HPE Aruba – Certification program FY20

V4 – 3rd of June 2020

Overview

Get your HPE Learner ID first

If you are new to HPE certification and training world, you will need to create an HPE Learner ID, which will be your unique and personal identifier. This ID is required to register for certification exams, to access to various training materials such as sales training and many other web based training.
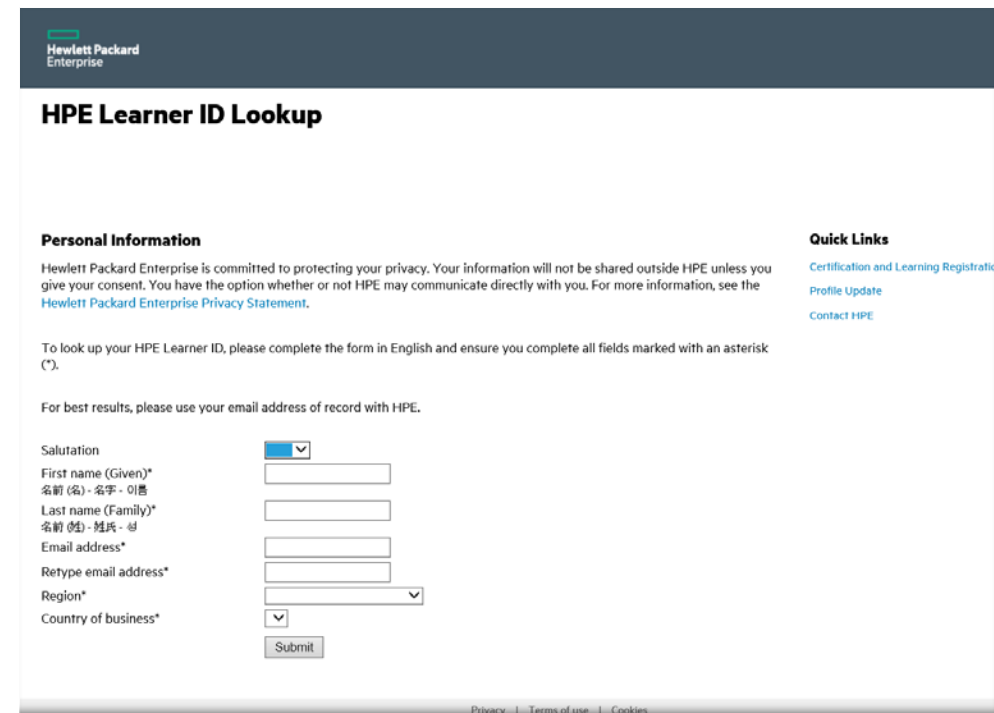
If you work for a channel partner, this registration is done from the Partner Ready Portal (Login required). When you register for a partner portal account, you will be also automatically registered for the HPE Certification and Learning program. Your organization's Partner Portal Administrator (PPA) will be notified of your request and will need to "approve". Allow up to 3 days for your Partner Portal Administrator (PPA) or the Hewlett Packard Enterprise Profiling Team to approve your access.

For HPE employee, your HPE employee ID is your HPE Learner ID.

More details & registration available from this page: get your HPE Learner ID.

You forgot your HPE Learner ID?

https://www.mylearninghpe.com/forms/idLookup.aspx

Certification and Learning Resources

Find Training Classes

- My HPE Learning Portal
  ↳ Instructor Led Training Calendar or Aruba Education portal for technical classes
  ↳ Self Learning approach (Study Guides, self directed labs): HPE Press

Take Certification Exams

- Pearson VUE HPE

Use Learning Systems & Portals

- HPE Learning Center for training and consolidated transcript

- Partner Ready for Networking

Promote your achievements

Once your HPE certification is visible under My Credentials on the My Learning Portal (mylearninghpe.com), it means that you now have a number of options to promote your HPE skills and knowledge with digital badges, e-certificates, ID cards and level insignias.

Digital badges are online representations of your achievements that you add to any online profile including LinkedIn and Twitter. Clicking on the badge sends the viewer to a custom verification page that includes your name, HPE certification(s) held, skills and capabilities required and issue date. For more information on digital badges, see https://certification-learning.hpe.com/tr/documents/digital_badges.pdf

HPE recommends you print your e-certificates as we do not mail out hard copy certificates to certified professionals.

