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You asked:

Please provide the following information:

Details (I do not require copies of certificates or names of staff but I would like the specific qualification held, the certifying body, the result and the date obtained) of the professional qualifications that provide your staff with the subject matter expertise to apply and interpret data protection law and/or the common law duty of confidence. I am not interested in training or qualifications related to the Freedom of Information Act or Environmental Information Regulations. Specifically, please provide the requested information for the following roles:

- 1) Data Protection Officer.
- 2) Senior Information Risk Owner.
- 3) Head of Information Governance or equivalent.
- 4) Any other management grades (Band 7 or above) in your Information Governance team (or equivalent team, if it is not called Information Governance).
- 5) Any other member of your Information Governance team (or equivalent team).

Our response:

In relation to the role of a Data Protection Officer, the UK GDPR or Part 3 of the Act does not specify the precise credentials a data protection officer is expected to have.

It does however require that they should have professional experience and knowledge of data protection law.

We can confirm that all staff within the Information Governance Team have significant experience, however, please see below the qualifications, course provider and date obtained. These include:

- Senior Information Risk Officer
- Data Protection Officer
- Head of Information
- Information Governance Manager

Qualification	Provider	Year obtained	Date
Senior Information Risk Owner Course (SIRO) for UK Government	Advent IM Training Academy	2024	
Certified AI Governance Professional (AIGP) x 2	QA	2024	
Information Governance in Practice	HC UK – CPD accreditation	2021	

Masterclass		
ISO auditor training	BSI	2021
Certified in Risk and Information Systems Control (CRISC) (100046900) (CRISC)	QA	2021
PgDIP – Information Rights and Legal Research	Northumbria University	2019
BCS – Data Protection (updated module)	Blake Morgan	2018
BCS – Data Protection	Blake Morgan	2018
BCS – Data Protection	Blake Morgan	2013
NIIAS User training	Maxwell Stanley	No date on certificate