



ISACA® Academic Partner Learning Solutions: Academic and Workforce Development

Add the Power of a Global Learning Organization to Your Curriculum

ISACA's Academic and Workforce Partnership Program partners with schools, colleges and universities around the globe to give learners the opportunity to enhance their learning experience through a customizable program that provides the necessary skills to begin a career in IT audit, risk, security, cybersecurity, governance or privacy.

When considering the IT landscape and its future market growth, ISACA seeks to empower those who will fill the demand. The IT field has a projected growth of 13% over the next decade, equaling more than 665,000 new job openings over that time frame.* In today's market, cybersecurity alone has more than 710,000 unfilled positions.**



Ensure Your Learners Are Getting Job-Aligned Skills with Globally-Recognized Credentials

ISACA's training programs go beyond theories and concepts with courses created and facilitated by certified experts designed to provide learners with a hybrid of traditional classroom instruction and hands-on experience. These programs feature realistic scenarios to better prepare learners for real-world challenges.

Boost Career Growth and Earning Potential with ISACA Credentialing for All IT, Information Systems (IS), Cybersecurity, Governance and Privacy Experience Levels: We understand that demand for highly-qualified IT professionals is on the rise, and so is the competition for those roles. Our globally-recognized certificates and certifications give your learners the edge they need to stand out to recruiters in a competitive tech job market and boost their earning potential.

Experience the Power of an ISACA Partnership

A Range of Instructional Options to Suit Your Program's Unique Requirements

We firmly believe there is no “one size fits all” approach to IT, Information Systems (IS), Cybersecurity and Governance education. Our Academic Partnership Program offers non-credit programs that give learners the opportunity to enroll in courses and take credentialing exams as well as for-credit programs that grant academic credit that can be used toward a degree pathway upon successful course completion.



Self-Paced



Live Instructor-Led
(in-person or virtual by ISACA-certified professionals)



Institution-Taught
(in-person or virtual, by institutional instructors who obtain ISACA certification through the Accelerated Certification Program)



Hybrid
(includes both self-paced and instructor-led)

Training Courses that Complement and Bolster Your Academic Programs

FOUNDATIONAL			
COMPUTING FUNDAMENTALS An ISACA Certificate	NETWORKS AND INFRASTRUCTURE FUNDAMENTALS An ISACA Certificate	SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT FUNDAMENTALS An ISACA Certificate	DATA SCIENCE FUNDAMENTALS An ISACA Certificate
CYBERSECURITY FUNDAMENTALS An ISACA Certificate	IT RISK FUNDAMENTALS An ISACA Certificate	IT AUDIT FUNDAMENTALS An ISACA Certificate	ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE FUNDAMENTALS An ISACA Certificate
BLOCKCHAIN FUNDAMENTALS	CLOUD FUNDAMENTALS An ISACA Certificate	IoT FUNDAMENTALS An ISACA Certificate	
INTERMEDIATE			
CYBER SECURITY AUDIT An ISACA Certificate	CCAK Certificate of Cloud Auditing Knowledge A Cloud Security Alliance® and ISACA® Credential	COBIT An ISACA Framework	CISA Certified Information Systems Auditor. An ISACA® Certification
ADVANCED			
CRISC Certified in Risk and Information Systems Control. An ISACA® Certification	CISM Certified Information Security Manager. An ISACA® Certification	CGEIT Certified in the Governance of Enterprise IT. An ISACA® Certification	
CDPSE Certified Data Privacy Solutions Engineer. An ISACA® Certification			
ISACA OFFERS SOME OF THE MOST IN-DEMAND CERTIFICATIONS AND CERTIFICATES			

ISACA Offers a Wide Array of Certifications and Certificates that Demonstrate Performance-Based Skills



We provide learners with knowledge, skills and abilities mapped to job practices and deliver them at scale. Our focus is on bringing these opportunities to academic and workforce development institutions all over the world in order to promote greater equity, inclusivity and accessibility to aspiring IT, Information Security (IS) and Cybersecurity professionals, regardless of skill level. Our model leverages the knowledge and experience of over 165,000 members in more than 225 chapters around the globe who typically hire talent and recognize that the traditional education model needs to evolve in order to prepare learners for the jobs they are trying to fill. To fill the talent gap and support the learner journey, our global membership community operates to mentor, support, instruct and hire our certificate holders.

ISACA's emphasis on performance-based training demonstrates learners' ability to solve real-world problems, in real-world settings, in virtual environments. This validates a learner's specific skillset to potential employers, which is a huge plus in today's competitive job market. Organizations value ISACA certificates and certifications because they have confidence that a certificate holder has successfully handled the types of tasks and problems that they will confront daily.

The Value of an ISACA Partnership: Differentiate Your Organization



Instructors and learners can take advantage of the unique benefits of ISACA membership, including formal and informal mentorship and networking, ISACA-only educational events, increased access to job opportunities, putting the power of a global professional community at your disposal.

Enhance Your Institution's Enrollment Potential: ISACA programs appeal to a wide variety of learners, from entry-level learners, professionals seeking enrichment, upskilling or reskilling;

build dual enrollment programs with high schools.

Benefits for Learners: Learners enjoy exclusive benefits that can help them get a head start to their IT careers and dramatically increase their job market visibility, including free first-year ISACA membership that includes credentialing exam prep and testing discounts, mentorship and local chapter networking opportunities, and access to chapter leadership roles that increase visibility and hiring potential to prospective employers.

ISACA by the Numbers



1969
ESTABLISHED



165K+
MEMBERS



188
COUNTRIES



225+
CHAPTERS



550K
ENGAGED PROFESSIONALS

Learn More About ISACA's Academic and Workforce Learning Solutions

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ISACA® (www.isaca.org) is a global community advancing individuals and organizations in their pursuit of digital trust. For more than 50 years, ISACA has equipped individuals and enterprises with the knowledge, credentials, education, training and community to progress their careers, transform their organizations, and build a more trusted and ethical digital world. ISACA is a global professional association and learning organization that leverages the expertise of its more than 165,000 members who work in digital trust fields such as information security, governance, assurance, risk, privacy and quality. It has a presence in 188 countries, including 225 chapters worldwide. Through its foundation One In Tech, ISACA supports IT education and career pathways for under-resourced and underrepresented populations.

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