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# **Initial Course Application Instructions**

### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

To be certified by the Commission, a course must meet the following minimum requirements:

- The course must add to the practical knowledge required to perform the duties of a real estate practitioner in areas identified in 12 AAC 64.063 and 12 AAC 64.500;
- The course content must be applicable to all areas of the state, but may also include consideration of unique local circumstances;
- The course must be taught by an instructor approved by the Commission to teach that course topic;
- A guest instructor who is not approved may be used to present a specialized portion of a course if an approved instructor for the course topic is also present;
- Students must be required to adhere to a strict attendance policy in order to receive credit for the course;
- Students must complete a course and instructor evaluation form (required by the Commission); a copy of the evaluation form is available on the Commission website for all course sponsors;
- A certificate of completion shall be given to each student who attends and participates in the course (see 12 AAC 64.410 for details of the required content for the certificate of completion).

Courses developed by national organizations that issue professional designations in specific areas of licensed real estate practice, and that are required to earn or maintain a nationally recognized professional designation and courses in subject areas identified in 12 AAC 64.500 offered by an accredited college or university, will not be charged a course approval fee and credit will be recognized equal to the number of hours of actual class time, excluding examinations, up to a maximum of 12 hours per course.

#### FEES

Fees made payable to "State of Alaska."Course Approval Fee:\$50.00

\$50.00 per credit hour

### **CHANGE OF ADDRESS**

To ensure proper notification of changes to regulations concerning real estate education, updated applications and forms and information about renewing course and instructor certification, please notify the Commission of any address change.

#### **COURSE CERTIFICATION**

New courses must be submitted no later than 45 days prior to the course offering date. A course cannot be advertised as being approved by the Commission, nor can credit be offered to real estate licensees, until written approval has been issued by the Commission.

An Initial Course Application must be submitted for each course. All requested documents and fees must be submitted with the application before it will be reviewed by the Commission. The Commission will notify the course sponsor if additional information or clarification of their application is needed to complete the review process.

A course certified by the Commission may be offered for credit from the date the Commission certifies the course until January 31 of the next even-numbered year.

#### COURSE RENEWAL

All continuing education courses expire on January 31 of even-numbered years. Renewal paperwork will be provided to course sponsors no later than October 15 of odd-numbered years. All courses must be renewed with the Commission 45 days prior to the offering of the course for credit.

#### CONTINUING EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS FOR LICENSEES

All licenses expire on January 31 of even-numbered years. Currently, licensees are required to complete 20 contact hours of continuing education. Of those hours, 8 hours must be designated continuing education (DCE) and 12 hours elective continuing education (ECE). Beginning February 1, 2008 all new licensees will be required to complete 30 hours of post-licensing education within one year of being licensed.

#### **CHANGES IN COURSE CONTENT**

Any change in the content or materials used in a certified course may be implemented immediately if it is based on a United States Supreme Court or Alaska Supreme Court decision or a change in the policy of a financial institution or agency and that has a specific effective date. This change must be reported to the Commission within 15 days after receipt of the public memorandum or press release.

Any other substantive change must be submitted as an amendment to an approved course outline 45 days before the first offering date of the course.

#### CORRESPONDENCE COURSES

Correspondence courses include all courses taught outside the classroom setting.

In addition to meeting the requirements set forth in 12 AAC 64.420 the sponsor must:

- submit a copy of the complete course materials including published texts and audio/visual tapes.
- submit written instructions for completing each lesson.
- provide copy of the final exam or project activity.

#### CONTINUING EDUCATION CATALOG

A searchable catalog of all approved continuing education courses is available on the Commission web site at *ProfessionalLicense.Alaska.Gov/RealEstateCommission* 





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## **Initial Course Application**

PART I Pa	yment of Fees	
Required Fees:	Course Approval Fee (Per Credit Hour)	\$50.00

### PART II Personal Information

Course Owner/Sponsor:					
Mailing Address:	P.O. Box or Street	City		State Zip	
Contact:			Phone Number:		
and Professional Licensin	EMAIL AGREEMENT: By choosing to receive correspondence on any matter affecting my license or other business with the Alaska Division of Corporations, Business and Professional Licensing, I agree to maintain an accurate email address through the MY LICENSE web page. I understand that failure to check my email account or to keep the email address in good standing may result in an inability to receive crucial information, potentially resulting in my inability to obtain or maintain licensure.				
Email Address:			Select One:	Send my Correspondence Electronic Send my Correspondence by Mail	cally
Note: If both boxes are selected above, you will receive correspondence electronically.					

### PART III ListServ

Vould you like to be placed on the AREC ListServ to receive Commission news via email?		Yes	🔲 No
If yes, please provide the email you would like registered with the ListServ:			

### PART IV Course Information

Course Title:				Credit Hours Requested:*	
Corre Combornt Arrow	Real Estate Sales	Property Management	Commercial Sales		
Core Content Area:	Community Association I	Vanagement			

\*Regardless of the number of courses taken in a single day, a student may not receive credit for more than ten hours of instruction per day.

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# PART IV Course Information (continued)

How will this course improve the licensee's ability to provide greater service and protection to the public?				
How does this course a	dd to the practical knowledge requ	ired to perform the duties of a real	estate appraiser?	
	Salesperson Pre-Licensing	Broker Pre-Licensing	Post Licensing Education	
Credit Type:	Elective Continuing Education	Designated Continuing Education	on	
Course Delivery	Classroom	Correspondence	☐ Video	
Method:	Internet/Online	Teleconferencing		

# PART V Course Subject Information

Please indicate the appropriate subject area that will be covered in this course and the amount of time spent on each.

