



HPE Aruba Certified Network Architect – Data Center

This certification verifies that you can interpret technical requirements to create and design secure, redundant, scalable, resilient, or high-performing data center network infrastructure consistent with appropriate validated solution guides per business needs. Earning this certification will validate your ability to translate complex requirements and constraints into the design of an optimal HPE Aruba Networking Data Center Network solution and articulate the business value to multiple stakeholders.

Why earn this certification?

- Position yourself as a trusted member who can design high-performing data center network infrastructure based on complex customer requirements and technical constraints.
- Enhance your knowledge and career with an HPE Aruba Networking certification.

Candidate

Typical candidates are senior technical professionals such as principal engineers, network consultants, or presales consultants. Candidates have vast technical knowledge of the products and solutions that may require a migration and/or deployment strategy from/into an existing architecture. They also have extensive experience building solutions and optimizing applications and workloads.

Skill level

Expert

Steps to acquire this certification

Before you begin

Acquire access to [The Learning Center](#) and get an [HPE Learner ID](#). If this certification requires a written or online exam (HPE0 or HPE6 or HPE2), then create a user profile with Pearson VUE, our exam vendor for proctored/online exams. Practical exams (HPE1 or HPE0-AxxxP) are delivered through PSI or Aruba Education Services, therefore no Pearson VUE user profile is required.

Step 1: Register or apply for this certification

[Register for this certification in The Learning Center](#). This will make your progress toward this certification more visible within your learner transcripts and the HPE Learning Management Systems.

Step 2: Verify and complete all prerequisites and requirements for your chosen path:

Requirements for candidates new to this certification

There are no prerequisites for this path.

Complete:

Exam #	Exam name	Register for exam
HPE7-A04	HPE Network Data Center Architect Exam	Register

Recommended Training

Course #	Course Name	Format – Typical duration	Register for course
Training for Exam HPE7-A04: HPE Network Data Center Architect Exam			
0001204405	Designing HPE Data Center Solutions, Rev. 23.31	ILT – 4 days VILT – 4 days	Register

WBT = Web Based

ILT = Instructor Led

VILT = Virtual Instructor Led

VCR – Virtual Class Recorded

SCA = Special Course or Activity

Requirements for recertification

You must have:

- [HPE Aruba Networking Certified Network Architect – Data Center](#)

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