## ISTQB - New Advantages

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 LSTQB - Latvian Software Testing Qualification Board - since April 2007

• ISTQB exams available since 2008

\*Our involvement





#### ISTQB®: International Software Testing Qualifications Board i SOI



Worldwide standard introduced by ISTQB®: "ISTQB® Certified Tester" Three qualification levels:

#### Foundation Level

Advanced Level

Test Manager - Test Analyst - Technical Test Analyst

New! Expert



# \*EXAMS





- \*Decide to go for an exam
- \*Open

http://www.itbaltic.com/en/lstqb

/46/ and look for the closest date

- \*Send an e-m to Lilita.sparane@itbaltic.com
- \*+ attach Application Form (signed and scanned) + other docs, if required

  \*Step by Step



- \*Get approval
- \*Pay an invoice
- \*Come to the exam
- \*Get results in ~ 5 days
- \*If lucky, get a certificate in 3 weeks
- \*If not, do it again!





#### \*Foundation Level - 60 min.+ 25%

- \*Advanced Level (TM, TA, TTA) - 180 min. +25%
  - \*Advanced Level according to Syllabus 2007 until the 19th of July

Exam details





#### AFTER JULY 19, 2013

\*Different lenght:

for example, CTAL-TTA - 120 min.+25%

\*Number of questions do also differ:

CTAL-TM - 65

CTAL-TA - 60

CTAL-TTA - 45

### New Syllabus - CTAL







- 3 modules: Test Manager, Test
   Analyst, Technical Test Analyst
- Each part can be taken as separate exam
- If you have passed all three exam parts, you will receive the »Full Advanced Level« certificate

## Full Advanced Level







#### Available also in Latvia

#### at Pearson VUE

(http://www.pearsonvue.com/)

- \*Riga Business School, Skolas 11
- \*DZC, Lacplesa Street 41

You choose date, they provide venue

Pay by credit card

E-exams





Extends the knowledge and experience obtained at the Advanced Level by providing in-depth, practically-oriented certifications in a range of different testing subjects







#### **EXPERT Level Modules**

#### **Expert Level Modules**

4 modules: 2 released and 2 in development:

- Improving the Test Process
- Test Management
- Test Automation (in progress)
- Security Testing (in progress)

To obtain **Expert Level certificate**, candidates must have:

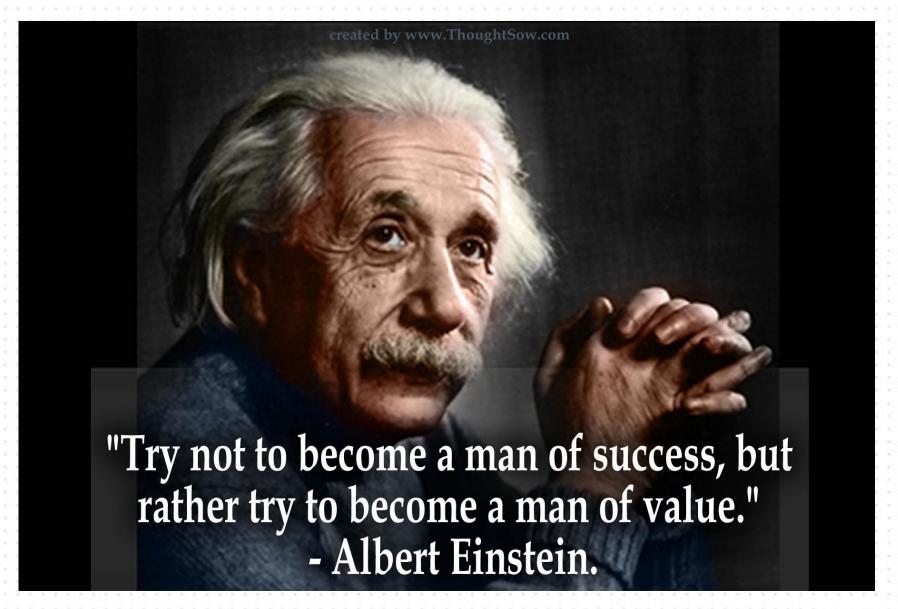
- the Foundation Certificate
- an Advanced Certificate depending on the Expert Module desired
- passed the Expert Level Exam
- at least 5 years of practical testing experience
- at least 2 years of industry experience in the specific Expert Level topic



# \*Agile Certification is available also









# \*Riga IT Demo Center







## Examples of Latvian achievements you can see here



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#### Thank you for your attention!

### Good luck!

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