

# CCIE Collaboration Certification Program

## Introducing the CCIE® Collaboration certification program

New collaboration solutions deliver opportunities to connect in ways we never did before, and with intent-based networking, organizations can take advantage of automation to scale and secure their collaboration solutions. With CCIE Collaboration certification, your opportunities to help maximize that potential are boundless.

We designed the CCIE Collaboration certification to help you position yourself as a technical leader in the ever-changing landscape of collaboration technologies. The certification covers core technology areas and validates your end-to-end lifecycle skills in complex collaboration solutions, from planning and design to operating and optimizing.

Among the industry's most widely recognized and respected certifications, CCIE tells the world in no uncertain terms that you know what you're talking about. In addition, completing a CCIE certification qualifying exam earns you a Cisco® Specialist certification, so you get recognized for your accomplishments along the way.

## Benefits

- **Take your place as a technical leader** in the fast-paced world of collaboration solutions
- **Combine your technical expertise with design skills** to position your organization for digital transformation
- **Distinguish yourself as the best of the best** from designing and deploying to operating and optimizing complex collaboration solutions
- **Add collaboration automation skills** to your areas of expertise
- **Earn a Specialist certification** for passing the qualifying exam
- **Put that CCIE logo** on all your social media profiles

We've created a "Resources Guide" to help prepare you for success on your CCIE Collaboration certification journey.

[Get Started](#)

## Earning your CCIE Collaboration certification

The CCIE Collaboration certification program validates your expertise with the latest collaboration solutions for today's job roles. To earn CCIE Collaboration you pass two exams:

- The qualifying exam, **Implementing Cisco Collaboration Core Technologies** (350-801 CLCOR), focuses on your knowledge of collaboration solutions including infrastructure and design, protocols, codecs, and endpoints, Cisco IOS XE gateway and media resources, Call Control, QoS, and collaboration applications. You can prepare for this exam by taking the training course, **Implementing Cisco Collaboration Core Technologies** (CLCOR)
- The 8-hour, hands-on lab exam, **CCIE Collaboration v3.0**, covers the end-to-end lifecycle of complex collaboration solutions from designing and deploying to operating and optimizing

To achieve CCIE certification, you must take and pass your lab exam within 3 years of passing your core exam.

## Industry recognition and real-world know-how

CCIE certification distinguishes you as the best of the best. So go ahead, earn that CCIE Collaboration badge and post it on your social profiles.