



PECB Certified Lead Forensics Examiner

Master the Computer Forensics Processes

Why should you attend?

Lead Forensics Examiner training enables you to acquire the necessary expertise to perform Computer Forensics processes in order to obtain complete and reliable digital evidence. During this training course, you will also gain a thorough understanding of Computer Forensics fundamentals, based on the best practices used to perform forensics evidence recovery and analytical techniques. This training course is focused on core skills required to collect and analyze data from Windows, Mac OS X, and Linux operating systems, and also from mobile devices.

After mastering all the necessary concepts of Computer Forensics processes, you can sit for the exam and apply for a “PECB Certified Lead Forensics Examiner” credential. By holding a PECB Lead Forensics Examiner Certificate, you will be able to prove that you have the expertise to lead advanced forensic investigations and conduct forensics analysis, reporting, and evidence acquisition.



Who should attend?

- Computer Forensics specialists
- Computer Forensics consultants
- Cybersecurity professionals
- Cyber intelligence analysts
- Electronic data analysts
- Specialists in computer evidence recovery
- Professionals working or interested in law enforcement
- Professionals seeking to advance their knowledge in Computer Forensics analysis
- Information Security team members
- Information technology expert advisors
- Individuals responsible for examining media to extract and disclose data
- IT Specialists

Course agenda

Duration: 5 days

Day 1 | Introduction to Incident Response and Computer Forensics concepts

- Exploring the ISO 27037
- Scientific and legal principles of computer forensics
- Fundamentals of incident response and computer forensic operations
- Exploring best practices mentioned in various DoJ and NIST guidelines
- Computer Forensics Lab requirements

Day 2 | Prepare and lead a Computer Forensics investigation

- Computer crime investigation and digital forensics
- Common operating system and file system structures
- Mobile devices
- Maintaining chain of evidence
- Policies and procedures to maintain chain of evidence

Day 3 | Analysis and management of digital artifacts

- Introduction to open source and commercial tools
- Identifying, acquiring, analyzing and communicating digital artifacts
- Using open source forensics and analysis tools
- Incident simulation

Day 4 | Case Presentation & Trial Simulation

- Emerging threats
- Presenting digital forensic findings
- Presenting the evidence in court

Day 5 | Certification Exam



Learning objectives

- Understand the roles and responsibilities of the Lead Forensics examiner during digital forensic investigation
- Understand the purpose of electronic media examination and its correlation with common standards and methodologies
- Comprehend the correct sequence of steps of a computer incident investigation and digital forensic operation
- Understand the common commercial and open source tools that may be used during incident investigation and digital forensic operations
- Acquire the necessary competencies to plan and execute a computer forensics operation and also implement and maintain a safety network to protect evidence

