The multi-tier technical certification programs offered by Aruba distinguish individuals with engineering excellence in wireless LANs (WLANs), switching, mobility, security, and network management.

Certified engineers gain extensive engineering knowledge about solving real-world wireless deployment challenges and quickly become the distinguished go-to resource for enterprise networking projects.

Rigorous associate, professional, and expert-level career certification curriculum and exams ensure that network engineers gain the essential, comprehensive knowledge to accelerate their professional development. Aruba product specialist training and certification provides networking professionals fundamental knowledge and skills on Aruba products.

The Edge certification track uniquely represents certification holders with at least three of the four certifications (mobility, switching, security, and design) at each level (associate, professional, and expert).

Certification exams are validated by field personnel and are updated regularly to reflect current features and best practices.

**Aruba Certified Mobility Associate (ACMA)** ratifies your technical knowledge about the deployment of WLANs in enterprise environments with a single Mobility Controller.

**Aruba Certified Mobility Professional (ACMP)** substantiates your comprehension of WLANs with more complex network settings in environments with multiple Mobility Controllers.

**Aruba Certified Mobility Expert (ACMX)** tests your technical expertise in implementing and troubleshooting large-scale WLANs. ACMP is a prerequisite for this certification.
Aruba Certified ClearPass Associate (ACCA) validates your foundation level knowledge of ClearPass Policy Manager and ClearPass Guest.

Aruba Certified ClearPass Professional (ACCP) verifies your knowledge and ability to administer and maintain ClearPass.

Aruba Certified ClearPass Expert (ACCX) proves your technical expertise in implementing and troubleshooting large-scale ClearPass Deployments. ACCP is a prerequisite for this certification.

Aruba Certified Design Associate (ACDA) verifies that you have the fundamental design knowledge and skills required to plan and design enterprise-wide Aruba campus wireless and wired networks.

Aruba Certified Design Professional (ACDP) tests your knowledge of Aruba Mobility Network Design for Aruba Secure wireless and wired network deployments.

Aruba Certified Design Expert (ACDX) validates your technical ability to architect large, extended campus and remote WLANs. ACDP or ACMP & ACSP is a prerequisite for this certification.

Aruba Certified Switching Associate (ACSA) validates your skills to configure and manage modern open standards-based networking solutions for small-to-midsized businesses (SMBs), as well as campus networks, using ArubaOS switches.

Aruba Certified Switching Professional (ACSP) elevates your career as a certified professional who can implement and operate enterprise level Aruba campus switching solutions.

Aruba Introspect Specialist (AIS) validates your ability to plan and implement enterprise security solutions using Aruba IntroSpect.

Aruba Location Services Specialist (ALSS) tests candidates on their ability to understand the Meridian product line and Aruba engagement solutions.

Aruba Cloud Managed Specialist (ACMS) Managed Service Provider (MSP) Partners can validate their skills to describe, configure and deploy Aruba Instant access points and switches.

Relevant Training for Certification

The following table explains which classes relate to each certification. Aruba recommends all candidates for certification attend training prior to attempting certification. You can click on the certification name to view details and learning resources.

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| ACDA          | • Aruba Design Fundamentals |
| ACDP          | • Prerequisite: ACDA  
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| ALSS          | • Configuring Aruba Location Services |
| ACMS          | • Aruba Managed Service Provider Bootcamp  
                   • Aruba Instant AP and Managing Campus Networks with Aruba Central |
ARUBA INTROSPECT SPECIALIST (AIS)
An AIS certified engineer is able to integrate, configure, and assess with IntroSpect UEBA in a LAN, WLAN, and multisite environment.

Candidates are recommended to complete Configuring Aruba IntroSpect course prior to taking the AIS exam. The PearsonVUE exam consists of 60 multiple-choice questions that must be completed within one hour and thirty minutes.

The exam fee is $230.

ARUBA LOCATION SERVICES SPECIALIST (ALSS)
An ALSS certified engineer is able to design, develop and deploy Meridian based applications with Aruba Beacons for location aware applications.

Prior to taking the certification exam, it is recommended that candidates attend the Configuring Aruba Location Services class. The PearsonVUE exam consists of 70 questions and must be completed within ninety minutes.

The exam fee is $230.

ARUBA CLOUD MANAGED SPECIALIST (ACMS)
An ACMS certified engineer is able to validate their skills to describe, configure and deploy Aruba Instant access points and switches.

Candidates are recommended to complete Aruba Managed Service Provider Bootcamp course prior to taking the ACMS exam. The PearsonVUE exam consists of 40 multiple-choice questions that must be completed within one hour.

The exam fee is $230.

ARUBA CERTIFIED MOBILITY ASSOCIATE (ACMA)
An ACMA certified engineer is able to design, set up, and configure a basic Aruba WLAN utilizing the V8 operating system architecture and features.

Candidates are recommended to complete Aruba Mobility Fundamentals course prior to taking the ACMA exam. The PearsonVUE exam consists of 57 multiple-choice questions that must be completed within one hour and fifteen minutes.

The exam fee is $230.

ARUBA CERTIFIED SWITCHING ASSOCIATE (ACSA)
An ACSA certified engineer has the fundamental skills to configure, and manage modern, open standards-based networking solutions for small-to-midsized businesses (SMBs) and campus networks.

Prior to taking the certification exam, it is recommended that candidates attend the Aruba Switching Fundamentals for Mobility course. The PearsonVUE exam consists of 60 multiple-choice questions that must be completed within one hour and fifty-five minutes.

The exam fee is $230.

