ECPI University List of Approved Certifications   Updated: November 4, 2024

Students are encouraged to contact their campus Program Directors and Career Services for more information.

Certification Exam Series (Delivery)	Corresponding Courses	Certification Exam ELIGIBLE FOR BOOKSTORE AWARD = ⚑	Student Cost	Alumni Cost	Exam Approval *Campus Administration may substitute for Program Director*
COLLEGE OF BUSINESS AND COLLEGE OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE					
Business Administration					
ExpertRating	BUS480/L	Business Analyst	$15.00	$20.00	BUS Program Director
	HRM211 (BUS211) or Program Director approval	Human Resources			
	Senior status, after externship; MBA or MSM students	Management Skills Test			
	PMT472/L (BUS472/L)	Project Management			
	BUS328	Six Sigma Green Belt			
PMI (Pearson VUE)	PMT472/L (BUS472/L)	CAPM Certified Associate in Project Management. ⚑	$15.00	$20.00	BUS Program Director
Criminal Justice					
Additional certifications are also available and offered at no cost. The free certifications are embedded in courses. To learn more, contact the campus CJ Program Director.					
CompTIA (Pearson VUE)	CST160 (CIS150), CYB250 (CIS212), CYB200 (CIS225)	N10-008 Network+	$15.00	$20.00	CJ Program Director
	CYB250 (CIS212)	SY0-701 Security+ ⚑			
CertNexus	CJ229	CyberSAFE	$15.00	$20.00	CJ Program Director
EC-Council (Pearson VUE with on-site proctor)	CYB400 (CIS403), CYB410 (CIS411)	CEH 312-50 Certified Ethical Hacker ⚑	$15.00	$20.00	CJ Program Director
	CYB400 (CIS403), CYB410 (CIS411)	CHFI Computer Hacking Forensic Investigator ⚑			
Management & Strategy Institute (MSI)	CJ100	Six Sigma Lean Yellow Belt	$15.00	$20.00	CJ Program Director
Security Today Academy & STAM	CJ380	Biometric Technology	$15.00	$20.00	CJ Program Director
Signing Online (American Sign Language)	CJ100	Signing Online Credential Level 1: Beginning ASL	$15.00	$20.00	CJ Program Director
		Signing Online Credential Level 2: Basic ASL			
		Signing Online Credential Level 3: Intermediate ASL			
		Signing Online Credential Level 4: Advanced ASL			
VA DCJS	CJ100	01E-Security Officer Core Subjects Entry-level ⚑	$15.00	$20.00	CJ Program Director
		05E-Armed Security Officer Arrest Authority			
		075E-Security Officer Handgun			
COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY					
Electronic Engineering Technology, Electronic Systems Engineering Technology, MET, Mechatronics					
Autodesk AutoCAD	EET192; MET, MECH, CAD	ACU Autodesk Certified User Certification in AutoCAD	$15.00	$20.00	ET Program Director
	EET192L, MET213	ACU Autodesk Inventor Certified User			
	CAD108, CAD110	ACU Autodesk Certified User Revit			
CompTIA (Pearson VUE)	EET250	A+ 220-1101 & 220-1102 *Note: must complete 220-1101 & 220-1102 to become certified and be eligible for Bookstore Award*	$15.00	$20.00	ET Program Director
Electronics Technician Association (ETA)	EET110	Associate CET (CETa): EM1 DC	$15.00	$20.00	ET Program Director
	EET111/L	Associate CET (CETa): EM2 AC			
	EET120/121	Associate CET (CETa): EM3 Analog			
	EET130/230	Associate CET (CETa): EM4 Digital			
	EET110, EET111/L, EET120/121, EET130/230	Associate CET (CETa): EM5 Comprehensive ⚑			
NVIDIA	EET207	AI for Anomaly Detection	No Cost	No Cost	ET Program Director
		AI for Predictive Maintenance			
		AI on the Jetson Nano			
		Fundamentals of Deep Learning			
Information & Cybersecurity Operations, Information Technology					
AWS (Pearson VUE)	CYB450 (CIS242)	CLF-C02 AWS Certified Cloud Practitioner	$15.00	$20.00	CIS Program Director
Cisco (Pearson VUE)	CST160 (CIS150), CYB220/L (CIS202/L), CYB200 (CIS225); ACS300	CCNA 200-301 v1.1 Implementing & Admin.Cisco Solutions ⚑	$15.00	$20.00	CIS Program Director
CompTIA (Pearson VUE)	CST120 (CIS101); ACS100	A+ 220-1101 & 220-1102 *Note: must complete 220-1101 & 220-1102 to become certified and be eligible for Bookstore Award* ⚑	$15.00	$20.00	CIS Program Director
	CYB495 (CIS495); ACS451	CAS-004 CASP+ Advanced Security Practitioner ⚑			
	CYB260 (CIS142); ACS325	CV0-003 Cloud+ ⚑			
	CYB430 (CIS425)	CS0-003 CySA+ Cybersecurity Analyst			
	CST120 (CIS101)	FC0-U61 ITF+ IT Fundamentals			
	CST200 (CIS206), CYB340 (CIS305); ACS250	XK0-005 Linux+ ⚑			
	CST160 (CIS150), CYB220 (CIS202), CYB250 (CIS212), CYB200 (CIS225), CYB240 (CIS245); ACS150	N10-008 Network+ ⚑			
	CYB250 (CIS212), CYB300/L (CIS230/L); ACS200	SY0-701 Security+ ⚑			
	CYB360 (CIS251), CYB340 (CIS305); ACS225, ACS250	SK0-005 Server+ ⚑			
	CST100	FC0-U71 Tech+			

