

# Dell Technologies Proven Professional Certification



## Realize your full potential.

### DELL TECHNOLOGIES PROVEN PROFESSIONAL PROGRAM

The technology-focused approach addresses concepts and principles that can be applied in all IT environments. Role-based training and exams cover Dell Technologies' essential IT infrastructure solutions from the edge to the data center to the cloud.



#### CAREER CERTIFICATION PATH



**Associate (DCA)**  
Fundamental knowledge of a technology.  
Certification aligned to training.



**Specialist (DCS)**  
Role specific baseline skills in a given technology.  
Certification aligned to training.



**Expert (DCE)**  
Advanced skills and experience in one or more technologies.  
Certification based on experience.

#### TECHNOLOGIES COVERED



Data Protection



Data Science



Cloud



Converged Infrastructure



Security



Networking



Servers



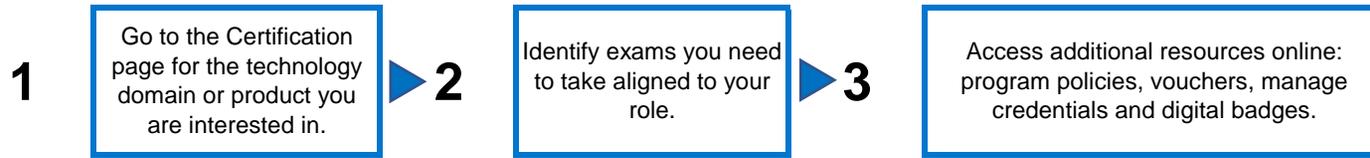
Storage

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Use this simple 3-step process to access all the information you need to become a Dell Technologies Proven Professional.



- Cloud
  - Cloud Infrastructure
  - Cloud Services
- Converged Infrastructure
  - VxBlock
  - VxRail

- Data Protection
  - Data Protection and Management
  - PowerProtect Data Manager
  - PowerProtect Cyber Recovery
  - Avamar
  - PowerProtect DD
  - Networker
  - RecoverPoint

- Data Science
  - Advanced Analytics
  - Data Engineering

- Networking
  - PowerSwitch Campus
  - PowerSwitch Data Center

- Security
  - Infrastructure Security

- Servers
  - PowerEdge
  - PowerEdge MX
  - PowerEdge M1000e
  - PowerEdge FX2
  - PowerEdge VRTX
  - OpenManage Enterprise

