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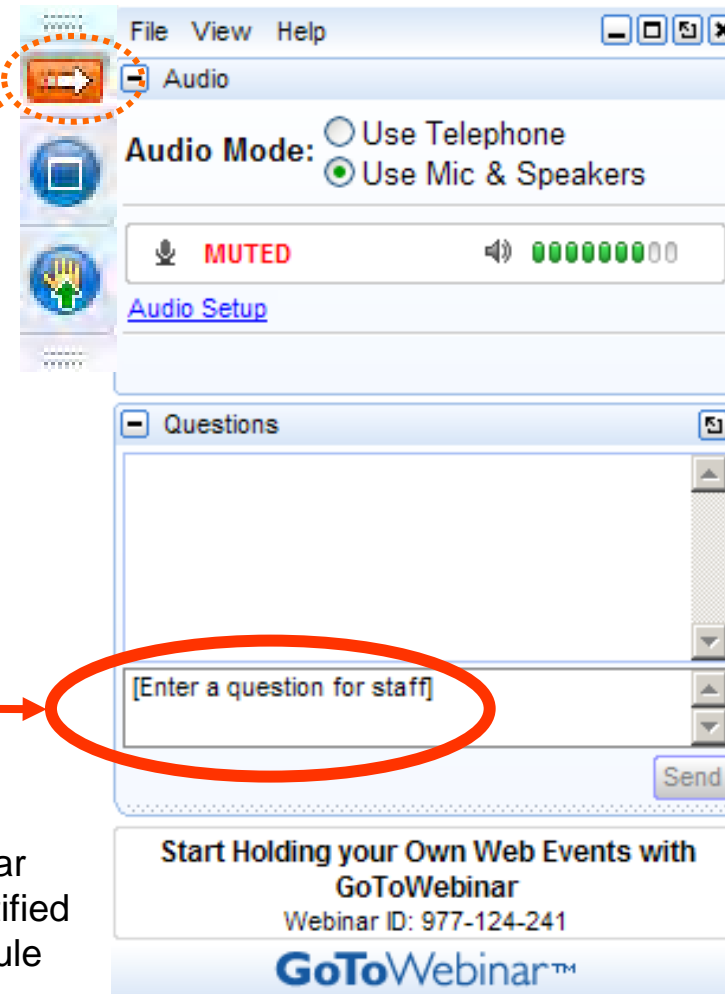
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# Getting the Most Out of Your SBE Membership

# Your questions please?

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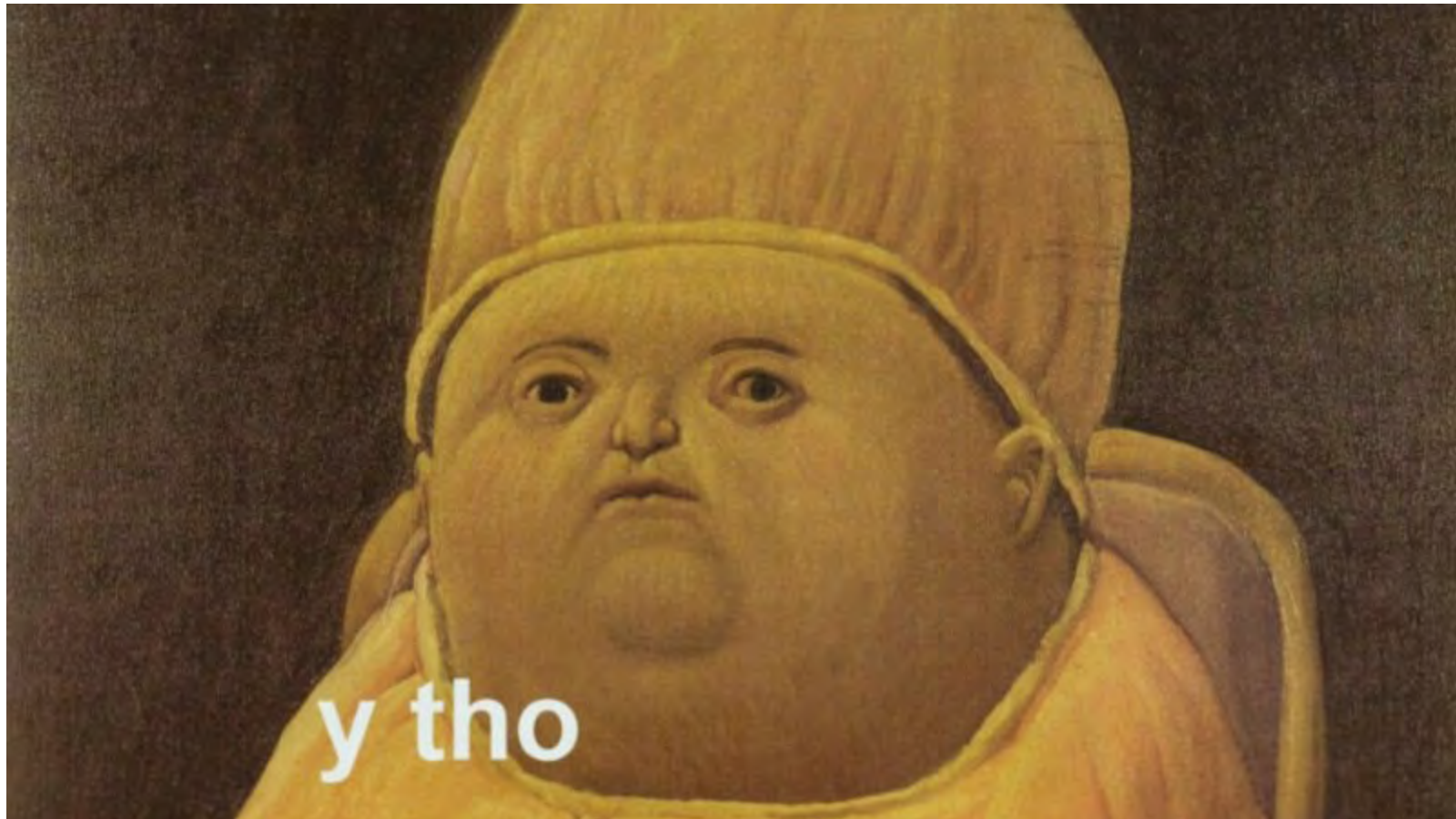


