advancing the business of technology
Who is **CompTIA.**
Advancing the global technology industry.

The Computing Technology Industry Association (CompTIA) is a leading voice and advocate for the $4.8 trillion global technology ecosystem; and the more than 35 million global IT workforce who design, implement, manage, and safeguard the technology that powers the global economy. Through education, training, certifications, advocacy, philanthropy, and market research, CompTIA is the hub for advancing the tech industry and its workforce.

Visit [CompTIA.org](http://CompTIA.org) to learn more.
Where will CompTIA take you?

In an era of perpetual disruption – much of it propelled by breakthroughs in business technology – access to industry insights and expertise is more essential than ever. So is CompTIA.

As the trusted resource for tens-of-thousands of technology focused organizations and individuals, CompTIA is the beating heart of an international collective dedicated to influencing the adoption of existing and emerging technologies, driving their relevance in business. CompTIA connects today’s innovators with enablers, who together, are actively redefining the state of business technology.

Our members include organizations from across the industry, from manufacturers to ISVs, broad-line distributors to cloud hosters, solution providers to SaaS partners, vertical market consultants to business application developers and beyond. All members enjoy a wealth of resources that, when leveraged, result in measurable impact, including:

• Industry Insight & Business Tools
• Events & Education
• Communities
• Industry Advisory Councils
• Public Sector Councils
• Advocacy
• Philanthropy
• Certifications

Where will CompTIA take you? Learn about member benefits in this brochure or go to CompTIA.org to explore unlimited resources.
Industry Insights & Business Tools

Relevant and dependable research and business tools.

CompTIA serves as the connection point for unbiased content, credible guidance, thought leadership and supportive collaborations that inform vertical markets and inspire transformative applications—from automation and aerial drones to big data and blockchain. All which make CompTIA the high-tech trade association you need to be part of. How do we do it?

Research & Market Intelligence

Our steady stream of research and market intelligence studies provide members with timely, relevant data and assessments that can offer direction to business, marketing, education and sales strategies. Our research team collects data from tens of thousands of end-users and tech companies on a wide range of issues covering technology trends and the IT workforce.

Business Tools

CompTIA.org offers a fully loaded toolbox armed with resources that includes guides and templates that you can use in your day-to-day operations. Our most downloaded resources provide valuable information on cloud computing, security, managed services, marketing, sales, go-to-market strategies, and so much more.

Standards

Developed by technology industry experts – including CompTIA Community and Industry Advisory Council members, IT pros and industry thought leaders – CompTIA Standards are a roadmap to smart business practices. Prescribed by your peers, CompTIA Standards make it possible for anyone to drive business growth and expansion.
Find CompTIA Industry Insight & Business Tools at CompTIA.org/insight-tools. Registered Users can access select content free of charge while Premier Members have unlimited access to all content.
Events & Education
Your opportunity to grow, learn and network.

The tech industry is constantly evolving and we’re proud to play a part in shaping the industry as it changes. A big part of ensuring positive change is collaboration and learning. We bring the technology community together through our trainings such as executive forums, regional events and virtual meetings. Everybody has a chance to contribute their own ideas and visions for the future of technology.

**ChannelCon** – the tech industry’s premier annual education, networking and partnering event is the place to connect. ChannelCon features a plethora of top-notch speakers, engaging community meetings, a variety of education tracks, and fun networking activities.

**CompTIA Community Forum (CCF)** – a one-of-a-kind industry gathering, for both the highly-engaged members and those new to CompTIA, loaded with content and activities designed to improve our industry, businesses and ourselves.

**EMEA Member & Partner Conference** – an event bringing together all organizations building, selling or influencing the adoption of technology to collaborate, partner and share best practices to prosper in this expanding ecosystem.

**DC Fly-In** – a two-day member-only event in Washington, D.C. that allows members to meet with their congressional representatives, participate in a Tech Policy Summit and honor CompTIA’s Tech Champions at our annual awards dinner.

