

Partner Enablement Newsletter



Al Roadshow | Copilot | Sales Enablement | Azure | Business Applications | Modern Work | Security | Industry Cloud | SMB Resellers | Other Resources

Microsoft AI Partner Training Roadshow

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*New Dates

Open to all partners

Invite your Microsoft partners to hear about the latest trends and technology in the era of Al, with expert guidance from Microsoft executives and industry leaders like AMD. Check out product demonstrations and hear stories of Al deployments. Deep dive into the skills needed to pitch Microsoft's Al and Copilot capabilities to your customers globally and get hands-on experience with the technology to drive successful implementations.

- Build skills needed for the era of Al: Accelerate your Al and Copilot technical and sales capabilities.
- Choose your Al adventure: Choose one of four Al or Copilot tracks designed to help you master Al technical implementation and drive Al sales success.
- Get expert guidance: Connect with Microsoft AI technical and sales experts across generative AI, cloud-scale data, and app development.

March 19, 2024
Bengaluru, India
May 15, 2024
Santa Clara, USA

 May 23, 2024
 May 29, 2024

 Bonn, Germany
 Tokyo, Japan

Copilot (Sales, Pre-Sales and Technical Enablement)

Copilot for Microsoft 365, Copilot for Security, Copilot Studio, Microsoft Copilot for Service Workshop

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Microsoft Copilot for Service Workshop

Microsoft Copilot Partner Bootcamp

Microsoft Dynamics 365 Customer Service Copilot Workshop

Build and Extend Al-powered Copilots with Copilot Studio Workshop

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Sales Enablement

Fueling CX Transformation: Upleveling Sales and Marketing with D365 CI Webinar

*New Training

Open to all partners

Winning the CRM suite demands a competitive edge, and Dynamics 365 Customer Insights is the foundational tool for achieving just that. Join us to explore what's on the horizon with our product roadmap and uncover how this potent tool can drive your success in the realms of sales and marketing.

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Microsoft Cloud Executive Enablement Series

New episodes focus on AI, Industry, and Enterprise Applications

We're happy to announce the launch of Series 3 and 4 of the Microsoft Cloud Executive Enablement Series. This video and podcast series first debuted in May 2023, granting partners

exclusive access to insights from top executives and experts at Microsoft around the latest trends and technologies in the cloud industry.

Series 3 takes a closer look at the value and potential created by AI and enterprise applications. **Series 4** then dives into the AI opportunity that exists across priority industries: manufacturing, retail, healthcare, and more. All this content helps guides partners in understanding the extensive scope, profound depth, and advantageous business opportunities presented by Microsoft AI and Cloud solutions.

New episodes will go live each Wednesday, starting January 10 through mid-April. As always, each episode will be available in video and podcast format. Please give each episode a watch or listen and share with your teams and partners.

• Video: Microsoft Cloud Executive Enablement Series

• Podcast: Microsoft Cloud Executive Enablement Series

On-demand Sales Content

Register here

Trainings visible once registered.

Available Trainings

- Partner Sales Acceleration Program (PSAP)
- High Volume Acceleration Program
- Solution Play Enablement

Sales Bootcamps

Help learners become proficient at starting sales conversations, solving customer challenges, pitching Microsoft cloud value, and overcoming objections by showcasing real-time customer benefits.

- SMB Sales Bootcamp
- Microsoft Copilot Partner Bootcamp
- FY24 Solution Play Sales Bootcamp
- Microsoft Low Code Sales Bootcamp
- Sales Acceleration Bootcamp
- Do More with Less Sales Bootcamp
- Azure Sales Bootcamp
- Modern Work Bootcamp
- Security Bootcamp
- Business Applications Bootcamp

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Other On-demand Trainings

FY24 High Volume Acceleration Program: Fundamentals Cloud Endpoints Sales Bootcamp Windows 365: Selling Windows in the Cloud Register here Register here Register here

Azure

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Azure and Security Cloud Week for Partners

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Depth enablement

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Migrate and Secure Workloads to Azure Workshop

*New Date

Hands-on Labs will be available to a limited number of Microsoft partner participants. Access to the labs will be issued on a first-come, first-served basis.

Learn how to design a migration strategy to help your customers migrate their onpremises workloads to Azure using the guidance provided by Microsoft Cloud Adoption Framework for Azure.

