## Gain a Competitive Advantage in the Global Economy







Cisco® Networking Academy® is an innovative education initiative that delivers information and communication technology (ICT) skills to help meet the growing demand for ICT professionals while improving career and educational opportunities in communities around the world

## **Wanted: Tech-Savvy Workers**

Internet services support many business-critical activities such as social networking, information exchanges, e-commerce, collaboration, research, and skill development. These capabilities are all powered by networks, and organizations around the world are experiencing a shortage of qualified ICT candidates to design, install, and manage these networks.

Cisco Networking Academy enables individual to develop valuable ICT skills that will help them succeed in the global economy. Academies are located in secondary schools, colleges and technical schools, universities, and community organizations in more than 160 countries.

Use the Academy Locator to find an academy near you.

## Preparation for 21<sup>st</sup> Century Careers

Students around the world receive the same quality of education through engaging online courses, which are supported by classroom instruction, hands-on labs, interactive tools, and performance tracking capabilities. Networking Academy courses are designed to prepare individuals for internationally-recognized certifications and successful careers in a variety of industries.

Cisco Networking Academy courses cover a range of topics, from basic networking to advanced technologies, to prepare students for specialized certifications and professional careers in ICT. View the <a href="Course Catalog">Course Catalog</a> to learn more.

## "Mind Wide Open" Possibilities

The Internet is changing life as we know it; bringing new opportunities to communities throughout the world and providing a platform for life experiences on the human network. By joining the global Networking Academy community, you will gain access to an extensive support network and career development tools to help you become an architect of the networked economy. Learn more

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