



## **AMPP Certification Badging, Titles, and Certification number policy**

AMPP has a firm policy regarding the use of its certification cards, certificates, badges, numbers, and titles.

The certification number and title may be used only by individuals who hold a valid AMPP certification after receiving official notification of certification. The credential may be used only as long as certification remains valid, current and in good standing. Should the certification be suspended or withdrawn for any reason, the individual must immediately cease the use of the certification and any associated certification titles or numbers, including but not limited to, any use on stationary, websites, business cards, social media accounts, and other promotional materials.

Certificant's must comply with all recertification requirements to maintain use of the credential.

AMPP Certification is a non-transferable, revocable, limited, non-exclusive license to use the applicable certification designation, subject to compliance with AMPP rules, as may be revised from time to time.

Except as permitted by this policy, any use of display of AMPP certification marks and/or logos without the prior written permission of AMPP is prohibited. Any candidate or certificant who manufacturers, modifies, reproduces, distributes, or uses a fraudulent or otherwise unauthorized AMPP designation, certificate, badge or other credential may be subject to disciplinary action, including denial or revocation of eligibility for certification, and/or legal action.

**Those who have achieved an AMPP certification and are in good standing with AMPP may display the appropriate certification for the purpose of identifying the individual as having achieved AMPP certification on electronic and printed materials for personal identification.**

### **Proper Use of the Credential**

After meeting all eligibility requirements and passing all required examinations, individuals may use their credential in all correspondence, on resumes/CVs, and promotional materials, such as stationery, websites, business cards, etc. The mark or logo may be used only with the name of the individual certified.

Individuals who have met the certification requirements are authorized to use the following certification mark according to the following guidelines:

- The credential title may be used as designated on their Digital Badge or printed card
- The credential is used after the certificant's name and following any academic degrees and/or licensure (e.g., Jane Smith, PE, Cathodic Protection Specialist\* or John Smith, BA, Basic Coatings Inspector\*)
- The credential must be clearly associated with the individual certified or be referenced in general terms:
  - Examples of correct use:
    - Jane Smith is a Cathodic Protection Specialist\*
    - John Smith, Basic Coatings Inspector\*
    - Three XYZ employees hold the Basic Inspector certification.

\*Designations displayed have been selected as examples. Candidates' designations are based on individual achievements.