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## Data Center Pro, Ready to Lead Big Change?



If there is any technical arena in the thick of digital-era transformation, it is data center. What was once a static environment is now agile, scalable, and software-defined—leveraging automation, cloud-based architectures, and virtualization. What was once primarily a cost center is now driving the organization, helping it support the business models and customer experiences it chooses to deliver. And what was once focused on networking and storage skills now requires familiarity with unified computing, programming, and orchestration.

Cisco calls today's data center the ASAP Data Center, one that offers the ability to analyze, simplify, automate, and protect. Our white paper, "The Workforce of the ASAP Data Center," introduces you to the new data center, your role in it, and how you can be prepared. We'll get you up to speed on these issues:

- · The role of the data center in the context of the digitized business environment
- · The evolution of data center skills
- · The key skills required to thrive in the data center
- · The importance of multidisciplinary skills
- The impact of certification on organizational and professional value

Digital transformation has come to the data center. Are you ready for it where you work? Download our white paper ASAP!

