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# Conditions for Examination and Certification

Siemens Industrial Networks Education Certification Program

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## Subject Area of the Certification Examination

Professional Level	Expert Level
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Switching and Routing in Industrial Networks with SCALANCE</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Diagnostics and Optimization of Industrial Networks with SCALANCE</li></ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Switching and Routing in Industrial Networks with RUGGEDCOM</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Diagnostics and Optimization of Industrial WLAN</li></ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Wireless LAN in Industrial Networks</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Remote Communication in Industrial Networks</li></ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>WiMAX in Industrial Networks</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Network Monitoring and Configuration in Industrial Networks</li></ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Security in Industrial Networks with SCALANCE</li></ul>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Security in Industrial Networks with RUGGEDCOM</li></ul>	

- ① The registration and participation at the Siemens AG for the examination within the Siemens Industrial Networking Certification Program allows you to take a Siemens-designed examination in the selected subject area, and upon passing receive a corresponding certificate issued by the Siemens AG.

Upon passing an examination of the Professional level you will receive a certificate as *Siemens Certified Professional for Industrial Networks* in the respective subject area. Upon passing an examination in the Expert level you will receive a certificate about the successful participation at the training.

To achieve the title *Siemens Certified Expert for Industrial Networks* it requires three single certificates: Both a Professional and an Expert certificate of the intended certification path plus one certificate from another subject area or an elective certificate. The order of examinations is of no significance. When all three certificates are achieved the examinee receives the certificate conferring the title *Siemens Certified Expert for Industrial Networks* in the respective certification path.

In accordance with the conditions outlined below, the certificate can be used in the course of business.

- ② The examination is conducted according to the examination regulations enclosed as **attachment 2**. With this registration for the examination, you agree to accept the provisions defined in the examination regulations and comply with them.
- ③ Upon successfully passing the certification examination, the Siemens AG will issue the corresponding certificate. Furthermore, you are authorized to use the title recorded on the certificate in the course of business for a validity period of three (3) years starting with the day of issuance. This right is not transferable to other persons.
- ④ The title is solely tied to your person. It is therefore not permitted to use the title in a form that would give the impression a company managed by you is certified. It is likewise not permitted for your employer to associate the title with his or her company to create the impression the employer's company is certified.

- ⑤ Following the expiration of the validity of the certificate and/or its revocation by the Siemens AG, you agree to no longer use the title acquired with the certificate in the course of business, provided you have not successfully passed a recertification examination authorizing your continued use of the title.

- ⑥ The certification does not give authorization to independently train others in the name or on behalf of the Siemens AG, or to pass on certificates in the name or on behalf of the Siemens AG. The certificate also does not authorize the passing on of training documents.

- ⑦ Any rights to trademarks and logos of the Siemens AG remain with the Siemens AG. Their use is only permitted following a contractual agreement.

- ⑧ The Siemens AG is authorized to revoke the certificate, if you perform actions or omissions that are opposed to the certificate's purpose – the building of trust at the customer. In particular, Siemens is authorized to revoke the certificate, if

- You use the title acquired with the certification contrary to the regulations listed above; or
- Your actions or statements harm the reputation of the Siemens AG or its employees. This applies in particular, if your continued bad performance impacts the reputation of products and services of the Siemens AG; or
- You continuously make inaccurate statements about products and services of the Siemens AG to third parties; or
- You manipulate Siemens products.

Furthermore, a revocation due to the reasons mentioned above entitles the Siemens AG to demand compensation for damages from you.

- ⑨ Following the revocation of the certificate, you are required to immediately return the certification document to the Siemens AG.

- ⑩ The Siemens AG is authorized to change the conditions of the Siemens Industrial Networks Certification Program at any time. However, certifications already acquired will remain unaffected for the duration of their validity.
- ⑪ The costs for the certification examination are included in the respective preparation training if the examination is performed directly after the training. All examinations outside of a training (i.e. without a preceding preparation training or in case of a repeat examination or a re-certification) are subject to charge. In case that a review of the exam result by an associate of the Siemens Industrial Networks Education program is demanded, this will be charged with a handling fee. For details on prices please refer to your local Siemens representative or training provider. With the binding registration to the examination the participant commits to cover the accruing costs.
- ⑫ To take part in the examination, a declaration of consent to the use and storage of your personal data below is required. Should you not provide your declaration of consent, you will not be able to take part in the examination, and thus have no right to the issuance of a certificate. Should you later fully revoke your consent to the storage of your personal data so that it is no longer possible for the Siemens AG to store the data of your certificate, and furthermore it is no longer possible for the Siemens AG and its affiliates to provide information about your certification to third parties, the Siemens AG is authorized to revoke your certificate. With the revocation, the legal consequences defined above take effect.
- ⑬ This declaration is subject to the laws of the Federal Republic of Germany. The place of jurisdiction is Nuremberg.