

September 2018 Newsletter

Fall is here and we are welcoming cooler temps and changing colors. In this month's edition we are highlighting our group study leaders. Many of you have attended our group study sessions. Now it's time to learn more about the fantastic team that makes it possible. We also want to congratulate all of our students who earned globally recognized industry certifications over the last 30 days. Everyone has been busy and focused. Keep up the great work.

LearnKey Group Study Sessions

We want to make sure everyone has access to our group study sessions. We highly recommend that all of our students attend the sessions that correspond with the certification they are working on. See info below for all available sessions.

Microsoft Monday - Every Monday

11:00 a.m. (MST)

Tutor: Grace Rollins

Please join my meeting from your computer, tablet, or smartphone.

<https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/401814461>

Tutor Tuesday - Every Tuesday

11:00 a.m. (MST)

Tutor: Tristan Roberts

Please join my meeting from your computer, tablet, or smartphone.

<https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/728689101>

Tutor Thursday - Every Thursday

3:00 p.m. (MST)

Tutor: Tristan Roberts

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Job Readiness - Third Tuesday of Each Month

11:00 a.m. (MST) Thursday at 4:00 p.m. (MST)

Tutor: Tristan Roberts

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New Student Orientation - Last Thursday of Each Month

3:00 p.m. (MST)

Tutor: Tristan Roberts

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Certification Corner

- Kristine R. ND PowerPoint 2016
- Karl T. MT A+ 902
- Brian T. WA A+ 901
- Edwin D. TX PowerPoint 2016
- Arthur B. HI A+902
- Sal L. NJ Outlook 2016
- Fernando M. TX Excel 2016
- Damon H. IL Word 2016
- Joshua G. OH Excel 2016
- Kareem N. TX A+ 901
- Michael B. TX Network+
- Raymond B. MI Security+
- Allyn L. CO InDesign CC
- John P. MO Excel 2016
- James L. MO MTA 98-349
- Jeffrey G. OR PowerPoint 2016
- Jeff M. TX Word 2016
- Gary L. MI A+ 902
- Thomas E. WA PowerPoint 2016
- Mason B. GA Excel 2016
- Geoffrey E. MI Word 2016
- David H. OH PowerPoint 2016
- Wendel D. TX Excel 2016
- Kayla S. WA PowerPoint 2016
- JD C. LA A+ 901
- John P. MO Outlook 2016
- Dana H. TX Excel 2016
- Geoffrey E. MI PowerPoint 2016
- Jason M. TX CDRE
- Emmanuel L. WA Word 2016
- Jeffery G. OR Outlook 2016
- Raymond B. MI Security+
- Joshua E. LA Word 2016
- Jose S. TX Word 2016
- Reginald H. NC A+ 902
- Don D. WA Outlook 2016
- Jeremiah V. TX Outlook 2016
- Mike S. PA PowerPoint 2016
- David M. KY Outlook 2016

Wednesday Open Session

First and third Wednesday of each month at 6:00 p.m.
(MST)

Tutor: Jason Manibog

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[Join this Skype Tutoring session](#)

Network+ Workshop

Second and fourth Friday of every month at 11:00 a.m.
(MST)

Tutor: Tristan Roberts

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Meet The Team: LearnKey Vocational Services Group Study Leaders



Jason Manibog | LearnKey Senior Instructor

Jason Manibog is the current Senior Instructor at LearnKey and has been so since 2015. Prior to that, he spent 15 years as a classroom trainer in a wide variety of subjects, including Microsoft Office, Adobe, CompTIA courses, and Windows technical courses. Jason is committed to improving employability every day for all of his students. When not training, you can find him spending time with his wife and two cats or on a local golf course or watching his beloved LA Angels, LA Kings, or Oakland Raiders.



Grace Rollins | Microsoft Office Tutor/Know Your Talents Champion

Grace is a Marine Corps veteran with the passion to assist fellow veterans transitioning from the military to civilian employment. Her ethos is “to leave people and places better than first encountered.” Upon graduation in 2015 from LearnKey’s Blue Ocean Program, Grace was hired on at LearnKey and became a Certified PDP Administrator to review ProScan, QuickViews, and Motivation Reviews for all entering students. In her free time, she enjoys four-wheeling outdoors in her powerchair, discussing the nuances of food and coffee with friends, watching documentaries, and discovering the latest in sustainable agriculture.

Tristan Roberts | Veteran Services Technical Support Lead/Tutor

Tristan started his military career in July of 2002 in the Navy as Hospital Corpsman. He spent the majority of his time with the Marines as a greenside Corpsman before being honorably discharged as a combat veteran four years later. Tristan obtained a business degree from Arizona Western College prior to entering LearnKey’s Blue Ocean program in 2013 where he quickly acquired IT certifications such as CompTIA A+, Network+, Security+, becoming the first LearnKey Blue Ocean graduate. Tristan was offered and decided to take a virtual position with LearnKey shortly after completing his training. He has been working in a technical support, student mentor/tutor role ever since. For the last four years his main area of focus has been providing LearnKey customers with technical



assistance, and helping current veteran students to prepare and pass their exams.

Why Python Is the Fastest-Growing Programming Language

We recently released our Programming/Developer bundle. It includes our MTA Introduction to Programming Using Python Certification training. The goal for all of the courses we produce is to make sure it will lead our students toward employment. The article linked validates that and explains why Python is exploding. <https://www.techrepublic.com/article/why-python-is-so-popular-with-developers-3-reasons-the-language-has-exploded/>

Please join me in congratulating all those who obtained certifications this month and send best wishes to those who are preparing to take an exam in the upcoming month.

Our team is here to help you succeed. Please don't hesitate to contact us.

Kind regards,
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