State of Georgia
Peace Officer Standards and Training Council

Career Development Program

Application for Award
of

P.O.S.T.
Advanced Certificate

General Instructions for Application Completion

1. Please read all instructions carefully and complete all appropriate blocks.
2. An official copy of your college transcript must be attached to this application in a sealed envelope.
3. Sign and date the application in the spaces provided.
4. Your Agency Head must sign and date the application.

NOTE: If the applicant is the agency head, the next person in their chain of command signs as agency head.

*** **Advanced Certificate Requirements** ***

This application should **NOT** be submitted unless the officer and agency head are satisfied the applicant has met **ALL** requirements. **INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE EVALUATED**.

At a minimum an applicant must:

(1) possess the Intermediate certificate;
(2) be certified, registered or exempt peace officer currently employed by a Georgia Law Enforcement Agency certified by the Georgia Peace Officer Standards and training Council;
(3) have at least 4 years experience as a full-time, paid peace officer;
(4) have successfully completed the seven required core courses (listed on the application) at a Georgia P.O.S.T. Council recognized training facility;
(5) have a minimum 20 quarter or 12 semester hours from an **accredited college or university, as defined in POST rule 464-2(t)**.

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