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**CPD FACTSHEET – APCI (UK)**

<b>Name of association</b>	<b>APCI (Association of Police and Court Interpreters)</b>
<b>Founded in</b>	1974
<b>Country</b>	UK
<b>Number of members</b>	-
<b>Translators, interpreters or both</b>	-
<b>Association has a CPD policy</b>	YES
<b>Is CPD a professional requirement provided for by law</b>	NO
<b>Brief description of CPD policy</b>	-
<b>Association organises CPD events</b>	YES
<b>Languages of CPD events</b>	-
<b>Type of events</b>	-
<b>Units of measurement in CPD policy</b>	-
<b>Which units</b>	-
<b>How many and envisaged timeframe</b>	-
<b>Association offers record keeping</b>	YES
<b>Pros of CPD policy</b>	-
<b>Cons of CPD policy</b>	-
<b>Same rates as members for FIT associations</b>	-
<b>Mutual recognition of attendance</b>	YES
<b>Recognition of attendance at CPD events run by non-FIT third parties in the T&amp;I sector where CPD is relevant</b>	YES
<b>Recognition of attendance at CPD events run by third parties not in the T&amp;I sector where CPD is relevant</b>	-
<b>Interested in collaborating with other FIT associations to deliver CPD events</b>	YES
<b>Interested in hearing other FIT associations' experience</b>	YES
<b>Interested in identifying and exchanging best practices and how</b>	YES Best opportunity is LIT Forum. However, these take place only every three years. It will probably be an idea to consider expanding the use of the website, perhaps with a dedicated CPD area. You might consider the use of podcasts. At a round table event preceding the General Meeting.
<b>Harmonisation of CPD across Europe</b>	Only up to a point, as different conditions prevail between countries, and also different practices. However, it may be possible to identify a certain core content which is applicable across the board.
<b>CPD events that are "approved/certified" by FIT Europe</b>	We see nothing to prevent FIT from taking a lead role here and we would welcome it.
<b>Two issues of particular concern</b>	Outsourcing and erosion of quality in public service interpreting