

# Instructor Interest Guide

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## Grow Your Skills and Enable Your Teams

Worldwide DevOps interest and adoption is growing at a rapid pace and with it comes the need for enterprises to educate their teams on DevOps principles and practices.

As the Association for DevOps Professionals, DevOps Institute is dedicated to advancing the human elements of DevOps and relies on qualified instructors to support Upskilling professionals.

As a global member-based professional association, DevOps Institute sits at the heart of an open and growing community comprised of IT professionals, Education Partners, Instructors, consultants, talent acquisition and business executives; helping pave the way in support of organizational digital and human transformation.



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# SKIL Framework



Instructors will help advance careers and support emerging practices within the DevOps community based on a human-centered **SKIL Framework**, consisting of Skills, Knowledge, Ideas and Learning.

As an Instructor, you will be equipped with and have access to all our work, including accreditations, research, access to events and continuous learning programs which are focused on providing the “human know-how” to modernize IT and make DevOps succeed.

The **SKIL Framework** represents our holistic ecosystem of knowledge and learning that will continue to grow as we develop and curate the industry’s best thinking and make it readily available to the DevOps community.

The SKIL Framework includes four key elements for advancing the Humans of DevOps:

**Skills:** DevOps Institute has helped with the Upskilling of thousands of IT practitioners and professionals through enterprise-level and role-based accreditations and certifications curated by industry thought leaders delivered by expert Instructors. It rigorously researches and curates open-source values to help members build and navigate career paths and take advantage of exclusive job boards and opportunities.

**Knowledge:** Helps guide organizations and members through research and premium thought- leadership content, videos, webinars, podcasts, eBooks, blogs and published articles. It is a trusted resource for all IT professionals interested in leveraging community-based principles to improve their personal and organizational performance.

**Ideas:** Promotes dialogue and exploratory activities that illuminate the benefits of applying DevOps skills. Members have access to relevant forums, LIVE & Virtual events and local MeetUps to network and foster ideas for success.

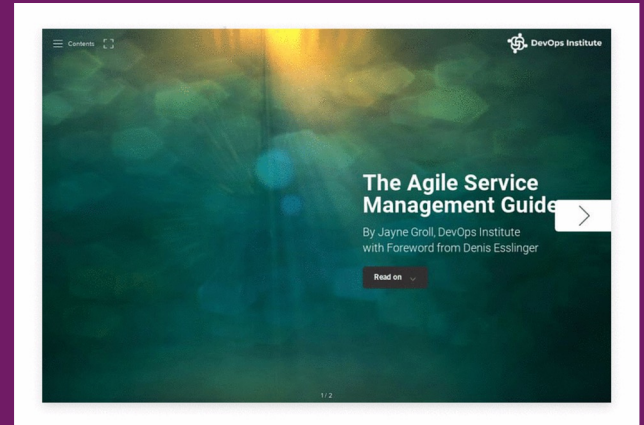
**Learning:** Promotes continuous learning and provides members with access to relevant content via webinars, online learning, podcasts, books, workshops and bite-size learning programs to support the continuous learning journey.

Together, the SKIL Framework provides the trusted resources needed to adopt and scale DevOps practices based on shared knowledge.



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# Collective Body of Knowledge



DevOps is based on a collective body of knowledge. DevOps Institute actively researches and influences emerging DevOps practices and is the ONLY organization that continuously improves and updates the course materials based on the latest developments in the market to create meaningful training and certification experiences for everyone, including materials from the following sources:

[The Upskilling IT 2022 Report – DevOps Institute](#)

[2021 State of DevOps Report – Puppet](#)

[2021 Accelerate: State of DevOps Report – DORA and Google](#)

[The DevOps Journey – A DevOps Institute SKILbook](#)

[The Agile Service Management Guide](#)

[Global SRE Pulse \(Coming 2022\)](#)



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# DevOps Institute Course Offerings



DevOps Institute Certification Courses:

[DevOps Foundation®](#)

[Site Reliability Engineering \(SREF\) Foundation<sup>SM</sup>](#)

[Site Reliability Engineering \(SREP\) Practitioner<sup>SM</sup>](#)

[DevOps Engineering Foundation \(DOEF\)<sup>SM</sup>](#)

[DevOps Leader \(DOL\)®](#)

[DevSecOps Foundation \(DSOF\)<sup>SM</sup>](#)

[DevSecOps Practitioner \(DSOP\)<sup>SM</sup>](#)

[Continuous Testing Foundation \(CTF\)<sup>SM</sup>](#)

[Certified Agile Service Manager \(CASM\)®](#)

[Value Stream Management Foundation](#)



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# Criteria for becoming an Accredited Instructor



The DevOps Institute Instructor Program provides individuals and organizations with resources and opportunities to grow the business while supporting client needs in a manner that makes sense for everyone through minimal barriers to entry while ensuring quality course deliveries. To become an Accredited Instructor, an applicant will need to:

- Have demonstrable experience, credentials, and subject matter expertise on the course topic
- Have at least one year of active proven training experience or extensive DevOps experience
- Successfully pass (or have passed) the appropriate course certification with a minimum of 65%
- \$250 USD annual Instructor Accreditation Fee (Accredited Instructors will receive Trainer Self-Study (TSS) materials and one free exam voucher annually. Discounts will be provided for additional exam vouchers. Corresponding TSS materials are included with each exam voucher). Train the Trainer Workshops are excluded from free and discounted exam vouchers.
- If the Instructor is not registered with an accredited Education Partner, the Instructor will need to also be set-up as an accredited Education Partner. In order to obtain the TSS materials and correlating exam voucher, the Instructor must first be currently accredited and listed under a currently accredited Education Partner.



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# Instructor Terms and Conditions

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- Execute and abide by the Instructor Agreement
- Proudly, ethically, professionally and legally represent DevOps Institute
- Comply with all DevOps Institute policies, guidelines and intellectual property usage requirements
- Ensure that only DevOps Institute approved and accredited courseware is leveraged for course deliveries
- Make payments to DevOps Institute on time and accordingly to the terms of the Instructor Agreement
- Promptly notify DevOps Institute of any infringement or unauthorized use of DevOps Institute materials, logos or property
- Ensure a high-quality learner experience
- Ensure the quality of training by offering learner surveys and other feedback mechanisms
- Provide DevOps Institute feedback on courseware and learning experience to ensure continuous improvement
- Ensure each learner meets the eligibility requirements before authorizing a certification exam
- Do not extract, copy, print or distribute DevOps Institute courseware per the Instructor Agreement
- Use social media responsibly, following the DevOps Institute Code of Conduct in the Instructor Agreement



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# Join Our Instructor Community

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Join our Instructor community and help educate the hundreds of thousands of IT professionals that need to acquire the new knowledge and skills to cross the cultural and technical divide that is facing organizations today.

Once we receive all the appropriate information from you it normally takes approximately two weeks to process your application.

**Get in touch with us today!**



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