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EDITORIAL

We dont care about it …

The first time that I knew what Cisco Networking Academy Program was about, took place when I was looking at the Cisco Systems site, at that moment I didn't have anything to read so I needed to kill time, besides, I knew that this company gives the opportunity to have the most important certifications in the field, so I knew I was going to find something interesting in this site. That was the moment when I found a link to one part of the page where the Training and Certifications explained what Cisco Networking Academy Program was about.

That was my last semester to finish as Accountant and my university degree didn't have any relation in the IT or Telecommunications fields. during my college years I worked for the IT telecom department, I worked more in the networking field than any other field. Deep in my mind I knew that my future income would be working on the telecomunication field even more specific in networking field. I never thought on a career change at the University because I was already gone thru a great part of it and I had enough experience, but I was missing something that would give something else to my effort and curricula.

But what really impress me was the story of a Cisco Systems executive named Scott Redilla, which appears at the Cisco site as a success story of the program. I was really surprised that someone with a mechanic career had made a bigger and even more difficult change than mine. It was then when it crossed my mind the desire of having the program at my University.

Later on I saw a poster that announced that the program was going to take place at the Autonoma de Tamaulipas University!! Thanks to our Chancellors venturecome attitude, Ing. Humberto Filizola and to our main contacts: Ing. Jesús Amaro Castillo and Lic. Everardo Huerta, we already had this great opportunity. Not making this a large story, I enroll to the program, was accepted, and a month ago I graduated and in two more weeks I'll present the CCNA exam.

The greatness thing the Cisco Networking Academy Program, on my particular point of view, is that offers the necesary tools so people of other fields, might succeed in such a dinamic and otustanding field as IT, in addition, it brings

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different people together. When I entered to the program, they never told me that I couldn't take it for not being a graduate in Computer Science or Engineer or in any other career related to Telecommunications or Technology. (There are students from an Indian ethnia they are studing the course and they are really an exmple to follow up) Cisco Systems just says "we don't care about it", and gives the opportunity to all the people, like us, that would like to succeed in this field.

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Last year, during Networkers 2001 (that left me impressed by the highly professional level of their exhibitors, been able to chat with them, the highly standards of knowledge and the how the Cisco Systems personnel were accessible and the fact of sharing a dinner with the assistants) I had the opportunity to meet one Cisco Systems' Vice-Presidents: Mr. Howard Charney, who left me astonished for been such an important person and with such a success (we even share the same hobby) I approched him and commented that I had not studied anything of this field in the University, that I was studying the program and wanted to know the secret of his success.

He told me: *"As for me I don't have a secret for my success. But I'll tell you some things that have helped me more than others in my career: Work hard for everything you want, that's what really will allowd you to get what you want. Be close to people better than you in the field, because you can learn from them things that will help you in the future. And study, because the knowledge is the most important part of this business"*. I believe that his words are the most appropriate to describe three elements that the Cisco Networking Academy Program gave me while I was a student during the 4 semesters.

Now, I work in the networking area of my University, and the knowledge that I have will help me look for an Administration on Telecommunications scholarship, at Syracuse University, next year. And that's just what the program has done for me: one of the 267,990 students enrolls worldwide. Just imagine what the program can do for you!

Don't think about it, join us!!!

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GREAT NEWS!

Congratulations to all!
World Wide Education granted a Recognition award to the Cisco Networking Acadeny Program Mexico...

WWE (World Wide Education) granted a Recognition award to the Cisco Networking Academy Program Mexico for the biggest growth for the number of academies and students in the fiscal year 2002, of 142 countries that conform the program worldwide.

We proudly want to share this award with all the Mexican instructors and students that conform the program. Thanks your active participation, the program in Mexico is third by number of students.

This award is for all of us, once again congratulations!!!
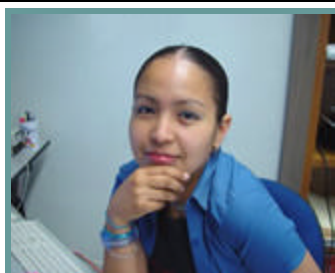
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Technology has been growing during the last 5 years with huge steps. The Cisco Networking Academy Program allow me to explore a very interesting world and to understand the process in which two or more computers can communicate and transfer information, the capacity of knowing the networking field; including all the necessary devices to be used like the routers and switches. Cisco Networking Academy has allowed me to reaffirm the knowledge during my Professional Career, besides contributing in great measure to new areas of knowledge unknown by me.

