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NEWS UPDATE

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Tips and Tricks for Using Autodesk AutoCAD and Revit in the Classroom

Burning Glass recently teamed up with Autodesk to dive deeper into the world of engineering and manufacturing. Jobs in these areas are facing significant technological advancements, and candidates need to be prepared with relevant skills, such as Autodesk AutoCAD and Revit, to successfully enter a dynamic workplace.

If you are looking for new ideas for teaching AutoCAD or Revit in the classroom, then we have good news. On March 22nd at 4 PM ET, we're hosting a special professional development webinar for engineering and design educators with Massachusetts educator Greg King. You won't want to miss Greg's expertise and practical advice for success in the classroom.

I'm Ready to Register

Hannah Crepeau: Content Marketing Manager













Learn How to Unleash Your Students' Creativity



Next week, we're hosting a webinar with Ben Eng, Associate Professor of Marketing and Entrepreneurship at Marshall University, and his students. Together we'll discuss the value of creativity and design thinking principles, plus how the Intuit Design for Delight Innovator certification helps them develop this in-demand skillset.

Make sure to join us on Tuesday, March 15th at 4 PM ET to learn how you can unleash your students' creativity and empower them with the design thinking skills they need to make the world a better place.

I'm Ready to Unleash My Students' Creativity

Hannah Crepeau: Content Marketing Manager



Entrepreneurship in the Classroom and Beyond



Many schools don't have courses in entrepreneurship, so most students don't learn about being an entrepreneur until college or even when they decide to start their own company. With an ever-changing economic landscape, it's more important now than ever to teach students these skills before they leave the classroom behind.

In this week's podcast episode, we're bringing in veteran teacher Jennifer Stubblefield to have talk about how she used her existing business courses to teach entrepreneurship skills. She also dives into the Entrepreneurship and Small Business (ESB) certification, what resources she leveraged to teach entrepreneurship, and how her students are using their entrepreneurship skills after graduating. You'll be inspired by these stories of success, trust us.

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Spring into the Microsoft Office Specialist (MOS) Championship



Now's the time to help your students certify and prepare to compete in the largest Microsoft Office competition nationwide! Certiport is excited for the 2022 Microsoft Office Specialist US National Championship!

Students have a chance to compete in the Spring Qualifier which ends on May 20, 2022! What does that mean? Students in the US can submit a qualifying Microsoft Office Specialist Excel, PowerPoint, or Word exam and if they get the highest score in their state, they will receive an invite to compete at the US National Championship in Dallas, Texas this summer!

Get your students excited for the MOS US National Championship and certification by promoting it in your classroom! You can download promotional materials right from our website!

If you have any questions, please send them to our event inbox at **moschampionship@pearson.com**!

I Want My Students to Compete

Matt Richards: Field Marketing Manager



EC-Council Associate Retirement

Beginning July 1st, 2022, Certiport will no longer sell exam licenses or vouchers for the EC-Council Associate (ECA) program, which includes the Ethical Hacking Associate and Cyber Forensics Associate exams. Vouchers and licenses purchased by June 30th, 2022 will be redeemable until June 30th, 2023. The EC-Council Associate (ECA) program will officially retire on July 1st, 2023, and Certiport will suspend all ECA exam delivery. Moving forward, customers who wish to certify in cybersecurity can pursue the IT Specialist Cybersecurity certification which covers much of the same material found in the Cyber Forensics Associate exam. If you have any questions or concerns, please email ty.palmer@pearson.com.

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