

Which Scrum Alliance Certification is Right for Me?

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Why Scrum Alliance?

1. Founded in 2001 as the original source and certifying body, the Scrum Alliance is dedicated to transforming the way people do work with Scrum and Agile
2. The organization remains a member-driven, non-profit entity that is mission driven
3. In addition to classes, the Scrum Alliance sponsors user groups, webinars, articles, training material and content to help others deepen their understanding of Scrum and Agile
4. It's not about just receiving a certification, it's about joining a community to continue to learn from and grown with

Scrum Alliance Offerings



Certified ScrumMaster®



IS:

- An entry level credential
- A low barrier to entry
- Based on the Scrum Guide and the Scrum Alliance CSM® Learning Objectives
- Required prior to an A-CSMSM
- Often attended even if the student will not be the Scrum Master but wants a “Scrum 101”
- Only taught by a Scrum Alliance Certified Scrum Trainer®

IS NOT:

- The destination of a Scrum Master but the beginning of their journey
- Taught by anyone who passes an entry level class
- A step after a pre-requisite
- A pre-requisite to CSPO®
- Available without coming through a Certified Scrum Trainer’s program

Scrum Alliance Offerings



Certified Scrum Product Owner[®]



IS:

- An entry level credential
- A low barrier to entry
- Based on the Scrum Guide and the Scrum Alliance CSPO[®] Learning Objectives
- Required prior to an A-CSPOSM
- Only taught by a Scrum Alliance Certified Scrum Trainer[®] who also holds a CSPO[®] and has been approved to deliver the program

IS NOT:

- The destination of a Product Owner but the beginning of their journey
- Taught by anyone who passes an entry level class
- A step after a pre-requisite
- Required for the other entry level credentials
- The same as a CSM[®] or CSD[®] but focuses on tools, techniques and execution of the P.O. role

Scrum Alliance Offerings



Certified Scrum Developer[®]



IS:

- An entry level credential
- A low barrier to entry
- Based on the Scrum Guide and the Scrum Alliance CSD[®] Learning Objectives
- Involves base Scrum Training as well as an immersion into Agile development practices
- Only taught by a Scrum Alliance Registered Education Provider approved to teach the CSD[®]

IS NOT:

- For people who will not be working as part of the development team
- Taught by anyone who passes an entry level class
- A step after a pre-requisite
- Required for the other entry level credentials
- The same as a CSM[®] or CSPO[®] but focuses on Agile programming and testing practices

Path to CSP®

The Certified Scrum Professional is role based:

- Certified Scrum Professional® - Scrum Master (CSP® -SM)
- Certified Scrum Professional® – Product Owner (CSP® -PO)
- Certified Scrum Professional® – Developer (CSP® -D) **TBD**



What is required for CSP®?

- To hold an applicable Advanced credential (SM, PO or Developer) and demonstrate 12 months or more of experience

Who Should not Participate?

- While anyone can attend any of the training programs, in order to achieve the credentials, the requirements of each respective credential must be met in order to achieve the respective certification

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Discount for Attending

For attending today's webinar, you may take \$100 off of an upcoming class! Choose from the following:

- Certified ScrumMaster[®] : CSM[®]
- Certified Scrum Product Owner[®] : CSPO[®]
- Advanced – CSMSM: A-CSMSM
- Advanced – CSPOSM: A-CSPOSM

DISCOUNT CODE for YOU: WS-SCRUM100

(code for upcoming class and may not be applied retroactively to courses already complete)

Questions?

