

Certified Information Systems Security Professional

Associated Industries: Architecture and Construction | Arts, Audio/Video Technology & Communications | Business, Management, & Administration | Education & Training | Information Technology | Law & Public Safety | Marketing, Sales, & Service

Description and Labor Market Information

The Certified Information Systems Security Professional (CISSP) is ideal for information security professionals seeking to prove their understanding of cybersecurity strategy and hands-on implementation. It shows advanced knowledge and technical skills to design, develop and manage an organization's overall security posture.

This credential was associated with 34 occupations that were identified as well-paying and in demand. Overall, those occupations represent 68,007 positions with 6,821 annual openings within the state and median hourly earnings of \$38.67.

Sample Occupations

Computer and Information Systems Managers

Median Hourly Earnings: \$56.81
Typical Entry Level Education Requirement: Bachelor's degree
Total Positions: 890
Annual Job Openings: 81

Network and Computer Systems Administrators

Median Hourly Earnings: \$38.87
Typical Entry Level Education Requirement: Bachelor's degree
Total Positions: 1,159
Annual Job Openings: 85

Accountants and Auditors

Median Hourly Earnings: \$29.47
Typical Entry Level Education Requirement: Bachelor's degree
Total Positions: 5,079
Annual Job Openings: 489

Certifying Entity Information

ISC2
Website: www.isc2.org
Phone: (866) 331-4722
Local Availability:
Pearson Vue

Exam Details

Age Requirement: N/A
Coursework/Hours to Complete:
5 years work experience
Length of Certification Validity: 3 years
Exam Cost: \$699
Exam Time: 3 hours
Number of Questions: 100 to 150
Pass Rate: N/A

PROMISING CREDENTIALS IN HAWAII

This project has been a joint effort between Kamehameha Schools, the Chamber of Commerce Hawaii, University of Hawaii P-20, and the Harold K.L. Castle Foundation.

Students in Hawaii can earn hundreds of industry-recognized credentials right now. Thousands of students are investing time and resources to achieve these credentials with the hope they will lead to a career that enables them to live and thrive in Hawaii. But how effective are these programs at preparing Hawaii students for future careers and long-term success?

Promising Credentials in Hawaii, a first-of-its-kind analysis for our state, looks at whether the credentials students can earn actually matter in the real world to local employers.

Through intensive labor market analysis and outreach to local Hawaii businesses, this project has identified **137 Promising Credentials** that are associated with in-demand, living wage occupations throughout the state. The process began with identifying **274 Promising Occupations** that met wage and demand thresholds. A list of corresponding credentials for the 274 occupations was then compiled using job postings data. Finally, Hawaii employers from across the state completed surveys and participated in focus groups to narrow the list of nearly 2,000 credentials down to the 137 credentials they say matter most when making hiring and promotion decisions.

The resulting Promising Credentials were identified as relevant in hiring and promotional decisions for multiple in demand and well-paying occupations within the state. A detailed one-page summary of each of these Promising Credentials has been organized for student, school, and community use.

The comprehensive report and associated data can be found at www.HawaiiCareerPathways.org.