

# Top 10 Reasons to Get Autodesk Certified

## Be Remarkable with Autodesk Certification

Autodesk® Certification is an industry-recognized credential that can help you succeed in your design career—providing benefits to both you and your employer. Certification provides reliable validation of skills and knowledge and can lead to accelerated professional development, improved productivity, and enhanced credibility.

## Learn More

Find out more about Autodesk Certification options, certification preparation, and how Autodesk Certification Centers can help you achieve your goals at [www.autodesk.com/certification](http://www.autodesk.com/certification).

- 1 Gain Industry Recognition for Your Skill Set**  
Set yourself apart and receive industry recognition for your proven expertise with Autodesk® software. Autodesk® Certification is a validation that you have the knowledge and skills necessary to effectively meet the needs of your company.
- 2 Demonstrate your Expertise in the Latest Autodesk Technology**  
Autodesk continually improves its software offerings; show your school or employer that you are ahead of the curve by earning certification on the most recent release of the software.
- 3 Improve Your Performance and Add Value to Your Company**  
Preparing for certification helps improve your performance by strengthening your existing skills and developing new skills through your study of the exam objectives. Add value to your company by focusing on the skills, projects, and assignments that are important to your employer and your industry.
- 4 Gain Confidence and Peer Recognition**  
Certification is a step toward defining yourself beyond a job description or academic degree while gaining a sense of personal satisfaction. Earning certification can bring prestige and recognition from your peers.
- 5 Earn a Portable Credential for Job Retention and Mobility**  
Certification can give you an advantage when being considered for a promotion or other career opportunities. Certification clearly identifies you as an employee who is committed to your job and the industry. Because Autodesk Certification is offered around the world, your credential is portable.
- 6 Become Part of an Elite Team of Professionals**  
Not everyone can meet the rigorous requirements of Autodesk Certification. Become a member of the exclusive club of professionals who met program requirements through study and commitment. When you earn Autodesk Certification, you receive an official Autodesk Certificate, Autodesk logo, and a listing in Autodesk's database of certified professionals around the world.

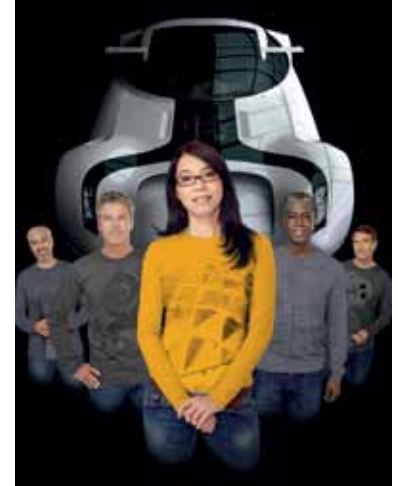


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## 7 **Align with an Industry Leader**

Get certified on software used by more than 10 million professionals in 185 countries. Autodesk products help save time and money, enable effective collaboration, and change the way ideas are realized. A world leader in 3D design, engineering, and entertainment software, Autodesk is helping design professionals transform challenges into opportunities, design in better ways, and gain competitive advantage.

## 8 **It is Easy to Prepare**

Autodesk, together with its partners and Autodesk Certification Centers, offers a variety of solutions to help you prepare for certification. These include exam preparation road maps, assessment tests, Autodesk Official Training Guides (AOTG), and courses at Autodesk Authorized Training Center (ATC®) sites. These certification solutions are available around the world.

## 9 **Choose the Level of Certification that is Right for You**

Whether you are just starting to use Autodesk software or you're an experienced professional, you can choose the level that is right for you. There are three levels of certification: user, associate, and professional. The associate exam is the most broadly available.

## 10 **The Tests are Performance Based**

Autodesk offers performance-based professional-level tests. Performance-based tests are recognized as a better way to certify using live Autodesk software applications to answer questions about design problems and solutions.

