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Certified in Transformation for Supply Chain (CTSC)

Turn AI momentum into managed transformation

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Meet your instructors



Maggie Walenty

CPIM, CSCP, CTSC

*Director of Education &
Research, ASCM
Massachusetts Minuteman
Chapter*

- 25+ years in supply chain (P&G, Biogen)
- 10+ years in high-growth biotech supply chains
- ASCM Recognized Instructor: CPIM, CSCP, CTSC & Simulation
- Led chapter program to 94% exam pass rate in 2025



Elena Richards

CSCP, CTSC

*Supply chain transformation
and capability development
practitioner*

- 20+ years international experience (GSK, Syngenta)
- 10+ years in capability development & transformation
- Led process design & operating model workstreams
- ASCM Recognized Instructor (CSCP, CTSC) & APMG Change Practitioner

One of us has redesigned the process, one has redesigned the capability. You get both playbooks.

Quick poll: Is AI already changing how your team works?

A

Yes, and we have a plan

B

Yes, and we're figuring it out as we go

C

Not yet, but we can feel it coming

D

Not yet (enjoy it while it lasts)

AI is accelerating the transformation. Bring discipline to the speed.

The pace

AI is reshaping planning, forecasting and procurement faster than most org charts can keep up.

The gap

Some teams are managing it deliberately. Many are moving fast without a transformation framework around it.

The opportunity

The people who bring systems thinking and structure to that speed are the ones who get to lead it.

Momentum is free. Discipline is earned.

Fine print: CTSC won't teach you to build AI models. It teaches you to lead the change they set off.

About ASCM: Quick Facts

1957

APICS founded

1959

Massachusetts Minuteman Chapter
Founded

50,000+

professional members in 100+ countries
with 1,600+ active volunteers

3,000+

supply chain professionals hold ASCM
certifications across New England

Mass Minuteman chapter serves students
throughout New England and across the United States

What is CTSC?

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Core Focus: End-to-End Supply Chain Transformation

Key Benefits

- **Prepare & Lead:** Build the capability to lead end-to-end transformation initiatives.
- **Align to Strategy:** Connect processes and capabilities directly with strategic business goals.
- **Sustain Growth:** Implement proven strategies to reinforce and replicate improvements.
- **Global Standards:** Master ASCM SCOR DS, Sustainability, and DCM frameworks.
- **Career Elevation:** Prepare for your next career step as a supply chain transformation leader.

Learning System

Digital & Print (Bundle Only)

Exam Format

1 Comprehensive Exam

Eligibility

No Pre-requisite Requirements

Maintenance

5-Year Period
([ascm.org/maintenance](https://www.ascm.org/maintenance))

For more information visit [ascm.org/ctsc](https://www.ascm.org/ctsc)

Already have CPIM or CSCP? Good.

New to ASCM Certification and Leading? Even Better

CPIM

Runs the planning and inventory engine inside the organization

CSCP

Describes the ideal end-to-end supply chain across partners

CLTD

Moves the goods: logistics, transportation and distribution

CTSC

How you transform your supply chain to stay competitive in modern VUCA



CTSC equips you with the tools to efficiently and effectively achieve benefits from your supply chain transformation projects

Who CTSC is for, and what you'll be able to do

You're a fit if you're...

- **Reaching for the next level** in your career
- **Pulled into change work:** AI tool rollouts, system implementations, network redesigns
- **Ready to lead the transformation,** not only provide data

...or you want to be the obvious choice to lead change

After CTSC, you can...

Treat AI deployment for what it is: change, with a proven framework (SCOR-DS) behind it

Get to the right solution faster with a project template and systems thinking

Make improvements stick, then repeat the process to accelerate the next change

Don't wait until the project begins. Be ready.

When leadership names who leads the transformation, be the obvious choice. Earn the credential before the mandate lands, not after.

How to ask your company to fund CTSC

1

Understand the consultants' methods

CTSC teaches the frameworks advisors use, including SCOR DS, so your team can prepare data before advisors request it.

2

Shorter, smoother engagements

When data is ready early, projects take less time, cost less and run more smoothly with your advisors.

3

Skills that remain in the company

When the consultants leave, your team can sustain the improvements and repeat them on the next project.

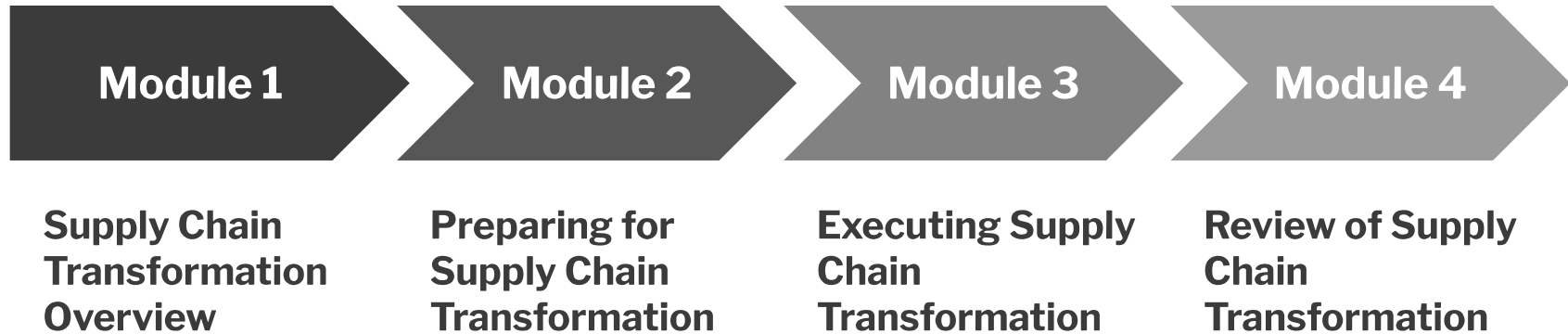
Value per seat

One transformation-ready leader can deliver more with fewer resources.

