GPC Ambassador Intro Session, OR-SWWA GPA Chapter Meeting 17 May 2023

Grant Professionals Certification Institute website, https://www.grantcredential.org/

All of the information about the credential, eligibility to apply, what's included on the exam, benefits of having the GPC – Grant Professional Certified, list of credentialed grant pros, GPC maintenance. Sign up to receive their newsletter & event updates.

The GPC credential identifies grant professionals who display outstanding expertise and ethical practices as measured by a psychometrically valid and reliable assessment tool.

GPC Exam testing locations, https://www.kryterion.com/Locate-Test-Center/

- Oregon & Washington sites:
- University of Oregon, Eugene OR
- Rogue Community College, White City OR
- Tillamook Bay Community College, Tillamook OR
- Tri-Cities Testing Center, Richland WA
- Tacoma Community College, Tacoma WA
- Pacific Northwest Testing & Assessment Services, Federal Way WA
- Central Washington University, Ellensburg WA
- STEP Computer Academy, Bellevue WA

Remote proctor testing option, <u>https://www.grantcredential.org/wp-</u> <u>content/uploads/2022/12/GPC-Online-Proctoring-Explained.pdf</u> Very specific tech requirements.

Timeline, usually 4-6 months total: Eligibility quiz, complete eligibility packet, one-two months for review, 90 day window to take exam, notify of results in 2-3 months.

Fee: \$639 GPA members, \$875 non-members. Scholarships are available, https://www.grantcredential.org/the-exam/gpc-scholarships/

GPC Exam preparation options, https://www.grantcredential.org/the-exam/preparation/

- List of Competencies & Skills tested
- Literature Review
- Study Guides, Books, form a study group, etc.

GPC Ambassador contact, for Oregon-Southwest Washington Chapter:

Susy Lacer, GPC 541-997-8663 office SLwriting@live.com