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Profile Badging Step-by-Step Guide for Partners

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Introduction

Proper profile alignment is crucial to ensure access to all of the benefits Oracle PartnerNetwork (OPN) has to offer.

This guide includes the steps that individuals must take to be properly badged to access the right tools and information, and allow their companies to leverage their employees' assessments/certifications to become specialized. Being specialized enables companies to be recognized by Oracle and preferred by customers.

This guide provides the end to end process for new users to use to access Oracle systems. Some users may have completed some of the steps to create their accounts but need to complete the badging process by aligning accounts or synching their profiles to their Testing Profiles.

Please choose the steps which are appropriate for your Oracle.com account. If you need additional assistance please contact your <u>Oracle Partner Business Center</u>.

Mandatory Requirements to be recognized as an OPN Specialist

It's important that each Specialist ensure that their testing accounts are aligned. These steps are mandatory for each user to be recognized in Oracle Systems as an OPN Specialist.

- 1. Create an Oracle.com account
- 2. Badge your Oracle.com account to your OPN Company ID
- 3. Create and authenticate your Oracle Certification Profile
- 4. Validate Training History within OPN Competency Center (OPTIONAL)

How to Create an Oracle.com Account

The OPN Portal provides access to a great deal of information, tools and training options. To access the OPN Portal, you must create your Oracle.com account and align or "badge" yourself to your company. Once you are properly badged, you may access all of the tools and resources to which your company has access based on their Knowledge Zone membership, level, and specialization. By creating and aligning your account properly, you will also receive important OPN communications that pertain to you.

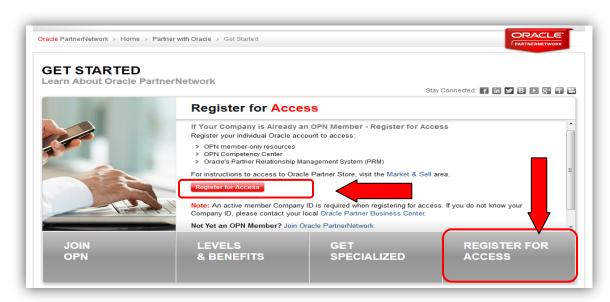
Quick Overview of Oracle.com Account Steps



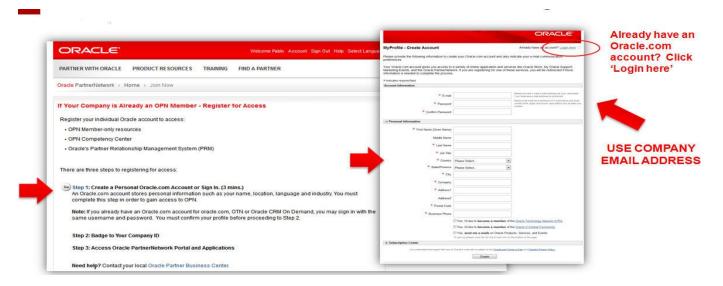
Steps to Create an Oracle.com Account

Step 1: Access Oracle PartnerNetwork oracle.com/partners you do not have to be logged in.

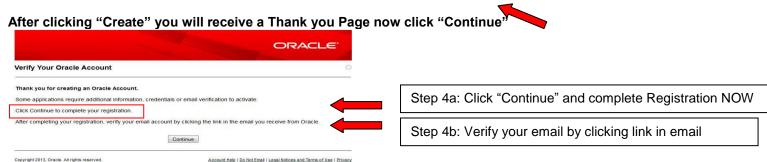




Step 3: Click Step 1link to create a personal Oracle.com account or sign in



Step 4: Verify Your Oracle Account.

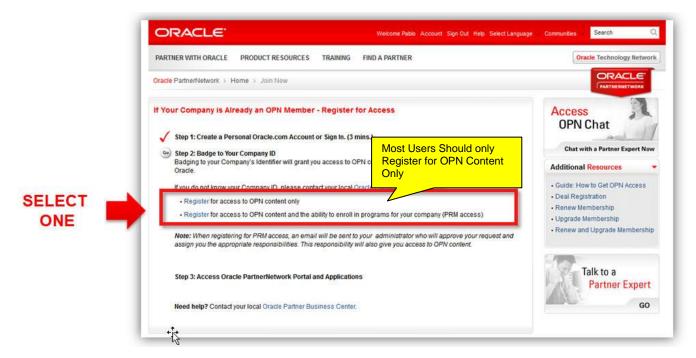


Note:

- If you already have an Oracle Web Account (also referred to as Oracle.com **Account** or **Oracle Single Sign On** Account) click 'Step 1' and Login using link at top of form.
- If you do not have an Oracle web account, you will be prompted to create an Oracle web account
- After you have either created an oracle.com account or logged in to your existing account, you will be brought back to the previous Register for Access page where you will complete the steps for Badging to Your Company ID.

