

Lecturer Certification Program Frequently Asked Questions

- Q What is a “Lecturer”?
A A Minnesota Mason who has been examined and proved proficient in the lectures of the EA, FC and MM degrees.
- Q How many levels of certification are there?
A There are three:
Grade Three, which covers only the first section of the lectures of each degree;
Grade Two which covers both the first and second section of the lectures of each degree; and
Grade One, which covers the first, second and third section of the EA and MM degrees and also includes the work of the Senior Deacon in the 2nd section of the FC degree.
- Q Who should I contact to get started on my way to becoming certified?
A You may contact your Area Custodian or any currently commissioned Monitor.
- Q Can the same person certify proficiency on all of the lectures?
A Any Custodian or Monitor can act as certifier for a Grade Three (1st section of the lectures). For Grade One or Two certifications, you should contact the Area Custodian, who will assist you in finding a Monitor who is qualified in each of the degrees.
- Q Where can this certification take place?
A It can take place in your lodge, at another lodge, at an area conference or other Masonic gathering suitable to the person who will be certifying. It may also take place in a private setting, if suitable to the person who will be certifying.
- Q Is there any “paperwork” involved in this?
A There is a form available for down loading on the website (mn-masons.org) in the member resources menu. You may also have form mailed to you from the Grand Secretary. There is also a list of Custodians and Monitors available on the website.