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## Member Qualifications

You may qualify for the Member category if you:

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2. You hold an academic degree in electric
3. You have scientific or professional experience including the design or marketing of broadcast equipment for at least four years of active participation in related fields and have demonstrated acceptab

## Youth Member

You may qualify as a youth member if you are a high school student who is active in the technical operation of a broadcast station; who is involved in a school club or community organization, such as an amateur radio club, with the purpose of learning about the field of broadcast engineering or who has a general interest in broadcast engineering. [Learn More »](#)

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If you have questions and need a quick response, email [Scott Jones](#).

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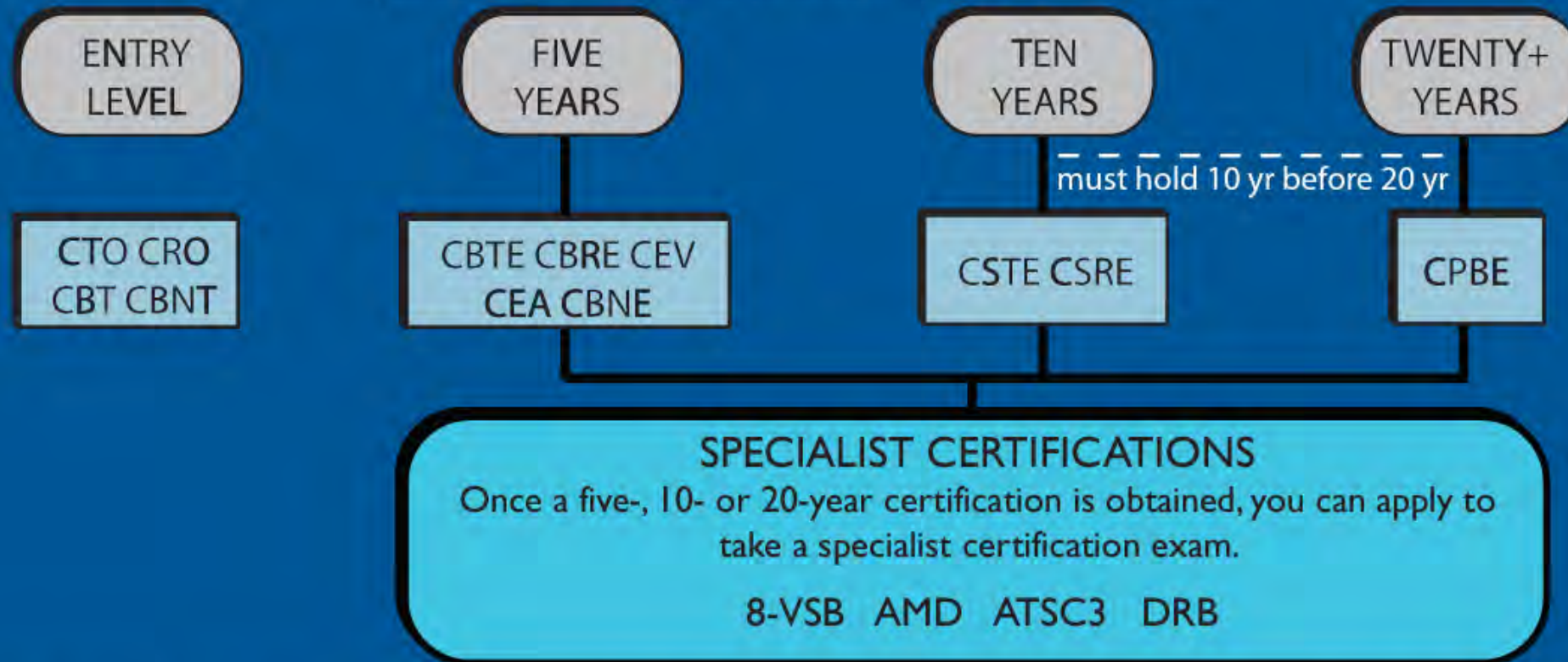
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## YEARS OF EXPERIENCE

