

## Digital credentials

#### Getting started guide

Create an account to share your professional story in a way that is credible and validated

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#### **Email notification**

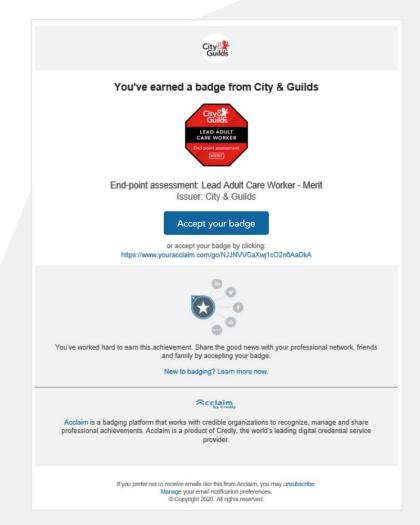
You will be notified by email that you've been awarded a digital credential. Even if you're awarded several at the same time, you may still only receive one email. It is worth adding 'admin@youracclaim.com' to your safe senders list.

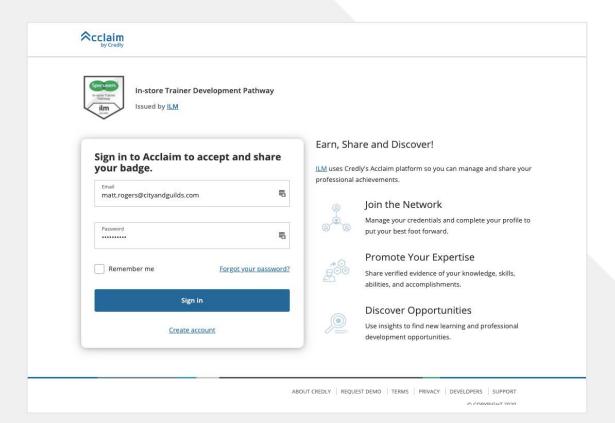
You can find out how to do this in the help section of your email platform.

Open the email and select Accept your badge to go to the Acclaim by Credly platform.



PLEASE NOTE: Our digital credentials are built as Open Badges and across the platform you will see them called badges. We chose the term 'digital credentials' because we feel it best reflects your level and achievement.



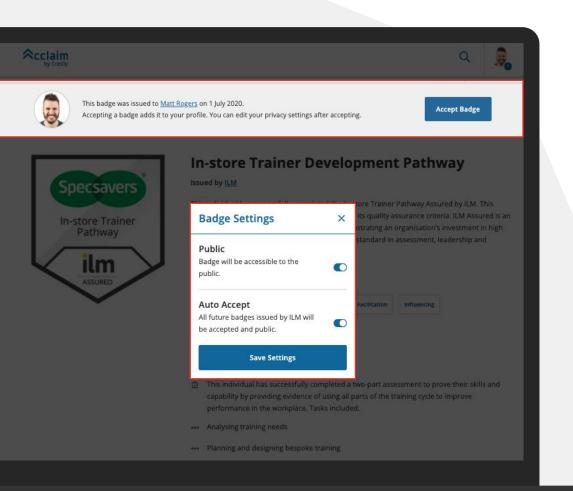


### Signing up

If this is your first time receiving a digital credential you'll need to create an account

Just enter a password and read and agree the Terms of Service and Privacy Policy.

Then select the Sign-Up button to complete the process.



#### **Accept your** digital credential

Once you've clicked the 'Accept your badge' button in the email you will see this screen in your browser.

From here you can accept your digital credential and save your settings.

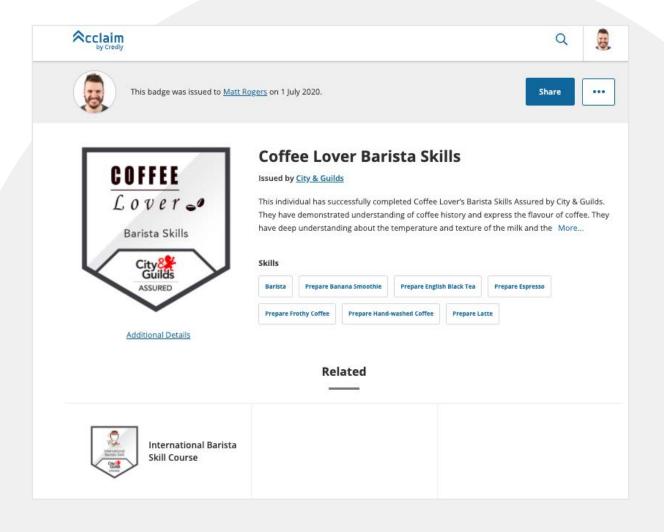
This will make it even easier to accept future credentials.