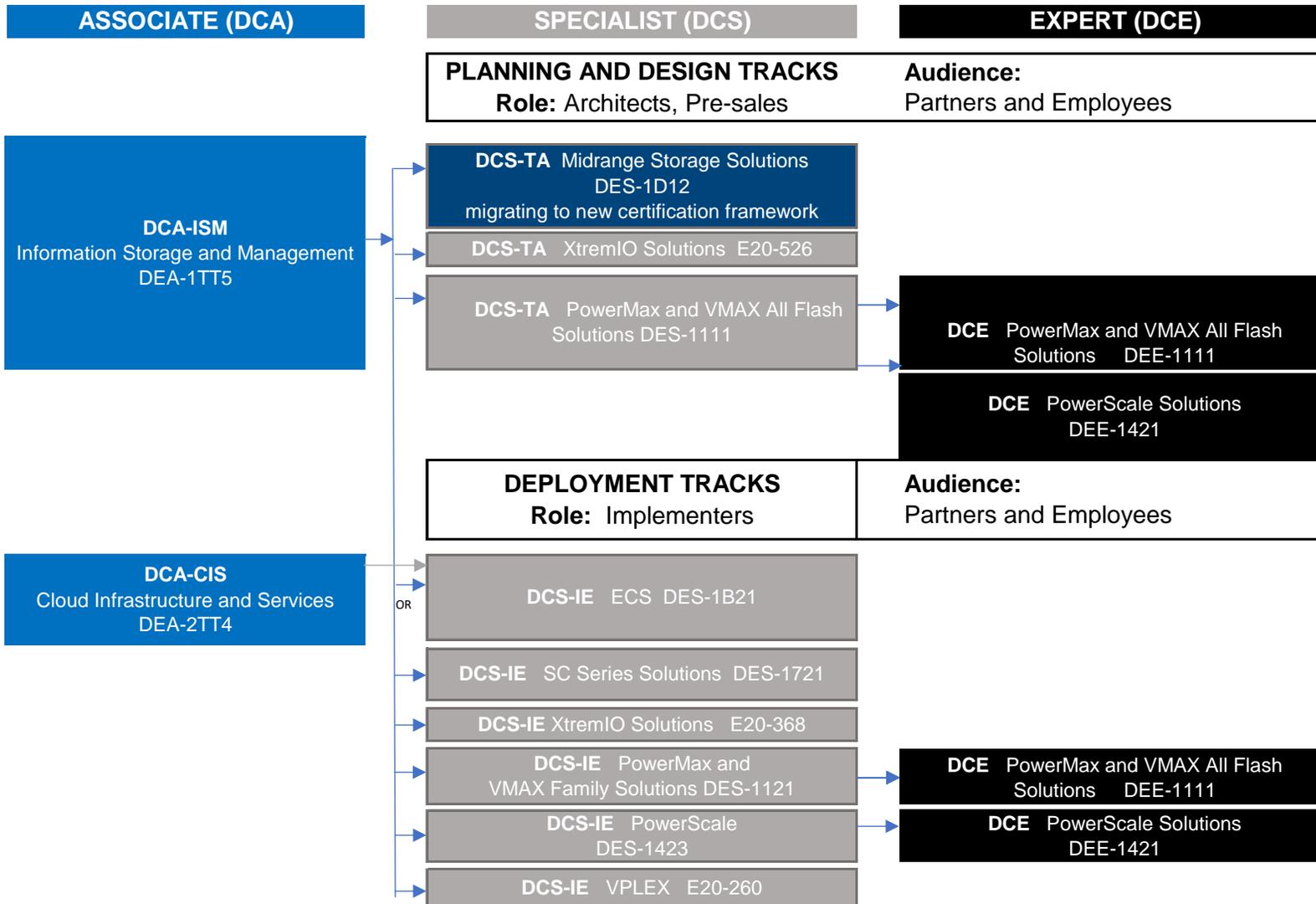
- Storage
  - ECS
  - PowerScale
  - PowerMax / VMAX
  - PowerStore
  - Dell EMC Unity
  - VPLEX
  - XtremIO

# Storage Certifications - 1 of 2



Based on your role and technology focus complete an Associate level certifications (DCA-CIS or DCA-ISM) and then choose the Specialist track

**Tracks:** Technology Architect (DCS-TA), Implementation Engineer (DCS-IE), Systems Administrator (DCS-SA), Platform Engineer (DCS-PE)



