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The Preeminent ICT Resource for the Connected World

ICT stands for the <u>I</u>nformation and <u>C</u>ommunications <u>T</u>echnology industry.

ICT is the integration of technologies for communications and interaction in a digital world:

- Smart Cities
- Intelligent Buildings
- Hospitals
- Airports
- Concert Venues
- Online Shopping
- Social Media

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ABOUT BICSI

The global professional association supporting the advancement of information and Communications Technology (ICT) community.

- Design

- Integration

- Installation

- Global

- Serves 23,000 ICT Professionals

- Provides Resources to:
  - o Attain Professional Certifications & Credentials
  - o Strength Industry Knowledge
  - o Develop and Build Local ICT Market

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Prestige • Recognition • Respect

Giving voice to the ethos of excellence behind our BICSI
certification programs and unifying and elevating our certification portfolio by bringing them together under this new shared identity.

Dedicated to the development and advancement of:
cable installers • project managers • designers

By hiring an ICT professional educated by BICSI, you are more likely to:

- Avoid Problems

- Reduce costly "re-work"

- Reduce long-term cost of ownership

- Allow for easy expansion
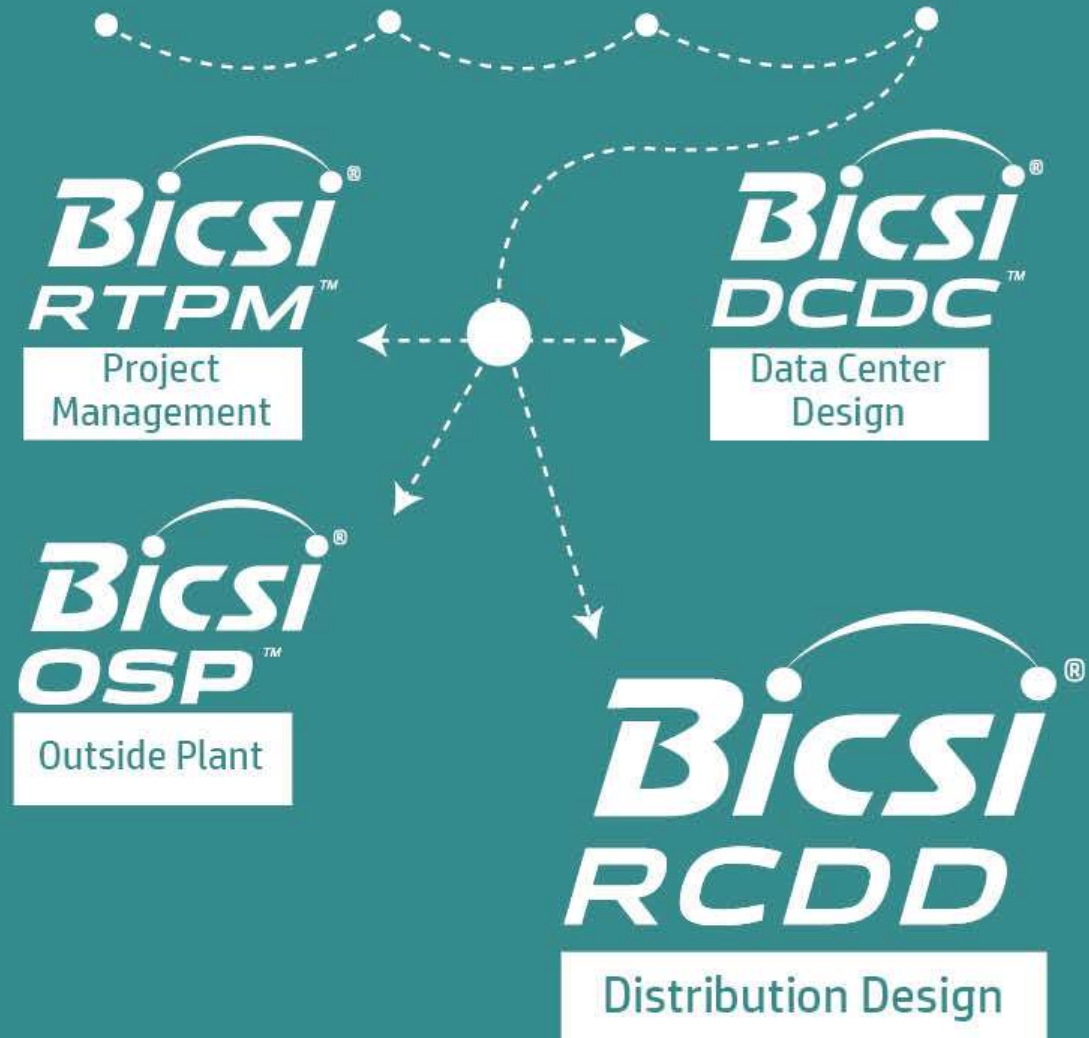
- Ensure current code/standard compliance

