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Learning Style: On Demand

Technology: Cisco

Difficulty: Intermediate

Course Duration: 40 Hours

Designing Cisco Enterprise Wireless Networks (ENWLSD) v1.0 - On Demand



Course Information

About this course:

This course provides you the knowledge you need to design Cisco wireless

networks. You will also learn design specifics from scenario design concepts through the installation phase and into post-deployment validation.

After completing this course you will be prepared to take the Designing Cisco Enterprise Wireless Networks (300-425 ENWLSD) exam, passing which will lead to the new CCNP® Enterprise and Cisco Certified Specialist – Enterprise Wireless Design certifications.

Course Objective:

Taking this course will enable you to:

- Describe and implement Cisco enhanced wireless features
- Describe and implement the wireless design process
- Describe and implement specific vertical designs
- Describe and implement a Cisco-recommended structured design methodology
- Describe and implement industry standards, amendments, certifications, and Requests For Comments (RFCs)
- Describe and implement network validation processes
- Describe and implement site survey processes

Audience:

- Network administrator
- Network engineer
- Sales engineer
- Consulting systems engineer
- Systems engineer
- Technical solutions architect
- Network manager
- Wireless design engineer
- Wireless engineer

Prerequisite:

You should know the following before taking this course:

- General knowledge of wireless networks
- Routing and switching knowledge
- General knowledge of networks

Either of the following combinations of Cisco courses can help you meet these prerequisites:

- Implementing Cisco Wireless Network Fundamentals (WIFUND) and Interconnecting Cisco Networking Devices, Part 1 (ICND1)
- Implementing and Operating Cisco Enterprise Network Core Technologies (ENCOR) and Understanding Cisco Wireless Foundations (WLFNDU)

Course Outline:

Describing and Implementing a Structured Wireless Design Methodology

- Importance of Planning Wireless Design with a Structured Methodology
- Cisco Structured Design Model
- Cisco Design Guides and Cisco Validated Designs for Wireless Networks
- Role of the Project Manager When Designing Wireless Networks

Describing and Implementing Industry Protocols and Standards

- Wireless Standards Bodies
- Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE) 802.11 Standard and Amendments
- Wi-Fi Alliance (WFA) Certifications
- Relevant Internet Engineering Task Force (IETF) Wireless RFCs
- Practice Activity

Describing and Implementing Cisco Enhanced Wireless Features

- Hardware and Software Choices for a Wireless Network Design
- Cisco Infrastructure Settings for Wireless Network Design
- Cisco Enhanced Wireless Features

Examining Cisco Mobility and Roaming

- Mobility and Intercontroller Mobility in a Wireless Network
- Optimize Client Roaming in a Wireless Network
- Cisco Workgroup Bridge (WGB) and WGB Roaming in a Wireless Network

Describing and Implementing the Wireless Design Process

- Overview of Wireless Design Process
- Meet with the Customer to Discuss the Wireless Network Design
- Customer Information Gathering for a Wireless Network Design
- Design the Wireless Network
- Deployment of the Wireless Network
- Validation and Final Adjustments of the Wireless Network
- Wireless Network Design Project Documents and Deliverables

Describing and Implementing Specific Vertical Designs

- Designs for Wireless Applications
- Wireless Network Design Within the Campus
- Extend Wireless Networks to the Branch Sites

Examining Special Considerations in Advanced Wireless Designs

- High-Density Designs in Wireless Networks
- Introducing Location and Cisco Connected Mobile Experiences (CMX)

- Concepts
 - Design for Location
 - FastLocate and HyperLocation
 - Bridges and Mesh in a Wireless Network Design
 - Redundancy and High Availability in a Wireless Network

Describing and Implementing the Site Survey Processes

- Site Survey Types
- Special Arrangements Needed for Site Surveys
- Safety Aspects to be Considered During Site Surveys
- Site Survey Tools in Cisco Prime Infrastructure
- Third-Party Site Survey Software and Hardware Tools

Describing and Implementing Wireless Network Validation Processes

- Post-installation Wireless Network Validation
- Making Post-installation Changes to a Wireless Network
- Wireless Network Handoff to the Customer
- Installation Report