As a professional woman, the Networking Academy Program acquires an additional importance for me, since it puts me at the same level as men in a field traditionally for men in my country, also, employers are discovering that women in IT are capable or even some times, more capable that men in certain areas. Now I will have the same competitive level that the men, and that imply a very important advance in countries like mine.

I would like to thank all the people involved in the Cisco Networking Academy program in my University, including all the experts of nets that offered us their knowledge and they guided us clarifying all our doubts during the CCNA course. I consider that indeed we will know how to apply all the knowledge learned during the program of CCNA.

A very affectionate greatfulness, in a particular way to the instructors: Lic. Carlos Portes and Lic. Alejandro Márquez from the Victoria CAUCE Academy for their great patience and understanding.

CALENDAR

NETWORKERS 2002 from September 25 to 27

Cisco World Wide Education is delighted to invite once again to the Cisco Networking Academy participants to join Networkers Mexico 2002 .

Networking Academy Instructors and Main contacts that registered in Networkers Mexico 2002 will have a special price of $150 USD plus tax. With this fee the instructors and main contacts will be able to attend the Networking Academy special event on September Wednesday 25th, as well as the Technological sessions on September, Thursday 26th and Friday 27th.

The students will have a special fee of $50 USD plus tax and they will be able to attend the special sessions of Networking Academy, on Wednesday 25th having the opportunity to be into the World of Solutions too.

DON'T WAIT ANY LONGER! **And register at**:
http://www.cisco.com/global/MX/mynw02/academy/indexSP.html

DID YOU KNOW...?

- Facts and statistics of the e -learning.

E-learning growing in the organizations.
The corporate market of e-learning in the United States grows quickly and it is no longer restricted
to its technological origins. While in the past, the training in technologies of information (IT), was the strong
topic of the corporate e-learning- 76% concentrated in 2000- now the industry moves quickly toward other
areas. In the 2005, 58. 8% of the e-learning market will be concentrated in the development of abilities for
business and other abilities not related with IT. But it doesn't mean, certainly, that the IT training market is
decreasing. Instead, the IT training will represent a smaller proportion than a bigger market, which will grow
from $2,300 million dollars in the 2000 to $18,000 million dollars in the 2005. (Source: IDC, August 2001).

Further information:
http://www.ciscoredaccionvirtual.com/redaccion/perfilestecnologicos/conectividad.asp?Id=25

- Internet & environment.

BETTER USE OF THE ENERGY AND THE GLOBAL HEATING: Internet is transforming the United States into
a country taking more efficiently advantage of its energy resources, reducing the gases' emission produced by
the hothouse effect and they increase the global heating when weakening the ozone layer. In 1997 as in 1998
the necessary quantity of energy to produce a dollar was 4%, the biggest decrease in 50 years. (Center for
Energy & Climate Solutions, Dec. 1999).

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Sun Microsystems Cisco Networking Academy will add to the program Sun Microsystems Mexico proposal.

Sun Microsystems Mexico, will continue with its roundtrip thru the Regional and Local Academies
who are interested to know the benefits of Cisco-Sun educational alliance.
The roundtrip is focus to present what the alliance is offering as well as the additional
courses that Sun is including in this agreement. This will allow the possibility to get the certification
on Solaris 8 Systems Administration and programming Java in order to have the option of imparting
courses certified by Sun.

It's important that those Academies that would like to registrate and sign with Sun, must receive first
Sponsored Curriculum courses at the Cisco Networking Academy.

Further information: http://www.sun.com.mx/service/educacion/catalogo/academicasec/index.html

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Academies´ participants.

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Starter Kit:
Network Inspector Site License
Protocol Inspector Educational Version Site License
Network Maintenance and Troubleshooting Guide
620 LAN CableMeter
110 Digital Multimeter

Further information: http://buy.fluke.com/estore/product.asp

We remind to all our community that one of the program's benefits is getting a 50% discount in the Certification Exam. The approximate cost of the exam is $150 USD before discount.

Further information: http://www.cisco.com/mx/netacad/benef.shtml

"The learning only happens in a simple structure … without too much hierarchy, where artificial persons fit, where a collision of opinions is cultivated, because only this way, emergent strategies and creative interactions with the atmosphere may happen"
Dr. Tineke Bahlmann

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As a Networking Academy Program instructor or student, we remind you that you have a 15% discount in Cisco Press books. (http://www.ciscopress.com)

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