ARUBA CERTIFIED CLEARPASS ASSOCIATE (ACCA)
An ACCA certified engineer has a foundational knowledge of ClearPass Policy Manager and ClearPass guest. This includes skills to configure ClearPass as an authentication server for both corporate users and guests.

Candidates are recommended to complete Aruba ClearPass Fundamentals course prior to taking the ACCA exam. The PearsonVUE exam consists of 40 multiple-choice questions that must be completed within one hour.

The exam fee is $230.

ARUBA CERTIFIED CLEARPASS PROFESSIONAL (ACCP)
The ACCP certification validates the engineer as proficient in the administration of ClearPass. This includes setting ClearPass up as a AAA server, integration with external servers, and configuration of the Policy Manager, Guest, Onguard, and Onboard feature sets.

Candidates are recommended to complete the Aruba ClearPass Essentials course prior to taking the certification exam. The PearsonVUE exam consists of 75 multiple-choice questions that must be completed within ninety minutes.

The exam fee is $230.
ARUBA CERTIFIED DESIGN PROFESSIONAL (ACDP)
An ACDP certified engineer is able to plan and design enterprise Aruba campus wireless and wired networks. Prior to taking the certification exam, it is recommended that candidates attend the Designing Aruba Solutions course. ACDA is a prerequisite for this certification. The PearsonVUE exam consists of 60 multiple-choice questions that must be completed within 90 minutes.
The exam fee is $230.

ARUBA CERTIFIED MOBILITY PROFESSIONAL (ACMP)
An ACMP certified engineer is able to implement, configure, and manage advanced Aruba WLAN enterprise solutions. Candidates are recommended to complete Implementing Aruba Mobility course prior to taking the ACMP exam. ACMA is a prerequisite for this certification. The PearsonVUE exam consists of 66 multiple-choice questions that must be completed within ninety minutes.
The exam fee is $230.

ARUBA CERTIFIED SWITCHING PROFESSIONAL (ACSP)
An ACSP certified engineer can implement and operate enterprise level Aruba campus switching solutions. Prior to taking the certification exam, it is recommended that candidates attend the Implementing Aruba Switching course. ACSA is a prerequisite for this certification. The PearsonVUE exam consists of 60 multiple-choice questions that must be completed within one hour and thirty minutes.
The exam fee is $230.

ARUBA CERTIFIED DESIGN EXPERT (ACDX)
An ACDX certified engineer is able to design a WLAN and remote networking solution as part of an enterprise mobility project. Certification exam deliverables include creating a bill of materials, designing user policies, a visual RF exercise, and answering essay questions about network design. Prior to taking the certification exam, it is recommended that candidates attend the Aruba Advanced Network Design & Solutions course. All candidates for this certification must pass the ACDX written exam on PearsonVUE. The 8-hour exam is administered in Aruba’s training facilities, and test results are returned within thirty business days.
The exam fee is $1200.

ARUBA CERTIFIED MOBILITY EXPERT (ACMX)
An ACMX certified engineer is able to deploy, troubleshoot, and maintain a large-scale wireless LAN and remote networking solution. Certification exam deliverables include implementing user policies, troubleshooting and maintenance of a network infrastructure. Prior to taking the certification exam, it is recommended that candidates complete the Aruba Advanced Mobility Troubleshooting & Solutions course. All candidates for this certification must pass the ACMX written exam on PearsonVUE. The 8-hour exam is administered in Aruba’s training facilities, and test results are returned within thirty business days.
The exam fee is $1200.

ARUBA CERTIFIED CLEARPASS EXPERT (ACCX)
An ACCX certified engineer is able to deploy and troubleshoot a large-scale ClearPass deployment. Certification exam deliverables configuration of ClearPass as well as network access devices for integration. Prior to taking the certification exam, it is recommended that candidates complete the Aruba Advanced ClearPass Troubleshooting & Solutions course. Candidates for this certification must pass the ACCX written exam on PearsonVUE. The 8-hour exam is administered in Aruba’s training facilities, and test results are returned within thirty business days.
The exam fee is $1200.

ARUBA CERTIFIED EDGE ASSOCIATE
An ACEA certification holder has achieved three of the four associate level Aruba certifications. As an Aruba Edge Associate you have demonstrated the knowledge and skills required for an Aruba certified individual at the associate level in at least three of the following areas: Mobility, Switching, ClearPass, and Design. Once you achieve the ACEA you can re-certify all active associate certifications by taking the Aruba Certified Edge Associate exam. The PearsonVUE exam consists of 60 multiple-choice questions that must be completed within one hour.
The exam fee is $230.
ARUBA CERTIFIED EDGE PROFESSIONAL

An ACEP certification holder has achieved three of the four professional level Aruba certifications. As an Aruba Edge Professional you have demonstrated the knowledge and skills required for an Aruba certified individual at the associate level in at least three of the following areas: Mobility, Switching, ClearPass, and Design.

Once you achieve the ACEP you can re-certify all active professional and associate certifications by taking the Aruba Certified Edge Professional exam. The PearsonVUE exam consists of 60 multiple-choice questions that must be completed within one hour.

The exam fee is $230.

ARUBA CERTIFIED EDGE EXPERT

An ACEX certification holder has achieved three of the four professional level Aruba certifications. As an Aruba Edge Expert you have demonstrated the knowledge and skills required for an Aruba certified individual at the associate level in at least three of the following areas: Mobility, Switching, ClearPass, and Design.

Once you achieve the ACEX you can re-certify all active expert, professional, and associate certifications by taking the Aruba Certified Edge Professional exam. The PearsonVUE exam consists of 60 multiple-choice questions that must be completed within one hour.

The exam fee is $230.

ON-LINE RESOURCES

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