# Fortinet Training Institute

The Fortinet Training Institute is committed to developing experts in the field of cybersecurity. Supported by a strong network, the company offers training and certification programs for its customers, partners, and employees around the world. Through its ecosystem of public and private partnerships, Fortinet extends its efforts to bridge the cybersecurity skills gap by expanding the access and reach of its training and certification programs to its partners.

## Training and Certification

**NSE Certification Program**  www.fortinet.com/training-certification

The Fortinet Network Security Expert (NSE) Certification program has been carefully crafted and researched over several years to address the rapidly evolving threat landscape as well as job-market needs. Its primary objective is to satisfy both current and future requirements, ensuring that the NSE Certification program remains at the forefront of network security expertise.

The certification program includes a wide range of instructor-led and self-paced (free) courses, as well as practical, hands-on exercises that demonstrate mastery of complex cybersecurity concepts. Each certification program assesses specific levels of cybersecurity expertise, from foundation to architect.

**Learn More About:**

Fortinet Training Institute

| Expert | | | | | | |
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| | **FORTINET CERTIFIED EXPERT** — Cybersecurity | | | | | |
| Solution Specialist | **FORTINET CERTIFIED SOLUTION SPECIALIST** — OT Security | **FORTINET CERTIFIED SOLUTION SPECIALIST** — Security Operations | **FORTINET CERTIFIED SOLUTION SPECIALIST** — Network Security | **FORTINET CERTIFIED SOLUTION SPECIALIST** — Secure Access Service Edge | **FORTINET CERTIFIED SOLUTION SPECIALIST** — Public Cloud Security | **FORTINET CERTIFIED SOLUTION SPECIALIST** — Zero Trust Access |
| Professional | **FORTINET CERTIFIED PROFESSIONAL** — Security Operations | **FORTINET CERTIFIED PROFESSIONAL** — Network Security | **FORTINET CERTIFIED PROFESSIONAL** — Public Cloud Security | | | |
| Associate | **FORTINET CERTIFIED ASSOCIATE** — Cybersecurity | | | | | |
| Fundamentals | **FORTINET CERTIFIED FUNDAMENTALS** — Cybersecurity | | | | | |

**Fast Track Workshops**  https://www.fortinet.com/training/fast-track

The Fast Track Workshops consists of a series of concise, technical, hands-on workshops that focus on the most essential Fortinet solutions. Through the introduction of market drivers, detailed use cases, and enabling technologies, participants not only understand how they can benefit from Fortinet's broad, integrated, and high-performance security, but also gain direct, hands-on experience implementing each component of the comprehensive Security Fabric.

**Authorized Training Center (ATC) Program** www.fortinet.com/support/training/learning-center

Fortinet ATCs provide a global network of training centers that deliver expert-level training in both classroom and virtual delivery formats, in local languages, in more than 150 countries and territories. Training is provided by Fortinet Certified Trainers (FCTs). These instructors have demonstrated expertise and proficiency with Fortinet products and solutions, combined with proven instructional training skills.

## Security Awareness and Training

**For Enterprise** www.fortinet.com/training/security-awareness-training

The Fortinet Security Awareness and Training service helps IT, security, and compliance leaders build a cyber-aware culture where employees recognize and avoid falling victim to cyberattacks. The SaaS-based service is aligned to NIST 800-50 and NIST 800-16 guidelines to provide training that is both engaging and relevant on topics such as information security awareness, data privacy, physical security, password protection, and internet security. For compliance-sensitive organizations, the service also helps satisfy regulatory or industry compliance training requirements.

**Free for Education** www.fortinet.com/training/security-awareness-training/education-edition

With content tailored for the education industry and all the features of the Enterprise Edition, the Security Awareness and Training Service: Education Edition is currently available at no cost to primary and secondary schools. This edition includes both online training for educational staff as well as a Security Awareness curriculum to be used by teachers for students aged 4 to 18 (K-12).

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**Research from Fortinet's 2023 Security Awareness and Training Global Research Brief shows that in the education sector:**

**91%** of education institutions experienced one or more breaches during the last 12 months

**78%** see the benefits of cybersecurity training to better protect their schools

**98%** believe increased cybersecurity awareness for all education staff reduces cyberattacks

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## Programs and Partnerships

**Academic Partner Program** www.fortinet.com/training/academic-partner-program

The Academic Partner program works with global academic institutions to bridge the gap between learning and careers through access to industry-recognized Fortinet NSE training and certification courses. Academic Partners can integrate NSE curriculum directly into their existing courses, or can facilitate the content as stand-alone continuing education. To supplement the course content, institutions use Fortinet network security technologies to give students a hands-on lab experience while exam vouchers provide free access to achieve an industry recognized network security certification.

**Education Outreach Program** www.fortinet.com/training/education-outreach-program

The Education Outreach program works with global leaders to help advance education and certification in cybersecurity with a focus on the underserved, underrepresented, and economically challenged individuals and groups. Our partnerships extend to industry, academia, government, and nonprofits, to ensure we are reaching all demographics to help create a more skilled, diverse, and inclusive workforce.

**Veterans Program** www.fortinet.com/training/veterans-program

As part of the Education Outreach Program, Fortinet helps facilitate the transition of military service members, veterans, and military spouses into the cybersecurity industry. With a military mindset, these individuals are well prepared to learn new skills and transition between roles, making them ideal candidates for the industry. The Veterans program provides free training, certifications, and labs to prepare veterans to transition into a career in cybersecurity. In addition to learning cyber skills and knowledge, participants have access to career development services, job boards, interviewing skills development, and resume writing workshops through our partners.

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