



Day	Time		Continuing Education Sessions as of March 3, 2020	CertNexus	GIAC	CompTIA								
						A+	Network+	Security+	Cloud+	CySA+	CASP+	PenTest+	Linux+	
			Approvals for CompTIA CEUs, GIAC CPEs, and/or CertNexus CECs are for 1 unit per <u>full hour</u> of session content.  <u>Help meet the session time requirement by asking questions.</u>											
3/2/2020	10:00AM-11:00AM		Network Physical Security Shortcomings at the Endpoint - A Loophole for Insider Threats that Cyber Cannot Plug	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0
3/2/2020	1:30PM-4:30PM	CompTIA	Security in the Cloud: CompTIA PenTest+ and Cloud+ Mini Bootcamp  AFCEA will not be providing attendance documentation for this session.	3	*	3	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
3/3/2020	1:45PM-3:00PM		C5ISR Command, Control, Computers, Communications, Cyber, Intelligence, Surveillance and Reconnaissance) Readiness: Are We Ready Now and in the Future?	0	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	1
<p>Department of Navy (DON) IT Conference Features 15 Continuing Education Sessions AFCEA will not be providing attendance documentation for these sessions.</p> <p>Don IT Sessions Approved for Continuing Education <a href="https://www.doncio.navy.mil/exports.aspx?id=15208">https://www.doncio.navy.mil/exports.aspx?id=15208</a> DON IT Agenda <a href="https://www.doncio.navy.mil/exports.aspx?id=15256">https://www.doncio.navy.mil/exports.aspx?id=15256</a></p>														

\* Session under review for continuing education

**If in doubt, please check with your supervisor to confirm which sessions meet your training requirements**

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# AFCEA Continuing Education Program

## [Frequently Asked Questions](#)

Our Continuing Education (CE) program is designed to support certifications related to U.S. Federal Government requirements. Several WEST 2020 sessions will be reviewed by CompTIA, GIAC, and/or CertNexus for continuing education. These sessions may also support (ISC)<sup>2</sup>, National Contract Management Association (NCMA), Project Management Institute (PMI), GAGAS, and Defense Acquisition Workforce continuing education and/or certification maintenance requirements.

- 1. How do I identify symposium sessions that are approved for CompTIA CEUs, GIAC CPEs or CertNexus CECs?** Approved sessions are noted on the reverse side of this flyer, and will be included in the event show guide and mobile application, and on the event website.
- 2. How do I obtain the session documentation required for me to submit to CompTIA, GIAC and/or CertNexus?** Formal attendance documentation is a benefit of AFCEA membership and a service provided to attendees who purchased a continuing education (CE) pass for the event. Participation in an event session qualifying for CompTIA CEUs, GIAC CPEs, CertNexus CECs is required. On exiting the session, get your event badge scanned so that we can document your attendance. We will email documentation of attendance to AFCEA members by April 2, 2020.
- 3. Will attendance documentation be available for all approved sessions listed on the flyer?** Only sessions which last at least one hour will qualify for CEUs, CPEs and/or CECs so be sure to take the opportunity to ask questions of the speaker. Formal attendance documentation is only provided for current AFCEA members and for CE Pass holders who had badges scanned for attendance purposes at applicable sessions.
- 4. What if I need additional information about specific continuing education programs?**

CompTIA allows individuals to keep their skills current and many of their certifications up to date without retesting by participation in CEU-qualified training activities. For details on CompTIA Continuing Education Program FAQs: <https://certification.comptia.org/continuing-education/how-to-renew/earn-continuing-education-units>.

CompTIA

**AFCEA members can receive up to a 15% discount on Certification Vouchers at [www.traintestcert.com](http://www.traintestcert.com)**



Each GIAC certification remains valid for 4 years. Two years after certification the renewal process will begin, and individuals must maintain their credentials through Continuing Professional Experience (CPE). For details visit: <http://www.giac.org/pdfs/cert-renewal/faq.pdf>. You may also email [cert-renewal@giac.org](mailto:cert-renewal@giac.org).

CERTNEXUS

CertNexus provides recertification for CFR candidates without retaking the exam by submitting continuing education credits (CECs) through our Continuing Education Program (CEP). For more information on the CertNexus CEP visit <https://certnexus.com/education-and-training/cybersec-first-responder-cfr-continuing-education-program/>. CertNexus also provides certification in emerging technologies of Secure Coding, IoT, AI/ML and Data Science **AFCEA members can receive a 20% discount on Cyber, IoT AI and Data Science certifications and credentials by using the code AFCEAETECH during checkout at <https://store.certnexus.com/>**

(ISC)<sup>2</sup>

Credential holders must earn the minimum number of Continuing Professional Experience (CPEs) annually during each year of the three-year certification cycle. Members must earn and submit the minimum **annual** number of CPEs to maintain their certification in “**good standing**.” For more information visit <https://www.isc2.org/maintaining-your-credential.aspx>.

For information about Project Management Institute’s program to maintain credentials visit: <http://www.pmi.org/Certification/Maintain-Your-Credential.aspx>.

GAGAS: Session content may also support GAGAS (Generally Accepted Government Auditing Standards) Requirements for Continuing Professional Education. We recommend consulting with your supervisor to determine which sessions would help meet your individual requirements. A CPE hour may be granted for each 50 minutes of participation in group programs and activities that qualify. <http://www.gao.gov/assets/80/76894.pdf>

Defense Acquisition Workforce: Members of the Defense Acquisition Workforce may qualify for continuous learning points (CLPs) at the rate of .5 point/hour for a maximum of 4 points/day and 20 points/year for attendance at relevant sessions. <http://www.dau.mil/CLC/Pages/PointCredit.aspx>

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