Note: Digital Badges, e-certificates, ID cards and level insignias are issued for HPE Partner Ready certifications, not exam completions or service qualifications. Not all certifications are supported by digital badges. See the FAQ document for more information on accepting and using digital badges

Sales certifications & training

HPE Sales Certified – Aruba Products and Solutions

Resources	exam

Selling Aruba Products and Solutions, Rev. 18.41 (Web Based Training 4:30 hours)
Registration link:
- For HPE channel partners: 01120341
- For HPE employees: 01120341

HPE2-W02 – Online exam

The web based exam is available in Chinese Simplified, English, French, German, Korean, Russian, Spanish, Portuguese, Japanese.

Modules:
- Understand the Opportunity with Aruba
- Aruba Wireless Mobility Solutions
- Aruba Switching Solutions
- Aruba Security Solutions
- Aruba Network Management
- Aruba Location Services
- Aruba Branch Solutions
- Aruba Solutions for SMB
- Aruba Vertical Solutions
- Course Summary

HPE Press book available here (in English, Spanish, Portuguese, Japanese)

Note: individuals holding the
"HPE Sales Certified - Aruba Products and Solutions [2019]" version have been granted this version-less version

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Other Aruba Sales Trainings

portfolio	Course	Training registration
Security	Aruba Security Academy 101 (WBT, 36 minutes)	• For HPE channel partners: **01119814** • For HPE employees: **01119813**
	Aruba Security Academy 201 (WBT, 39 minutes) - Aruba 360 Secure Fabric Sales Training	• For HPE channel partners: **01119849** • For HPE employees: **01119849**
ClearPass	Selling Aruba ClearPass Security Solutions, rev 19.41 (Web based, 01:15)	• For HPE channel partners: **01128767** • For HPE employees, click **here**
Location Services	Location Services Sales Training, Rev. 18.31 (WBT, 01:11)	• For HPE channel partners: **01120905** • For HPE employees: **01120905**
Selling Aruba SD-Branch	Selling Aruba SD-Branch Training, Rev. 18.31 (Duration: 01h30)	• For HPE channel partners: **01126181** • For HPE employees: **01126181**

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Technical certifications & training

Aruba Product Certified Technical Trainings
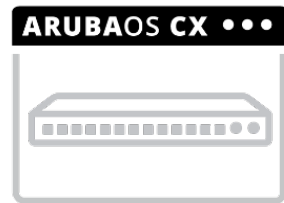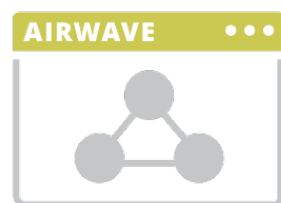
OS-CX **AirWave** **Central** **MSP Bootcamp** **Instant AP's** **SD Branch** **IntroSpect** **Location Services**
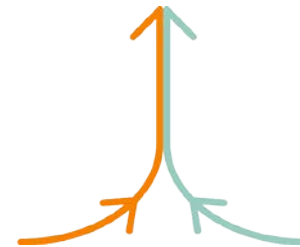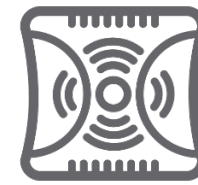
New specialized trainings offer a deep-dive on the latest Aruba products & solutions:

www.arubanetworks.com/training-services

Aruba Certification Overview

Career Certification				
Edge*	Mobility	Switching	Design	ClearPass
Expert — Aruba Certified EDGE EXPERT	Aruba Certified ACMX Mobility EXPERT	Aruba Certified ACSX Switching EXPERT — Coming in December	Aruba Certified ACDX Design EXPERT	Aruba Certified ACCX ClearPass EXPERT
Professional — Aruba Certified EDGE PROFESSIONAL	Aruba Certified ACMP Mobility PROFESSIONAL	Aruba Certified ACSP Switching PROFESSIONAL	Aruba Certified ACDP Design PROFESSIONAL	Aruba Certified ACCP ClearPass PROFESSIONAL
Associate — Aruba Certified EDGE ASSOCIATE	Aruba Certified ACMA Mobility ASSOCIATE	Aruba Certified ACSA Switching ASSOCIATE	Aruba Certified ACDA Design ASSOCIATE	Aruba Certified ACCA ClearPass ASSOCIATE

(*) Aruba Edge is a new domain to recognize candidates with broad technical skills.
These certifications are granted to candidates who hold three out of four domains (mobility, switching, ClearPass, design).