March 18-21, 2024 PDT May 13-16, 2024

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Microsoft Fabric Workshop

Open to all partners

Learn more about this comprehensive suite of services, including data lake, data engineering, and data integration, all in one place. Learn how to implement this easy-to-use product that is designed to simplify analytics needs of enterprises.

April 8-11, 2024

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Azure OpenAl Workshop

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Hands-on Labs will be available to a limited number of Microsoft partner participants. Access to the labs will be issued on a first-come, first-served basis.

Deepen your understanding of Azure OpenAl Services, tailored for developers and data scientists aiming to do more with less.

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Build and Modernize Al Apps on Azure Workshop

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Hands-on Labs will be available to a limited number of Microsoft partner participants. Access to the labs will be issued on a first-come, first-served basis.

Learn to leverage the power of Microsoft Azure's Apps, Data and AI solutions to modernize and build intelligent apps focusing on internal business critical applications and external customer-facing apps.

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Azure Kubernetes Services (AKS) Workshop

*New Date

Open to all partners

Gain technical insights on how you can use AKS to containerize and deploy applications and benefit from this Azure managed service.

April 30 - May 2, 2024

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On-demand Azure Depth Trainings

Instructor-led intermediate to advanced technical training with technical experts. Uncover new insights, learn about architecture and implementation considerations, and find innovative ways to support business challenges.

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Available Trainings

- GitHub Partner Boot Camp*
- Build and Modernize Al Apps on Azure Workshop
- Microsoft Fabric Workshop
- Azure OpenAl Workshop
- Azure Kubernetes Service (AKS) Workshop
- Migrate and Secure Workloads to Azure Workshop
- Azure VMWare Solution Partner Boot Camp
- Analytics and Al Boot Camp Azure Al Track
- Analytics and Al Boot Camp Fabric Track
- Enlighten your Apps with Cognitive Capabilities and Al Services
- ML and ML-Ops with Azure Machine Learning Service
- Azure Load Testing Technical Webinar
- Azure Al Boot Camp
- Azure Networking and Network Security Boot Camp

- Innovate Across Hybrid with Azure Arc Boot Camp
- Extend and Innovate SAP with Cloud Services Workshop
- Data and AI | Azure Synapse Analytics
- App Innovation | Modernize .Net Apps
- Infrastructure | Azure Virtual Desktop
- Infrastructure | Migration to Azure
- Well Architected Framework Boot Camp
- Modernize Java App and Data with Azure
- App Innovation Boot Camp

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Build Next-generation Al-powered Customer Experiences with Dynamics 365 Customer Insights – Journeys Workshop

Hands-on Labs are exclusive to a limited number of Microsoft partner participants. Access to the labs will be issued on a first-come, first-served basis.

Gain the knowledge and skills needed to create, manage, and analyze customer journeys using Microsoft Dynamics 365 Customer Insights (Journeys).

March 19-21, 2024

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FY24 Customer Success Series

Open to all partners

Learn from our customer success experts about the approach, methodology, insights, and best practices to support your customers' challenges and grow your cloud business.

March 21, 2024 (Session 4)

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April 10-12, 2024

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Dynamics 365 Supply Chain Management – Demand Planning Workshop

*New Training

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- Transform Field Operations with Al and Connected Field Service
- Reimagine Process with Al and Power Automate

- Power Platform | Architecture & Governance
- Build Next-generation Al-powered Customer Experiences with Dynamics 365 Customer Insights - Data Workshop
- Innovate with AI & Power Platform
- Optimize Dynamics 365 Implementations with Process-focused Solutions Boot Camp
- Dynamics 365 Customer Service | Copilot
- Dynamics 365 Customer Service | Unified Routing
- FY23 Customer Success Series
- Microsoft Digital Contact Center Platform
- Dynamics 365 Project Operations | Project Accounting
- Dynamics 365 Finance | Cost Accounting
- Dynamics 365 Supply Chain | Warehouse Management
- Microsoft Customer Experience Platform
- Extend Dynamics 365 F&O with Power Platform
- Dynamics 365 Marketing & CI | Personalize Experiences

Other On-demand Trainings

FY24 High Volume Acceleration Program: Fundamentals Microsoft Copilot for Service Workshop Microsoft Dynamics 365 Customer Service Copilot Workshop Inside the new Dynamics 365 Customers Insights Licensing Register here Register here Register here Register here

Modern Work

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Modern Work Cloud Week for Partners

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Labs will be available to a limited number of Microsoft partner participants. Invitations to the labs will be issued on a first-come, first-served basis.

