



CCASP Written and Practical Examination for CPSA, CRT, CCT-APP, CCT-INFRA and CCSAS



13 April 2021 (Tue)

Outline

HKIB will organize the examinations for CCASP CPSA, CCASP CRT, CCASP CCT-INFRA, CCASP CCT-APP and CCASP CCSAS.

CCASP exams are recognized by the professional services industry and buyers as being the best indication of knowledge, skill and competence. They are a high-level aspiration for those taking them and increasingly a mandated requirement for those hiring or buying services. CCASP exams are broken down into three levels.

CCASP provides a recognized career path right from your entry into the industry through to experienced senior tester level. We work with the largest number of technical information security providers who support and guide the development of our examination and career paths.

CCASP Practitioner Security Analyst – CPSA

The CPSA is a written (theory) online examination, delivered in Pearson Vue test centre. It is used to assess the theory element of the CRT. The CPSA examination is a pre-requisite for candidates wishing to take the CRT examination.

CCASP Registered Penetration Tester – CRT

The CRT is a multiple-choice practical only examination that has the pre-requisite of a CPSA pass. All candidates wishing to qualify as a CRT must hold a valid CPSA pass.

CCASP Certified Web Applications – CCT-APP CCASP Certified Infrastructure Tester – CCT-INFRA CCASP Certified Simulated Attack Specialist – CCSAS

The written and practical components of the CCASP Certified level (Infrastructure and Web Applications) examinations are separate. The written component is delivered via Pearson Vue test centre; the practical examinations remain half day examinations delivered in ASTRI, Science Park, Hong Kong.

All CCT candidates must pass in the written examination prior taking the CCT practical in that examination to enable the award of a CCT qualification.

Points to Notes

The hard disk of the candidate's laptop will be completely wiped by CREST after the practical exam.

It may take up to a week for hard disk to return after wiping.

There is no refund if the candidate failed the exam.

The written components of all CCASP Certified level exams are closed book.

All CCASP examinations are valid for three (3) years.

Candidate will need to take the online written exam before joining the practical exam. Timeslot for the written exam available on the Pearson Vue website at <https://home.pearsonvue.com/>.

Entry requirements

1. The CCASP Practitioner examinations are the entry level exams and are aimed at individuals with around 2,500 hours relevant and frequent experience.
2. The CCASP Registered Tester examinations are the next step and by passing this you are demonstrating your commitment as an information security tester. Typically, candidates wishing to sit a Registered Tester examination should have at least three years or more relevant and frequent experience. The CCASP Certified Tester examinations are designed to set the benchmark for senior testers: These are the certifications to which all testers aspire. By gaining the CCASP Certified Tester certification you are recognizably at the top of your game as an information security specialist.
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4. Exam candidates must bring a laptop suitable for practical examination or they will not be able to participate the exam. The hard disk of the candidate's laptop will be completely wiped after the exam. This means:
 - At least 8GB RAM and 30GB HDD space;
 - Ability to connect to 802.11n wireless networks;
 - Kali Linux OS **-OR-** VMware Player virtualization software installed and working and able to plug in and read from a USB HDD.

*Please refer to CREST's [website](#) for more details about CPSA, CRT, CCT-APP, CCT-INFRA and CCSAS.

Examination Assessor

Examination assessor from CREST

Examination Details

Language	:	English
Date	:	13 April 2021 (Tuesday)
Venue	:	Pearson Vue,
(Written)	:	Office B, 18/F, China Overseas Building, 139 Hennessy Road, Wan Chai, Hong Kong
Venue	:	Hong Kong Applied Science and Technology
(Practical)	:	Research Institute Company Limited (ASTRI), 3 rd Floor, Photonics Centre, 2 Science Park East Avenue, Hong Kong Science Park, New Territories, Shatin, Hong Kong.
Time / Duration	:	<u><i>(Please refer to examination schedule for details)</i></u>
/ Fee	:	
Enrolment	:	By email at programme@hkib.org or submit to our institute in person
Enquiries	:	(852) 2153 7800 or programme@hkib.org

CCASP Examination Schedule – April 2021

Subject	Code	Exam Type	Date (2021)	Time	Application Deadline (2021)	Fee (HKD)	Venue
Practitioner Security Analyst – CPSA	HV-CPSA-210401	Written	Note 1	Note 1	-	3,060*	Pearson Vue
Registered Penetration Tester – CRT PEN	HV-CRT-210401P	Practical	13 Apr (Tue)	9:30-12:30	7 Apr (Wed)	3,950	ASTRI
Certified Infrastructure Tester – CCT INF	HV-CCT-210401W	Written	Note 1	Note 1	-	3,060*	Pearson Vue
	HV-CCT-21401P	Practical	13 Apr (Tue)	9:30-12:30 & 14:00-18:30	7 Apr (Wed)	13,500	ASTRI
Certified Simulated Attack Specialist – CCSAS	HV-CCSAS-210401W	Written	Note 1	Note 1	-	3,060*	Pearson Vue
	HV-CCSAS-210401P	Practical	13 Apr (Tue)	9:30-13:30	7 Apr (Wed)	13,500	ASTRI

Note 1- please refer to the Pearson Vue website <https://home.pearsonvue.com/> for booking the written examination.

* The pricing listed are based on Pearson Vue listed price on their website.