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### EXIN EXPANDS CLOUD COMPUTING CERTIFICATION

Today EXIN launched a new certification: EXIN Cloud Technologies Advanced. With this new exam EXIN builds upon the already existing EXIN Cloud Computing Foundation. EXIN has developed this certificate in cooperation with Global Science & Technology Forum (GSTF).

#### Complete certification program

The Advanced exam tests IT specialists' technical & management knowledge in applying Cloud Services. By acquiring this certificate they will obtain additional skills and gain in-depth knowledge about the technologies related to Cloud such as architecture, virtualization, security, Cloud applications, testing and monitoring.

The EXIN Cloud Technologies Advanced certification and the courseware developed by GSTF will help the IT specialists embrace best practices in harnessing the benefits of Cloud Computing while managing the risks. By acquiring this certificate, IT professionals develop a deep understanding of Cloud technologies and gain expertise in business aspects from customer and developer point of view.

#### Great success

The Foundation exam tests the basic concepts and knowledge of Cloud Computing. The certificate is designed for everyone playing a role or having an interest in the use and management of internet based Services.

The English version of EXIN Cloud Computing Foundation, launched in December 2011, was an immediate success. This exam is already available in French, German, Japanese, Spanish and Portuguese. Other languages will be planned soon.

#### About EXIN

EXIN is an internationally recognized organization for certification of professionals in information management. More than 2 million professionals worldwide are certified by EXIN. With over 1,000 accredited partners EXIN facilitates EXIN-exams in more than 125 countries and in more than 20 languages. With its headquarters in Utrecht (Netherlands), EXIN is a global operator with regional offices worldwide.

#### About GSTF

GSTF is a premier Centre of Excellence offering a global platform for innovation, publication and collaboration at both regional and international levels through and by the effort of recognizing outstanding scholarly and professional contributions of both individuals and organizations. GSTF develops comprehensive training programs to provide IT professionals with expertise in areas such as Cloud Computing, Business Analytics, Data Quality & Governance & Green IT". For more information, please visit [www.globalstf.org](http://www.globalstf.org) or contact Dr. Sundar at [sundar@globalstf.org](mailto:sundar@globalstf.org).

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