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Information & Cybersecurity Operations, Information Technology					
EC-Council (Pearson VUE on-site proctor)	CYB400/L (CIS403/L), CYB410 (CIS411)	CEH 312-50 Certified Ethical Hacker ⚸	$15.00	$20.00	CIS Program Director
NVIDIA	CYB120 (CIS123)	AI for Anomaly Detection	No Cost	No Cost	CIS Program Director
		AI for Predictive Maintenance			
		AI on the Jetson Nano			
		Fundamentals of Deep Learning			
Python Institute (Pearson VUE)	CYB120, SDC205/L (CIS123)	PCAP-31-03 Certified Associate in Python Programmer	$15.00	$20.00	CIS Program Director
	CYB120, SDC205/L (CIS123)	PCEP-31-02 Certified Entry-Level in Python Programmer	$15.00	$20.00	
VMware (Pearson VUE)	CYB420/L (CIS253/L)	VCTA-DCV VMware Certified Technical Associate - Data Center Virtualization ⚸	$15.00	$20.00	CIS Program Director
Software Development & Coding					
Atlassian	SDC255	APB-330 Jira Cloud Essentials with Agile Mindset Pro Skills Badge	$15.00	$20.00	CIS Program Director
Oracle University	SDC250 (CIS250)	1Z0-071 Oracle Database SQL ⚸	$15.00	$20.00	CIS Program Director
	SDCELE (CIS436/L)	1Z0-149 Oracle Database 19c: Program with PL/SQL			
	SDC230 or SDC330 (CIS218)	1Z0-808 Java SE 8 Programmer I ⚸			
	SDC230 or SDC 330 (CIS218)	1Z0-809 Java SE 8 Programmer II			
Master of Science in Cybersecurity					
CompTIA (Pearson VUE)	MSCS501; ACS200	SY0-701 Security+ ⚸	$20.00		CIS Program Director
EC-Council (Pearson VUE on-site proctor)	MSCS639 EC-Council materials	CHFI Computer Hacking Forensic Investigator ⚸	$20.00		CIS Program Director
ISC2 (Pearson Professional)	All MSCS courses	CISSP Certified Info.Specialist Systems Security Professional ⚸	$20.00		CIS Program Director
	MSCS615	CCSP Certified Cloud Security Professional			

