



Certified OPC Professional™ Designation

- Keep your designation with you throughout your career
- Recognized by OPC Foundation member companies
- Keep your skills relevant, applicable and competitive
- Position yourself as an expert within your industry
- Benefit from career and personal advancement
- Stand out among your peers



Show you're a professional with your COP designation...

The Certified OPC Professional (COP) designation is awarded to people who have demonstrated their proficiency with OPC technology, design, architecture and installation.

Students earn credits toward professional designations while increasing their knowledge and understanding in the following areas:



- OPC Specifications (DA, HDA, A&E, UA, etc)
- OPC Security
- Client/server architecture
- OPC configuration
- Eliminating DCOM problems
- Diagnosing and debugging OPC systems
- Solving OPC interoperability problems
- Troubleshooting techniques
- OPC communication infrastructure architecture
- Data acquisition through OPC Client applications
- Design and programming of OPC Servers

Hundreds of the world's largest manufacturers and automation integration companies have Certified OPC Professionals on staff. Companies include:

ABB	Bristol-Myers Squibb	Halliburton	Michelin
Air Liquide	Claymont Steel	Hess Corporation	Schlumberger
Aspen Technology	DuPont	Honeywell	Schneider Electric
Audi	E.ON UK	Invensys	Shell
Bechtel	Emerson	Kongsberg Maritime	Siemens
BHP Billiton	ExxonMobil	Lafarge	Toray Plastics
BOC	FMC Technologies	Lehigh Cement	Volvo
Borealis	General Electric	Marathon Oil	Wyeth
BP	GlaxoSmithKline	Metso Automation	Xcel Energy

Certification Endorsed by OPC Foundation member companies...

The OPC Training Institute is a vendor independent institution. We don't develop, sell or endorse any OPC application. At the OPC Training Institute our focus is on training.

We are grateful for the support shown by many OPC Foundation member companies through their generous donation of software used in OPCTI training courses. These same member companies, and more, endorse the Certified OPC Professional designation.



Earn a COP designation at each level of training...

Completion of the COP designation program requires individuals to successfully complete all levels of the OPC Hands-On Training program. Each level has 12 hours of instruction and hands-on training spread over two days.

Level 1: OPC & DCOM Diagnostics

Level 2: OPC Security

Level 3: OPC Unified Architecture

Level 4: OPC Integration Projects



OPCTI awards a certificate after students complete each level of training. Those who successfully complete all four levels will receive their Certified OPC Professional (COP) designation.

"I recommend that all professionals responsible for implementing and supporting OPC servers obtain training at the OPC Training Institute."

Paul Biello, COP Level 2

Vendor Neutral Training... Look for the logo

Certified OPC Professionals are ready to tackle any OPC project in any situation. There are two reasons for this. First, no other company offers the breadth of OPC training that OPCTI does and, second, training does not focus on a specific vendor's products or applications.

Don't take our word for it though. Neil Bywater, an Automation Professional and COP Level 2 says, "The workshop analogies were good as was the enthusiasm of the instructors. They understood the subject. The vendor neutrality aspect of the workshop increased its effectiveness."



Look for the official COP logo and avoid imitations. The OPC Training Institute is the only organization that awards the COP designation.



Worldwide Training

Hands-on training means every workshop participant gets dedicated use of a computer for the duration of the course. OPCTI workshops can be found across the globe with each course being taught by an experienced OPC professional. For most attendees, an OPCTI workshop is only a drive or short flight away.



Visit the OPC Training Institute website at www.opcti.com to view the dates and worldwide locations of upcoming workshops. Once there, take the first step to becoming a **Certified OPC Professional** and register for a course online.

About the OPC Training Institute

OPCTI is the largest OPC training company in the world. Unlike other companies that offer vendor-biased information, OPCTI focuses strictly on training and does not sell any software products or services.

OPCTI's comprehensive workshops provide automation professionals with a proven training program that enables them to quickly take on the challenging task of establishing a robust communication infrastructure. In each workshop, students first learn the theory followed by hands-on exercises that demonstrate common contemporary issues. Each unit has additional exercises to challenge even the most advanced students.

The Certified OPC Professional (COP) designation is endorsed by many OPC Foundation member companies. Holders of the COP designation have demonstrated proficiency with OPC technology, design architecture, installations.

OPCTI is an active member and a strong supporter of the OPC Foundation.

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