

Become an Accredited ACH Professional (AAP)

Payments associations share a common goal of improving U.S. payment systems quality through industry representation, education and support. The following payments associations have partnered with Nacha to provide candidates of the AAP exam with certified training programs and materials.



AAP Prep Training

January 8, 2020 – October 13, 2020 |

In-Person & Online

Includes spring & fall two-day, in-person training workshops (six cities in the spring and eight cities in the fall); two webinar series with nine webinars each; monthly review calls with ePay staff; Intro to AAP Exam—What You Need to Know. Learn more at epayresources.org.



Electronic Payments Core of Knowledge

AAP Prep Program

May 15, 2020 (Kicks Off) |

Online &

In-Person

Includes virtual study halls, on-demand courses, webinars, practice tests, study manual, AAP mentor and optional in-person review session to help guide you through your studies as you prepare for the AAP exam. Learn more at epcor.org.



AAP Exam Review Sessions

August 2020 – October 2020 |

In-Person (Columbia, MD)

Two in-person exam preparation training options are available to meet your needs: a four-week evening course, or a two-full day review session. Learn more at macha.org.



AAP Training On-Demand

June 1, 2020 – November 1, 2020 | Online

Includes twelve on-demand sessions, plus access to weekly virtual study group calls with NEACH staff to reinforce exam material. (Additional in-person AAP Bootcamp training available.) Learn more at neach.org.



PaymentsFirst

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AAP Study Program

April 1, 2020 – October 2, 2020 | Online

Includes seven live sessions and recordings, access to a Study Program Participant page with additional resources and links. Monthly conference calls and quizzes. Learn more at paymentsfirst.org.



AAP Exam Review

September 9–10, 2020 | In-Person

(Baton Rouge, LA; Memphis, TN; Ridgeland, MS)

An interactive course designed to prepare professionals for the AAP Certification Exam. Includes a review of the Nacha file structure. A sample test will be administered. (Additional online AAP exam prep trainings available.) Learn more at sfe.org.



2020 AAP Exam Prep Webinar Series

July 16, 2020 – August 27, 2020 | Online

A series of seven interactive webinars, including exercises and quizzes. Includes access to on-demand session recordings. Pre-course work required. Sessions are 90 minutes and begin at 2:00 PM ET. (Additional online and in-person AAP exam prep trainings available.) Learn more at tchpaymentsauthority.org.



AAP Exam Prep Series

May 5, 2020 – September 30, 2020 |

Online & In-Person

Design Your AAP Blueprint Five-Part Webinar Series, Ten-Part Webinar Summer Series, Six Open Forum Discussions (exclusive to the Prep Series) and Two-Day In-Person Workshop. Learn more at umacha.org.



AAP In-Person Training

July 21, 2020 – September 11, 2020 |

In-Person (WACHA Offices or

First Hawaiian Bank, Honolulu, HI)

Includes 6 in-person day sessions, plus a 2 1/2 day in-person review with WACHAs staff to review all aspects of the exam. Learn more at wacha.org.



AAP Exam Preparation

August 25, 2020 – October 1, 2020 | Online

A ten session webinar series including a review. Recordings of sessions are available afterwards, allowing for additional review. (Additional in-person AAP exam prep training available.) Learn more at wespay.org.