

IIBA[®] Calgary Chapter

BABOK[®] Study Group
Fall 2020
Information Session

September 9, 2020



Agenda



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About International Institute of Business Analysis

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Introductions



- Name
- Company (if applicable)
- Role
- Why are you passionate about business analysis?
- What are your expectations for this study group?
- When do you plan to write the exam?
- Which exam are you working towards?
- ECBA[®] , CCBA[®] or CBAP[®]

Study Group Objectives



- Learn the BABOK® Structure and Knowledge Areas
- Prepare Participants for the CBAP®, CCBA® or ECBA® Exam
- Self-assessment and Application Workshop
- Determine if your work experience meets the requirements to sit for the exam
- Learn how to be successful on your application

Difference between CBAP® and CCBA® Requirements

CBAP®	CCBA®
7500 hrs of BA experience in last 10 yrs	3750 hrs of BA experience in last 7 yrs
900 hrs in 4/6 Knowledge Areas	900 hrs in 2/6 Knowledge Areas or 500 hrs in 4/6 KAs
21 hrs of BA professional development	21 hrs of BA professional development
Minimum High School education	Minimum High School education
2 Professional references (career manager, client, CBAP recipient)	2 Professional references (career manager, client, CBAP recipient)
Signed code of conduct	Signed code of conduct
Successful completion of the exam	Successful completion of the exam
Recertification every 3 years	Recertification every 3 years

Level 1 - ECBA™ Program Overview

Level 1 - Entry Certificate in Business Analysis (ECBA™)

- This level provides individuals with a certificate that recognizes individuals entering the field of business analysis



Eligibility Requirements:

- Professional Development
- Minimum of 21 hours in last 4 years
- Agreement with the ECBA™ Code of Conduct
- Successful completion of the exam

Level 2 - CCBA® Program Overview

Level 2 - Certification of Capability in Business Analysis™ (CCBA®)



- This professional certification is for business analysis practitioners who want to be recognized for their expertise and skills by earning formal recognition.
- With a minimum of 3750 hours of hands-on business analysis experience, they have developed essential BA skills.

Level 3 - CBAP® Program Overview

Level 3 - Certified Business Analysis Professional™ (CBAP®)

- This professional certification is for individuals with extensive business analysis (BA) experience



Eligibility Requirements:

- Minimum of 7500 hours of hands on BA experience, CBAP® recipients are the elite, senior members of BA community
- Professional Development - minimum of 35 hours in last 4 years
- Thousands of individuals all over the world have achieved CBAP® designation since the first exam was held in November 2006
- CBAP® recipients are experts in identifying the business needs of an organization in order to determine the best solutions

Levels 1, 2, & 3

Certification Levels Program Overview

The following applies to all three levels of certification:

- This certification program is aligned with the International Standards Organization (ISO) 17024 standard for certifying the competence of personnel
- The certificate examination is currently only offered in several different languages – check IIBA.org website for further information
- You do not need to be an IIBA member in order to take the certification examination, but IIBA members receive discounts on certification exam fees
- IIBA members also receive the BABOK v3 to download for free

Credits Eligibility

To be eligible for credits participants will need to:

- Attend and contribute in sessions
- Attendance is recorded at the beginning of the session only, as per IIBA[®] credit rules (3 CDUs / session)
- Need to attend a minimum of 9 sessions to obtain a certificate
- Prepare for each session and participate in discussions
- Participate in topic tests administered by the Study Group Facilitator
- Create and present one session topic and related techniques

Study Group Participants Requirements

- Be on time
- Participate actively
- Inform the Study Group Coordinator if you are no longer able to participate

What we Provide Study Group Participants

- Sessions led by experienced and certified CBAP members
- Meeting space via online Virtual Technology (Zoom)
- Study Group Website for collaboration among group
- Study Group Coordinator will upload documents to assigned shared drive within 48 hours of each session

- Certificate of Completion, if hours attained:
 - Total of 36 Professional Development Hours towards CBAP/CCBA/ECBA application
 - Valid for 4 years

Next Session & Fees

- September 23, 2020 through to Dec 9, 2020
 - 6:00 pm – 9 pm (12 weeks)

- Fees:

- Non Members: \$50.00
& Cost to obtain BABOK v3
- Calgary Chapter Members: **FREE!**

Note: IIBA Global members can download BABOK v3 for free from IIBA.org including 'New' online version



Registration

Advanced registration is required:

Registration page posted on Calgary Chapter website under 'Events'

- <https://Calgary.iiba.org/events-list>

Note: if you decide to join IIBA.org + Calgary Chapter, please email: commadmin for discount code to use for Free chapter registration

Weekly Session Agenda

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Item	Responsible	Time
Participant Attendance Recorded & Previous Session Recap	Study Group Coordinator	10
Watermark Exam Questions / Review	Study Group Coordinator	35
Break		5
Topic Presentation & Discussion	Assigned Team	75
Break		10
Techniques Presentation & Discussion	Assigned Team	30
Topic Quiz Review & Discussion / Certification Support	Study Group Coordinator	10

Suggested Schedule

Any dates participants not able to attend?

Week	Date	Chapter	Knowledge Area Presenters	Technique #	Techniques Presenters
1	Sep 23, 2020	1) Introduction & 2) Key Concepts	Study Group Coordinator		
2	Sept 30, 2020	3) Planning & Monitoring		1 to 5	
3	Oct 7 2020	4) Elicitation & Collaboration		6 to 10	
4	Oct 14, 2020	5) Requirements Life Cycle Management		11 to 15	
5	Oct 21, 2020	6) Strategy Analysis		16 to 20	
6	Oct 28, 2020	7) Requirements Analysis & Design Definition		21 to 25	
7	Nov 4, 2020	8) Solution Evaluation		26 to 30	
8	Nov 11, 2020	9) Underlying Competencies		31 to 35	
9	Nov 18, 2020	Techniques 36-40		41 to 45	
10	Nov 25, 2020	Techniques 46 to 50		Self Assessment & Application Workshop	
11	Dec 2, 2020	Mock Exam	Study Group Coordinator		
12	Dec 9, 2020	Review / Celebration	Study Group Coordinator		

Questions
or
Comments