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Authentication of Bachelors Degree

Before you start make sure that your name in your Bachelor's Degree and Transcript documents are exactly the same as that in your valid Passport. You must retain the same nationality and passport name for the duration of the programme in RCSI-Bahrain.

What is Authentication of Documents and why is it needed?

Academic qualifications intended for use in another country must be "authenticated" or "legalized" in order to be recognized as valid in the that country. The Higher Education Council (HEC) Bahrain requires all students commencing studies in Bahrain to obtain authentication of their High School/Secondary Transcript, Diploma and Degrees.

You are required to submit the following

In Bahrain	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Original bachelor's degree and Transcript of Records• An Equivalency Letter and/or stamp of the above from the Higher Education Council
Out of Bahrain	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Original Bachelors Degree and Transcript of Records• An Equivalency Letter (where available) and/or stamp of the above from the Higher Education Council in the country where you completed your Bachelors Degree• Stamp all the above documents from Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Bahrain Embassy in the country where the Bachelors Degree was awarded• Stamp all the above documents from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs in Bahrain.
Alternative Option	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• If your country is a member of Hague Convention, the above can be attested using Apostille• This link provides information regarding appropriate authorities for each respective country and other information needed regarding Apostille - https://www.hcch.net/en/instruments/specialised-sections/apostille

NOTE: We can have the attestation by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs in Bahrain done on your behalf however there is a cost associated with this. Please contact attestbahrain@rcsi-mub.com if you wish to avail this.