How to Badge your Oracle.com Account to your Company ID

Step 1: Choose one of the two "Register" links



Note:

- "Register for access to OPN content only" provides access to any OPN content available to your company this is what most users need
- "Register for access to OPN content and the ability to register deals and/or enroll in programs for your company (PRM access)" provides access to OPN content and additional tools such as OMM and PRM – individuals will need to be approved by their PRM Administrator before access is granted

Step 2: Enter your User ID is the Oracle.com Account you just created in Step 3 of this process and click Next **Step 3:** Enter your Company Identifier and Time Zone and click Next

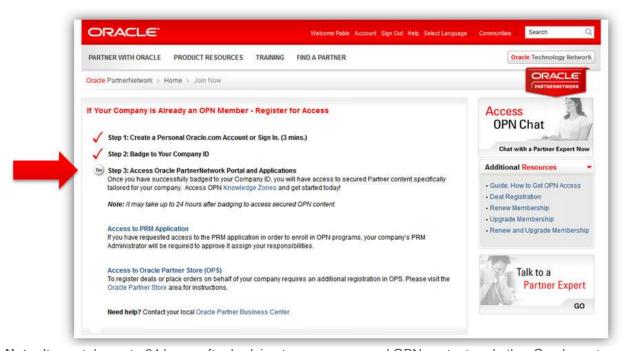


Enter Company ID and Time Zone

Note: If you do not know your Company ID, please contact your local <u>Oracle Partner Business Center</u>

Please note that it may take up to 24 hours to access secured OPN content.

Step 4: Click Finish to complete your registration



Note: It may take up to 24 hours after badging to access secured OPN content and other Oracle systems

How to Align your Training Profiles to Oracle.com Account

To earn full recognition as an Oracle Certified Implementation Specialist for your company, you need to align your training to your O.com account.

Step 1: Create and Authenticate your Oracle CertView Account

This step is Mandatory to ensure you have access to your test results and your company can leverage your certifications.

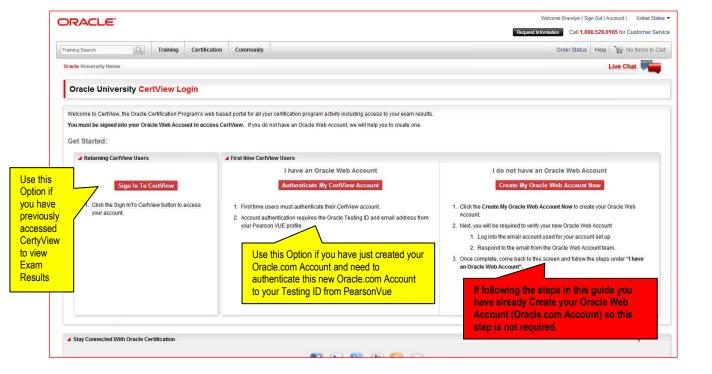
As of November 13th 2012, all candidates taking an Oracle Certification exam will be required to access those results via the Oracle University CertView portal. It's important that every candidate authenticate their account.

Step 1a: Go to http://certview.oracle.com

Step 1b: Choose one of the three options and follow the online instructions

Note

- If your PearsonVue email is different from your Oracale.com account you **MUST** complete the authentication step below or your Certifications will not be recognized by your company.
- If your email and/or PearsonVue email is the same for CertView and Oracle.com you MUST follow one of the steps outlined below to authentic your account.



Step 2: Validate your Training History in OPN Competency Center

(This may take up to 48 hours once the account has been authenticated within CertView.)