Торі	Number	Subject Area	Time
	1	Licensee Relationships	
	2	Closing Transactions	
	3	Common Interest Ownership and Resale Certificates Required Under AS 34.08.590	
	4	Communications, Negotiations, and Real Estate Counseling Skills	
	5	Repealed 6/28/1997	
	6	Contracts	
	7	Energy Conservation	
	8	Health, Safety, Environmental Issues and ADA Compliance	
	9	Fair Housing, and Equal Opportunity Laws	
	10	Financing Real Estate	
	11	Foreclosure, Judgements and Bankruptcy	
	12	International Real Estate Transactions	
	13	Land Use, Planning, Zoning and Building Codes	
	14	Legal Descriptions	
	15	Listing Responsibilities	

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PART V	Course Subject Information (continued)	
Topic Number	Subject Area	Time
<b>1</b> 6	Marketing Property	
17	New Construction	
18	Prohibited Conduct	
□ 19	Property Disclosure and Inspections	
20	Residential Property Management	
21	Property Valuation	
22	Real Estate Brokerage Management	
23	Real Estate Investment Analysis	
24	Real Estate Property Law	
25	Real Estate License Law	
26	Securities	
27	Title Insurance and Lien Law	
28	Trust Account Management	
29	Trusts, Estates and Probate	
30	Ethical Decision Making in Real Estate Transactions	
31	Community Association Management	
32	Community Association Documents	
33	Risk Management	
34	Alaska Landlord Tenant Law	
35	Customer Client Services	
36	Commercial Property Management	
37	Tax Law and Exchanges	
38	Broker Disclosure Responsibility	
39	Broker Supervision	
40	Broker Trust Account Responsibility	
41	Organizing and Managing a Real Estate Offices	

### **PART V** Course Subject Information (continued)

Is this course required to earn or maintain a nationally recognized professional designation?	Yes	□ No			
If yes, check all that apply. Attach proof that the course is being taught by an instructor certified by a national organization to deliver the course and a list of designations offered and the courses required for each designation.					
NAR IRWA CAI IREM Other:					
Is this course approved by ARELLO/IDECC? (If yes, please attach proof of course approval.)					
Is this course being offered by an accredited college or university? (If yes, please attach proof of course approval.)	Yes	□ No			

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## PART VI Course Outline, Learning Objectives, Teaching Technique

Please detail the sequence of topics, time spent on each topic, learning objectives\* for each topic and method of instruction. If you choose to submit your own outline, it must include all of the pertinent information listed below. (See example)

Time Segment	Segment Discussion	Learning Objective What will the attendee be able to do after completing the course?	Teaching Technique
9:00-10:00		Evaluate	Lecture/Video
10:00-10:30		Identify	Lecture/Group Exercise
Time Segment	Segment Discussion	Learning Objective What will the attendee be able to do after completing the course?	Teaching Technique

	PART VI         Course Outline, Learning Objectives, Teaching Technique (continued)           Time Segment         Segment Discussion         Learning Objective         Teaching Technique				
Time Segment	Segment Discussion	What will the attendee be able to do after completing the course?	Teaching Technique		

\*To provide additional course information, make copies of this page as needed.

### PART VII Course Schedule

Please provide information about course offering dates.				
Date	Location	Time	Instructor*	

\*If the instructor is not already certified by the Alaska Real Estate Commission, they must apply before teaching any approved course.

### PART VIII Required Documents

Unless otherwise indicated, all documents must be submitted with the course application. Courses will not be reviewed and approved until the course application packets are complete. <u>All applications must be submitted 45 days prior to the first course offering</u>. The course may not be advertised for credit until approval by the Commission is received.

Attachments	Office Use Only
Completed application, submitted at least 45 days prior to course offering.	
COURSE APPROVAL FEE: \$50.00 per credit hour requested	
Course materials (including handouts, text materials, overheads, pamphlets and brochures)	
Sample of Certificate of Completion. Must include student name, course title, course number, dates course delivered, location of course, type of course [DCE, ECE, PLE, etc.], expiration date of course, name of instructor/sponsor, signature of instructor, and instructor certification number.	
Explanation of Attendance Policy and Provision for Class Make-Up.	
Sample Attendance Record form.	
Course/Instructor Evaluation form.	
Provision for Correspondence (if applicable).	
Final exam and answer key (if applicable).	





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## Signature Page

Applicant Name:

### PART IX Agreement

I hereby certify that I am the person herein named and subscribing to this application and that I have read the complete application, and I know the full content thereof. I declare that all of the information contained herein, and evidence or other documents submitted herewith are true and correct.

I understand that any falsification or misrepresentation of any item or response in this application, or any attachment hereto, or falsification or misrepresentation of documents to support this application, is sufficient grounds for denying, revoking, or otherwise disciplining a license, certificate, or permit to practice in the state of Alaska.

I further understand that it is a Class A misdemeanor under Alaska Statute 11.56.210 to falsify an application and commit the crime of unsworn falsification.

**Applicant Signature:** 

Date Signed:

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# **Credit Card Payment Form**

All major credit cards are accepted. For security purposes, <u>do not email</u> credit card information. Include this credit card payment form with your application.

Name of Applicant or Licensee:

Profession Type (e.g., Acupuncture):

License Number (*if applicable*):

I wish to make payment by credit card for the following (check all that apply):

Application Fee:

License or Renewal Fee:

Other (fine, exam, etc.):

1.

2.

TOTAL:

Name (as shown on credit card):

Mailing Address:

Phone Number:

Email (optional):

Signature of Credit Card Holder:

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Rev 12/06/2022 Credit Card Payment Form (all major cards accepted)

CREDIT CARD INFO: Your payment cannot be processed unless all fields are completed!	
1. Credit Card Number:	All 3 fields <b>MUST</b> be completed!
2. Expiration Date:	This section will be
3. Security Code:	destroyed after the payment is processed.

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