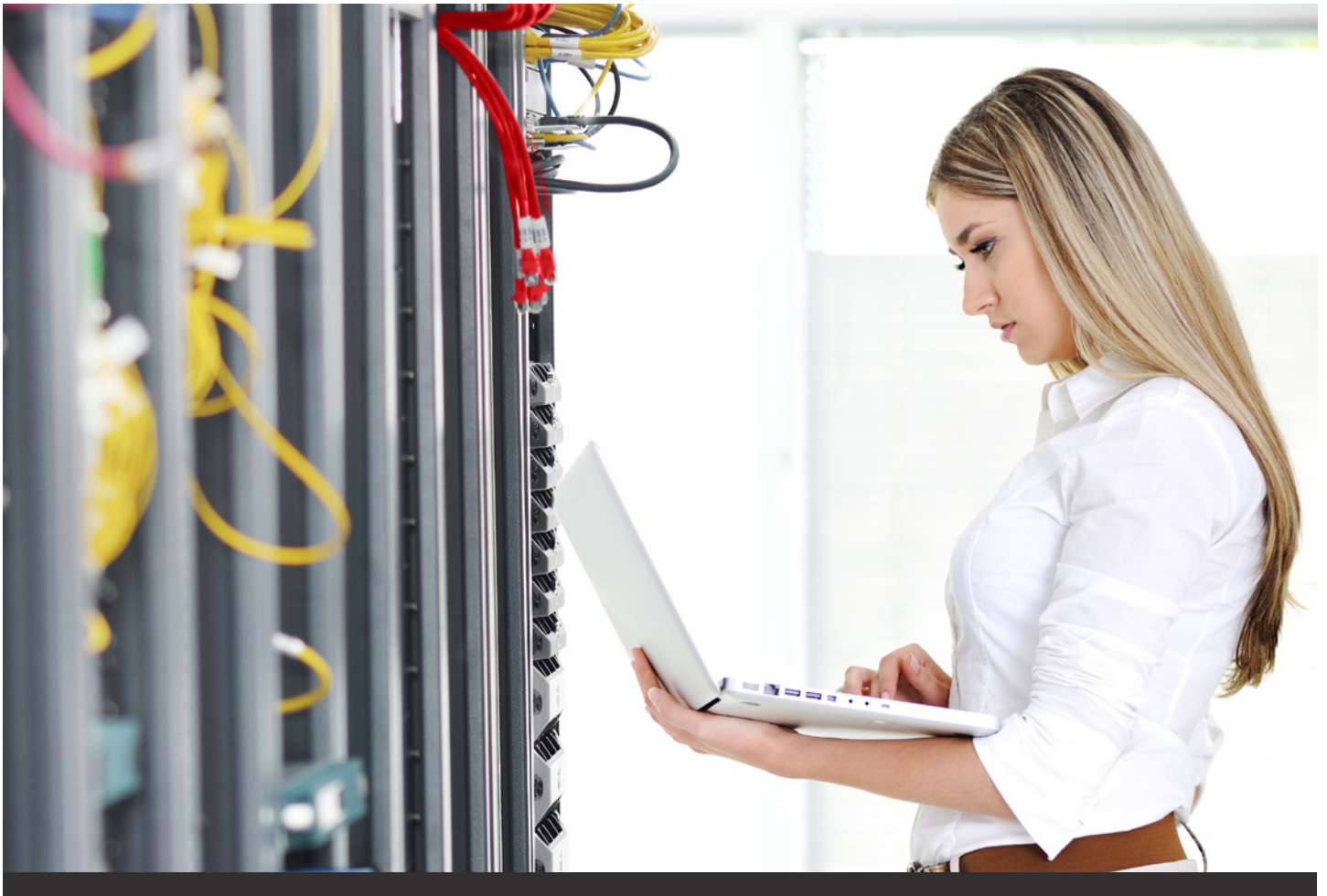
Examination

Duration: 3 hours

The “PECB Certified Lead Forensics Examiner” exam fully meets the requirements of the PECB Examination and Certification Programme (ECP). The exam covers the following competency domains:

- Domain 1** | Fundamental principles and concepts of Computer Forensics
- Domain 2** | Best practices on Computer Forensics
- Domain 3** | Digital forensics laboratory requirements
- Domain 4** | Operating system and file system structures
- Domain 5** | Mobile devices
- Domain 6** | Computer crime investigation and forensics examination
- Domain 7** | Maintaining chain of evidence

For more information about exam details, please visit [Examination Rules and Policies](#).



Certification

After successfully completing the exam, you can apply for the credentials shown on the table below. You will receive a certificate once you comply with all the requirements related to the selected credential.

For more information about Computer Forensics certifications and the PECB certification process, please refer to the [Certification Rules and Policies](#).

Credential	Exam	Professional experience	CF experience	Other requirements
PECB Certified Provisional Forensics Examiner	PECB Certified Lead Forensics Examiner exam or equivalent	None	None	Signing the PECB Code of Ethics
PECB Certified Forensics Examiner	PECB Certified Lead Forensics Examiner exam or equivalent	Two years: One year of work experience in Computer Forensics	Computer Forensics activities: a total of 200 hours	Signing the PECB Code of Ethics
PECB Certified Lead Forensics Examiner	PECB Certified Lead Forensics Examiner exam or equivalent	Five years: Two years of work experience in Computer Forensics	Computer Forensics activities: a total of 300 hours	Signing the PECB Code of Ethics

General information

- Certification fees are included on the exam price
- Training material containing over 450 pages of information and practical examples will be distributed
- A participation certificate of 31 CPD (Continuing Professional Development) credits will be issued
- In case of exam failure, you can retake the exam within 12 months for free