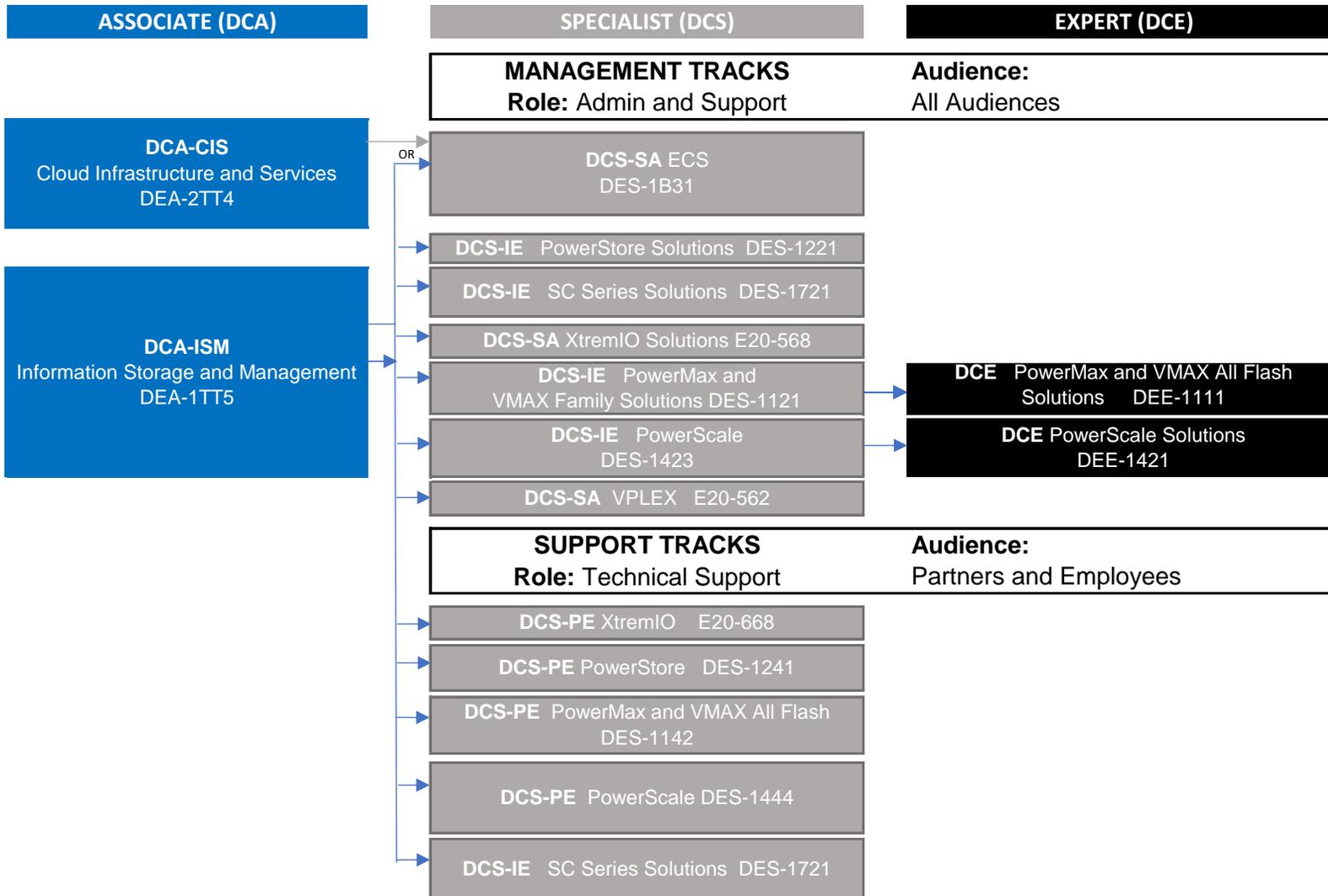
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# Storage Certifications - 2 of 2