Step 2a: Go to OPN Competency Center: https://competencycenter.oracle.com

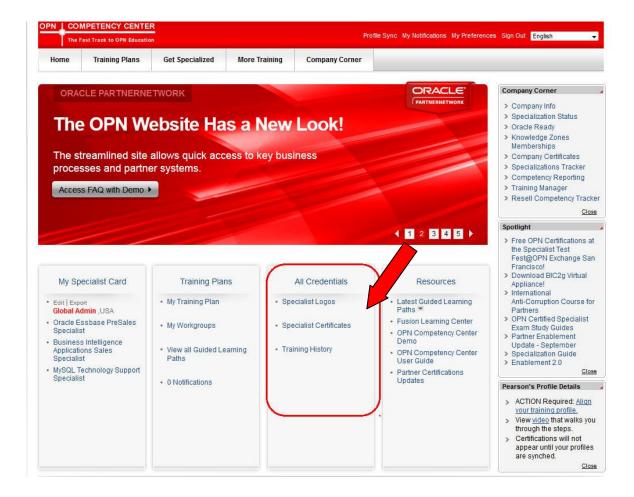
Step 2b: Log in using your Oracle.com Account and Password



Step 2c: Go to "All Credentials" (lower left box in center of homepage)

Step 2d: Click "Training History" and choose one of the links on the Training History page

If your Training History is incomplete after waiting the 48 hours, please contact the Partner Business Center for Assistance



My Current OPN Certificates

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If you do not see your certification below, please confirm you have aligned your training profile and authenticated your CertView account. Click here for more information. If you need further assistance please contact your local Partner Business Center

Specialist Accreditations

- > Primavera P6 Enterprise Project Portfolio Management 8 Sales Specialist (20-FEB-2013)
- > Oracle Essbase PreSales Specialist (21-NOV-2010)
- > Business Intelligence Applications Sales Specialist (19-NOV-2010)
- > Business Intelligence Applications Support Specialist (25-OCT-2010)
- > MySQL Technology Support Specialist (22-OCT-2010)
- > JD Edwards EnterpriseOne 9.0 Sales Specialist (06-MAY-2010)
- > JD Edwards EnterpriseOne 9.0 Financial Management PreSales Specialist (05-MAY-2010)

Other Accreditations

- > Primavera Unifier 9 Implementation Specialist (09-SEP-2013)
- > Oracle Business Intelligence Foundation 10.3.1 Sales Specialist (27-OCT-2010)
- > Oracle Business Intelligence Foundation Support Specialist (26-OCT-2010)
- > Oracle Business Intelligence Foundation 10.3.1 PreSales Specialist (26-OCT-2010)
- > Oracle Business Process Management PreSales Specialist (21-OCT-2010)
- > Oracle JD Edwards World Sales (21-OCT-2010)
- > Oracle JD Edwards World Implementation (21-OCT-2010)
- > Oracle JD Edwards World Presales (19-OCT-2010)
- > JD Edwards EnterpriseOne Support Specialist (29-AUG-2010)

My OPN Specialists Logos

Click here to download specialists logo

My Training History

- Click here for your iLearning Training History
- Click here for complete list of Certification Exams
- Click here for inClass Courses Training History
- Click here for Legacy Sun Course Completion History
- Click here for Complete List of ALL Trainings and Exams

How to Access/View your Pearson VUE Profile

Your Pearson VUE profile

- A. Locating your Oracle Testing ID
- B. Update your Pearson VUE account profile with your Company ID

Note: This is optional and no longer required as long as you have authenticated your CertView profile

Quick Overview of Pearson VUE Account Steps

- Go to www.pearsonvue.com/oracle
- Select My Account link from the right navigation bar
- If you are a returning user to Pearson VUE, login and validate that your company ID is part of your profile
- If you are a new user, follow the online steps to create a profile
- View this <u>video</u> for more details on the steps required

Legacy Sun Certifications

If you are a user with a legacy Sun Certification and a Prometric testing ID, your certifications and testing profile have been migrated to the Oracle Certification database. In order for you to have visibility to these certifications within the OPN Competency Center, action is required:

IMPORTANT Steps

- If you don't have a Pearson VUE account, you must create an account using your Prometric Testing ID and then align your training profile following the steps provided in this guide.
- If you have already created a new Testing ID at Pearson VUE, your two training files will need to be merged. Please contact your local Partner Business Center team for assistance.

