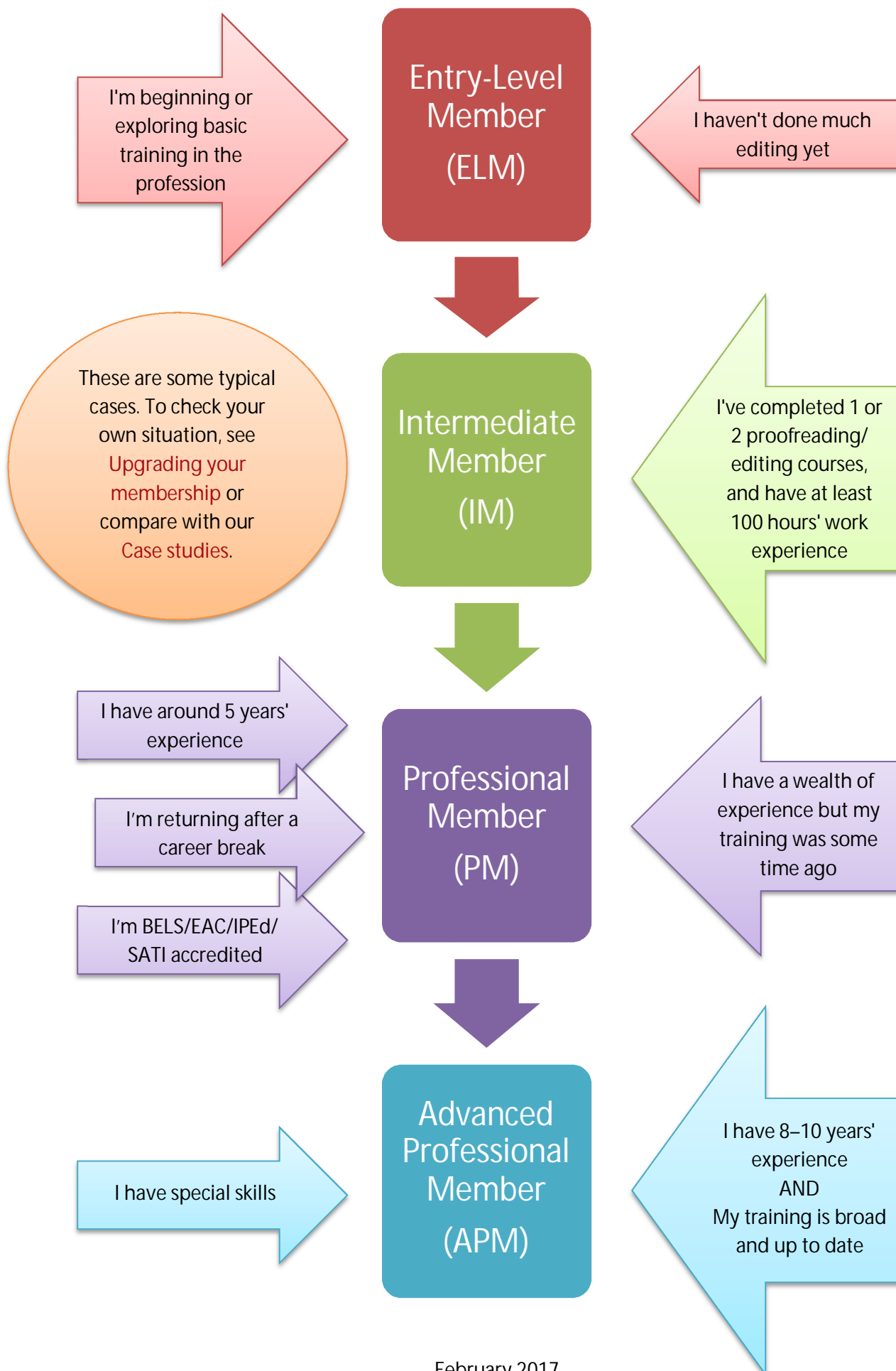


Which SfEP Membership Grade should I choose? Some examples



Summary of SfEP Membership Grades

Members' benefits

Training

Entry-Level Member
(ELM)

7 points

Intermediate Member
(IM)

25 points and
1 reference

Professional Member
(PM)

50 points and 2
or 3 references

Advanced Professional Member
(APM)

- May remain in this grade for maximum of seven years
- For full upgrade requirements see [Upgrading to Intermediate Membership](#)

You can apply at any time, for any grade

I'm a beginner, starting to train and taking on my first projects.

- May remain in this grade for up to four years (a total of seven years in ELM/IM grades)
- Use of SfEP Intermediate Member logo
- Can advertise in fortnightly IM Available list
- For full upgrade requirements see [Upgrading to Professional Membership](#)

You can use your points again, in the next upgrade

I know what I'm doing, but I need to deepen my experience.

- Use of SfEP Professional Member logo
- Entry in *Directory of Editorial Services*
- Vote at AGM
- For full upgrade requirements see [Upgrading to AP Membership](#)

You must have recent training/CPD to be APM

I'm trained, competent and experienced, but need to broaden my knowledge.

- Use of SfEP APM logo
- Enhanced entry in *Directory of Editorial Services*
- Vote at AGM
- Email address @sfep.net

I'm expert, highly experienced and may have valuable specialist knowledge.