**Webinars** – our webinars feature an all-star roster of speakers on the most relevant and timely industry topics. These live, interactive seminars allow you to engage with experts in your field and advance your knowledge and skillset in a virtual environment.

Check out what CompTIA Events & Education has to offer and download our training catalog at [CompTIA.org/events/training](http://CompTIA.org/events/training).
Communities
Tech forums to connect with like-minded peers.

Our industry communities make our goal of advancing the tech industry possible. These forums are filled with experts from a range of different markets that include thought leaders, consultants, as well as representatives from technology vendors, solution providers and influencers. Our community members collaborate on initiatives that not only advance their marketspaces but shape the future of the global tech industry as well.

**Advancing Diversity in Technology (ADIT)**
The ADIT Community is dedicated to supporting and promoting workforce diversity; helping companies create work environments inclusive of all people regardless of age, cultural background, physical abilities, race, religion, gender and sexual orientation.

**Advancing Women in Technology (AWIT)**
The AWIT Community provides networking opportunities and develops member-driven initiatives that inspire and encourage women to enter the industry and grow successful careers in tech.

**ANZ Channel**
The ANZ Channel Community offers companies engaged in IT delivery services a forum for Australia and New Zealand-specific discussion.

**Canadian Business Technology**
The Canadian Business Technology Community furthers the interests of solution providers, distributors, vendors, influencers and associates driving the business of technology.

**Emerging Technology**
The Emerging Technology Community encourages the adoption of new and emerging technology that will improve business outcomes for members and their clients.

**Future Leaders**
The Future Leaders Community is founded with the idea of understanding and embracing the multi-generational workforce and building best practices. We strive to consider the different characteristics of the next generation of IT workforce and support growth in their careers.

**IT Security**
The IT Security Community watches the security landscape to help you stay on top of the ever-changing challenges and opportunities. Our mission is to help you protect your client’s business as well as drive profitability and growth in your own.

**Managed Services**
The Managed Services Community works together to advance the industry through the promotion of best practices, the development of tools and templates and the refining of educational tracks for managed service providers.

**Technology Lifecycle Services (TLS)**
The TLS Community is dedicated to helping technical services remain relevant and profitable—today and in the future. We collaborate with other CompTIA communities and industry experts to develop tools and educational resources services-oriented companies can use to improve their delivery and business models.

**UK Channel**
The UK Channel Community offers companies engaged in IT delivery services a forum for UK-specific discussion.

See how you can get involved in one (or more) of our communities at CompTIA.org/communities.
Industry Advisory Councils
Empowering the business of technology.

CompTIA's Industry Advisory Councils play a vital role in identifying evolving markets and help those in the industry keep abreast of the latest innovations. Our appointed members identify, discuss, debate and prioritize issues and challenges that impact the broader technology ecosystem, including hardware, software, business applications, data analytics, drones, robotics, technology and flight service providers, integrators, distributors and end-users.

**Blockchain Advisory Council (BCAC)**
The BCAC represents this unique industry by bringing together thought leaders to identify industry trends in blockchain affecting the technology ecosystem. They work together to provide valuable resources and tools to help businesses adopt blockchain technology as well as those selling blockchain applications.

**Business Applications Advisory Council (BAAC)**
The BAAC represents cloud software platforms and applications specifically developed for the business buyer seeking to achieve specific business objectives. The council also includes specialized partners, like CPAs and digital marketing agencies, who influence the sale of these products to line of business managers.

**Channel Advisory Board (CAB)**
The CAB is made up of hardware manufacturers, software publishers, service companies, distributors, and technology solution provider companies in the IT sector. The board provides counsel and insight in matters relating to the indirect IT market by sharing industry expertise and experience to help the development of educational programs, business tools and other IT channel resources.

**Drone Advisory Council (DRAC)**
The DRAC will represent and work with all facets of the drone ecosystem and explore new routes to market for this thriving industry. Its members are executives from hardware manufacturers, video and component manufacturers, mapping software, platform providers, insurance companies, experts in FAA regulations and policies, drone pilots and instructors, lawyers, and flight service providers.

