



Computer Software Tester C.A.

Curriculum Code: 1633

Effective: Fall 2021 – Summer 2026

Description

Software Testing, or Software Quality Assurance, is one of many essential jobs in the computing industry. Companies need people to create software programs or applications as well as professionals to discover defects in these applications. Software testers must be knowledgeable about computers and their usage to meet the goals of the organization. They are familiar with programming and how software is put together. Knowledge of testing principles, such as test planning, test case design and implementation, test documentation, and the use of automated testing software are necessary. Soft skills are also essential to work effectively as a member of an organizational team. Students completing this certificate may use the credits towards the Computer Programmer/Analyst Associate in Business degree (0113).

Contact Information

Contact the Computer Information Technologies Program in the West Campus Building, Room M103, telephone number 517-267-6406 or Student Services West Campus, West Campus Building, Room M016, telephone number 517-267-5452.

Program of Study Required Courses

Course Code	Course Title	Credit / Billing Hours
CITF 110	Intro Computer Info Systems	3 / 3
CITF 240	IT Project Management	3 / 3
CITF 260	Systems Analysis and Design	4 / 4
CITP 110	Intro to Programming-Python	4 / 4
CITP 140	Software Testing	3 / 3
CITP 240	Advanced Software Testing	3 / 3
CITW 150	Internet Literacy	3 / 3
COMM 110	Communication in the Workplace	3 / 3

Program of Study Required Courses, Limited Choice - Writing – *Select one*

Course Code	Course Title	Credit / Billing Hours
ENGL 124	Technical Writing	3 / 3
ENGL 127	Business Writing	3 / 3

Program of Study Required Courses, Limited Choice - Programming – *Select one*

Course Code	Course Title	Credit / Billing Hours
CITP 150	Intro to VB.NET Programming	4 / 4
CITP 180	Intro to C#.NET Programming	4 / 4
CITP 190	Intro to Programming in JAVA	4 / 4

Total Credit Hours

33 credits / 33 billing hours

Recommended Course Sequence

Semester I	Semester II
CITF 110	CITF 240
CITP 110	CITF 260
CITP 140	CITP 240
COMM 110	CITW 150
Limited Choice - Writing	Limited Choice - Programming