## **MSSP** Partner Certification

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MSSP Partner Certification Guidebook

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### Introduction

Forcepoint has many resources to educate Managed Security Service Provider (MSSP) Partners. The purpose of this guide is to introduce MSSP Partners on where to find training, what courses and certifications are available, and recommend certifications based on role type within MSSP Partner organizations.

For any questions, please contact your Forcepoint Channel Account Manager (CAM) or <u>partner@forcepoint.com</u>. For certificates of completion, technical certification, and course progress, please email <u>Learn@forcepoint.com</u>, copying your CAM.

### Access

All Forcepoint MSSP Partner training can be found in the Forcepoint Cyber Institute (FCI). Within FCI is a variety of training courses and certifications, including: e-learnings, instructor-led, virtual instructor-led, blended learnings, digital learning assets, and more.

To access FCI, first make sure you have access to the <u>Partner Portal</u>. If you do not have access, please reach out to <u>Partner@forcepoint.com</u>, or contact your CAM. Once onboarded, you will receive an email to set your credentials.

Once in the Partner Portal, click on the 'Training and Compliance' tab and then 'Forcepoint Cyber Institute'. This will take you to the <u>Learner Dashboard</u> page which is a personalized dashboard where you can view assigned courses assigned, in-progress or completed training, and any certifications earned.

To access available training, click 'Learning Content' and 'Content Catalog' to see the complete Forcepoint catalog.

**Note:** The first time you log in you will see a 'Partner Verification' course to complete. Please make sure to launch and complete this to unlock all benefits as a MSSP Partner.

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## Certification Requirements

The Forcepoint MSSP Partner Program has sales, sales/system engineer, and technical support engineer certification requirements for each MSSP Partner. Each certification that an individual completes will count towards the MSSP Partner's compliance within the MSSP Partner Program.

For additional information on Certification Requirements, please contact your CAM or reference the Forcepoint Managed Security Service Provider Program guide.

Course Type	Description	Number of Certifications
Sales Course	Learn how to successfully position and sell Forcepoint ONE. Self-paced training.	At least Two Account Managers/Directors certified
System Engineer Course	Receive an architecture overview of Forcepoint ONE and learn how to deploy, configure & administer it. Options are self-paced and/or instructor led sessions with a hands-on lab environment. We recommend instructor lead for those supporting the solution.	At least Two Engineers certified
Technical Support Engineer Course	Receive detailed instructor led training to understand common issues, troubleshoot, gather logs and fault-find for L1 and L2 issues.	At least Two Engineers certified

### Certifications

Here are the Forcepoint ONE certifications available in Forcepoint Cyber Institute for each category type:

Certification Type	Certifications	Approx. Time	Link
Sales	Forcepoint ONE SSE – Level 1	1.33 hours	<u>Link</u>
Sales / Sales Engineer	Forcepoint ONE SSE – Level 2	1.25 hours	<u>Link</u>
Administrator / System Engineer	Deploy and Administer Forcepoint ONE SSE (Instructor Lead + Exam)	32 hours	<u>Link</u>
Technical Support Engineer			<u>Link</u>

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For questions, please contact your Forcepoint representative or email the Forcepoint partner team at partners@forcepoint.com.

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