SBE certifications are based on years of experience in the broadcast engineering field. Broadcast engineers can apply for a certification once they meet the year requirements. An associate degree counts as two years of experience and a bachelor's degree counts as four years of experience. No experience is required for entry level.



Life certification is available to those who are retired or may also be granted to professional broadcast engineers and senior broadcast engineers who have maintained certification continuously for 20 years and are current members of the SBE upon application.

<http://sbe.org/wp-content/uploads/CertChart.pdf>

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## Training new entrants to the field of broadcast technology.

To address the ongoing concern about new technical talent choosing broadcasting as a career, the SBE created the Technical Professional Training Program (TPTP). As technology and the average age and tenure of technical professionals advances (as shown in the annual SBE Compensation Survey), there is concern to adequately fulfill the technical staffing needs in the long term.

Drawing on existing SBE programs, the society has assembled a valuable service to the broadcast industry going forward. The goal: Training new entrants to the field of broadcast technology. There are four elements that combine to create the new Technical Professional Training Program.

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# ENNES WORKSHOP



Developing Tomorrow's Broadcast Engineers!

## Program Description

The SBE Mentor Program is designed to help broadcast engineers who are new to the field. The program partners a new engineer with a more-seasoned professional. This allows the more-experienced person to share his or her gained knowledge, both empirical and practical, with someone new to the field. The SBE Mentor Program provides a means for SBE members to share knowledge and experience. For the seasoned mentor, it's a chance to give something back. For the freshman mentee, it's an ideal way to gain inside knowledge and understanding that can sometime take years to accumulate.

There are two types of Mentor participation. While regular mentors are paired with a mentee to provide guidance, there can be times where a mentee has questions in an area that may not be the mentor's main field of expertise. With this, the SBE Mentor Program also has Subject Matter Expert (SME) Mentors available. SMEs can be brought in as the need arises. Mentors can serve in one or both roles. There are separate application forms for the two areas of participation.

<https://sbe.org/education/sbe-mentor-program/>



**Society of Broadcast Engineers**  
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**Mentor Program – Mentor Application**



Date: 12 Sept 2 Name: Jeff Welton

SBE Member Number: [REDACTED]

Thank you for your interest in the SBE Mentor Program. Members like you make it possible to offer quality programs to you and your peers in broadcasting. Please indicate the level of Mentorship you would like to provide. (Check one or both)

**One-On-One Mentor** At this level, you will be paired with a mentee and maintain monthly contact. When specific questions arise, you will consult with a “Subject Matter Expert Mentor” in that specific area.

**Subject Matter Expert Mentor** This level of mentorship acts as a resource that the one-on-one mentor can refer to when specific questions arise. Your name and contact information will be listed in a directory available to mentors for contact when appropriate. Please detail below your area(s) of professional expertise.

**Contact Information**

Employer: Nautel

Job Title: Regional Sales Manager, Cen Years of Experience 33



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Steve Church, Skip Pizzi

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Item #F-108 - Pub. 2009 - 280pp

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+ \$9.00 S/H

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SBE Certification Handbook for Radio Operators, 3rd Ed.

Ron Bartlbaugh, CBNT

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<https://www.thebdr.net/>





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