**Smart Cities Advisory Council (SCAC)**
The SCAC provides vision and guidance in matters relating to the creation, delivery and support of community technology initiatives. Our members share advice, industry expertise and their past experiences to help the association develop educational resources and programs.

Learn more about our Industry Advisory Councils at CompTIA.org/councils/industry-advisory-councils.
Public Sector Councils
Connecting the public and private sector.

We can connect you with key government officials to enhance your ability to do business. CompTIA Public Sector Councils serve as a collaborative source of knowledge, educational outreach and guidance. We represent you in supporting and improving the development of the state and local government, human services, and space enterprise markets and improving your ability to do business with government customers.

Human Services IT Advisory Group (HSITAG)
HSITAG works with all levels of government to advance delivery of human service programs, improving communications and enhancing partnerships between state and federal human services agencies, non-profits and private sector IT firms. We focus on promoting reform of health and human services delivery and streamlining IT procurements.

Space Enterprise Council (SEC)
The Space Enterprise Council represents all sectors of the space industry, including commercial, civil, and national security interests. Collectively we bring a unique voice to policy discussions centered on space and innovative technology convergence, exploration, and the impact of the space program on economic prosperity and national security.

State & Local Government and Education (SLED) Council
The SLED Council engages members serving the state and local government and education markets in meaningful dialogue with key program leaders and elected government officials. We monitor public sector legislation and weigh in on IT procurement, state’s services portfolios, and emerging IT initiatives that affect your ability to do business.

Learn more about our Public Sector Councils at CompTIA.org/councils/public-sector-councils
CompTIA Advocacy
Advocating for what’s next.

We have dedicated resources in Washington, D.C. and across the country working on your behalf. CompTIA Advocacy supports policies that advance free and open competition, promote a highly-educated and technical workforce and impact the ability of the private sector to effectively research, develop, integrate, manufacture, service and freely sell solutions in the global marketplace. We represent you via our federal, state government affairs and international policy and regulation compliance practices.

**Federal Policy**
CompTIA’s Federal Policy team communicates directly with Congress, the White House, and federal agencies through direct lobbying, grassroots, and thought leadership. The team leverages its expertise and networks to position CompTIA, its member companies and the technology sector within core policy debates. It also leads grassroots efforts around key issues – in partnership with the Technology Councils of North America (TECNA) – to help increase the voice of the industry in Washington, D.C.

**State Government Affairs**
Our State Government Affairs team not only provides state-level tracking, advocacy and grassroots support for the tech industry at state houses across the country, but we also analyze and develop policy positions on literally thousands of pieces of legislation. Ours is a 50-state approach with vigorous lobbying on behalf of our growing membership.

**International Trade Regulations & Compliance**
The CompTIA International Policy and Regulatory Compliance Practice advocates for transparent and streamlined trade laws and regulations to help you minimize risk, optimize trade operations, and improve your bottom line. We monitor customs and export laws and regulations in Washington, D.C. and major trading partner countries and press for action on issues critical to our members.

Learn how you can get involved in our advocacy efforts at CompTIA.org/advocacy.
Philanthropy

Programs that give back to the industry.

The IT industry needs more workers and more workers need more opportunities. CompTIA is combatting this workforce challenge through social innovation. We support our philanthropic efforts along three branches: Creating IT Futures, CompTIA Giving and NextUp.

Creating IT Futures
Through research, program development and partnering, Creating IT Futures innovates a suite of programs to diversify and enlarge the tech workforce. We particularly encourage an IT path for populations that traditionally have been under-represented in the IT workforce.

CompTIA Giving
Both in time and money, CompTIA gives back to IT-related charities that help youth and adults pursue careers in IT and help to diversify the IT workforce. Our Tech Leaders Giving Circle and Member Community annual giving identifies worthwhile charities for donations.

