

**Austin Community College High Technology Institute
Certification Summary**

Program	Program Description	Exam Info	Prerequisites	Certificate Type	Contact
A+ \$750 - HW \$410 - SW	CompTIA A+ PC Technician. Prepares students for PC technician. 128 hour program for hardware & software courses.	Two exams \$168 each (Prometric or VUE)	None	Industry certification: CompTIA	Bob McGoldrick rmcgoldr@austincc.edu (512) 223-7662
ASQ \$300 - \$425	Prepares students for ASQ certification exams: CQA, CQE, CQT/CMI, CMQ/OE, CSQE, CSSGB & CSSBB	Exam costs vary. See ASQ web site for details. (Prometric or VUE)	Varies; See ASQ web site	Industry certification: ASQ	Bob McGoldrick rmcgoldr@austincc.edu (512) 223-7662
CCNA \$4,395	Cisco Certified Network Associate. ACC uses the Exploration track. Prepares students to design, install, and manage local area network infrastructure. 324-hour program.	One exam \$250 or two exams @ \$125 (Prometric or VUE)	A+ & Network+ certification or equivalent knowledge of computers and operating systems.	Industry certification: Cisco Systems	Bob McGoldrick rmcgoldr@austincc.edu (512) 223-7662
CCNP \$4,395	Cisco Certified Network Professional. Prepares students to design, install and manage wide area networks. 320-hour program.	One exam @ \$300 or four exams \$125 each (Prometric or VUE)	CCNA required	Industry certification: Cisco Systems	Bob McGoldrick rmcgoldr@austincc.edu (512) 223-7662
Cisco CCNA Security \$1,185	Cisco CCNA Security course prepares students for the Implementing Cisco IOS Network Security (IINS) 640-553 exam. 80-hour course.	One exam \$125 (Prometric or VUE)	CCNA required	Industry certification: Cisco Systems	Bob McGoldrick rmcgoldr@austincc.edu (512) 223-7662
CISSP \$709	The course prepares students seeking ISC ² CISSP certification to demonstrate proficiency in ISC ² Common Body of Knowledge (CBK). 48-hour program.	One exam \$599 (ISC ²)	Information security design & development experience	Industry certification: ISC ²	Bob McGoldrick rmcgoldr@austincc.edu (512) 223-7662
Red Hat Linux \$709	Red Hat Certified Engineer (RHCE) prepares students for Red Hat Linux installation and configuration, system administration, network services, and security. 48-hour program. This is an advanced course.	One exam \$799 (Red Hat)	Advanced knowledge of computers & one year experience administering Linux/UNIX	Industry certification: Red Hat	Bob McGoldrick rmcgoldr@austincc.edu (512) 223-7662
Linux+ \$709	CompTIA Linux+ Administrator. Prepares students to administer Linux based computers. 48-hour program. This is an entry level course.	One exam \$239 (Prometric or VUE)	Basic knowledge of computers	Industry certification: CompTIA	Bob McGoldrick rmcgoldr@austincc.edu (512) 223-7662

