

unique training ^{LTD}

We call ourselves Unique.

Why?

Because we train you both for the workplace and for internationally recognized qualifications; that is unique!

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Why Unique could be the right choice for you

Welcome to Unique, a training company that understands both the needs of employers and graduates, and so has developed vocational, classroom based, I.T. training programmes, to give employers work trained skilled employees, and for you, internationally recognized qualifications that will with experience enhance your career.

Unique understands your needs.

- A** Skills to be used in the workplace.
- B** Knowledge to gain important career enhancing internationally recognized qualifications.
- C** A training programme that is both classroom based and instructor led, and which achieves both the needs of the workplace and the knowledge needed for certification, in the shortest possible time.

Unique understands what the employer is looking for from their staff

- 1** Competence to do the job well
- 2** The drive to succeed
- 3** Willingness to accept instructions
- 4** The ability to work as a team member
- 5** Professionalism
- 6** Commitment

Adding both sets of requirements, you have... a Unique Graduate.



Unique I.T. Training offers 2 training packages to suit your needs

The Silver Package

15 days of vocational training designed to give you the skills that employers need their employees to have. Companies such as Fujitsu, BT Engage, Ricoh, A & O etc. all accept Unique Graduates trained in this way.

In addition we now include a further 5 days of exam preparation for The CompTIA A+ and Network+ which are both Internationally recognized and can be used as Electives towards The Microsoft MCSA.

The course fee includes exam fees for both qualifications.

The Gold Package

Includes all of the Silver package, plus an additional 5 days of application training and exam preparation for the CompTIA Server+ qualification.

The course fee includes exam fees for all qualifications, plus accommodation for 20 nights, (it is recommended that the Server+ week is taken some 6 months after completion of the Silver Course).

Unique's Course allows advanced qualification training at the start of your career

Unique embraces what both Microsoft and CompTIA say about students wanting to undertake certification training without first having experience in the industry. However, due to our unique training methods, our 15 day Fast Track course has been recognized as being the equivalent of 6 months work experience, and consequently we have been able to develop our Silver package to include CompTIA's A+ and Network+, and with an additional 6 months work experience we are able to offer in our Gold package, work application and qualification training for the Server+ qualification.

Courses are continually updated in line with both changes in the structure of the A+, Network+ and Server+ as well as taking account of what our employer partners say they need from our graduates.

Employers want employees who can do the job, for knowledge without the skills doesn't count with them.

Employer statement

We find the personal motivation and financial investment made coupled with the services and training provided at Unique enable their engineers to perform as well and if not better than an engineer with 6 months experience or equivalent.

Lynne Standen - Operations Manager, Banctec/Dell

How long are the Courses?

Silver 4 weeks (20 days)

Gold 5 weeks (25 days)

Unique believes that to succeed in today's thriving I.T. Industry, you need both the practical training for the workplace and Internationally recognized qualifications.

Unique's belief in, and commitment to, vocational rather than pure certification training, is one of the main reasons why companies such as Bantec/Dell, Fujitsu, Carillion, Ricoh, Kalamazoo and BT Engage I.T, choose Unique Graduates over others.

They know that a Unique Graduate is able to apply the practical training learnt in the classroom, to the workplace.

Employee statement

'Having completed my MCSE and still no job in I.T. I was getting a bit disheartened and thinking no one would ever give me a job in the industry – I had all the right qualifications, but no experience. Then I saw an advert for Unique and decided to enrol. The course was informative and practical, and the recruitment team worked with you to get you the best opportunities available in your area. I now work for a SAP Consultancy firm and have got a prosperous career ahead of me – thanks to Unique. I would highly recommend Unique to anyone who wants to secure a job in I.T.'

Keith Lang, June 2007, course 608C, Wirral, former Factory Operative, (Junior Consultant, SAP)

Unique Open Days

Unique Open Days are the perfect opportunity for you to find out more about what Unique can offer you. It also gives you the chance to meet with a member of the Unique Careers Team and for you both to decide whether a career in I.T. is right for you.

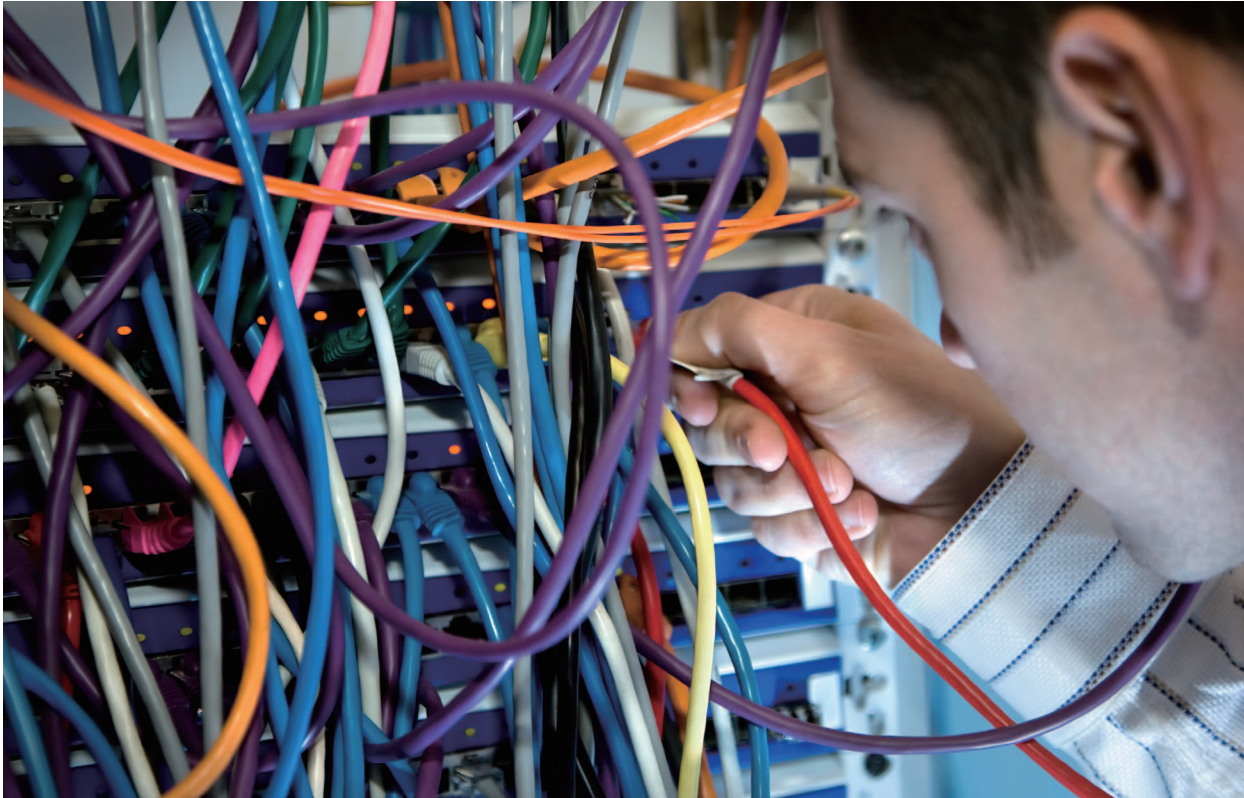
All training courses are an investment in your future and Unique's Team are there to make certain that neither you nor they waste time nor your money if you are found not to be suited to either the Courses or an I.T Career.