NextUp
NextUp is CompTIA’s and Creating IT Futures’ new initiative to introduce teens to the many possibilities of technology careers and guide them to the tech career of their choosing. Through curricula, projects, partnerships and mentorship, we aim to spark curiosity and passion for technology.

Learn more about how CompTIA gives back at CompTIA.org/about-us/our-story/philanthropy.
Certifications

Vendor-neutral certifications to help grow your career.

Our vendor-neutral certifications help millions of IT pros around the world validate their skills and advance in their careers. Whether you’re an IT professional, a student, an employer, an educator or part of a government entity – CompTIA certifications enable a highly-skilled and confident IT staff that will help fill the IT skills gap and ensure we’re ready for today’s and tomorrow’s IT challenges.
CompTIA Member Benefits

We are the business of technology.

CompTIA Member benefits are aimed at providing our members with a wealth of resources that, when leveraged, result in measurable impact—helping to grow and expand tech businesses and careers. All of which makes CompTIA more than just a trade group promoting the business of technology. It makes us the foundation for a deeper level of professional connectivity.

CompTIA Members enjoy:

**Expansion | Direction | Connections | Collaboration | Innovation**

**INDUSTRY INSIGHTS & BUSINESS TOOLS**
Immediate access to relevant, unbiased and dependable research. Use unlimited amounts of data in your presentations and even co-brand reports with your company logo!

**COMMUNITIES & COUNCILS**
Tech forums to engage with like-minded peers and the ability to serve in a leadership position.

**EVENTS & EDUCATION**
Your opportunity to grow, learn and network. Access Executive certificate courses, extensive 10-week guides and e-learning. Plus enjoy unlimited, complimentary registrations to all CompTIA events for everyone in your organization.

**MEMBER DIRECTORY**
Inclusion in and access to the full CompTIA member directory.

**STANDARDS**
Published protocols to benefit technology service providers around the world. The standards define what it means to operate a best-in-class business.
DISCOUNTS
Discounts on vendor-neutral IT certifications for your technical staff. Plus retail discounts from Geico, ASCII, and FedEx.

TECHTALENT, powered by CompTIA
Access to our talent recruitment and AI assisted career portal for the tech industry.

ADVOCACY
Ability to participate in CompTIA-organized meetings with lawmakers (available in the U.S. only at this time).

ARE YOU A TECHNOLOGY VENDOR?
CHECK OUT THESE ADDED BENEFITS!

LIVE EDUCATION
Deploy our education content at live partner events; a huge value! We provide CompTIA instructors to deliver the content, at no cost to you.

COMPLIMENTARY EXHIBIT SPACE
Free booth/stand* at ChannelCon or the EMEA Member & Partner Conference, the industry’s premier education and training events.

CO-BRANDED WEBINARS & CONTENT SYNDICATION FEED
Free customizable webinars and RSS feed to support your partner program.

*not included at $675 dues level
Premier Member Dues Schedule

Your membership pays for itself with rich benefits at your fingertips.

Technology Solution Provider Annual Dues

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Visit CompTIA.org/register/solution-provider-application to apply.

“We get a sense of not only how technology is moving forward, but how we as members can really help shape that.”

*Cristina Greysman, SAP America*

“As a premier member, I get access to content ahead of time; all the white papers and research that CompTIA spends millions of dollars to generate.”

*Victor Johnston, Inspired Business Innovations, LLC*
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*May exchange 1 Live Deployment for up to 5 webinars. Additional live educational deployments can be purchased for a fee of $2,000 per session (full day trainings are $2,500) and webinars at $325 per session. This pricing supersedes all previous pricing.

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Not ready for a Premier Member benefits package?

Registered User status allows you instant access to a limited number of CompTIA’s IT industry insight. Explore and download research reports, training guides and join in on the community discussions. Use our guidance and resources to help you expand and thrive in the tech ecosystem.

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» Educational training guides
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» White papers
» Case studies

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