Based on your role and technology focus complete an Associate level certifications (DCA-CIS or DCA-ISM) and then choose the Specialist track  
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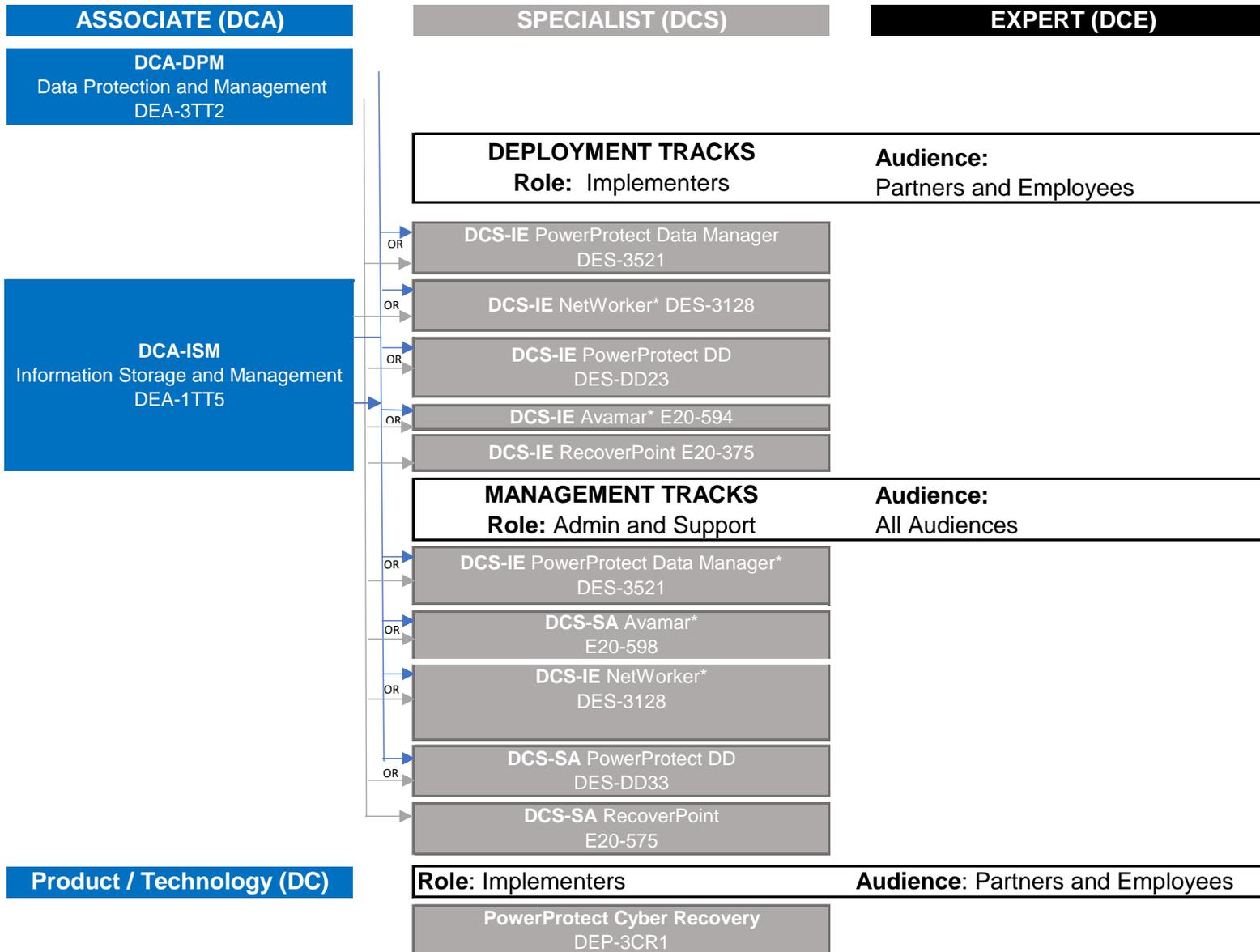
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# Data Protection Certifications



Complete either one of the Associate level certifications (DCA-DPM or DCA-ISM) and then choose the track based on your role

**Tracks:** Technology Architect (DCS-TA), Implementation Engineer (DCS-IE), Systems Administrator (DCS-SA)



\*These certifications may make you eligible for an additional badge.

