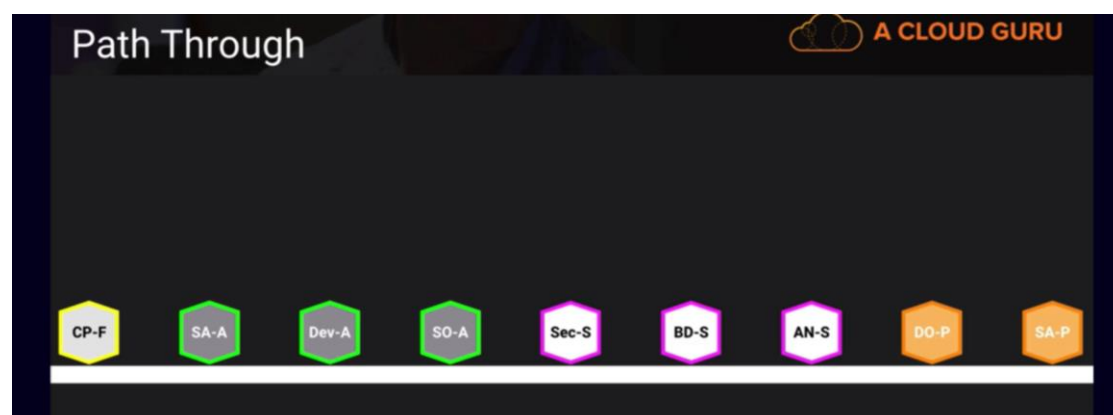
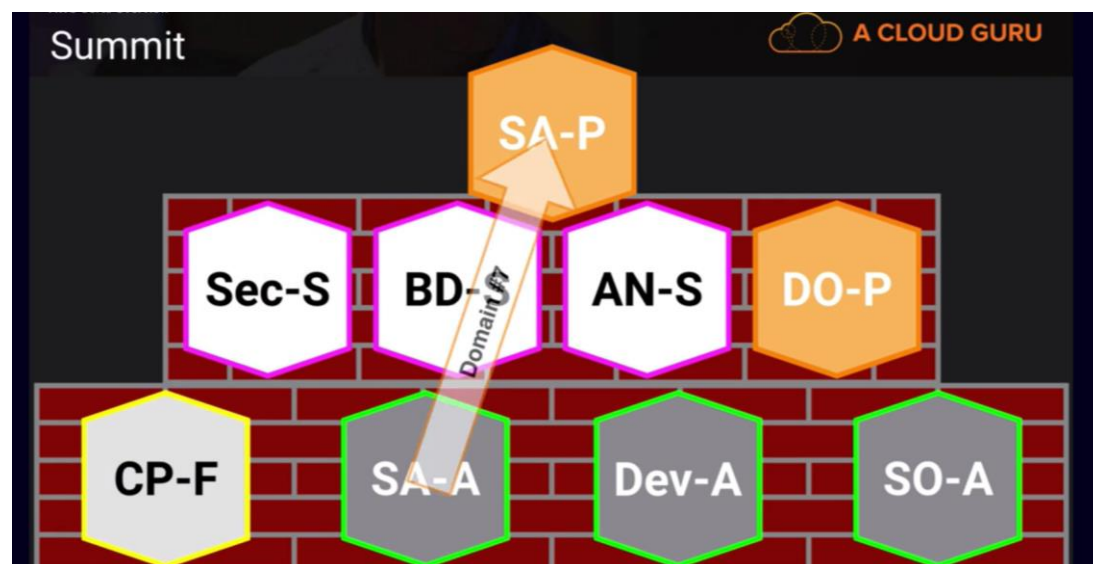


Certification Guide:



Which ones?



Purpose	Path to Consider									
AWS Master	CP-F	SA-A	Dev-A	SO-A	Sec-S	BD-S	AN-S	DO-P	SA-P	
Cloud Architect	CP-F	SA-A	Dev-A	SO-A	Sec-S			DO-P	SA-P	
Security Engineer	CP-F	SA-A	Dev-A	SO-A	Sec-S					SA-P
Network Engineer	CP-F	SA-A	Dev-A	SO-A			AN-S			SA-P
Data Sci/Engineer	CP-F	SA-A	Dev-A	SO-A		BD-S		DO-P		

Learning AWS:

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AWS-Suggested Steps



- Step 1: Take an AWS Training Class
- Step 2: Review the Exam Guide and Sample Questions (Next Section)
- Step 3: Practice with Self-Paced Labs and an Exam Prep Quest
- Step 4: Study AWS Whitepapers
- Step 5: Review AWS FAQs
- Step 6: Take an Exam Prep Workshop (Next Section)
- Step 7: Take a Practice Exam (Next Section)
- Step 8: Schedule Your Exam and Get Certified (Next Section)

Comparison

	AWS Instructor-Led	Third-Party Online
Exam Coverage	Medium	High
Cost	\$1800+ (6-14x exam fee)	\$20-150 (<0.5x exam fee)
Duration	24 hours (over 3 days)	8-30 hours
Presentation	All at once (cramming)	On demand (distributed)
Instruction	Live, face-to-face	Prerecorded
Support	Instructor, during course time	Forums, any time
Access*	One-time, may require travel	Perpetual, online

*Vendor-dependent