#### Time to tell others

To share your digital credential to your social and professional networks select the Share button

This brings up a list of options, select one to start.

If you get stuck, just go to the Support section to get some help.













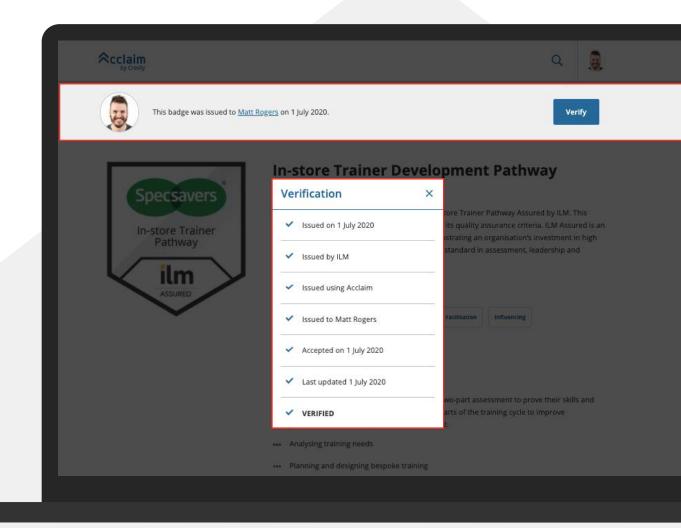


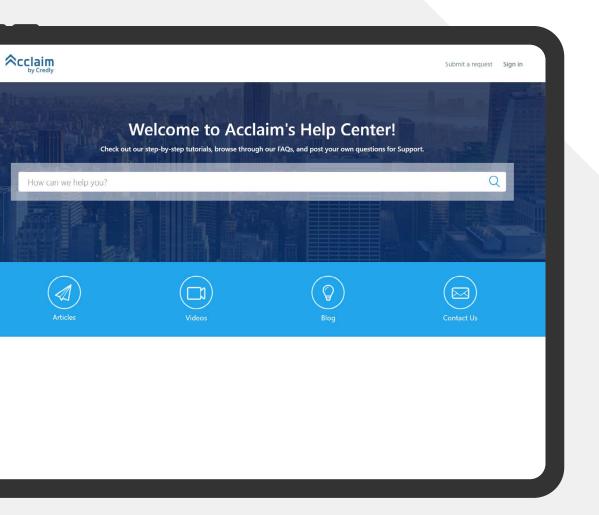




#### Verifying your digital credential

Digital credentials allow you to recognise and communicate all skills in a single consistent way, one that is portable, verifiable and secure.





#### Knowledge base

From this Support section you can contact us by email or access the online help resources in the Knowledge Base.

You can probably find the answer in the Knowledge Base, just select the link to access it. Look at the lists of step-by-step guides and videos to find what you need. Or, use the Search function to find it.

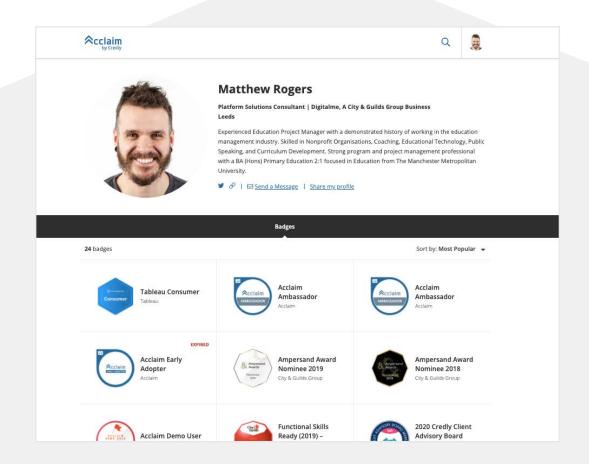
Can't find the answer you need? Just email us at: digitalsupport@cityandguilds.com

## My credentials

You may have received more than one digital credential, so to see them all select Dashboard from the dropdown menu in the top right.

Click on the digital credential to view more details, including the issuer, issue date and the metadata.

You can also share your digital credential from here.

