



# MEF CARRIER ETHERNET CERTIFIED PROFESSIONAL (CECP) Course

Course Duration: 5 days

#### What is MEF CECP?

The MEF Carrier Ethernet Certification Program is a vendor neutral, technical certification recognizing Carrier Ethernet (CE) expertise in professionals from a cross section of job functions

#### **MEF-CECP and the MEF Professional Certification Framework**

MEF-CECP is a professional level, specialization certification within the MEF Professional Certification Framework. Earning these certifications within the MEF Professional Certification Framework: MEF-NF, MEF-CECP and MEF-SDN/NFV, earns industry professionals the coveted MEF NETWORK EXPERT status

#### **Preferred Candidates and Companies**

This course is recommended for network professionals such as:

- Sales Engineering
- Product Management
- Product Development
- Network Engineering
- Network Architecture
- Product Support
- Network Operations
- Technically oriented Sales and Marketing Professionals

Companies to benefit by training and certifying their employees as MEF-CECPs include:

- Communications Service Providers (CSPs) of all tiers
- Technology solution providers for network services
- Large enterprise consumers of Ethernet business services
- System Integrators and Consultants supporting CSPs





## **MEF-CECP CERTIFICATION Benefits:**

Considering the state of the CE services market, the benefits of MEF-CECP certification to you as an individual include:

- Global recognition of your vendor-neutral CE skills, and an upward trajectory of your career path as industry stakeholders develop, deliver and consume new generations of dynamic services across automated networks
- An up-front alignment of your competencies with MEF 3.0, as this global services framework gains momentum supported by major operators and technology providers alike
- A direct connection to the global MEF Community having 200+ member companies and 6000+ certified professionals in 85 countries

The benefits for companies that have a MEF-CECP employee pool are equally substantial:

- **CSPs**: Acquiring the CE understanding needed to develop, sell and deliver dynamic, orchestrated services to business customers and to conduct wholesale, inter-carrier transactions.
- **Enterprises**: Becoming a technically informed buyer of services, leveraging available service features, to drive network efficiencies and lower costs
- **Technology suppliers, consultants and integrators**: Positioning your company to win CE-related business with certified skills and improving your expertise
- All: The ability to recruit and retain the best and the brightest by offering the valuable, globally recognized MEF training and certifications

# **MEF-CECP Exam Information**

- Description: MEF Carrier Ethernet Certified Professional
- Title: MEF-CECP (Blueprint D)
- Questions: 80 questions in 105 minutes and a pass score of 65%
- **Delivery**: Electronically via secure login, on-site or remote proctored by qualified proctor
- Language: English only
- Credential Awarded: MEF Carrier Ethernet Certified Professional (MEF-CECP) upon passing the exam by 65% or higher. Valid for 3 years
- Learning Domains (Topics) Covered:
  - Services and attributes
  - Class of Service and Traffic Management
  - Service OAM
  - Infrastructure, Operations, and Applications
  - $\circ$   $\;$  and Ethernet, MEF Basics, and MEF Certification  $\;$
  - Re-Certification: Within three years of certification, prior to certificate expiration





# Candidate Recognition:

- Member of the MEF ProCERT Community of professionals
- Listed in the <u>MEF Certified Professional Registry</u>
- Highlighted on the home page of <u>MEFProCERT.com</u>
- Network Experts are listed <u>MEF Network Expert Registry</u>
- Qualify for MEF Certified Professional of the Year at annual MEF Awards
- Invitation to specific MEF events
- Discounted attendance the MEFXX event
- Qualify as contributor to <u>MEF ProCERT blog</u>
- Displayed on <u>MEFProCERT Spotlight</u>
- Participation as a MEFProCERT<u>Subject Matter Expert</u> on future MEF-CECP exams

### Why study with ECI rather than going at it alone?

- Instructor-led training through an MEF Accredited Training Provider (MEF-ATP) is the preferred and utilized by more than 80% of successful MEF-CECP candidates. This option enables more thorough, yet focused, coverage of the study materials, and as such can be a time saving preparation alternative for busy professionals
- ECI training programs last five days. This significantly reduces your study time
- Learn from ECI's subject matter experts that have been audited and are regularly monitored by MEF
- ECI offers class training, or private onsite for corporate group training in almost any location worldwide
- Nothing beats an interactive, instructor-led learning experience!