Product Certifications

Aruba Certified ALSS Location Services PRODUCT SPECIALIST

HPE Product Certified –Aruba Location Services Specialist (previously called ACEAP)

Aruba Certified ADCNS Data Center Network PRODUCT SPECIALIST — **New**

HPE Product Certified - Aruba Data Center Network Specialist

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New Aruba "Version-less" Certifications in FY20

Value #	Action	Impact
1	**All Certifications are "Version-less"**	✓ We represent you for your domain expertise not the version
2	**Expert Certifications = No Pre-Req's**	✓ Your experience counts – you now only have to take the written and practical exams to achieve expert certification
3	**3 year Career Certification**	✓ Ensures your Associate, Professional & Expert Certifications have predictable market relevance
4	**2 year Sales/Product Certification**	✓ Ensures your Sales & Product Specialty has predictable market relevance
5	**Re-Certification**	✓ All Recertification ONLY requires written exams* ✓ Any higher level re-certification will certify your lower level certifications** ✓ For Aruba EDGE Holders – one exam will recertify ALL your certifications
6	**Program Simplification**	✓ Easier to find and align your investments to Aruba's Programs

* Future Programs will also provide Continuous Learning and other validation programs

** Applies to certifications held within the same domain

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New Aruba Version-less certification Program transition

Any version-less certification with an expiration date post Nov 1st 2020 will count towards PRfN FY20 status

	Certification Achieved	Date achieved	New Expiration Time	Expiration Date (from an individual standpoint)
Transition Table for Career certifications (Associate, Professional, Expert)	Over 4 Years Ago	Prior to November 1, 2015	6 Months	May 1st, 2020
	2 – 4 Years Ago	Nov 1, 2015 – Oct 31, 2017	1 Year	Nov 1st, 2020
	1 – 2 Years Ago	Nov 1, 2017 – Oct 31, 2018	2 Years	Nov 1st, 2021
	0 – 1 Years Ago	Nov 1, 2018 – Oct 31, 2019	3 Years	Nov 1st, 2022
Product Certified		Prior to November 1, 2019	2 Years	Nov 1st, 2021
Sales certifications		Prior to November 1, 2019 (only 2019 sales certification was migrated)	2 Years	Nov 1st, 2021

Aruba Mobility certifications

Certification	① - Prerequisite	② - Recommended preparation: Instructor Led or Self-study approach				③ - Exam
			Self-study:			
		Instructor Led training	Study Guide	Self Directed Labs	Bundle	
ACMX Mobility EXPERT	No prerequisite	Advanced Mobility Solutions and Troubleshooting, Rev. 18.21 (5 days (V)ILT – Course ID: 01114375) For expert level, recommendation is to participate to ILT training + self-study the Aruba Validated Reference Designs (VRDs)		✓	✓	❶ HPE6-A48 (Written exam) [1] ❷ HPE0-A119P (Practical exam)
ACMP Mobility PROFESSIONAL	Associate level (ACMA) Or Cisco - Wireless (CCNP)	Implementing Aruba Mobility, Rev. 20.11 (5 days ILT, (V)ILT – Course ID: 0001130962)		✓	✓	HPE6-A71
ACMA Mobility ASSOCIATE	No prerequisite	Aruba Mobility Fundamentals, Rev. 20.11 (ILT, VILT - 3 days, registration link: 0001130965)		✓	✓	HPE6-A70

[1] Written exam completion is required before registering to Expert practical exam

Aruba Switching certifications

New Aruba OS **CX** Switch track, available June 1st

Certification	① - Prerequisite	② - Recommended preparation: Instructor Led or Self-study approach				③ - Exam	② - Instructor Led training	③ - Exam
		Instructor Led training	**Self -study:**					
			Study Guide	Self Directed Labs	Bundle			
ACSP (aruba CERTIFIED ACSP Switching PROFESSIONAL)	Associate level (ASCA) Or Cisco – Routing & Switching (CCNP) Or ASE - FlexNetwork / Data Center Networking (1)	Implementing Aruba Campus Switching Solutions, Rev. 17.41 (ILT, VILT - 5 days - 01095999)	✓	✓		HPE6-A45 Or HPE6-A46 delta exam for ASE FlexNetwork / Data Center Networking (2)	Implementing ArubaOS-CX Switching, Rev. 20.21 (ILT, VILT - 5 days - 01126290)	HPE6-A73 **New**
ACSA (aruba CERTIFIED ACSA Switching ASSOCIATE)	No prerequisite	Aruba Switching Fundamentals for Mobility, Rev. 16.41 - (3 days, 01077931)	✓	✓		HPE6-A41 (2)	ArubaOS-CX Switching Fundamentals, Rev. 20.21 – (5 days, 01126291)	HPE6-A72 **New**

(1) The upgrade path for HP ASE - FlexNetwork Architect V2 or Integrator V1, HPE ASE - Data Center Network Architect V1 or Integrator will no longer be available after Nov, 2nd 2020 (even through the new AOS-CX track).

