



**DEVELOP AND
VALIDATE MICROSOFT
KNOWLEDGE AND
EXPERIENCE WITH
CERTIFICATIONS
FROM QA.**



With organisations currently rushing to digitise every aspect of their businesses (where possible), IT professionals are now centre stage of every business strategy, implementing imperative technical solutions to solve challenging business problems.

Yet with technology moving at an exponential pace, even more expectations are placed on these professionals. To succeed, they must keep up with constant new features making it critical to continually upskill and train to get the most from solutions such as those provided by Microsoft which are driving innovation in technology.



BENEFITS OF CERTIFICATION



9 years

Only after nine years in a role did IT professionals without a certification have the same influence as an IT professional with one certification¹



67%

67% of certified professionals report greater self confidence in their abilities as a result of being certified.²



26%

IT professionals perform 26% better than colleagues with the same responsibilities who were not certified.³



91%

91% of IT professionals believe that training strongly contributes to DX success.⁴



20%

Trained and certified teams responsible for core IT activities are almost 20% more productive than less proficient staff.⁵

HOW CERTIFICATION IMPACTS DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION (DX) INITIATIVES?



20%

Cloud engineers spend 20% less time setting up the infrastructure, completing significant projects nearly two days sooner than uncertified engineers.⁶



55%

Cloud administrators are 55% more likely to be able to determine the scope of impact of a security issue with a virtual machine than uncertified engineers.⁷



40%

Enterprise administrators spend 40% less time designing and implementing Microsoft 365 services than uncertified engineers.⁸



37%

Security engineers have 37% fewer network-related security incidents that impact multiple devices than uncertified engineers.⁹

WHY CERTIFICATIONS WITH MICROSOFT?

Who you learn from matters!

¹Source: IDC, Do Certifications Increase IT Professional Impact in the Enterprise?, Doc # US46090520, February 2020

²Source: Pearson Vue, Value of certification, 2018

³Source: IDC White Paper, sponsored by Microsoft, Leveraging Microsoft Learning Partners for Innovation and Impact, doc #US47225021, January 2021

⁴Source: IDC White Paper, sponsored by Microsoft, Business Value of Digital Transformation and the Contribution of a Growth Mindset in IT, Doc #US46245620, May 2020

⁵Source: IDC White Paper, sponsored by Microsoft, Business Value of Digital Transformation and the Contribution of a Growth Mindset in IT, Doc #US46245620, May 2020

⁶Source: IDC White Paper, sponsored by Microsoft, Leveraging Microsoft Learning Partners for Innovation and Impact, doc #US47225021, January 2021

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WHY STUDY VIA QA?

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MICROSOFT AZURE FUNDAMENTALS

"The online classroom worked really well..."

Cem was incredibly engaging, and knowledgeable. The way he explained everything was interesting and helped to solidify what he was teaching us. The answers to our questions were answered in depth, and using various examples. I would love to be on another course with Cem as the teacher."

- Marcus Tedde

MICROSOFT AZURE SECURITY TECHNOLOGIES

"Karen was great - she lead the perfect mix between demos, labs and practical walkthroughs. Her knowledge was exceptional and no question fazed her."

- Zoe Mackenzie

MICROSOFT AZURE ADMINISTRATOR

"Attended from home due to COVID but have previously opted for classroom. This was a good experience."

- Gavin Smith

MICROSOFT AZURE FUNDAMENTALS

"This was fully professional training in terms of content presentation, time utilisation and punctuality of start and end time of sessions during the day..."

QA were very accurate and quick for providing info right from registration to completion of training... QA provides lots of resources during training and pointed us in right directions for additional resources to prepare for the certification exam."

- Maunesh Shah

LEARNING METHODS



You cannot execute a transformation programme without offering a breadth of learning modalities.



Tom O'Reilly,
Head of Group Strategy,
QA

Whether you want to remotely dial into a classroom course, learn at your own pace, or experience our top-of-the-class training facilities, QA offers you the highest-quality learning.

MOST POPULAR MICROSOFT COURSES

(as chosen by our learners)

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| MAZ104 | Microsoft Azure Administrator |
| MAZ300 | Microsoft Azure Solutions Architect - Technologies |
| M10961 | Automating Administration with Windows PowerShell |
| MAZ500 | Microsoft Azure Security Technologies |
| M207031 | Administering System Center Configuration Manager |
| MAZ900 | Microsoft Azure Fundamentals |
| MD101 | Microsoft Managing Modern Desktops |
| MAZ9000 | Microsoft Azure Fundamentals (2 Day) |
| M10997 | Office 365 Administration and Troubleshooting |
| MAZ400 | Microsoft Azure DevOps Solution |

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