

PRNE

Programming for Network Engineers

This course will provide you with basic Python programming skills. Through a combination of lecture and lab experience in simulated network environments, you will learn to use Python fundamentals to create useful and practical scripts using Netmiko to retrieve data and configure network devices. Upon completion of this course, you should have a basic understanding of Python, including the ability to create, apply, and troubleshoot simple network automation scripts.

Course Contents

- Introducing Programmability and Python for Network Engineers
- Scripting with Python
- Examining Python Data Types
- Manipulating Strings
- Describing Conditionals, Loops, and Operators
- Exploring Classes, Methods, Functions, Namespaces, and Scopes
- Exploring Data Storage Options
- Exploring Python Modules and Packages
- Gathering and Validating User Input
- Analyzing Exceptions and Error Management
- Examining Debugging Methods

Target Group

This course is aimed at:

- Network administrators
- Network engineers with little or no programming or Python experience
- Network managers
- Systems engineers

Prerequisites

Before participating in this course, you should fulfill the following requirements:

- Familiarity with Cisco IOS®-XE software or other skills for configuring and operating Cisco network devices
- Basic knowledge of network management
- Cisco CCNA® certification or equivalent knowledge

The following Cisco course can help you gain the knowledge you need to prepare for this course:

• Implementing and Administering Cisco Solutions (CCNA)

Course Target

Upon completing this course, students will be able to:

- Describe use cases and examples of the value of network programmability
- Acquire a full complement of Python programming skills basics, data structures, control structures, comparison operators, input and output, structured programming, object-oriented programming, etc.
- Use Python to communicate to individual network devices, using examples of real networking communication and operations
- Use Python to communicate to multiple devices
- Use Object-Oriented Programming within Python to abstract network devices
- Use databases within a network-based application to store information about the network
- Use test methodologies to create quality applications
- Leverage software available via open source and existing libraries e.g. Cisco GitHub, Cisco DevNet, Python general-purpose and Cisco-specific libraries, NX-API

Processing time

approx. 30 hours

Status 06/08/2025

This Course in the Web



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www.experteach-training.com/go/PRNE

Reservation

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Activation for 6 months	€ 500

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Date/course venue	Course language German
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