This immersive week-long virtual event is your ticket to mastering the intricacies of Microsoft Teams management, Endpoint administration, and collaborative communication solutions. Each day you will learn from subject matter experts, expand your technical capabilities,

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On-demand Trainings

Unleashing the Power of Cloud PC Windows 365 for IT Pros
Powering Business Growth with Microsoft 365 Lighthouse
Cloud Endpoints Sales Bootcamp
Microsoft Teams Rooms Partner Sales Bootcamp
Microsoft Teams Phone Partner Bootcamp
Register here
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Security

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Threat Protection and Incident Response with Microsoft Sentinel Workshop

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Learn how to deploy and connect this SIEM and SOAR solution to different data sources. Learn how to use intelligent security analytics and threat intelligence capabilities for attack detection, threat vulnerability, proactive hunting, and threat response.

April 22-25, 2024

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Microsoft Security Immersion Training

Open to all partners

This 1:Many immersion workshop is a comprehensive, level 400 gamified learning experiences that allow participants to take on the role of security analysts in a fictional security breach scenario. These exclusive events are designed to help Microsoft security partners skill their own analysts in a community event.

Americas

Into the Breach, March 20, 2024 Into the Breach, March 14, 2024 Into the Breach, March 14, 2024 Shadow Hunter, April 17, 2024 Shadow Hunter, April 18, 2024 On the Brink, May 15, 2024 On the Brink, May 16, 2024 On the Brink, May 16, 2024

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On-demand Security, Compliance, and Identity Management Trainings

Intermediate to advanced technical sessions designed to drive deep skills applications by experienced technical professionals across priority solution plays.

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Available Trainings

- Implementing Microsoft Defender for Endpoint Workshop*
- Microsoft Copilot for Security Partner Boot Camp

- Get ready for NIS2: Get technically ready to comply with NIS2 requirements and generate new opportunities with Microsoft Security Solutions
- Identity & Access Management with Microsoft Entra Workshop
- Fortify your Data Security with Microsoft Purview Workshop
- Migrating to Microsoft Sentinel Boot Camp
- Microsoft Defender for O365, Identity & CloudApps Boot Camp
- Threat Protection and Incident Response with Microsoft Sentinel Workshop
- Threat Protection and Incident Response with Microsoft SIEM and XDR Boot Camp
- Prepare for New Threats with Microsoft Security Copilot
- Microsoft Entra Updates and Azure AD Renaming Guidelines
- Secure Cloud-Native Applications with Microsoft Defender for Cloud Integrated Solutions
- Implementing Microsoft Defender for Endpoint Workshop
- Security Through the Lens of Zero Trust
- Secure All Things with Microsoft Security Solutions
- Azure Security Management Deep Dive
- Azure Network Security Deep Dive
- Implementing Cloud Security with Microsoft 365 Defender Solutions

Days of the Defender

- Firewall Protection
- Defend Against Threats with Microsoft Sentinel
- Identify & Access Management with Microsoft Entra
- Compliance and Privacy with Microsoft Purview and Priva
- Capture the Flag

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Industry Cloud

Implementing Microsoft Cloud for Healthcare

Open to all partners

Healthcare is a virtual skilling event led by Microsoft industry specialists. The week-long session will provide advanced knowledge of four priority healthcare scenarios for implementing solutions and their capabilities. Analyze customer use cases, learn how to communicate with customers about the features and benefits of Microsoft Cloud for Healthcare (MC4H) and Azure Health Data Services (HDS), then learn how to implement them.

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Implementing Microsoft Cloud for Sustainability

Open to all partners

Sustainability is a virtual skilling event led by Microsoft industry specialists. The two-day sessions will provide you with sustainability concepts and how the business thinks about tracking and reporting emissions. Gain advanced knowledge to implement Microsoft Cloud for Sustainability in various customer scenarios and become proficient at configuring the features of Microsoft Sustainability Manager.

April 29-30, 2024

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Implementing Microsoft Cloud for Retail

Open to all partners

Join us for an exciting virtual skilling event: Industry Cloud for Partners: Retail! Led by Microsoft industry specialists, this three-day session will provide you with the capabilities to manage retail data at scale. Improve the customer experience and drive operational efficiency while supporting security, compliance, and interoperability of retail data. With Microsoft Cloud for Retail applications, you can maximize the value of your data, elevate the shopping experience, build a real-time, sustainable supply chain, and empower store associates. Don't miss out on this opportunity to enhance your skills and knowledge.

