# TOGAF® Enterprise Architecture Foundation

## Introduction

TOGAF certifications can help enterprise architects unlock lucrative opportunities across the world.

This TOGAF Enterprise Architecture Foundation online training course offers professionals a comprehensive introduction to the TOGAF Enterprise Architecture methodology and framework.

Used globally by leading organizations to maximize efficiency, the TOGAF standard enables practitioners to design, evaluate and build the right IT architectures.

This course is based on the newest version of the TOGAF standard, the TOGAF Standard 10th edition.

Increase your visibility and status within the architecture community with this interactive, self-paced online training course.

More about the course

This TOGAF Enterprise Architecture Foundation course explores the core concepts and principles of the TOGAF standard, diving deep into the phases of the Architecture Development Method (ADM) which sits at the heart of the framework. Any individual or organization with an aspiration to implement industry-leading Enterprise Architecture practices should have a solid understanding of the TOGAF standard.

This fully-accredited online course offers a range of self-paced micro-learning videos, formative quizzes and revision activities.

The practice exams and other training resources are designed to ensure learners pass the TOGAF Foundation exam on their first attempt – and feel confident in the practical application of their new knowledge.

Benefits for Individuals

Becoming TOGAF-certified gives Enterprise Architecture professionals, and those working closely with architecture teams, the opportunity to demonstrate their knowledge and proficiency in the framework. Our TOGAF Enterprise Architecture Foundation course also equips learners with important, transferable skills, including:

* A common language in which to collaborate with other TOGAF architects
* The capabilities to meet an organization’s architectural requirements more fully
* Process optimization skills, to ensure all departments work efficiently
* Being able to identify cost-saving opportunities
* Leadership competencies

All of this can do wonders for career development, enabling you to increase your earning potential.

Benefits for Organizations

A well-defined IT architecture leads to a much more efficient IT operation, providing better returns on existing investments while also reducing risks for future programs.

Adopting a world-class Enterprise Architecture standard like TOGAF will also enable much greater consistency and discipline. It improves interoperability and customer-specific usability, reducing waste and costs.

The framework integrates business objectives and adapts enterprise-specific operations, reducing complexity and providing better communication channels between internal and external stakeholders.

Training your staff in the latest version of the TOGAF standard, the TOGAF Standard 10th edition, will simplify and speed up the architecture development process in your organization. This will help you to reduce expenditure for planning, design and implementation.

## Course Outline

**Foundation**

**TOGAF Enterprise Architecture Foundation**

**Module 0: Welcome to TOGAF Enterprise Architecture Foundation**

Module zero introduces you to the course main features, learning plan, aims and objectives, and structure.

It also offers a course guide, diagram packs, a further reading and links document and links to download essential copies of the framework publications.

**Module 1: Concepts**

Module one answers several fundamental questions, such as “What is an enterprise?”, “Why is an Enterprise Architecture needed?” and “Why use the TOGAF Standard as a framework for Enterprise Architecture?”

The module also introduces the core concepts of the TOGAF Standard, including an initial outline of the Architecture Development Method (ADM), the Enterprise Continuum, Architecture Repository, Content Framework, Enterprise Metamodel and Enterprise Capability.

**Module 2: Introduction to the ADM**

Module two explains the basic structure of the ADM and explores the governance and scoping of Enterprise Architecture.

**Module 3: Phases of the ADM**

Module 3 outlines the purpose and objectives of each of the phases of the ADM: the Preliminary Phase and Phases A-H. It also explains Requirements Management and architecture in an Agile Enterprise.

**Module 4: Introduction to ADM techniques**

Module 4 introduces the ADM supporting guidelines and techniques. It outlines the purpose of Architecture Principles and what makes a good Architecture Principle. It goes on to explain business scenarios, interoperability, the Business Transformation Readiness Assessment and risk management.

**Module 5: Introduction to applying the ADM**

Module 5 explains where to find detailed guidance on applying the TOGAF Standard, how to apply iteration to the ADM, the Architecture Landscape, Architecture Partitioning and the purposes of EA Capability.

The module concludes with an explanation of how the TOGAF Standard supports the digital enterprise.

**Module 6: Introduction to Architecture Governance**

Module 6 explains the concept of Architecture Governance, focusing first on its nature and characteristics. It then describes the role and responsibilities of an Architecture Board along with the role of Architecture Contracts and Architecture Compliance.

**Module 7: Architecture content**

Module 7 focuses on Architecture content — the outputs produced while executing the ADM. It begins by defining key concepts of Architectural Artifacts, what building blocks are and their use in the ADM. It then describes the TOGAF Standard deliverables created and consumed in different ADM phases.

**Module 8: The practice exams**

There are two practice exams. One has been provided by The Open Group. The other has been created by Good e-Learning.

**Module 9: TOGAF Enterprise Architecture: Foundation wrap-up**

Module 9 provides information on booking the exam and other courses of interest.

## **Exams/Assessment**

*Section 1 - TOGAF 9 Level 1*

* Demonstrate sufficient understanding of the framework
* Multiple-choice
* 40 questions
* 60 minutes (additional time available if English is not your first language)
* Pass mark is 60% or 24/40
* Closed-book

## What do you get?

* 6 months’ access from the date of purchase to complete your training
* 10+ hours of online training content
* Free exam voucher
* 2 practice exams
* Tutor support

**FAQs**

**What is the TOGAF standard?**

The TOGAF standard is a globally-recognized architecture framework. It is a valuable tool that enables the design, evaluation and building of the right IT architecture in an organization. It forms the cornerstone of Enterprise Architecture initiatives in many organizations.

**Who owns the TOGAF standard?**

The TOGAF standard is owned and developed by the members of The Open Group, a body consisting of many of the world’s Fortune 1000 companies as well as many major IT vendors.

**Is this course accredited?**

Yes, the TOGAF 9 Foundation certification course has been accredited by The Open Group.

**What are the prerequisites for this course?**

There are no formal prerequisites for this course.

**What is the duration of this course?**

The seat time of the course is 10 hours. This includes all the learning modules, revision modules, the downloadable PDF workbook, module-level assessments and the mock exams.

**How long can users access this course?**

Learners receive 6 months of access from the purchase date of the course.

**How long is the exam voucher valid for?**

The exam voucher is valid for 12 months.

**How can the exam be taken?**

Pearson Vue is an authorized provider of the TOGAF 9 Foundation examination.

**Does the course include a manual?**

The course does not require a manual.