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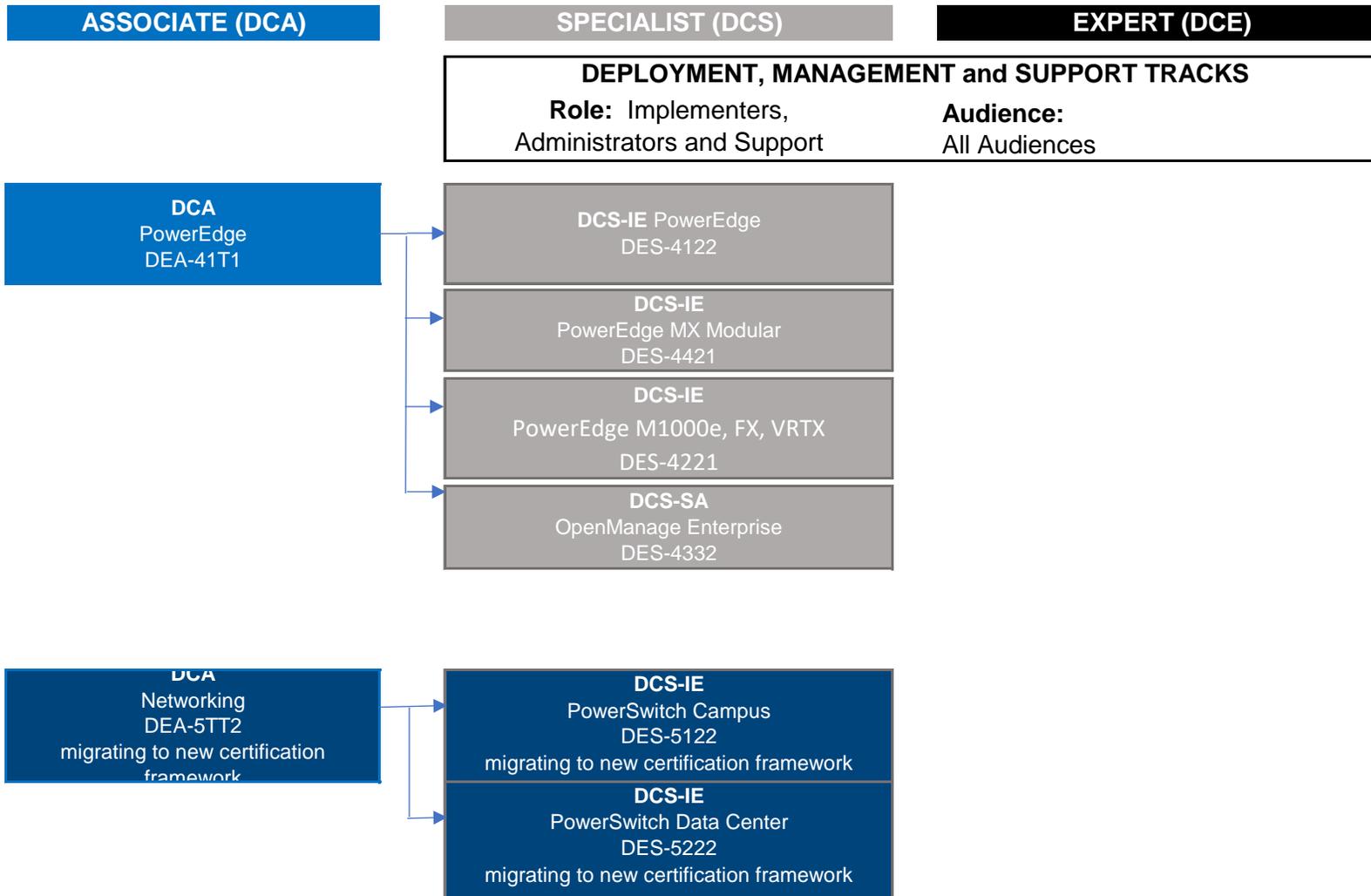
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# Servers and Networking Certifications



Based on your role and technology focus complete an Associate level certifications (PowerEdge or Networking) and then choose the Specialist track  
**Tracks:** Implementation Engineer (DCS-IE), Systems Administrator (DCS-SA) and Platform Engineer (DCS-PE)



