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AWS Cloud Practitioner

OFFICIAL ACADEMIC PROSPECTUS & CURRICULUM GUIDE

NQF Level: Industry Certification | **Credits:** N/A

Delivery: Online

PROGRAMME OVERVIEW

PROGRAMME DURATION	4 Weeks
ACADEMIC LEVEL	Industry Certification
TOTAL CREDITS	N/A
SAQA REGISTRATION	Pending
MODE OF DELIVERY	Online
TOTAL INVESTMENT	**R 5,500** (Registration Deposit: R 799)

Executive Introduction

Cloud adoption is the #1 strategic priority for modern CEOs across the globe, and the AWS Cloud Practitioner programme is the definitive, high-level map of this massive landscape. This elite course is a highly strategic track strictly designed for absolutely everyone—from ambitious entry-level IT staff to highly powerful non-technical executives. We aggressively strip away the confusing technical complexity to deeply explore the pure business value, absolute security, and massive economics of the world's most dominant cloud platform.

Participants will deeply explore the massive core AWS services—scalable Compute, limitless Storage, robust Database, and global Networking—understanding exactly how they perfectly integrate to massively drive corporate innovation and aggressively reduce operational costs. You will comprehensively learn the complex art of 'Cloud Economics,' deeply understanding exactly how the massive shift from CAPEX to OPEX allows organizations to pivot vastly faster and scale globally in absolute seconds. We focus heavily on the 'Strategic Advantage' of the cloud, not just the basic technical configurations.

This foundational track is the absolutely perfect starting point for absolutely anyone deeply involved in total digital transformation. By the highly successful end of the intense course, you will absolutely have the clear conceptual clarity strictly required to confidently lead massive cloud adoption boardroom discussions and the

total confidence to eagerly pursue highly specialized technical or architectural certifications. You will confidently graduate with a perfectly foundational understanding of the massive ecosystem that literally powers the modern digital world.

PURPOSE OF THE LEARNING PROGRAMME

To perfectly provide absolute, unshakeable 'Cloud Literacy' for the highly modern technology workforce and corporate leadership. The primary purpose is to strongly ensure that absolutely everyone in the massive organization deeply understands the critical core vocabulary and massive business impact of AWS.

To completely demystify the massive AWS ecosystem and its incredibly vast array of highly specialized services. We aim to perfectly provide a totally clear, highly manageable introduction that effortlessly allows individuals to clearly see the highly personal and massive professional benefits of total digital transformation on the cloud.

To strongly promote the massive economic and highly strategic advantages of rapid cloud adoption. The objective is to perfectly produce highly literate professionals who deeply understand complex cloud pricing and strict cost management, effectively helping global organizations aggressively optimize their massive global technical budgets.

To flawlessly serve as the absolute definitive entry point for all highly specialized AWS technical careers. This foundational track perfectly provides the totally essential foundation for those ambitious professionals who deeply want to eventually pursue highly lucrative roles in AWS Administration, deep Development, or massive Architecture.

To massively support the critical 'Upskilling' of highly diverse cross-functional corporate teams. Our strict purpose is to definitely ensure that Sales, HR, massive Finance, and Marketing teams deeply understand the powerful digital tools their company heavily uses, heavily fostering vastly better internal alignment, rapid innovation, and total corporate success.

MODULE BREAKDOWN

Module 00: Orientation & Student Portal Onboarding

Mandatory setup: Email, Portal, Labs & PoE guidelines.

Module 01: Cloud Concepts & Value Proposition

Comprehensive mastery and practical application of cloud concepts & value proposition aligning with industry standards.

Module 02: AWS Core Services (EC2, S3, RDS)

Comprehensive mastery and practical application of aws core services (ec2, s3, rds) aligning with industry standards.

Module 03: Security & Compliance in AWS

Comprehensive mastery and practical application of security & compliance in aws aligning with industry standards.

Module 04: Technology & Architecture

Comprehensive mastery and practical application of technology & architecture aligning with industry standards.

Module 05: Billing & Pricing Models

Comprehensive mastery and practical application of billing & pricing models aligning with industry standards.

Module 06: Assessment: Cloud Scenario Analysis

Comprehensive mastery and practical application of assessment: cloud scenario analysis aligning with industry standards.

PRACTICAL LAB ENVIRONMENTS

This programme includes intensive hands-on practical labs designed to bridge the gap between theoretical knowledge and real-world industrial application.

Lab 1: AWS Account & Billing Setup

Configure MFA, budgets, and cost alerts. Deliverable: Billing dashboard screenshot + alert config.

Lab 2: EC2 & S3 Hands-On

Launch instance and upload/download files. Deliverable: Instance ID + S3 object list.

Lab 3: AWS Well-Architected Review

Assess a sample workload against pillars. Deliverable: Review checklist + improvement suggestions.

Lab 4: Cloud Economics Exercise

Compare TCO for on-prem vs cloud options. Deliverable: TCO analysis spreadsheet + recommendation.

CAREER FIELDS & OPPORTUNITIES

Graduates of this learning programme are aggressively equipped with the specialized competencies required to pursue the following elite professional roles within the global industry:

CLOUD SUPPORT ASSOCIATE	Advance your career as a Cloud Support Associate in the industry.
JUNIOR CLOUD ADMINISTRATOR	Advance your career as a Junior Cloud Administrator in the industry.
AWS OPERATIONS TECHNICIAN	Advance your career as a AWS Operations Technician in the industry.
CLOUD SALES SPECIALIST	Advance your career as a Cloud Sales Specialist in the industry.
ENTRY-LEVEL CLOUD ENGINEER	Advance your career as a Entry-Level Cloud Engineer in the industry.
CLOUD COST ANALYST	Advance your career as a Cloud Cost Analyst in the industry.
AWS SERVICE ADVISOR	Advance your career as a AWS Service Advisor in the industry.

NEXT STEPS & APPLICATION

Ready to definitively advance your professional trajectory? Formal applications are currently open for the upcoming academic cycle. To securely guarantee your placement in the next intake for **AWS Cloud Practitioner**, please complete our online application process or contact our admissions advisory team directly.

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