



# Investing in tomorrow.

By developing capable, next-generation technology talent today.

Cisco's technology and career skills program is our largest social investment, based on our thought leadership in digital transformation.

**FREE.** Our courses are free to nonprofit high schools, colleges, libraries, military and veteran groups, and many non-traditional learning environments. We offer:

- innovative, globally-consistent curriculum
- ongoing alignment with new technology
- preparation for industry certifications



The Global Knowledge [2019 IT Skills & Salary Report](#) says that IT compensation is the highest it's ever been. The average salary in the USA is \$110,000.

**Workforce development and reskilling** increase regional economic strength. WEF's [Future of Jobs Report](#) estimates that **54%** of all employees will require significant reskilling by 2022.

## United States

1,723,613 Students since inception  
 172,134 Current students / 15% female  
 1,850 Education partners  
**\$814.2 million** Cisco's In-Kind\* Investment

## Washington

42,195 Students since inception  
 3,898 Current students / 14% female  
 35 Education partners  
**\$19.6 million** Cisco's In-Kind\* Investment



*Students not only learn technology, they learn on a team, helping others, discovering their strengths.* - Engineer / Cisco instructor

Networking Academy data from 7/31/2019

## Global Outcomes

**94%** of our students got a better job or entered a higher ed level with a Cisco certification.  
**Don't let your students miss out.**

## Global Skills Gap

**3 million** = shortage of cybersecurity professionals globally. The skills gap in North America is half a million.  
[ISC<sup>2</sup> study](#)



Organizations that do not strengthen their STEM or training programs may be left behind.  
[World Economic Forum](#)

**Discover our diverse learning pathways, and try out a course demo!**



## Washington, USA

*Academies active on 7/31/2019*

Bainbridge High School

Bates Technical College

Bellevue College

Big Bend Community College

Central Valley High School

Cheney High School

Clark College

Clover Park Technical College

Columbia Basin Civilian Conservation Corps

Edmonds Community College

Everett Community College

Green River Community College

Highline Community College

Kennewick High School JROTC

Kent Public Schools

Muckleshoot Tribal College

New Market Vocational Skill Center

Newport High School

North Seattle Community College

Oliver M Hazen High School

Olympic College

Perry Technical Institute

Pierce College

Puget Sound Skills Center

Seattle Central Community College

South Puget Sound Community College

South Seattle College

Spokane Community College

Spokane Valley Tech

Sumner High School

Tahoma School District

Timberline High School

University of Washington Tacoma

Whatcom Community College

Yakima Valley Community College