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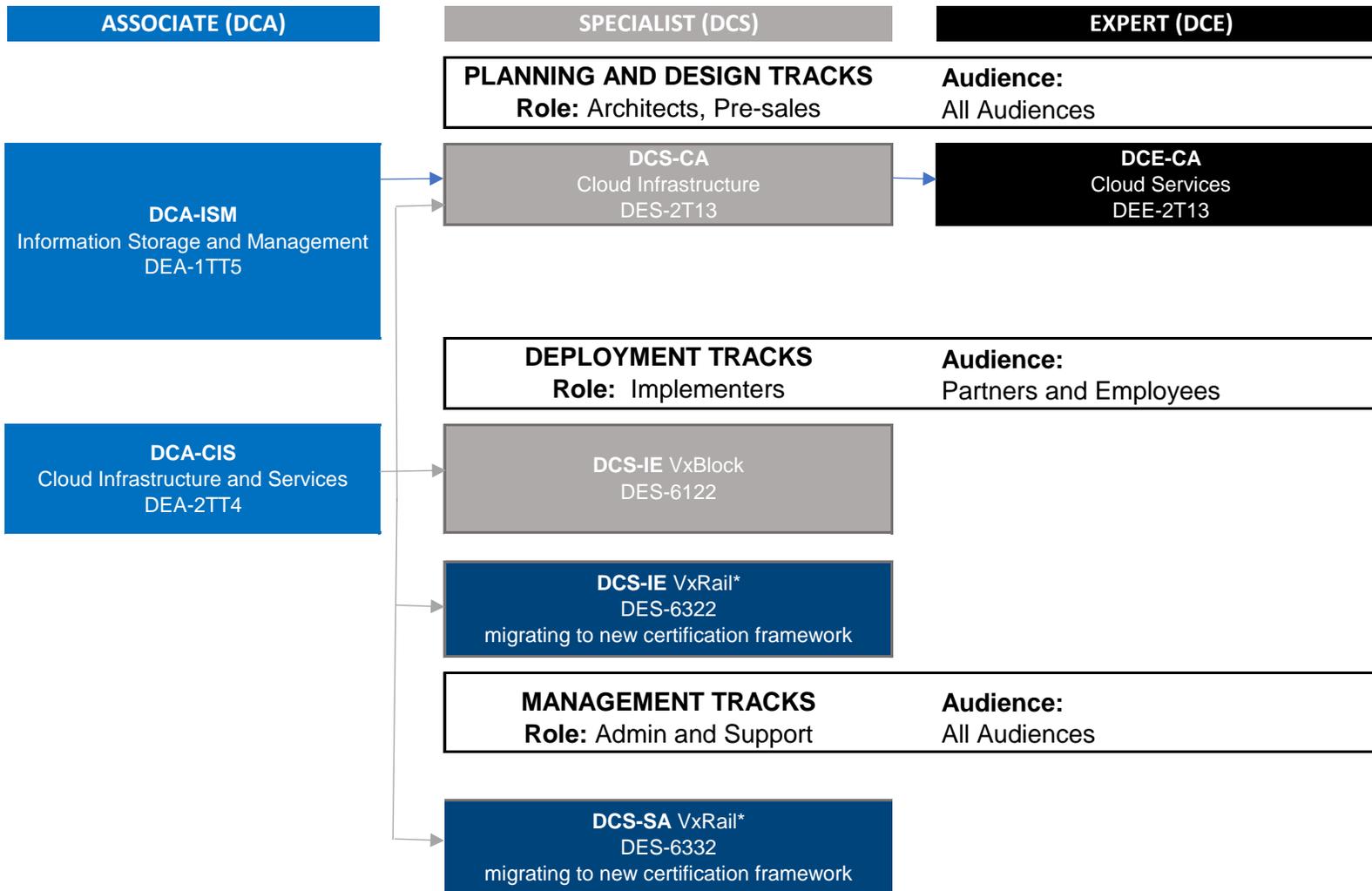
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# Cloud and Converged Infrastructure Certifications



Based on your role and technology focus complete an Associate level certification and then choose the Specialist track

**Tracks:** Cloud Architect (DCS-CA), Implementation Engineer (DCS-IE) and Systems Administrator (DCS-SA)



\*These certifications may make you eligible for an additional badge.

