All Aruba professional certifications except ACCP have an upgrade path. Cisco certified individuals with the below certifications can bypass the associate prerequisite and go straight to the professional exam. Training is highly recommended to pass the exam, use the fast track steps below for guidance.

The Cisco CCNP Enterprise certification is not an accepted certification for an upgrade path. Aruba will continue to accept the retired Cisco certifications that align to the Aruba domain certifications.

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| Cisco Wireless Certification: CCNP Wireless or CCIE** | Upgrade to ACMP: The ACMA prerequisite is waived | 1. Review the certification page and recommended training under [Learning Resources](https://www.arubacom)  
2. Review ACMA & ACMP study guides on HPE Press*  
3. Take the ACMP Exam |
| Cisco Design Certification: CCDP or CCDE** | Upgrade to ACDP: The ACDA prerequisite is waived | 1. Review the certification page and recommended training under [Learning Resources](https://www.arubacom)  
2. Review ACDP study guides on HPE Press*  
3. Take the ACDP Exam |
| Cisco Switching Certification: CCNP Routing & Switching or CCIE** Routing & Switching | Upgrade to ACSP: The ACSA prerequisite is waived | 1. Review the certification page and recommended training under [Learning Resources](https://www.arubacom)  
2. Review ACSA & ACSP study guides on HPE Press*  
3. Take the ACSP Exam |

*Study Guides are highly recommended & inexpensive options to prepare for the exam*

**CCIE certifications of the same domain (mobility/switching/design) are also accepted upgrade paths, contact our program to request the upgrade path**

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