

# **Enterprise Computing Solutions - Education Services**

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# Citrix XenServer 7.1 LTSR Administration

CODE: LENGTH: PRICE:

CTX CXS-301 40 Hours (5 days) €2,895.00

### **Description**

Build a new skill set around Citrix XenServer 7.x focusing on the 7.1 Long Term Services Release, which delivers optimized server virtualization for all datacenter workloads. In this five-day course, you'll learn how to install, manage, secure, size and troubleshoot an enterprise XenServer implementation. The course will walk you through configuration and administration of the environment, from architecture and virtual machines to resource pools, storage and networking. Key topics will include capabilities such as virtual CPU optimization, VM management, and high availability/disaster recovery, and features such as Intellicache and XenMotion.

This course is currently based on XenServer 7.1 Long Term Service Release however a review of newer features is covered in the course.

#### **Objectives**

After completing this course you should be able to: Understand XenServer architecture, features, and leading practices Configure and manage virtual machines Install, configure, and manage XenServer and the XenServer environment Configure Resource Pools and high availability in the XenServer environment Configure network, storage, and security for XenServer Troubleshoot the XenServer environment

#### **Audience**

IT Professionals who need to design, deploy, manage, and support Citrix XenServer.

#### **Prerequisites**

Attendees should meet the following prerequisites:

• Little or no previous experience with XenServer is required.

### **Programme**

Module 1: XenServer Architecture Describing the XenServer virtualization platform Product editions and entitlements XenServer architecture XenServer key components Module 2: Managing Virtual Machines Virtualization techniques XenTools Creating virtual machines Managing virtual machines Understanding vApps Managing snapshot Module 3: Installing XenServer Hardware requirements Licensing Available installation methods XenServer supplemental packs Module 4: Managing a XenServer Environment Deploying hotfixes Upgrading XenServer Upgrading XenTools Monitoring and alerting Pool metadata backups Module 5: Resource Pools Understanding resource pools XenServer pool master Pool master election Workload balancing Module 6: Networking • XenServer networking architecture Virtual network types Network interface bonds XenServer physical connectivity Module 7: Storage XenServer storage architecture Understanding thick and thin provisioning Storage locations File based and block based storage Storage multipathing XenServer Intellicache XenServer in-memory read caching XenApp and XenDesktop Provisioning enhancements Module 8: High Availability Purpose of high availability High availability recommendations Detecting a host failure High availability recovery process Module 9: Security Integrating with Active Directory Understanding role-based access Minimizing the attack surface Certificates and SSL with XenServer XenServer Hypervisor Introspection Direct Inspect API Module 10: Sizing and Optimizations Dom0 sizing Dom0 in-memory reach caching Virtual CPU optimization Device pass-through Dynamic memory control Resource scheduling Network QoS Disk prioritization XenServer vGPU and GPU pass-through Module 11: Troubleshooting XenServer maintenance mode Host logs and event notifications Xsconsole XenTop Command line and PowerShell commands Using Citrix Insight Services Network tracing

## **Session Dates**

On request. Please contact us

# **Additional Information**

This training is also available as onsite training. Please contact us to find out more.