AFP-RA

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Risk Analyst

The AFP Risk Analyst track trains professionals able to identify, assess and treat cyber risks in African financial institutions, in line with BCEAO and BEAC requirements and the DORA/ISO 27005 standards.

2027 prices

ONLINE

FCFA 350,000 excl. tax
€534 excl. tax

3 sessions in 2027

IN PERSON IN DAKAR

FCFA 550,000 excl. tax
€838 excl. tax

No session scheduled in 2027 in this format.

Exam only: FCFA 125,000 excl. tax (€191)

The price includes: the training, digital materials, the exam voucher, with a second attempt within 60 days, the digital certificate and badge, lunch for in-person sessions.

Discounts (cannot be combined): EARLY27 −15% · GROUPE3 −10% · ALUMNI-APSI −20% · PARCOURS −10% · INSTITUTION −20%

At a glance

PREREQUISITES

None: open to any financial professional

EXPERIENCE REQUIRED

No experience required: open to any financial-sector professional; final-year students accepted.

TOTAL DURATION

3 days (21 h)

VALIDITY

3 years

FORMAT AND HOURS

Online: virtual classroom in half-days of 3 h 30, in the morning (9:00 to 12:30 GMT) or the evening (18:00 to 21:30 GMT), over 1 to 2 weeks.
In person: full days from 8:30 to 17:00 at the ACRC centre in Dakar.

EXAM FORMAT

60-question multiple-choice exam in 90 minutes, on a proctored online platform (ClassMarker, AI proctoring) or at the ACRC centre. 4 options, a single correct answer, no negative marking. Pass mark: 70%.

Who it is for

- Risk and compliance analysts at banks and insurers
- Operational risk managers
- Security and business continuity project managers
- Cybersecurity and risk governance consultants

Curriculum

1	Introduction to cyber risk management in finance Lecture	3h
2	Threat landscape in WAEMU/CEMAC (fraud, ransomware, APT) Lecture + case study	3h
3	Regulatory framework: BCEAO, BEAC, DORA, ISO 27005 Lecture	3h
4	Risk assessment methods (EBIOS RM, OCTAVE) Guided workshop	4h
5	Key risk indicators (KRI) and reporting Practical work	3h
6	Introduction to business continuity (BIA, RTO, RPO) Case study	3h
7	Revision and exam preparation Mock multiple-choice test	2h

Skills acquired

- Identify the types of cyber risk in the African financial sector
- Apply a simplified risk analysis method
- Read and interpret a basic risk register
- Understand BCEAO/BEAC regulatory obligations on risk

Requirements for certification

1. Attend at least 80% of the sessions (attendance recorded).
2. Pass the multiple-choice exam with a score of at least 70%.
3. Show a valid official ID and accept the exam code of conduct.
4. Exam-only candidates: show 2 years of experience in the field (CV attached to the registration).
5. A second attempt is included if taken within 60 days of the first.

Certificate, validity and renewal. Numbered certificate in the holder's name and a digital badge to share on LinkedIn. Valid for 3 years. Renewal: 60 hours of continuing education over 3 years (ACRC webinars count) and a maintenance fee, or a new exam.

2027 sessions

Session	Format	Dates	Hours	Exam	Register by
AFP27-04	Online	26 Jan to 4 Feb 2027	18:00 to 21:30 GMT	13 Feb 2027	19 Jan 2027
AFP27-24	Online	1 Jun to 10 Jun 2027	18:00 to 21:30 GMT	19 Jun 2027	25 May 2027
AFP27-36	Online	14 Sept to 23 Sept 2027	9:00 to 12:30 GMT	2 Oct 2027	7 Sept 2027

Discounts (cannot be combined)

EARLY27 −15% Registration and payment at least 30 days before the session starts; for the January sessions, at least until 20 December 2026.

GROUPE3 −10% 3 or more participants from the same institution on the same session, on a single invoice.

ALUMNI-APSI −20% AFP-certified members of the APSI-NE 2026 cohort, on any registration paid in 2027.

PARCOURS −10% Foundation and Practitioner of the same track bought together.

INSTITUTION −20% Institutional framework agreement: at least 10 places a year, paid on purchase order.

Pre-registration

Online, on the course page: https://cyber4africa.org/en/certifications/afp-ra
Contact: contact@cyber4africa.org

COMMERCIAL TERMS

- Payment by bank transfer or mobile money, no later than the registration deadline (7 days before the start). Institutions can pay on purchase order.
- Prices include the training, digital materials, the certification assessment, the personal certificate and the digital badge. Lunch is included for in-person sessions.
- Cancellation by the participant: full refund up to 15 days before the start, 50% from 14 to 7 days before, after that a free transfer to a later session (once).
- Session postponed by ACRC (minimum number of participants not reached 10 days before): transfer of the participant's choice or full refund.
- Discounts cannot be combined: the most favourable one applies.
- Prices in CFA francs (FCFA), excluding tax. Euro amounts are converted at the fixed parity of 655.957 FCFA to 1 euro.