(2) The HPE6-A41, HPE6-A45 and HPE6-A46 exams are available until 1st of November 2020
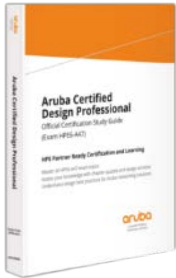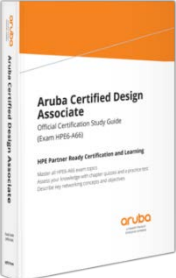
Aruba Switching training and certification options

	OS Switch track	Aruba OS CX Switch track	Certification
1) Aruba Switching Fundamentals This course teaches you the fundamental skills necessary to configure and manage modern, open standards-based networking solutions.	Aruba Switching Fundamentals, Rev. 16.41 Aruba Switching Fundamentals eLearning + Self-directed labs [1] Exam HPE6-A41 [1]	Aruba OS CX Switching Fundamentals, Rev. 20.21 Exam HPE6-A72	ACSA Switching ASSOCIATE
2) Implementing Aruba Switching This course teaches a comprehensive set of networking skills that will increase your capability implementing Aruba Switch campus networks.	Implementing Aruba Switching, Rev. 17.41 Implementing Aruba Switching eLearning + Self-directed labs [1] Exam HPE6-A45 or delta exam HPE6-A46 for ASE FlexNetwork / Data Center Networking [1]	Implementing Aruba OS CX Switching, Rev. 20.11 Exam HPE6-A73	ACSP Switching PROFESSIONAL
3) Configuring Aruba OS CX Switching The Aruba OS CX product training provides students with information on ArubaOS CX routing and switching, Network Analytic Engine (NAE), and the virtualization of the distribution layer and core layer of a campus network.		Configuring Aruba OS CX, Rev. 19.21 Configuring Aruba OS CX eLearning + Self-directed Labs	
4) Data Center Networking with Aruba OS CX This course provides the skills to design, implement and configure complex data center solutions based on the Aruba OS CX Switches.		Configuring Data Center Networks with Aruba OS CX, Rev. 19.41 Exam HPE2-W06	ADCNS Data Center Network PRODUCT SPECIALIST

[1] Aruba OS switch exams will no longer be available after 1st of November. After this date, the associated Aruba Switching Fundamentals and Implementing Aruba Switching courses will transition to product training and the course names will change to Configuring Aruba OS Switching Part 1 & Part 2.

Aruba Design certifications

Certification	① - Prerequisite	② - Recommended preparation: Instructor Led or Self-study approach				③ - Exam
		Instructor Led training	Self-study:			
			Study Guide	Self Directed Labs	Bundle	
ACDX (Aruba Certified Design Expert)	No prerequisite	Aruba Advanced Network Design and Solutions, Rev. 18.41 (5 days (V)ILT – Course ID: 01114316) For expert level, recommendation is to participate to ILT training + self-study the Aruba Validated Reference Designs (VRDs)		✓	✓	❶ HPE6-A49 (Written exam) [1] ❷ HPE0-A121P (Practical exam)
ACDP (Aruba Certified Design Professional)	Associate level (ACDA) or Cisco - Certified Design Professional (CCDP)	Designing Aruba Solutions, Rev. 20.11 (5 days (V)ILT – Course ID: 0001130961)	✓	✓	✓	HPE6-A47
ACDA (Aruba Certified Design Associate)	No prerequisite	Aruba Design Fundamentals, Rev. 19.41 (ILT, VILT - 3 days, registration link: 01128147)	✓	✓		HPE6-A66

[1] Written exam completion is required before registering to Expert practical exam

Aruba ClearPass certifications

Certification	① - Prerequisite	② - Recommended preparation: Instructor Led or Self-study approach				③ - Exam
		Instructor Led training	Self-study:			
			Study Guide	Self Directed Labs	Bundle	
ACCX ClearPass EXPERT	No prerequisite	Aruba Advanced ClearPass Troubleshooting and Solutions, Rev. 19.31 (5 days (V)ILT – Course ID: 01126930)	No self study option			❶ HPE6-A77 (Written exam) [1] ❷ HPE0-A122P (Practical exam)
ACCP ClearPass PROFESSIONAL	Associate level (ACCA)	Implementing Aruba ClearPass, Rev. 19.21 (3 days (V)ILT – Course ID: 01125756) Or ClearPass Essentials, Rev. 19.21 (5 days (V)ILT - – Course ID: 01124970)	✓ ✓	✓ ✓		HPE6-A68
ACCA ClearPass ASSOCIATE	No prerequisite	Aruba ClearPass Fundamentals (ACF) 6.7, Rev. 19.21 (ILT, VILT - 3 days) Registration: 01125646 Or ClearPass Essentials (CPE) 6.7, Rev. 19.21 (ILT, VILT - 5 days). Registration: 01124970	✓	✓		HPE6-A67

