

ARAD Application Guidelines

ARAD is a title awarded to those who have become an Associate of the Royal Academy of Dance.

In order to become an Associate of the Royal Academy of Dance (ARAD) the following four requirements must be met:

1. Applicants must be **18 years of age or above** at the time of application.
2. A **Full Member** of the Royal Academy of Dance (RAD Registered Teachers are Full Members).
3. Your membership subscription must be **current**.
4. You must have passed a Vocational Graded Examination at RAD **Advanced 2** level (RAD Advanced level prior to September 2001).

If you believe you are eligible to apply, please complete the ARAD application form online at www.rad.org.uk/forms/arad-application-form

Applications are presented to the Board of Trustees at meetings held three times a year in March, June and October. You will receive written acknowledgement within 28 days of receipt of your application; notifying you of the date at which your application will be presented. If successful, you will receive written confirmation of your status shortly after the meeting.

Future meeting dates and application deadlines are as follows:

Executive Committee Meeting	Application Deadline
22 March 2018	8 March 2018
21 June 2018	7 June 2018
27 September 2018	2 September 2018
6 December 2018	22 November 2018

Please note that the above dates are subject to change.

Successful applicants must adhere to the **Terms and Conditions of Election**:

1. ARAD is a membership award in recognition of the applicants' achievement at RAD Advanced 2 level. It is not a qualification; the qualification is the RAD Advanced 2.
2. You must continue to be a paid member of the Royal Academy of Dance to be able to use the initials ARAD after your name.
3. Failure to keep your membership up-to-date removes the right for you to use the initials ARAD after your name.