



Certified Secure
Software Lifecycle Professional



Application vulnerabilities continue to top the list of cyber security concerns. While attackers and researchers continue to expose new application vulnerabilities, the most common application flaws are previous, rediscovered threats. This high volume of known application vulnerabilities suggests that many development teams do not have the security resources needed to address all potential security flaws and a clear shortage of qualified professionals with application security skills exists. Without action, this soft underbelly of business and governmental entities has and will continue to be exposed with serious consequences—data breaches, disrupted operations, lost business, brand damage, and regulatory fines. This is why it is essential for software professionals to stay current on the latest advances in software development and the new security threats they create.

The CSSLP certification validates that software professionals have the expertise to incorporate security practices – authentication, authorization and auditing – into each phase of the software development lifecycle, from software design and implementation to testing and deployment.

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Who Should Become a CSSLP

- » Software Architect
- » Software Engineer
- » Software Developer
- » Application Security Specialist
- » Software Program Manager
- » Quality Assurance Tester
- » Penetration Tester
- » Software Procurement Analyst
- » Project Manager
- » Security Manager
- » IT Director/Manager

APPLICATION VULNERABILITIES are the
top **SECURITY CONCERN** for organizations today.

- 2015 Global Information Security Workforce Study

Steps to Getting Certified

1 Obtain the Required Experience

Candidates must have a minimum of 4 years cumulative paid full-time Software Development Lifecycle (SDLC) professional experience in 1 or more of the **8 domains** of the CSSLP CBK:

- » Secure Software Concepts
- » Secure Software Requirements
- » Secure Software Design
- » Secure Software Implementation/Coding
- » Secure Software Testing
- » Software Acceptance
- » Software Deployment, Operations, Maintenance and Disposal
- » Supply Chain and Software Acquisition

Earning a 4-year college degree or regional equivalent will waive 1 year of the required experience. Only a 1 year experience exemption is granted for education.

Don't have enough experience? Check out our Associate program at www.isc2.org/associate.

2 Take the Exam

Candidates are given four hours to complete the **175 question** CSSLP exam.

Register at your local Pearson Vue Test Center:
www.pearsonvue.com/isc2

3 Complete the Endorsement Process

Once you successfully pass the exam, you will have nine months from the date of the exam to complete this process. www.isc2.org/endorsement

4 Maintain Your Membership

Once you are certified, you become a member of (ISC)². **Recertification is required every three years.** This is accomplished through earning Continuing Professional Education (CPE) credits and paying an Annual Maintenance Fee (AMF).

90 cpes | **US\$ 100** amf | **3** years

Exam Prep

Self Study Tools

- Exam Outline
- Official Textbook
- Flashcards

Training Methods

- Classroom-based
- Private, On-site
- Live OnLine

Member Benefits

- (ISC)² Security Congress
- (ISC)² Textbooks Discounts
- (ISC)² SecureEvents
- (ISC)² Chapter Program
- (ISC)² Receptions/Networking Opportunities
- (ISC)² Global Awards Programs
- (ISC)² Webinars
- Industry Conference Discounts
- Global Information Security Workforce Study
- InfoSecurity Professional Magazine*
- Safe and Secure Online Volunteer Opportunities

For a full list of benefits, visit:
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