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\multicolumn COLLEGE OF NURSING						
\multicolumn Nursing (Associate Degree and B.S. Degree)					
Students may take upon completion of program.					
Licensure	All Courses	National Council Licensure Examination-RN (NCLEX-RN)	\multicolumn VA-$105.00; NC-$78.25; SC-$85.00; FL-$88.00; TX-$78.00		Director of ADN
\multicolumn Practical Nursing (Diploma)					
Students may take upon completion of program.					
Licensure	All Courses	National Council Licensure Examination-PN (NCLEX-PN)	\multicolumn VA-$100.00; NC-$78.25; SC-$85.00		Director of Practical Nursing
\multicolumn COLLEGE OF HEALTH SCIENCE					
\multicolumn Dental Assistant (Associate Degree)					
Students may take upon completion of program.					
Certification	All Courses	Infection Control Examination (ICE)	ICE-$67.50; RHS-$67.50		Dental Assistant National Board
		Radiation Health and Safety (RHS)			
		Registered Dental Assistant (RDA)	$37.50		American Medical Technologists
Diagnostic Medical Sonography (Associate Degree)					
Students may take upon completion of program.					
National Certification	All Courses	Certified Sonographer R.T. (S) (ARRT)	$56.25		American Registry of Radiologic Technologists
Students may take upon completion of Ultrasound Physics and Instrumentation exam.					
National SPI Certification	DMS105, DMS106	Sonography Principles and Instrumentation (SPI)	$62.50		American Registry of Diagnostic Medical Sonographers
Students may take upon completion of the ARRT Sonography Certification exam.					
Healthcare Administration (B.S. Degree)					
Students may take upon completion of program.					
Virginia State License Fee	All Courses	Application for state approval to sit for license	$78.75		Virginia Department of Health
National Certification Boards	All Courses	Licensed Nursing Home Administrator	$110.00		National Association of LTC Administrator Boards
		Licensed Assisted Living Administrator	$103.75		
		License for Home and Community Based Services	$103.75		
ExpertRating	BUS328L	Six Sigma Green Belt	$15.00	$20.00	Director of HCA Program
National Certification	All Courses	Registered Diagnostic Medical Sonograher (RDMS)	RDMS Specialty exams $68.75		American Registry of Diagnostic Medical Sonographers
Medical Assisting (Diploma and Associate Degree)					
Students may take upon completion of program.	*Preferred for employment.*				
Certification	All Courses	Certified Medical Assistant (CMA)	$15.00		American Association of Medical Assistants
Registry (Pearson VUE)	All Courses	Registered Medical Assistant (RMA)	$15.00		American Medical Technologists
		Registered Phlebotomy Technician (RPT)	$15.00		
National Certification	Completion of selected courses	Certified Clinical Medical Assistant (CCMA)	$40.00		National Healthcareer Association
		Certified Medical Administrative Assistant (CMAA)	$31.25		
		Certified Electrocardiography Technician (CET)			
		Certified Medical Billing/Coding Specialist (CBCS)			
		Certified Phlebotomy Technician (CPT)			
		Electronic Health Record Specialist (CEHRS)			

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\multicolumn COLLEGE OF HEALTH SCIENCE					
Medical Radiography (Associate Degree)					
*Students may take upon completion of program.* * Newport News and No. Virginia only. Virginia does not require a license for non-hospital workers. States have different requirements.					
State license*	All Courses	Radiologic Technologist	$33.75		State Medical Licensing Board
Credentials via ARRT		Radiography	$56.25		American Registry of Radiologic Technologists
(Medical Radiography) Radiologic Sciences (B.S. Degree)					
*Students may take upon completion of program.* * Program only offered Online.					
Credentials via ARRT	CT or MRI course	CT or MRI Technologist	$56.25		American Registry of Radiologic Technologists
Paramedic (Associate Degree)					
Students may take upon completion of program.		Preferred for employment.			
National Certification	All Courses	National Registered Paramedic Certification (NRP)	$40.00	n/a	National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians
Pharmacy Technician (Certificate)					
*Students may take upon completion of program.* * Program only offered Online.					
Certification (NHA)	All Courses	ExCPT Pharmacy Technician (CPhT)	$115.00		National Healthcareer Association
National Certification (Pearson VUE)	All Courses	Pharmacy Technician Certification Exam (PTCE)	$129.00	n/a	Pharmacy Technician Certification Board (PTCB)
Physical Therapist Assistant (Associate Degree)					
*Students may take upon completion of program.*					
Licensure	All Courses	National Physical Therapy Examination for Physical Therapist Assistants	$148.25		Federation of State Boards of Physical Therapy
Surgical Technology (Associate Degree)					
*Students may take upon completion of program.*					
Certification	All Courses	Certified Surgical Technologist	$47.50		National Board of Surgical Technology and Surgical Assisting (NBSTSA)
CULINARY INSTITUTE OF VIRGINIA					
Culinary Arts and Applied Nutrition (AAS Degree)					
*Students may take upon completion of program.*					
Certification (ANFP)	CAA260, BPA245, NUT110, NUT210, NUT220, NUT230, NUT240	Certified Dietary Manager	$100.00		Association of Nutrition & Foodservice Professionals