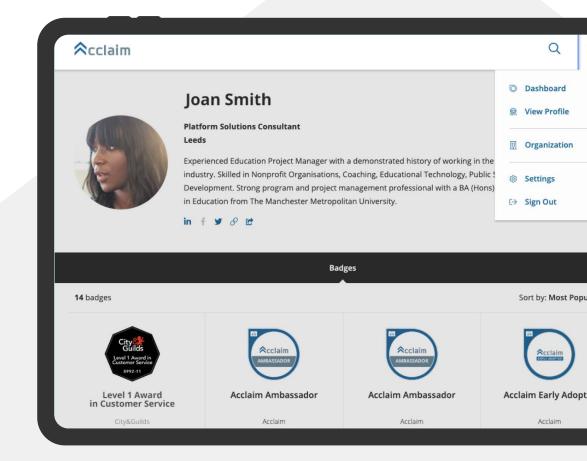


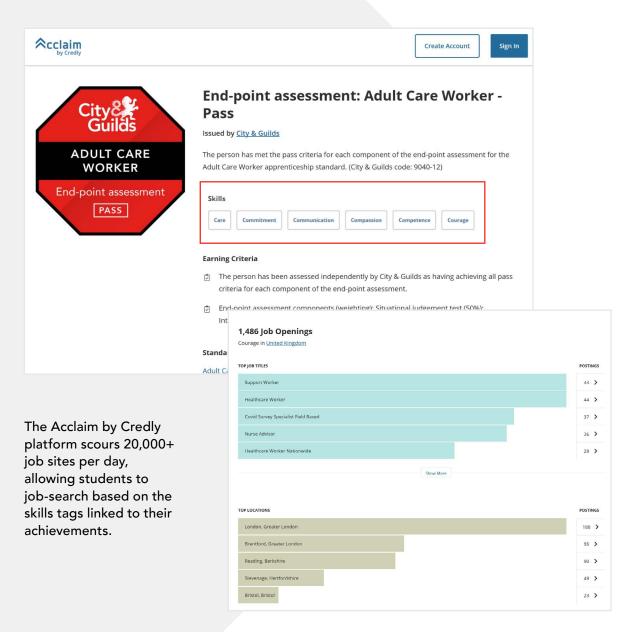
#### My profile

You may have noticed View Profile in this top menu bar. This allows you to showcase all your credentials at once.

To that first select Dashboard and choose which badges you wish to display - you can toggle these to be public or private in the from the top right of the badge page.

It's worth adding your photo and a bit about yourself too. To do this select Settings from the left-hand menu. Once you're ready, click 'View Profile' from the top menu and then copy the URL.





# Real-time employment opportunities

Access real-time employment insights and job opportunities related to skills. You will notice within the data that sits behind your credential under Skills you can see some tags.

These skills tags can link you through to real-time employment insights related to the skills you've been recognised for.

You can use this to find and surface jobs and future career opportunities by:

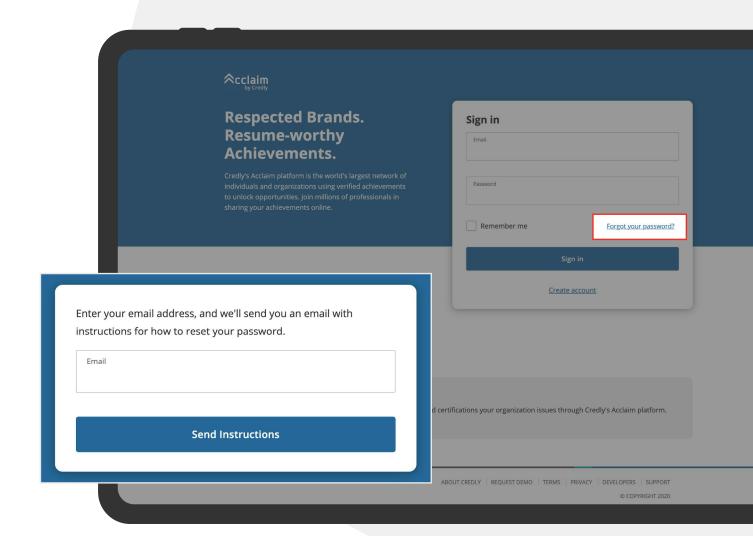
- Title
- Location
- Employer
- Salary range

- Top employers
- Top related skills
- You can connect directly to job postings too.

#### One last thing...

If you've forgotten your password, you can reset it by selecting 'Forgot Password?'

For unclaimed credentials or where a learner no longer has access to the email address the credentials were previously issued to; please contact City & Guilds Group via email at digitalsupport@cityandguilds.com so we can reissue the credentials to the relevant email address.





#### **About City & Guilds**

Since 1878 we have worked with people, organisations and economies to help them identify and develop the skills they need to thrive. We understand the life changing link between skills development, social mobility, prosperity and success. Everything we do is focused on developing and delivering high-quality training, qualifications, assessments and credentials that lead to jobs and meet the changing needs of industry.

We work with governments, organisations and industry stakeholders to help shape future skills needs across industries. We are known for setting industry-wide standards for technical, behavioural and commercial skills to improve performance and productivity. We train teams, assure learning, assess cohorts and certify with digital credentials. Our solutions help to build skilled and compliant workforces.

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