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State of the Business - North America Training

Training And Certification

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Agenda:

- Why We Exist
- What and How We're Doing
- Relevant Trends



Why Red Hat Training & Certification?

To ensure Customer Success

- To ensure that Red Hat's customers have the talent and training they need to do great things for their organizations and their customers with Red Hat technologies.
- To ensure that students have access to world class content that helps them to begin their careers in technology

To ensure Red Hat Success

To increase the likelihood of product renewals. Customers that are well trained, are much more likely to expand their use of Red Hat technologies.



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Why Red Hat Training & Certification?

To ensure Partner Success

- To increase partner outcomes and customer satisfaction. We aim to provide partners with industry leading learning solutions to help them serve their customers.
- **D** To provide the highest quality training, with the least risk and hassle
- **D** To be the easiest partner to work with

ASK: How can we do better?



Why Red Hat Training & Certification?

To ensure Learner Success

- **D** To develop valuable new skills and industry certifications
- **D** To increase their professional relevance to their current and future employers
- To improve their lives
 - □ Mastery and autonomy -> improved job satisfaction
 - Increased earnings
 - Personal accomplishment
 - Positive impact on their families and their communities





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Red Hat Training & Certification - 2021 Focus

Greater Emphasis on Customer and Partner Success

- Begin to take a more consultative approach. Become a trusted advisor and partner.
- Promote a range of learning solutions **based on the needs of the customer.**
- Promote blended learning and learning pathways:
 - Digital & instructor-led training
 - On premise & virtual
 - Customized training programs
- Accommodate the needs of customers and of partners. **Be responsive. Be flexible.**

Ask: Leverage our resources. Engage together with customers to solve their challenges.



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Red Hat Training & Certification - Progress

Focus on Organizational Design

- We have built a very capable team
- We have experienced a lot of turnover but are at full strength from a sales coverage perspective
 - 9 Sales Territories -> 11 (added second Business Development Manager in NE and Central)
 - Added a Healthcare vertical (in addition to Financial Services and Telecommunications verticals)
 - Currently recruiting for a second Training Solutions Architect (SA) role
 - Allocating more sales resources to partner-related efforts
 - Delivery is a fairly well-oiled machine and customer satisfaction is high

Ask: What additional roles/skill sets do we need to best support you?

Focus on Defining Standard (and Best) Practices

- We have started to document our processes and practices and train our folks consistently
- Implementing Asana to try to organize and resolve more strategic/complicated efforts



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Red Hat Training & Certification - 2021 Focus

(Re)establish relationships with internal partners (Red Hat Field Sales)

- Introducing new resources. Trying to visit field sales in the field.
- We are being more flexible with regard to field team requests
- Starting to survey the field to measure sentiment towards Red Hat Training & Certification
 - 100% of respondents so far have indicated that they believed having a well trained customer is essential to customer success with Red Hat technologies

(Re)establish relationships with external partners

- Introducing new resources. Trying new things to get to know one another and to generate new opportunities..
- Enhancing/streamlining partner processes and terms
- Dedicating additional GLS resources to support partner efforts
- Building trust through collaborative efforts

ASK: If we haven't met yet, and you want to, please reach out to Justin and Alex to set something



Red Hat Training & Certification - In Summary

- We exist to support Customer, Partner, Learner and Red Hat Success
- As Red Hat shifts more towards a strategy focused on Customer Success, training and certification should play a key role
- We are undergoing a bit of a transformation ourselves and have a mostly new but solid team here to support you and your customers
- We aim to be the partner of choice for you, by offering the most effective technology training available, and being the easiest partner to work with
- We're making some strides and are hoping you're noticing our efforts but we know we have a ways to go
- Please provide feedback we want to hear it and we absolutely need it to improve
- Thank you for everything that you do!

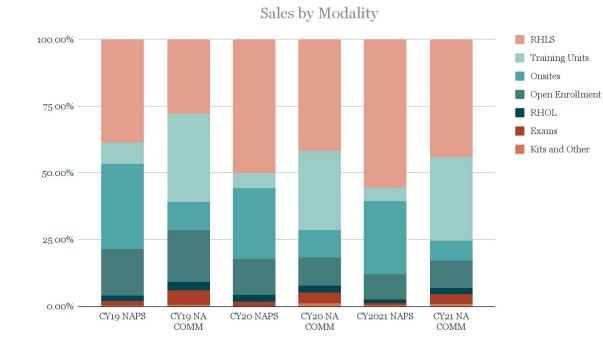




Territory Trends



Sales by Modality

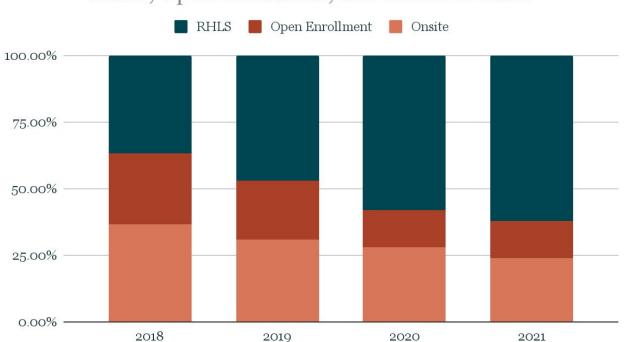


 OE Flat for NA Comm but down 4% for NAPS

- Onsites Down 2.5% for NAComm and up 1% for NAPS
- RHLS Up 5% for NAPS and 2% for NAComm



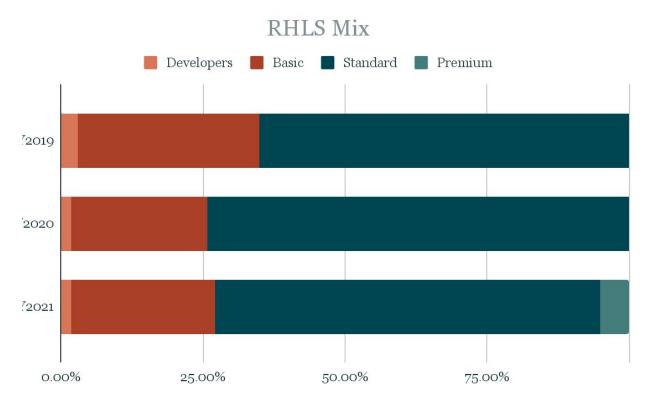
Revenue Spread



RHLS, Open Enrollment, and Onsite Revenue



RHLS Business Mix



- RHLS Basic and Developer roughly Flat YOY
- RHLS Standard Down 6%
- RHLS Premium Introduced earlier in the year, made up 6% of RHLS business overall



Top Courses NA COMM

Rank	CY20	CY21
1	RH124	RH199
2	DO407	RH294
3	RH199	DO447
4	DO288	RH134
5	DO285	DO180
6	DO180	DO417
7	DO280	CL110
8	RH134	DO280
9	DO457	DO457
10	CL110	DO700

- RHEL Rapid Track is now top seller
- 4 of the top 10 courses are now Ansible
- Ansible Learning paths seem to be a trend
- DO500 is a huge opportunity for NACOMM
- DO700 now cracked top ten, Container adoption journey





Ansible Learning Journey

Container Adoption Journey



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5	DO500	RH199
6	DO410	CU-CL-OS
7	D0700	CU-OSE-OS
8	RH318	DO720
9	DO407	DO500
10	DO447	D0700

- RHEL Learning Journey
- Custom OpenShift and Ansible course popularity
- DO500 Fell Several spots
- Container Adoption Journey's have highest potential in NAPS



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