



PROGRAM OVERVIEW AND FAQs

Extreme Academy was built with one purpose in mind, to educate and inspire the next generation of technologists. The education program includes courses that are designed to help introduce students to networking technology and help them enter the industry with foundational skills.

What is the Extreme Academy Instructor Program?

Extreme Academy Instructor was created for people who want to teach foundational skills in networking but might not be part of an Extreme Academy Organisation. It allows people who are passionate about networking to volunteer and teach others by providing them with resources and links to an industry certification for their students.

Who can become an Extreme Academy Instructor?

Anyone with a passion and knowledge of networking that is in a position to teach. This might be volunteering at a local careers site, being a guest teacher at a University or College locally, or even training up new hires within your own company.

Why become an Extreme Academy Instructor?

Being an Extreme Academy Instructor provides you with the resources to share your knowledge and enthusiasm for networking and impact others. You can help new talent enter the industry and volunteer to make a difference.

What do I have to do to become an Extreme Academy Instructor?

Firstly, contact the [Extreme Academy Team](#) to let them know you are interested. You will then be sent Extreme Academy Instructor exam information. All you need to do is pass the specific exam of the course(s) you would like to teach after watching EA Instructor introduction videos. The exams sit on our Dojo Platform and once you've passed you will receive a certificate. Once certified, you'll be sent the resources to teach with and offered an introductory call with the Extreme Academy Team.



“With the growing demand for networking solutions, comes an increased need for networking expertise. Extreme Academy helps organizations build a team of onsite experts, enabling them to get the most value out of their networking solutions. With the Instructor program, we're helping organizations fight the IT staffing shortage by equipping employees with skills, expertise and education that will create significant value for both the organization and its people. Extreme Academy is a fast-growing community of networking experts that can learn, collaborate and thrive off each other's knowledge and success.”

ISAAC DE ABREU, SENIOR TECHNICAL TRAINER AND CONTENT CREATOR, EXTREME NETWORKS



INTRODUCTION TO FUTURE NETWORKS



BUILDING SECURE AND ROBUST WIRELESS NETWORKS



BUILDING SCALABLE AND MISSION CRITICAL NETWORKS

What Extreme Academy Courses can I teach as an Extreme Academy Instructor?

There are currently 3 technical courses available for Extreme Academy Instructors to teach, they were built to progress on from each other. Once a student completes a course and the exam successfully, they achieve an Extreme Networks Associate Certification in the Course taken. Course Overviews linked:

- 1 [Introduction to Future Networking](#)
- 2 [Building Secure and Robust Wireless Networks](#)
- 3 [Designing Scalable and Mission Critical Networks](#)

What resources are available to Extreme Academy Instructors?

Extreme Academy Instructors receive: teaching slides, assignment tasks, links to our exam platform (Dojo) to certify their students and a branding package. In addition to these resources, instructors can use the video content on YouTube to support their teaching.

Is there a cost involved?

No, the certification and resources are free. Extreme Academy Instructors just need a love of teaching and technology and the commitment of their time to students.



“Becoming an Extreme Academy Instructor has given me the opportunity to help deliver courses that immediately and positively impact the careers of budding professionals in networking. Filling talent gaps is easier and much more cost effective if we can do it through training that helps develop that talent in-house, instead of spending our resources on recruitment. Extreme Academy gives businesses an opportunity to scale their teams faster with existing talent, while offering development and career advancement opportunities.”

DAVID STOOKE, CHIEF LEARNING OFFICER, ORCCOM LTD AND EXTREME ACADEMY INSTRUCTOR

How is teaching delivered by an Extreme Academy Instructor?

Extreme Academy Instructors have options, they can either deliver courses online or in person. Courses can be taught in 2 day blocks or split up as shorter teaching sessions over weeks. An instructor could also hybrid teach by supporting their classes with some of the existing [Extreme Academy YouTube Training videos](#).

How do I apply to become an Extreme Academy Instructor?

Email extremeacademy@extremenetworks.com to let us know you're interested and a bit about how you would like to teach Extreme Academy Courses.

How do I become an Extreme Academy Super Instructor?

An Extreme Academy Super Instructors is someone who teachers and certifies over 30 Extreme Networks Associate Students per year. Make sure you [get in contact with us](#) once you've taught over 30 students as we would like to celebrate this with you!

