



Kubernetes is one of the highest trending technologies in Cloud Computing as of today with 173% growth in key skills required in job searches from a year before. This **Certified Kubernetes Leader** (**CKL**™) is a highly sought-after certification that will help you architect and kickstart the deployment of Kubernetes across your organization today.

Using a combination of case studies, liberating structures and hands-on experience, you will gain key knowledge and competency to become an effector administrator of your organization's Kubernetes clusters while understanding the foundation of administrating, install and configure Kubernetes settings to your system. This program will also help you to discover how to control access to the Kubernetes API server through Role-based Access Control (RBAC) and Kubernetes Clusters to harness your system security. In addition, you will also walk away with best deployment approaches of your Kubernetes in the Cloud infrastructure and subsequently enable you to scale your deployment with upgraded Kubernetes clusters. By the end of this program, you are also able to use the Kubernetes Network model and identify networking problems that need to be addressed using Kubernetes Cluster Networking.

After completing this program and upon passing the Chartered exam, you will have earned the **Certified Kubernetes Leader (CKL™)** designation which you can use to demonstrate your professional credentials and track record in managing Kubernetes environments as a successful Kubernetes leader and administrator.

ACCREDITATIONS





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KEY SKILLS YOU WILL GAIN

From This Program





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Faculty Leader and Contributor

Niranjan Pandey has over **20 years of experience** in the IT industry. As a **Chief Cloud Technologist**, he has handled many Design, Development, Build, Integration, Release, Delivery Management, and Migration of DevOps tools involving cloud infrastructure services such as AWS, Azure and GCP.

As a leading DevOps expert, he has designed and implemented the DevOps platform (automating build, deployment automation, test, SDLC orchestration, environment management, monitoring, and production release procedures) for large organizations. With his mastery over App containerization technology, Niranjan has helped multiple businesses build and automate microservices, taking DevOps to the Next Level with Docker and Kuhernetes.

He has extensive expertise in setting up configuration and management tools like **Chef, Puppet, Jenkins, and Ansible**; Writing puppet manifests, implementing Puppet agent-based and agentless configurations. He's well-versed in the optimization of enterprise Redhat OpenShift systems. Being a maven in Ansible, he has provisioned AWS environments using Ansible Playbooks. He has also helped design, implement and migrate scalable enterprise monitoring systems like Splunk.

Niranjan is one of the most sought-after mentors and consultants for DevOps in the technology circles. He is also presently serving as an advisor and a member of the board of directors for many technology firms.

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