Training and certification

stripe sessions

Training courses

Tuesday, May 4
Moscone North & South

Build practical skills for AI-enabled financial operations, new pricing models, and embedded financial services. Choose business-focused training on payments performance and fraud management, or hands-on developer courses in billing and platform payments.

For 2027, we're offering two morning sessions, two afternoon sessions, and one full-day session. You can choose any combination that doesn't overlap.

Track 1

Optimizing payments performance

Explore the industry best practices and essential business operations that keep payments programs healthy. You'll learn about conversion optimization, card payments optimization, fraud and dispute prevention, and cost analysis directly from Stripe experts.

Morning session

Duration: Half day
Time: 9:00 am–12:00 pm

Increasing conversion and lowering network costs

Improve the performance of your payments processing with training focused on increasing efficiency and reducing costs. Go beyond the basics to understand the metrics that affect profitability, and learn how to improve authorization rates, use AI-powered Adaptive Acceptance, and reduce payment friction.

You'll learn from Stripe experts how to improve conversion, optimize card payments, and analyze costs, with guidance for different business models.

Key takeaway:

- How to get enough information to improve authorization rates while keeping checkout simple enough to reduce cart abandonment

Level: Foundational

Audience: [Nontechnical] Payments practitioners and Stripe administrators at enterprise and established technology companies

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Afternoon session

Duration: Half day
Time: 1:00 pm–4:00 pm

Fighting fraud and managing disputes

Learn how to protect your revenue and reduce losses from fraud and disputes. This session covers industry best practices and strategies for using Stripe tools to reduce fraud risk and chargeback rates and creating and testing fraud rules with Radar Assistant, plus how Smart Disputes uses AI to automate evidence collection.

Key takeaway:

- Why the optimal amount of fraud is not zero and how that should influence your fraud and dispute management strategy

Level: Foundational

Audience: [Nontechnical] Payments practitioners and Stripe administrators at enterprise and established technology companies

Track 2

Building billing for subscriptions, usage, and AI products

Learn how to simplify and scale recurring billing with Stripe Billing. Sessions will cover two implementation paths: building subscription billing experiences and designing flexible, usage-based billing models. Through demonstrations and hands-on exercises, you'll configure workflows and apply them to realistic customer use cases.

Morning session

Duration: Half day
Time: 9:00 am–12:00 pm

Creating a hybrid subscription system with Stripe Billing

Learn how to build, launch, and manage subscription billing through hands-on development with Stripe Billing and related Stripe products. Explore the subscription lifecycle, from pricing and checkout to financial operations and revenue recovery.
Through practical coding exercises, learn how these products work together to support a hybrid billing model that combines recurring subscriptions with usage-based charges.

Key takeaway:

- How to use the Subscriptions API to connect your billing system to your financial operations

Level: Intermediate

Audience: [Technical] Developers and engineers at established technology companies who build or maintain billing and payment applications. Participants should have experience writing code and integrating APIs, and be prepared to take part in hands-on development exercises.

Afternoon session

Duration: Half day
Time: 1:00 pm–4:00 pm

Implementing usage-based billing with Metronome

Learn how to design and implement flexible usage-based pricing through hands-on development with Stripe Billing and Metronome, a Stripe product. Through practical coding exercises, you'll track consumption, apply credits, combine recurring and usage-based charges, and explore pricing models such as token billing.

Key takeaway:

- How to implement usage-based pricing models that can change with your products and customers

Level: Advanced

Audience: [Technical] Developers and engineers at established technology companies who build or maintain billing and payment applications. Participants should have experience writing code and integrating APIs, and be prepared to take part in hands-on development exercises.

Track 3

Full-day session

Duration: Full day
Time: 9:00 am–4:00 pm

Building a platform with Stripe Connect

Learn how to embed payments and financial services in your platform through hands-on development with Stripe Connect and related Money Management products. Through practical implementation exercises, you'll use Stripe Workbench to interact with the Connect API and create realistic data and transactions for a sample application.

Key takeaway:

- How to use the Connect API to create accounts and process different types of charges used by platforms and marketplaces

Level: Advanced

Audience: [Technical] Developers, engineers, and technically proficient product managers at established technology companies building platforms or marketplaces. Participants should have experience building web applications and integrating APIs, and be prepared to take part in hands-on development exercises.

Hands-on workroom

Wednesday, May 5
Time: 8:00 am–4:00 pm

Thursday, May 6
Time: 8:00 am–3:00 pm

Closed during keynotes

Practice scenarios and build your skills

This dedicated, open lab environment is designed for practical application and self-paced skill-building. Move beyond theory and engage directly with Stripe's products under the guidance of our instructors.

Practice real-world scenarios:

- Get to know our new Training Lab marketplace app, an interactive learning platform that teaches complex Stripe product usage through playable, story-driven exercises.

Access Stripe's full digital training library:

- Explore any component of our entire digital training portfolio (stripe.training).

Get expert guidance:

- Receive real-time feedback from Stripe experts.

Learn about certifications:

- See our certification portfolio, and get started on our professional developer certifications with expert support in the room.

Join a quick lab:

- Drop in for short, live sessions featuring focused, hands-on exercises across key Stripe products.

Certification exams

Wednesday, May 5
Time: 8:00 am–4:00 pm

Thursday, May 6
Time: 8:00 am–3:00 pm

Closed during keynotes

Get Stripe certifications on-site to validate your expertise

Formally validate your Stripe skills by taking one of our official certification exams. These tests are designed to assess and recognize proficiency in three key role categories essential for using Stripe products effectively:

Stripe Fundamentals Certification:

Assesses your foundational knowledge of Stripe's offerings and core concepts—perfect for entry-level and novice users

Associate certification:

For individuals who are early in their professional usage of Stripe

Professional architect certification:

Validates your expertise in designing and implementing complex solutions, covering advanced features in Stripe Payments, Stripe Billing, and platform solutions

Walk in anytime (space permitting; closed during keynotes).

Get a head start on training and certification preparation at stripe.training, where you'll find comprehensive study guides and practice exams.