Requirements for Master Analyst in Financial Forensics (MAFF)

Granting Organization

National Association of Certified Valuators and Analysts (NACVA)

Certification Requirements

To obtain a MAFF, the applicant must complete certain education, experience, and testing requirements. He or she must also agree to the code of ethics promulgated by NACVA, obtain recommendations from attorneys, and complete ongoing continuing education. The specific requirements are listed below.

Education

All transcripts must be submitted. They are reviewed for relevant coursework in economics, statistics, finance, accounting, etc.

Experience

The candidate must provide evidence of having provided lead services in twenty matters in the financial forensics field

Recommendations

Two written recommendations from attorneys who can attest to the applicant's quality of work and character and one written recommendation from a business contact must be submitted.

Testing

The candidate must pass the four hour written exam on principles of financial forensics with a specialty of calculating lost profits in commercial damage matters

Continuing Education

The candidate must complete 36 hours of continuing education during the three year recertification cycle