Aruba Edge certifications

Certification	① Eligibility	② - Exam (for Edge re-certification only) An Edge certified person can recertify by passing **One** Edge exam. It will renew all underlying Aruba certifications. If a candidate holds all four certifications the Edge written exam will recertify all four.
Aruba Certified EDGE EXPERT		HPE6-A76
	Aruba Edge is a new domain to recognize candidates with broad technical skills.	Each Aruba Edge written exam will contain questions from the other domains (mobility, switching, ClearPass, design).
Aruba Certified EDGE PROFESSIONAL	These certifications are granted to candidates who hold three certifications (at same level) out of four following domains: • Mobility • Design • Switching • ClearPass For example, the Aruba Edge Professional is awarded to someone who holds three out of four of these certifications: ACMP, ACSP, ACDP, ACCP.	HPE6-A75 — Candidates will select which three of four domains they want to test on at the beginning of the exam at PearsonVUE. In order to pass the Edge exam you must pass all three sections. Passing the Aruba Edge exam recertifies all certifications for that level.
Aruba Certified EDGE ASSOCIATE		HPE6-A74 — For example if I am an Aruba Edge Professional who holds the ACMP, ACSP, and ACDP, I can pass the Edge professional written exam to recertify all three certifications

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Product Certified Certifications

Certification	① - Prerequisite	② - Recommended preparation: Instructor Led or Self-study approach	③ - Exam
		Instructor Led training	
Location Services	No prerequisite	Configuring Aruba Location Services, Rev. 19.41 (3 days (V)ILT – Course ID: 01098153)	HPE2-W04
Data Center Network	No prerequisite	Configuring Data Center Networks with Aruba OS CX, Rev. 19.41	Exam HPE2-W06

Managed Services Provider (MSP) training

	Training offerings
MSP Dashboard	Aruba Central MSP Dashboard Overview (Web Based Training 1:02 hour) Registration link: • For HPE channel partners: 01122182 • For HPE employees: 01122182
Central Training	• Instructor Led: Managing Campus Networks with Aruba Central, Rev. 20.11 (2 days (V)ILT – Course ID: 0001130941) • eLearning: Managing Campus Networks with Aruba Central eLearning + Self-directed labs
MSP Bootcamp	• Instructor Led: Aruba Managed Service Provider Bootcamp, Rev. 20.21 (3 days (V)ILT – Course ID: 0001132256) • eLearning: Managing Campus Networks with Aruba Central eLearning + Self-directed labs

- Managing Campus Networks with Aruba Central Rev. 20.21 (0001130941) replaced Rev. 19.2 (01125485)
- Aruba Managed Service Provider Bootcamp, Rev. 10.21 (0001132256) replaced Rev. 19.21 (01125483)

SD Branch

Instructor Led training	eLearning
• Configuring Aruba SD Branch, Rev. 20.11 (3 days (V)ILT – Course ID: 0001130943)	✓ eLearning + Self-directed Labs

THANK YOU

Change Log

Version & date	Changes
Version 1 – December 2019	Initial version for FY19
Version 2 – 13th of January 2020	• Removing the Product Certified – Introspect certification from the guide • Adding new HPE6-A46 Delta exam - Aruba Certified Switching Professional Exam – Designed only for people holding one of the ASE certification: HP ASE - FlexNetwork Architect V2 (inactive) or Integrator V1 (inactive), HPE ASE - Data Center Network Architect V1 (inactive) or Integrator V1

Version 3 – 19th of February	• New training release:
	  - ACDP certification: Designing Aruba Solutions, Rev. 20.11 (0001130961) is replacing Designing Aruba Solutions, Rev. 18.21 (01114374) training
	  - ACMA certification: Aruba Mobility Fundamentals, Rev. 20.11 (0001130965) is replacing Aruba Mobility Fundamentals, Rev. 19.21 (01125755)
	  - ACMP certification: Implementing Aruba Mobility, Rev. 20.11 (0001130962) is replacing Implementing Aruba Mobility, Rev. 19.21 (01125754)
	  - For Cloud Managed Services:
	  - Managing Campus Networks with Aruba Central, Rev. 20.11 (0001130941) is replacing Managing Campus Networks with Aruba Central, Rev. 19.21 (01125485)
	• Slide 16:
	  - Adding new ACDA Self study materials

Version 4 – 3rd of June	• Slide 15 & 16: Adding new Aruba OS CX track and new Product Certified - Data Center Network certification • Slide 20: Adding new Product Certified - Data Center Network certification • Slide 21 - New slide added with MSP trainings