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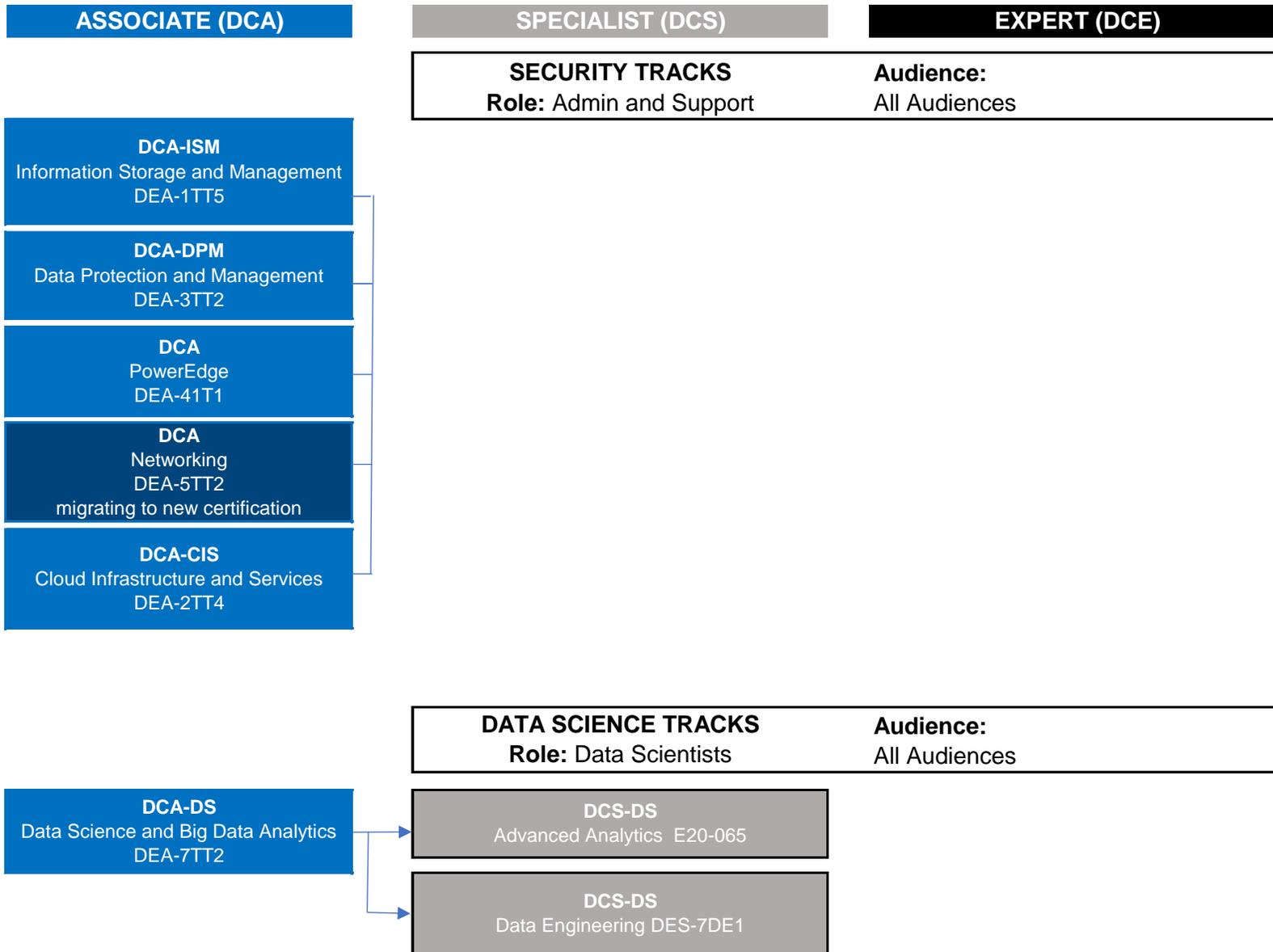
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# Security and Data Science Certifications



Based on your role and technology focus complete an Associate level certifications and then choose the Specialist track

**Tracks:** Data Scientist (DCS-DS), Specialist (DCS)



# Badges – Solutions and Co-Skilled

Unique visual identities that validate an IT professional's broad and deep expertise across Dell Technologies.  
Validates solutions with complimentary capabilities than may include more than one technology or company.



Role: Manage, Deploy		Audience: All Audiences	
PROVEN PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATION	OTHER CERTIFICATION	BADGE	
DCS-IE PowerEdge and DCS-IE PowerEdge MX Modular	+ VMware Certified Specialist vSAN 2023 or 2022	= vSAN Ready Node	
DCS-IE VxRail	+ VMware Certified Professional Data Center Virtualization VCP-DCV 2022 or 2022	= Dell Technologies VxRail & VMware Data Center Virtualization Implementor	
DCS-SA VxRail	+ VMware Certified Professional Data Center Virtualization VCP-DCV 2023 or 2022	= Dell Technologies VxRail & VMware Data Center Virtualization Administrator	
TRAINING AND TEST	PROVEN PROFESSIONAL AND OTHER CERTIFICATION	BADGE	
Dell Technologies Unified Workspace Authorization Test	+ VMware Certified Professional Digital Workspace VCP-DW 2023 or 2022	= Dell Technologies Unified Workspace	
Data Protection (DP) Suite Authorization Test	+ DCS-IE PowerProtect Data Manager + DCS-IE Avamar or DCS-SA Avamar or DCS-IE NetWorker or	= Data Protection (DP) Suite	

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