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Microsoft Level-Up for Partners

Microsoft Level Up an interactive, holistic, on-demand enablement program for partners who need skilling aligned to priority Microsoft solution plays. Learn how to position Microsoft solutions and products across all stages of a customer's life cycle of sales, presales, and technical delivery, build a strong pipeline, and deliver faster results for Microsoft workloads.

Note: Access is limited and must be requested via <u>AskGPSEnablement@microsoft.com</u>. In the subject line, include the words "Level-Up Access Request" and in the body of your email, indicate your name, work email address and which Microsoft partner you work with.

Explore Level-Up

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Video: Introducing Microsoft Level-Up for Partners

On-demand Trainings

Windows 365: Selling Windows in the Cloud Unleashing the Power of Cloud PC Windows 365 for IT Pros Powering Business Growth with Microsoft 365 Lighthouse SMB Sales Bootcamp Register here Register here Register here Register here

Other Resources

Azure Discovery Workshops Available For Partner Execution

Access the materials and resources to deliver 3–4-hour technical workshops now available on the Partner Marketing Center. Azure Discovery Workshops are designed:

- For technical decision makers to learn best practices and discover solutions using Azure within their organization.
- To support new customer engagements funded by Azure Migrate and Modernize and Azure Innovate.

ETA dates for upcoming Azure Discovery Workshops are subject to change. A short URL has been linked below for you to check their availability on the PMC for your convenience.

https://aka.ms/AzureDiscoveryWorkshops/PMC

Microsoft Customer Engagement Methodology (MCEM) for Partners

Microsoft Customer Engagement Methodology (MCEM) for Partners connects Microsoft sales, support, industry solutions delivery, and partners to bring more value to the customer by placing them at the heart of every deal. By employing this methodology, we can co-innovate and co-develop with our customers, understanding their unique needs and desired outcomes.

Please visit the <u>landing page</u> for more information and see below for available videos.

- MCEM Introduction
- MCEM Stage 1: Listen & Consult
- MCEM Stage 2: Inspire & Design
- MCEM Stage 3: Empower & Achieve
- MCEM Stage 4: Realize Value
- MCEM Stage 5: Manage & Optimize
- MCEM Benefits Summary

Microsoft Applied Skills

Announcing Microsoft Applied Skills, the new scenario-based credentials that provide learners with validation of targeted skills. Advances in Al, cloud computing, and emerging technologies have made it more important than ever to demonstrate proficiency in the most sought-after technical skills and we are proud Microsoft is leading the way.

For more information, read the blog on MS Learn: <u>Announcing Microsoft Applied Skills, the new credentials to verify in-demand technical skills.</u>

Partner Playbooks

The <u>Partner Playbooks</u> are guides to enablement offerings, helping partners skill-up wherever they are in their learning journey. Playbooks are updated regularly.

Partner Training Site

The <u>Partner Training Site</u> includes Technical and Sales enablement events (live and on-demand), resources and Playbooks. This site will be updated frequently.

Partner Tech Connect - Azure Cosmos DB - Monthly Brownbag Sessions

The Azure Cosmos DB Engineering Group leads a monthly technical session for registered members of the Azure Cosmos DB partner community. Each session focuses on a topic chosen based on popular demand and includes a portion dedicated to the Roadmap.

To register you can join the community at: https://aka.ms/cosmosdbptc

As a member of Azure Cosmos DB's technical community you can raise your queries at Stackoverflow by using tag **azure-cosmosdb-partner** or <u>Microsoft Q&A</u>.

Microsoft Learn Career Connected

Microsoft Learn Career Connected brings together skilling organizations, newly skilled job-seekers, and employers in need of talent. This Talent Coalition creates community of connection where people can discover opportunity, further develop their skills, build relationships, and hire the right people for the right roles.

Learn More and Get Started Today

Partner Academy

Microsoft offers a wealth of partner programs, tools, resources, and campaign tools that help partners uncover new sales opportunities, reach new customers, and expand their business.

Partner Academy is here to connect the dots between those programs, help navigate through multiple resources and allow partners to have richer conversations with their customers! The Academy will focus on simplifying the complexity of key programs, streamline go-to-market opportunities and accelerate sales engagement and support from Microsoft.

Register for live and on-demand calls via the Partner Academy Landing Page and links below.

Other useful information

- Partner Training Site
- Microsoft Certification Renewal | Microsoft Learn
- Certification Retirement | Microsoft Learn
- Exam and Assessment Lab Retirement | Microsoft Learn

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