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A new school year means resetting the clock on professional development hours. We have you covered!

Join us and attend online training sessions with fellow educators to collaborate and learn. If you help prepare the next generation of IT professionals, then CERTIFIED Academy: IT is the course for you!

Find out what sessions we're hosting between now and November.

[Tell me about the session options](#)

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The CERTIFIED Podcast is back!

We're so excited to be back to school, back in the classroom, back to recording with all our educators!

Let's start the new school year with a fun topic: Gaming design! In this week's episode, David Manning talks us through how he launched his gaming and simulation program. He also shares which free and paid resources he used in his classroom to prepare his students for their Unity certification. And last, but certainly not least, David walks you through how to help students learn coding without getting burned out, and how to keep them motivated to tackle difficult topics.

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Certiport Compass: The best keeps getting better!

The Technology team have been hard at work squashing bugs and adding new features to Compass, Certiport's state-of-the-art exam delivery technology, and we are pleased to announce that we have just released a new version - 19.0.2.1270 - which seeks to build on the strong foundation of our previous version, released in January 2023.

Usage reports show that hundreds of CATCs from across the world who have updated to the latest version of Compass, since its release in January, have achieved a flawless experience with each and every exam delivered. Thousands more CATCs have seen a major reduction in the number, and severity, of errors. We are looking forward to even greater rates of success with this newly released version, in which we have eliminated even more potential bugs and issues, making it the best version of Compass available.

In order to experience this same level of quality, we would encourage you to update to the most recent version of Compass as soon as possible. You can do this by reviewing our [Compass for Windows User Guide](#).

For more information about Compass contact your Territory Manager or go to www.certiport.com/compass.

JB Tinker: Technology Product Manager



Announcing Certiport's 2023 Adobe Certified Professional World Champions



The winners of the 2023 Certiport's Adobe Certified Professional World Championship have been announced! The annual competition challenges contestants from around the world to prove their superior digital design skills using Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator, and InDesign. Now in its 10th year, this year's competition attracted more than 53,000 participants. This year, competitors designed posters and t-shirts for the global non-profit, the International Rescue Committee (IRC). See who won the World Championship today!

[Show me the winners](#)

Dominique Delbar: Corporate Events Manager



Meet the 2023 Microsoft Office Specialist World Champions!



Certiport is pleased to announce the winners of the 2023 Microsoft Office Specialist (MOS) World Championship. The annual competition challenges students from ages 13 through 22 to prove their skills in Microsoft Word, Excel®, and PowerPoint®. Now in its 21st year, this year's competition – the only one endorsed by Microsoft since its inception in 2002 – attracted more than 1.3 million entries from around the world.

Find out who made the top 10 today!

[Who came out on top?](#)

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