Mainframe Skills Depot

Take your skills to the next level



The Mainframe Skills Depot is your one-stop-shop platform for access to mainframe skills learning across IBM. Choose between three featured tracks: System Administrator or Application Developer for new career seekers or Modernization Architect for career advancement seekers. Develop skills through over 700 hours of self-paced, hands-on learning and earn industry recognized digital badges along the way to kickstart and enhance your career on IBM Z.

Mainframe System Administrator

Learn how to ensure the uptime, performance, resources, and security of a mainframe. 300+ hours of self-paced, hands-on training with foundational through advanced topics covering CICS, Db2, IMS, and more.

Mainframe Application Developer

Develop skills on how to maintain, enhance, and support applications for your enterprise. 250+ hours of progressive self-paced, hands-on learning learning ansible, Java, Python, CICS, Docker, and more.

Mainframe Modernization Architect

Choose between seven architecture decision points to help create solutions based on your enterprise status. Skills include Db2, LinuxONE, Python, AI, COBOL, and more.

PERSONA:

Mainframe System Administrator New to role

CONTENT: 300+ Hours

BADGES: 35

PERSONA: Mainframe Application Developer new to role **OR** new to mainframe modernization

CONTENT: 250+ Hours

BADGES: 28

PERSONA: New to mainframe modernization

CONTENT: 200+ Hours

BADGES: 10

Resources

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