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Localization Generalist \$1,125	Prepares students to work in high tech industry as a localization expert. Nine course, 72-hour program.	No additional exams	Experience in software systems development process.	Consortium of companies and organizations, including ACC	Bob McGoldrick rmcgoldr@austincc.edu (512) 223-7662
MCDST \$1,495 Win2K3	Microsoft Certified Desktop Support Technician. Prepares students to support Windows XP and Office application end users. 96 -hour program for Win2K3.	Two exams \$125 each (Prometric or VUE)	A+ & Network+ certification or equivalent knowledge of computers and operating systems.	Industry certification: Microsoft	Bob McGoldrick rmcgoldr@austincc.edu (512) 223-7662
MCSA \$3,040 Win2K3	Microsoft Certified Systems Administrator. Prepares students to install, administer, and manage Windows computers and networks. 192 -hour program for Win2K3.	Four exams \$125 each (Prometric or VUE)	A+ & Network+ certification or equivalent knowledge of computers and operating systems.	Industry certification: Microsoft	Bob McGoldrick rmcgoldr@austincc.edu (512) 223-7662
MCSE \$2,220 Win2K3	Microsoft Certified Systems Engineer. Prepares students to manage local and wide area networks. 144-hour program for Win2K3. Prereq: MCSA	Three exams \$125 each (Prometric or VUE)	MCSA required	Industry certification: Microsoft	Bob McGoldrick rmcgoldr@austincc.edu (512) 223-7662
MCDBA \$2,899	Microsoft Certified Database Administrator. Prepares students to administer Microsoft SQL Server 2005 databases. 160-hour program.	Three exams \$125 each (Prometric or VUE)	MCSA or database administration experience	Industry certification: Microsoft	Bob McGoldrick rmcgoldr@austincc.edu (512) 223-7662
MCTS.NET \$1,890	Microsoft MCTS: .NET Framework 3.5, ASP.NET Applications. Prepares students to implement and administer .NET applications. 104-hour program.	Three exams \$125 each (Prometric or VUE)	Programming experience	Industry certification: Microsoft	Bob McGoldrick rmcgoldr@austincc.edu (512) 223-7662
Network+ \$660	CompTIA Network+ Technician. Prepares students to work as network technician. 60-hour program.	One exam \$239 (Prometric or VUE)	A+ certification or equivalent	Industry certification: CompTIA	Bob McGoldrick rmcgoldr@austincc.edu (512) 223-7662
Oracle Database Administrator \$2,770	Oracle Certified Associate/Professional. Prepares students to administer Oracle databases. 144-hour program.	Three exams \$125 each (Prometric)	Basic PC use and database concepts & knowledge of Oracle	Industry certification: Oracle Corp	Bob McGoldrick rmcgoldr@austincc.edu (512) 223-7662
Oracle Forms Developer \$2,770	Oracle Certified Associate/Professional. Prepares students to write program code that is optimized for Oracle data access. 144-hours.	Three exams \$125 each (Prometric)	Oracle DBA OCA or database experience	Industry certification: Oracle Corp	Bob McGoldrick rmcgoldr@austincc.edu (512) 223-7662

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IT Project Management \$995 PMP Exam Prep \$699	Project Management Institute PMP & CAPM certifications. Prepares students to manage IT projects. 48-hours for IT Project Management & 36-hours for PMP Exam Prep.	PMI:\$555/405 (Prometric)	One year experience working in information technology teams recommended.	Industry certification: Project Management Institute	Bob McGoldrick rmcgoldr@austincc.edu (512) 223-7662
Security+ \$595	CompTIA Security+ Technician. Prepares students with competency in information security. 40-hour program.	One exam \$258 (Prometric or VUE)	A+ & Network+ certification or equivalent	Industry certification: CompTIA	Bob McGoldrick rmcgoldr@austincc.edu (512) 223-7662
Server+ \$660	CompTIA Server+ Technician. Prepares students to work as server technician. 60-hour program.	One exam \$239 (Prometric or VUE)	A+ certification or equivalent	Industry certification: CompTIA	Bob McGoldrick rmcgoldr@austincc.edu (512) 223-7662
SCNS \$995	The Tactical Perimeter Defense (TPD) course prepares students for Security Certified Network Specialist (SCNS) certification. 48-hour program.	One exam \$179 each (VUE)	Security+ or equivalent	Industry certification: Security Certified Program	Bob McGoldrick rmcgoldr@austincc.edu (512) 223-7662
SCNP \$995	The Strategic Infrastructure Security (SIS) course prepares students for Security Certified Network Specialist (SCNS) certification. 48- hour program.	One exam \$179 each (VUE)	Security+ or equivalent	Industry certification: Security Certified Program	Bob McGoldrick rmcgoldr@austincc.edu (512) 223-7662
Sun CSA \$1,995	Sun Certified Solaris Administrator. Prepares students to administer Sun Solaris computers. 112 hour program.	Two exams \$200 each (Prometric)	Basic PC use and operating system concepts	Industry certification: Sun	Bob McGoldrick rmcgoldr@austincc.edu (512) 223-7662
Video Game Development \$Varies	Prepares students to design, program, animate and produce video games. Approximately 540 hours.	Requires 12 courses and completion of a four person team capstone project.	Knowledge of computers, Internet use & video games. Specific specializations may require knowledge of industry software.	ACC Certificate	Bob McGoldrick rmcgoldr@austincc.edu (512) 223-7662
VMware Series - VCP \$2,275	Prepares students for the VMware VCP certification	One exam \$175 (Pearson VUE)	System administration experience on Microsoft Windows® or Linux® operating systems.	Industry certification: VMware	Bob McGoldrick rmcgoldr@austincc.edu (512) 223-7662
Webmaster \$Varies	Prepares students to design and develop web sites. Approximately 200 hours.	Requires completion of a capstone project.	Basic knowledge of computers and Internet use	ACC Certificate	Marcela Nouzovska mnouzov@austincc.edu (512) 223-7588