

Certified Professional Software Architect: course feedback

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Dear Sir or Madam,

In this email, I provide feedback on the iSAQB CPSA-F course provided by Avancier Ltd. 12 - 14th February. The course ran Monday to Wednesday, and to allow time for revision, I chose Friday as the exam day.

The tutor, Graham, had prepared an extensive package to pass as much knowledge as possible in the 3 days. He followed the iSAQB curriculum and flavored the topics with interesting examples and related theories. He explained syllabus items both at a software level, and in a higher Solution and Enterprise Architecture context.

I am software engineer with 20 years of professional experience. Graham asked me several times whether something needed clarification, and adapted his explanations to my experience. This showed not only strong background knowledge, but also advanced communication skills.

I would like to emphasize two more points that made the course mature. Graham had prepared a case study, with a series of exercises that connected theory to reality. Besides adding value to the official curriculum, the practice was helpful in itself.

Graham's open communication built up a strong trust. He was quick to explain details and answer questions with good examples in 99% of cases. And when in any doubt, he said so, and referred to the official iSAQB documentation as the required knowledge.

Finally, there was so much to study, it turned out I was right to allow one extra day between the course and the exam to review and summarize the information.

All in all, I want to thank Graham for preparing me for the examination, which I passed with a good mark

Best regards,

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