

The following list gives the meanings of the abbreviations you may find elsewhere on these pages.

N&EMPF	North and East Midlands Photographic Federation
PAGB	Photographic Alliance of Great Britain - Alliance of all the Regional Federations/Associations in Great Britain.
RPS	Royal Photographic Society.
LRPS	Licentiate of the RPS - This is the first level of distinction offered by the RPS. Judged on a panel of 10 prints or slides.
ARPS	Associate of the RPS - Judged on a panel of 15 prints or slides.
FRPS	Fellow of the RPS - The highest distinction awarded by the FRPS - Judged on a panel of 20 prints or slides.
Hon FRPS	Honoury Fellow of the RPS - Awarded for services to the RPS.
CPAGB	Credit from the PAGB - First level of award from the PAGB - Judged from 10 prints, or slides, with a standard of 'Good Club Photography'
DPAGB	Distinction from the PAGB - Judged from 15 prints, or slides, with a standard of 'Open Exhibition Photography'
MPAGB	Master from the PAGB - Highest level of award from the PAGB - Judged from 20 prints, or slides, with a standard of 'The Highest Standard of Amateur Photography'
APAGB	PAGB award for Meritorious Service. Awarded to persons who have given outstanding service to photographers belonging to member societies of the federations of the PAGB .
BPE	British Photographic Exhibitions - Awards given for the number of acceptances gained. BPE1* - 25 acceptances, BPE2* - 50 acceptances, BPE3* - 100 acceptances, BPE4* - 200 acceptances and BPE5* - 300 acceptances.
FIAP	Federation Internationale de l'Art Photographique. Worldwide federation to develop relationships amongst photographers (the PAGB is affiliated to the organisation) .
AFIAP	Artist of FIAP - The first level of award FIAP for photographic merit in international competition.
EFIAP	Excellence of FIAP.
MFIAP	Master of FIAP - The highest level of FIAP award for photographic merit in international competition.
PSA	Photographic Society of America.