Certification program for certification as a Operational Technology Security Technical Expert TÜV[®]



Certification requirements			
Basic requirements	Initial certification	Re-certification (every 3 years)	Evidence
1. Completed course including certification as "Certified OT Security Practitioner TÜV® (COSP)" of the TÜV AUSTRIA Academy or an equivalent course incl. certification/exam completion or	Written test: 30 single choice questions; the examination is considered positive if at least 65% of the points (20/30) are achieved Duration of test: 60 minutes	Proof of a specialist training with a scope of at least eight teaching units; alternatively a written test. Note: Specialist training courses are recognised if they	1. TÜV AUSTRIA certificate
relevant work experience of at least 6 months, averaging at least 20 hours per week in combination with examination and certification as "Certified OT Security Practitioner TÜV [®] (COSP)" from TÜV AUSTRIA Academy		have been attended within a period beginning no earlier than two years before and no later than six months after the expiry of the certification proof.	
Note: Courses are recognised if they were attended no more than 3 years before the certification test. Exceptions may be granted by the certification authority.			
2. Completed course as "Certified OT Security Technical Expert TÜV® (COSTE)" of the TÜV AUSTRIA Academy (attendance of at least 80% required) or an equivalent course		Practical proof of regular subject-specific work of at least two years; alternatively an oral exam Note: The practice must take place in a period between certification and re-certification, although it does not have to be continuous.	2. Public online directory Note: The validity of any TÜV AUSTRIA personal certificate can be queried at www.tuv.at/
Note: Courses are recognised if they were attended no more than 3 years before the certification test. Exceptions may be granted by the certification authority.			

Every certification requirement has to be completed successfully.

Dates, certification and re-certification fees as well as fees for examination retakes (excluding VAT) can be found in the respective valid course programs or other documents issued for the event in question.

Duration of validity of the certification proof: until 31st December of the third year after the certification test.

Re-certification is carried out after the proof of the requirements for re-certification and provided the certificate has not expired for longer than six months.

The certification regulations for the certification of persons of TÜV AUSTRIA apply. This certification program is valid until revoked.

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