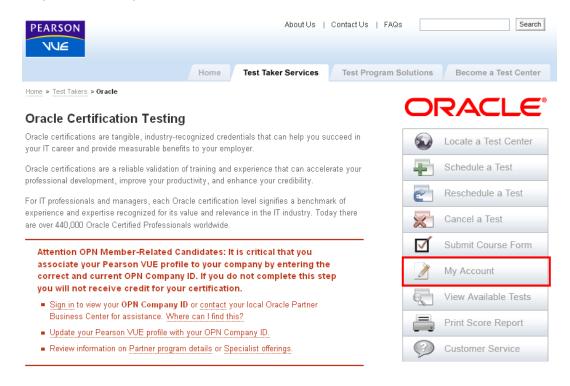
Detailed Pearson VUE Account Step-by-Step Guide

Update: The system of record for your Oracle Testing Profile is now CertView (http://certview.oracle.com). User data will be authenticated with individual Oracle.com accounts and the Company IDs they are badged to. It is **MANDATORY** that all users authenticate their CertView. This is a one-time process and steps are provided within the section Create and Authenticate your CertView Account.

This process is optional and will be discontinued in 2013; however the functionality is still available within your profile.

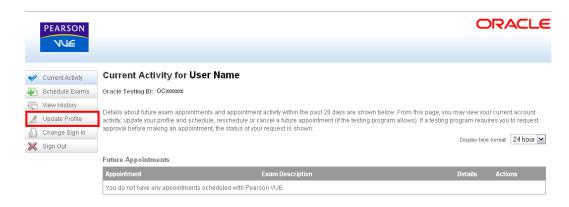
Step 1: Go to www.pearsonvue.com/oracle

Step 2: Click on My Account

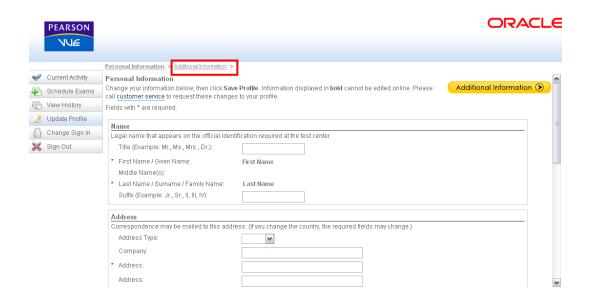


Step 3: Sign in

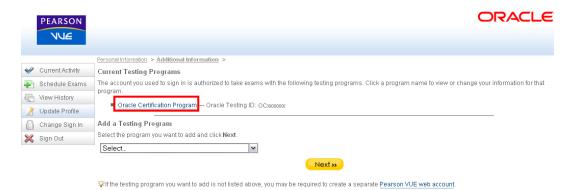
Step 4: Select Update Profile



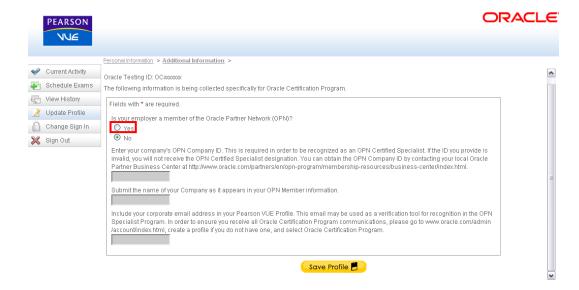
Step 5: Select Additional Information



Step 6: Select Oracle Certification Program



Step 7: Select Yes for is your employer a member of the Oracle PartnerNetwork (OPN)?



Step 8: Fill in the Company ID, Company Name and your corporate email address (same as the one on the Oracle.com profile).



Step 9: Save Profile

FAQs

Q: Why can't I log into the OPN Competency Center?

A: Your Oracle.com account may not be set up properly with your Company ID. Follow the steps on How to Badge Your Oracle.com Account to Your Company ID.

Q: Why can't I see my certification information in the OPN Competency Center?

A: Your account may not be set up properly and is therefore not pulling over your Pearson VUE testing information. Please authenticate your CertView account.

Q: I'm using Internet Explorer and have compatibility issues.

A: If you are using IE8 or IE9, activate the compatibility view by pressing Alt +T on your keyboard, then go to compatibility view settings and choose "Display all Websites in compatibility view". Clear all cookies and temporary files close the browser and open it again. Contact the Partner Business Center if this doesn't resolve the issue.

Useful Links

Oracle PartnerNetwork (OPN) Portal

Oracle Partner Business Center

OPN Competency Center

Pearson VUE Website

Specialization Guide

OPN Specialized Brochure

Specialization Tracker Tool (only accessible if you have PRM Administrator responsibility)

Training Manager Tool (only accessible if you have PRM Administrator responsibility)



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