



# Google IT Automation with Python Professional Certificate

IT Support isn't just a job, it's a career path. Explore our newest IT training to help learners take the next step in their career - whether they're advancing as an IT Support Specialist, upskilling toward a Junior Systems Administrator role, or pursuing more technical paths.

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## The need

Python is now the [most in-demand programming language by employers](#). Over 530,000 US job postings currently require Python proficiency - including 75,000 entry-level jobs, according to Burning Glass. this new certificate will equip learners with the latest job-ready skills to help take their career to the next level.

## Topics

This certificate is designed to teach learners in-demand skills through five courses and a capstone project. Learners will:

- ✓ **Learn how to program with Python** with no previous knowledge of coding required
- ✓ **Apply automation at scale** by using configuration management and the Cloud
- ✓ **Learn to use Git and GitHub**, to troubleshoot and debug complex problems
- ✓ **Practice technical skills with** hands-on projects to solve a real-world IT problem

## Target learners

Learners should have foundational IT knowledge from the [Google IT Support Professional Certificate](#) or a similar program, including basic computing skills like using files and directories, familiarity with networking concepts, and installing software on an operating system.

## Cost

Coursera offers a reduced rate of \$49/month for individual learners (average completion rate of ~6 months).

Note that the cost to enroll provides learners with access to the graded assessments and the credential that's awarded for successfully completing the program; the video lectures, readings, and practice assessments are available for free to all learners on Coursera.

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