Take Your Career to the Next Level with BICSI Certifications

One of Many career Paths Through BICSI's Credentialing Programs

Claim Your Digital Credential

Digital Credential Benefits:

- ✓ Embed in bid documents to easily manage, share, and verify your learning achievements.
- ✓ Secure verification adds credibility to your achievement.
- ✓ Labor market insights connect your skills with active job opportunities.
- ✓ Easily show employers and colleagues that you've been certified.

Tell your professional story to further validate your expertise and stand out from the competition.

BICSI's Conferences & Region Events

Connect & Exchange Knowledge with Industry Professionals

- ✓ Global Conferences & Exhibitions (offered in-person and virtually)

- ✓ vICT Forums (offered virtually)

- ✓ ICT Forums

- ✓ Webinars

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Upcoming Conference Events

- **2023 Fall Conference & Exhibition***
  10-14 September • Las Vegas, Nevada, USA

- **2024 Winter Conference & Exhibition***
  28 January - 1 February • Orlando, Florida, USA

- **2024 Fall Conference & Exhibition***
  15-19 September • Las Vegas, Nevada, USA

- **2025 Winter Conference & Exhibition***
  2-6 February • Kissimmee, Florida, USA

Earn CECs and the RCDD® Conference Credit at an Upcoming Conference!

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MEA Hopes for upcoming events*:

- **BICSI approved ICT Forum**
  October 2023 • K.S.A.

- **BICSI approved ICT Forum**
  November 2023 • Qatar

- **BICSI approved ICT Forum**
  October 2023 & February 2024 • Dubai, U.A.E.

- **BICSI approved ICT Forum**
  November 2023 • South Africa

- **BICSI approved conference**
  May 2024 • Dubai, U.A.E.

*This is the intent. If all is not possible this year, we'll gradually bring these events back
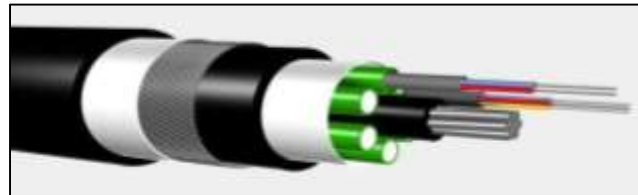
ICT Standards & BICSI

IEEE
Defines the message and transmission characteristics

7	Application
6	Presentation
5	Session
4	Transport
3	Network
2	Data Link
1	Physical

ISO/IEC & TIA
Defines the transmission media and system specifications

BICSI
Defines design solutions using transmission media and systems

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BICSI International Standards Program

✓ Focus:

- Develop standards within all facets of Information & Communications Technology (ICT) infrastructure design and installation

✓ Details:

- Over 500 member worldwide

- Accredited by ANSI

- Develops international open to use/"royalty free" standards and best practices

- "Nonprofit Program" – Free from 3rd Party Financial Influence

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Individual Participation

✓ An individual who joins the BICSI Standards Program as a member can:

- Propose new projects for standardization
- Participate in development of draft standards
- Comment on work-in-progress in the subcommittee(s)
- Critique existing BICSI standards

✓ Travel is not a requirement to participate

✓ No charge for membership in BICSI Standards

Membership: The Key to Your ICT Career

Our #1 Goal is to Help YOU SUCCEED!

Offering both Individual and Corporate Membership Programs.

Special membership rates for: active-duty military personnel, senior individuals, students, and apprentices.

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