

What is the Difference?



MEMBERSHIP

ACRE is a national membership organization for trainers and educators who work in the field of employment for people with disabilities.

MISSION

Members share a common mission of advocacy through education to improve the quality of employment services for people with disabilities.

CURRICULUM

ACRE endorses nationwide & international member curriculum at a Basic (min 40 hrs) or Professional (min 60 hrs) level with Employment Certificate training offered w/ or w/o Emphasis on Customized Employment.

RECERTIFICATION

ACRE does not require additional training hours to maintain the ACRE certificate.

MEMBERSHIP

APSE is a national membership organization that focuses exclusively on inclusive employment and career advancement opportunities for individuals with disabilities.

MISSION

To advance employment equity for people with disabilities. We believe that everyone can and should work, and have the dignity of determining their career path.

CESP™ CREDENTIAL

The Credentialed Employment Support Professional (CESP™ Program) credential is nationally accredited & distinguishes employment support professionals who have shown they have the skill and competence to perform the requirements of the job thru an exam process.

RENEWAL

Renewal is required every 3 years through either completion of 36 hours of continuing education or retaking of the CESP™ Program exam.

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