# Course Syllabus

#### **Section 1: Introduction**

- Course overview
- What is Ansible?
- History of Ansible
- Benefits
- Terminologies in Ansible
- How Ansible works?
- Other Automation tools
- Free source Ansible and Red Hat Ansible
- Handouts
- Quiz

## Section 2: Lab Design and Setup

- Lab design
- Installing virtualization software
- Creating a VM and Installing Linux
- Creating Ansible Clients
- Installing Ansible
- Handouts
- Quiz

## Section 3: Ansible Automation with Simple Playbooks

- YAML file syntax
- YAML file syntax example
- Creating first playbook
- Output playbook
- Multiple tasks playbook
- Playbook for installing and starting a service
- Handouts
- Quiz

## Section 4: Ansible Automation for Remote Clients

- Remote Clients hosts File Syntax
- Establish Connection to Remote Clients
- Playbook
  - Check Remote Clients Connectivity
  - Copy Files to Remote Clients
  - Change File Permissions
  - Setup Apache and Open Firewall Port

- Run Shell Scripts on Remote Clients
- Schedule a job (crontab)
- User Account Management
- Add or Update User Password
- Download Package from a URL
- Kill a Running Process
- Pick and Choose Steps
- Handouts
- Quiz

## Section 5: Ansible Automation with Ad-hoc Tasks

- Ansible Ad-Hoc Commands (Part 1)
- Ansible Ad-Hoc Commands (Part 2)
- Ansible Ad-Hoc Commands (Part 3)
- Handouts
- Quiz

#### Section 6: Advance Ansible Automation Features

- Roles
- Roles by Application
- Roles on Ansible Galaxy
- Tags
- Variables
- Variables in Inventory File
- Handouts
- Quiz

## Section 7: Additional Features in Ansible

- Handlers
- Conditions
- Loops
- Handouts
- Quiz

## **Section 8: Securing Ansible**

- Handlers
- Conditions
- Loops
- Handouts
- Quiz

## **Section 9: Ansible Management Tools**

- Ansible AWX
- Ansible Tower
- Handouts
- Quiz

## **Section 10: Ansible Resources**

- Ansible Additional Commands
- Ansible Documentation
- Community Help
- Handouts
- Quiz