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TRACK STOP	SKILL	COURSE
1	Practices and Principles	Introduction to DevOps Practices
2	Infrastructure as Code	Infrastructure as Code
3	Continuous Integration and Continuous Deployment	Continuous Integration and Continuous Deployment
4	Configuration Management	Configuration Management for Containerized Delivery
5	Testing in Continuous Delivery Pipelines	DevOps Testing
6	Database Integration in Continuous Delivery Environments	DevOps for Databases
7	Application Monitoring	Application Monitoring and Feedback Loops
8a	+ Architecting Apps	+ DevOps for Mobile Apps
8b		+ Architecting Distributed Cloud Applications
9	Final Project	Microsoft Professional Capstone: DevOps

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FAQ

Q: Why are the Microsoft Professional Program tracks changing?

A: Tracks are routinely evaluated for industry relevance. In some cases, we may replace a course, add new courses and skills, or simply rename an existing option.

Q: Do changes affect tracks completed before July?

A: No. If you completed a full track before July 1, updates won't affect you. You can still take new courses, but it's not required to keep your track certificate.

Q: Do I get credit for courses that are no longer part of my track?

A: If you completed a previous requirement before July, you still get credit. If you didn't successfully complete before July, you need to follow the new track requirements.

Q: What if my track is still in progress?

A: If you have yet to complete a skill, refer to the new requirements. If a course is currently on edX, you can take it now. Credit will appear on your dashboard once changes take effect July 1.

PLEASE NOTE THAT WE ARE PROVIDING A ONE-MONTH EXTENSION TO MPP DATA SCIENCE AND DEVOPS STUDENTS.

For students currently enrolled in our MPP tracks with added skills (and associated courses), you will have until July 31, 2018 to complete the tracks with the current number of skill and course requirements.* This extension applies to students in our Data Science and DevOps tracks and will allow you the opportunity to complete the relevant capstone project (available July 1-July 31, 2018).

Keep in mind that as of July 1, some of the courses are retiring so if you have not completed the skill stop where a course has been retired, you will need to take one of the new course(s) in July, in addition to the capstone project.

If you can't complete the track by July 31, you should continue your progress but will need to take one or two extra courses to complete the track under the new curriculum. These new courses will better prepare you for the updated capstones starting in October.

* To qualify, you must be enrolled in the MPP Data Science or DevOps track before June 26, 2018 and must link your edX account to your academy.microsoft.com account by July 31, 2018.

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