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CIOL DPSI

The CIOL DPSI is a professional qualification set at level 6 (first degree level), and is available in five pathways: English Law, Scottish Law, NI Law, Health and Local Government.

Unit 01: Interpret consecutively and simultaneously (whispered)

Unit 02: Provide a sight translation into English

Unit 03: Provide a sight translation from English

Unit 04: Translate into English

Unit 05: Translate from English

The exam is offered in a wide range of languages. See the DPSI languages list at ciol.org.uk/dpsi

Support while studying

Candidates for the DPSI are required to register for CIOL membership at the pre-professional grade of IoLET Affiliate. This level of membership offers:

Access to preparation materials to help you prepare for your exam (in available languages):

- Past papers
- Written Markers' Reports
- Recommendations and advice for candidates
- FAQs and useful links and resources

Professional Journal

A free digital copy of *The Linguist*, CIOL's professional journal, issued six times a year.

Professional status and Chartership

IoLET Affiliates are part of a respected professional network of practising linguists. On completion of the DPSI, IoLET Affiliates will be automatically upgraded to Associate (ACIL) level of membership for the remainder of the membership year. IoLET graduates who meet the criteria for full Member will be eligible to upgrade and will be on the pathway towards Chartership, and will be eligible for an entry on CIOL's directory, Find-a-Linguist.

Continuing Professional Development

IoLET Affiliates can access a range of CPD webinars through eCPD Webinars, benefitting from a special member discount.

Networking

IoLET Affiliates are eligible to join one or more of CIOL's professional special interest groups – Translating Division, Interpreting Division, or Business, Professions and Government (BPG) Division, which provide unique face-to-face networking events and online forums.

Join online at ciol.org.uk/iolet-affiliate



For full information on dates, venues, fees, and how to register visit

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