



**International Association of
Financial Crimes Investigators**



Certified Cyber Crimes Investigator Value and Overview

VALUE OF CERTIFICATION

Professional certifications demonstrate and validate knowledge, skills and commitment to effective cyber investigations. According to a variety of industry salary guides, an industry recognized credential can increase a candidate's salary by as much as 20%. Employers prefer, and sometimes require, professional certification. Obtaining professional certification improves career advancement, career opportunities and earning potential. According to the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, employment of investigators is expected to grow 21% from 2010 to 2020. Increased demand will stem from technological advances that have led to an increase in cyber, financial and insurance crime. With the ever-changing technology and advances in cybercrime investigations, organizations increasingly place a higher value on cyber certifications. Rapidly changing technologies have fueled the need for professionals with dedication to cutting edge knowledge and techniques

CCCI CERTIFICATION OVERVIEW

The International Association of Financial Crimes Investigators (IAFCI) is pleased to present the Certified Cyber Crimes Investigator (CCCI) professional certification. The CCCI professional certification is intended to provide a recognizable certification in demonstration of current and continuing knowledge in cyber-crimes investigations. It denotes a commitment to staying current in cyber-crime trends and to contribute to the knowledge and education of others.

The Cyber Fraud Industry Group (CFIG) is governed by the International Association of Financial Crimes Investigators (IAFCI). The mission of the CFIG is to bring private and public-sector entities together for the purpose of combating cyber fraud. The Certified Cyber Crimes Investigator (CCCI) certification was created by CFIG, and is sponsored by the IAFCI.

To Qualify, applicants must be a current IAFCI member, have a minimum of three years' experience investigating crimes or fraud using cyber means and pass a criminal background check. Please complete and submit the CCCI Qualification Application form. Once you are qualified, you can purchase the Study Guide and Exam. Certification total fee: \$350.00. Deposit due at the time of application is \$150.00. Remaining balance of \$200.00 is due at the time of scheduling your exam.

The examination consists of one hundred (100) multiple choice and true/false questions. You have two (2) hours to complete the online timed non-proctored exam and achieve a score 75% or better to pass. At this time, the CCCI certification board allows applicants to retake the exam one time without cost if a passing score is not obtained on the first attempt. After this, a new exam fee must be paid. You have 90-days from date of purchase allotted to complete the CCCI Exam. If you do not take the exam within the 90-day period, you must purchase the exam again.

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