 26, 2021	Two 3-hour sessions:	9 am – 12 pm & 1 pm – 4pm
Prof Level (Practical)	Wednesday, January 27, 2021	One 4-hour session:	9 am – 1 pm

LOCATION:
January 25, 2021 – By CGA Approved Proctor

EXAMINATION NUMBERS: Examination code number(s) will be emailed approximately two weeks prior to the examination(s). Please notify the office immediately, if you do not receive them by Friday, January 15, 2021.

REGULATIONS:

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: Candidates must complete the registration form and return it to the registrar at the above address by the registration deadline at the top of this page. Registrations received after the deadline may be disqualified, or if accepted, will be subject to a \$100.00 late penalty fee, without exception.

REFUND POLICY:

Full refund The Canadian Gemmological Association shall refund all the fees paid by the candidate under a contract in the following circumstances:

1. The contract is rescinded by the candidate within two days of submitting payment to the CGA.
2. The CGA cancels the applicable session of examinations.

Partial refund If a candidate registers and pays fees for exams but does not write the exam(s), the CGA shall refund part of the fees under the following circumstances:

1. The candidate gives the CGA notice of withdrawal at least 21 days before the exam is scheduled.
2. The amount of the refund shall be an amount equal to the full exam fee paid, less an amount equal to the lesser of 20 percent and \$250.

DEFERRALS: Candidates who have registered to write the exam(s) in any given exam session may request a ONE- TIME- ONLY deferral of their exams to the next exam session. **For example, if scheduled to write in January, they may defer to June of that year. Thereafter, full exam fees will apply.** Deferrals are subject to CGA approval and require completion of a formal deferral request, and an accompanying non-refundable payment of \$100 per day of exams deferred.

MARKING: The morning and afternoon sessions of each theory exam are considered together for a single grade. Theory exams are written on the same day everywhere. The practical portion of the professional-level exam is marked separately. **A minimum passing grade is B (67%).** The practical and theory portions of the professional-level exams must be passed within one year of each other. **When all exams are written in the same exam session, the professional-level exams will be deemed to be "failed unmarked" if the preliminary exam is failed.** All submitted scripts become the property of the CGA, and apart from notifying candidates of the grade achieved, the CGA is unable to enter into correspondence about examination results.

DESIGNATION:

You are only entitled to use your FCGmA Designation if you are a current paid Fellow of the CGA. Memberships run yearly from January 1 to December 31.



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CGA Fellowship Examination Registration Form

PDF Fillable Form

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Final Deadline: Monday, December 21, 2020

Read the reverse of this page carefully. Please type, or print in upper and lowercase, and return with the appropriate fee. INDICATE YOUR NAME EXACTLY AS YOU WOULD LIKE IT TO APPEAR ON YOUR CERTIFICATE.

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

FIRSTNAME: _____

LASTNAME: _____

EMAIL: (correspondence and soft copy receipts will be sent to this address No GB or NSCAD e-mails allowed)

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ PROV _____ POSTAL CODE _____

Phone: Home: _____ Mobile _____

1. I wish to write the preliminary-level examination only (fee \$500.00)
2. I wish to write the full professional-level examinations only (both theory and practical) (fee \$1,000.00)
Year in which the preliminary-level exam was passed: _____
3. I wish to write both the preliminary- and professional-level examinations. (fee \$1,500.00)
4. I wish to write the **theory** section only of the professional-level examinations (fee \$500.00) **Theory and practical components must be passed within one year**
Date of practical, if applicable: month _____ and year _____
5. I wish to write the **practical** section only of the professional-level examinations (fee \$500.00) **Theory and practical components must be passed within one year.**
Date of theory exam, if applicable: month _____ and year _____

EXAM PAYMENT: My cheque is enclosed Cheque# _____ any returned cheques will incur a \$50.00 NSF Fee
 Charge my Visa Charge my MasterCard Charge my American Express

VISA/MASTERCARD/AMEX number _____ Expiry Date: _____ CVC: _____

Declaration: I, the undersigned, hereby apply to be registered for the indicated examination(s) and confirm that I have read and accept the regulations in this document regarding registration deadline, refund policy, deferral procedure and exam marking policy. I further agree to comply with the rules and instructions governing the conduct of the examinations.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

ADOBE DIGITAL SIGNATURES MUST INCLUDE AN IMAGE OF HANDWRITTEN SIGNATURE

Return to: **CANADIAN GEMMOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION**
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