The Team will conduct written tests, a personal interview and skills assessment, after which they will be able to advise you if they feel that the Courses and career are right for you.

Unique is able to make this objective assessment, as it is not a Distance Learning Trainer, looking for unlimited numbers to train, only those who Unique believe have a future in I.T will be accepted onto the courses.

This pre-vetting of candidates is a major factor why Employers know that a Unique Graduate can be trusted to be able to be put to work and will fit in with the rest of the workforce.

At the Open Day you will also be told what options are available to you upon completing the courses.



Cerco IT (Staffing Solutions) Ltd.

Is our Associate Recruitment Company who specialise in either placing in permanent positions or employing Unique Graduates themselves on Contract Work, at full market rates of pay.

Because of the quality and relevance of Unique's training, Cerco IT (Staffing Solutions) has become a leading supplier of contractors to some of the biggest names in the UK I.T industry (Fujitsu, BT Engage, Ricoh, A&O, Banctec/Dell etc).

Employer statement

The technical standard of training and the ability of Unique graduates has, by and large, made it only a formality as to who we will hire. Technically we know they are good enough for the role. It's just a matter of company fit and personality.

Richard Wanless, European Operations Manager, Banctec CNS

Employee statement

Saw your advert on television... took me back 15 years when my son Jonathan Tidmarsh was one of the FIRST to be trained by you at Nantwich. He is now very successful and works for the French Bank 'Paribas' in their Manhattan New York offices with a highly skilled position in I.T. and he is handsomely paid for his duties. We are profoundly thankful for your best of training 15 years ago.

Jonathan's dad, Ray Tidmarsh

Why do employers choose Unique graduates?

You have no doubt recently read that Employer Organisations such as the CBI are demanding more from their future Employees than mere Certificates illustrating that they have passed exams, they are more interested in knowing that they have the practical skills to do the job.

Unique gives the Employers what they need, as the Courses place equal emphasis on both the practical skills required in the workplace, as well as teaching the theory. Employers therefore know that an Entry Level Technician trained by Unique possesses the skills needed, to be **put to work immediately**.

Employer statement

My experience of recruiting and working with Unique trained engineers has been fantastic! As well as being good team players the course has given them the skills necessary to work on their own initiative. I put it down to their enthusiasm and desire to develop coupled with the technical challenges of Heathrow Airport for the dramatic decrease in our staff turnover!

Chris Newman, ServiceTec Ltd. Site Support Manager, Heathrow Airport

Employer statement

We feel the Unique evaluation process, excellent practical training and recruitment advice given to Unique Technicians, coupled with the personal motivation and financial investment made by the individual, give Unique Technicians an edge. I would much rather employ a Unique technician, and the number I have is in double figures, than employ someone that has many months, even years of experience in the industry. Unique Technicians have a desire to succeed and within our organisation have, and without doubt will continue to do so.

Darren Pilkington - I.T. Desktop Support Manager, Carillion Group Services

Employer statement

We find that Unique graduates have real commitment. They have invested their own money and time on a specific course because they wanted to change direction in their working life. It is this type of commitment and dedication that makes them better team players.

B.Griggs, Head of M.O.D. Operations, Fujitsu Services

“Certifications won't always help you become a better technologist, but they can help you land a better job or a pay raise

Headhunters and human resources departments love IT certifications. They make it easy to match up job candidates with job openings. They also make it easy for HR to screen candidates. You'll hear a lot of veteran IT pros whine about techies who were hired based on certifications but who don't have the experience to effectively do the job. They are often right. That has happened in plenty of places. But certifications do open up your career options. They show that you are organized and ambitious and have a desire to educate yourself and expand your skills. If you are an experienced IT pro and have certifications to match your experience, you will find yourself to be extremely marketable. Tech certifications are simply a way to prove your baseline knowledge and to market yourself as a professional. However, most of them are not a good indicator of how good you will be at the job.”

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Where are we based...

Unique are based in Crewe's Business Park, which is conveniently located on the main rail hub for the whole of the mainland UK rail system. By road Crewe is situated just off the M6, between Birmingham and Manchester.



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