

The **SPeD Certification Program** is part of the Department of Defense's (DoD) initiative to professionalize the security workforce. This initiative is intended to ensure a common set of competencies among security practitioners to promote interoperability, facilitate professional development and training, and develop a workforce of certified security professionals.

CERTIFICATIONS



Security Fundamentals Professional Certification

Indicates a security practitioner's understanding of foundational concepts, principles, and practices needed to successfully protect DoD assets.



Security Asset Protection Professional Certification

Indicates a security practitioner's ability to apply foundational concepts, principles, and practices needed to successfully perform functions, implement programs, and pursue missions to protect DoD assets.



Security Program Integration Professional Certification

Indicates a security practitioner's ability to apply risk management and security program management concepts, principles, and practices.



Adjudicator Professional Certification

Ideal for all Personnel Security Adjudicators in the DoD Consolidated Adjudication Facility, DoD Intelligence Community Central Adjudication Facilities, and personnel security adjudicators employed by an agency accepted to participate in the program.



Due Process Adjudicator Professional Certification

Recognizes an individual's demonstrated understanding and application of occupational and technical, knowledge, skills, and expertise necessary to proficiently perform essential due process adjudicator tasks.



Industrial Security Oversight Certification

Ideal for DoD, Industry, and federal members under the National Industrial Security Program (NISP).



Physical Security Certification

Ideal for DoD, Industry, and federal members performing physical security functions.



Special Program Security Certification

Ideal for personnel who will be or are already performing Security Officer functions for and/or on behalf of the Department of Defense Special Access Programs.