

Configuring F5 Advanced WAF

In this 4 day course, students are provided with a functional understanding of how to deploy, tune, and operate F5 Advanced Web Application Firewall to protect their web applications from HTTP-based attacks.

The course includes lecture, hands-on labs, and discussion about different F5 Advanced Web Application Firewall tools for detecting and mitigating threats from multiple attack vectors such web scraping, Layer 7 Denial of Service, brute force, bots, code injection, and zero day exploits.

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Jeder Teilnehmer erhält die englischsprachigen Original-Unterlagen von F5 Networks in elektronischer Form.

Zielgruppe

This course is intended for security and network administrators who will be responsible for the installation, deployment, tuning, and day-to-day maintenance of the F5 Advanced Web Application Firewall.

Voraussetzungen

There are no F5-technology-specific prerequisites for this course. However, completing the following before attending would be very helpful for students with limited BIG-IP administration and configuration experience:
Administering BIG-IP instructor-led course -or- F5 Certified BIG-IP Administrator

The following free web-based training courses, although optional, will be very helpful for any student with limited BIG-IP administration and configuration experience. These courses are available at F5 University:

- Getting Started with BIG-IP web-based training
- Getting Started with BIG-IP Application Security Manager (ASM) web-based training

The following general network technology knowledge and experience are recommended before attending any F5 Global Training Services instructor-led course: OSI model encapsulation; Routing and switching; Ethernet and ARP; TCP/IP concepts; IP addressing and subnetting; NAT and private IP addressing; Default gateway; Network firewalls; LAN vs. WAN.

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Dieser Kurs im Web



Alle tagesaktuellen Informationen und Möglichkeiten zur Bestellung finden Sie unter dem folgenden Link:
www.experteach.at/go/FWAF

Vormerkung

Sie können auf unserer Website einen Platz kostenlos und unverbindlich für 7 Tage reservieren. Dies geht auch telefonisch unter 06074 4868-0.

Garantierte Kurstermine

Für Ihre Planungssicherheit bieten wir stets eine große Auswahl garantierter Kurstermine an.

Ihr Kurs maßgeschneidert

Diesen Kurs können wir für Ihr Projekt exakt an Ihre Anforderungen anpassen.

Training	Preise zzgl. MwSt.
Termine in Österreich	4 Tage € 4.400,-
Online Training	4 Tage € 4.400,-
Termin/Kursort	Kurssprache Deutsch
05.11.-08.11.24	
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