Many employers offer tuition reimbursement. Ask your manager or HR department.

CTSC helps your team work as a stronger partner with your consultants.

What you'll study: four modules



Skills you build

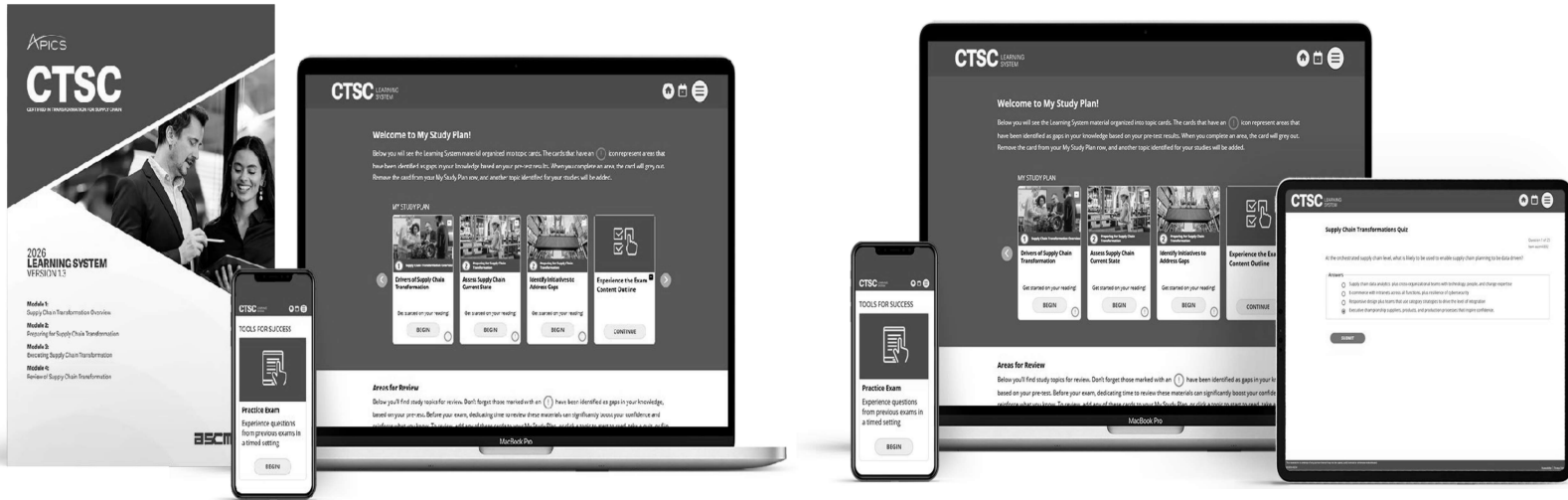
Systems thinking, supply chain architecting, leadership, risk and resilience management, change management and digital transformation

Standards you apply

ASCM SCOR Digital Standard (DS), Enterprise Standards for Sustainability, and the Digital Capabilities Model (DCM)

The Minuteman CTSC Course

The CTSC Learning System



Reading modules

- The CTSC Learning System is the foundation for your exam preparation. the reading is divided into four modules, in print and digital formats.

Web-based study tools

- **Personal study plan** based upon your exam date and knowledge gaps
- **Short lessons** that fit into a busy schedule
- **Many ways to learn:** readings, questions, flashcards, quizzes, audio and videos
- **Progress tracker** for quiz scores and remaining work

Why take the instructor-led course?

- Learn from instructors who have led real transformations
- Grow your network with supply chain professionals across New England and beyond
- Stay motivated with structured weekly sessions and instructors who can advise you where to focus your limited time
- Evening sessions, so you can focus upon the content outside of working hours

94%

2025 exam pass rate
for Minuteman
Chapter learners

Course schedule and fees

Schedule

Wednesdays

5:00 to 8:00 pm ET

10 classes

28 hours of instruction

No class Thanksgiving,
Christmas, New Year's
weeks

First class

November 4, 2026

Last class

January 27, 2027

Option	Members with Cert. Upgrade	Non-members
Instruction, class and exam	\$3,580	\$3,850
Instruction and class (buy exam later)	\$2,800	\$3,025
Instruction only (with current learning system)	\$1,350	N/A - must be a member for this option

Register for class

Questions?

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Taking the CTSC Exam

CTSC Exam

- **Pass one exam** to earn the CTSC
- **Computer-based testing** globally with Pearson VUE (in-person and online via OnVUE)
- **Offered on demand:** no testing windows. Authorization To Test (ATT) valid for 6 months.
- **Exam** contains 150 multiple choice questions and technology enhanced items (TEIs). 130 operational and 20 pre-test questions.
- **Candidates have 3.5 hours** to complete the exam
- **Scaled score range 200-350**, minimum passing score is 300

Additional exam resources:

- **Learn more about the exam process** - ascm.org/ctsc/exam-process
- **View the CTSC Exam Content Manual (ECM):** ascm.org/ctsc-ecm

Ready to lead the next change?

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**Questions, then let's get you
registered.**

First Class Date

Wednesday, November 4, 2026

Contact Email

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Register for class

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What is CTSC?

Elena to revise this slide

Focus	End-to-end supply chain transformation
Benefits	▪ Prepares supply chain professionals to develop and deploy supply chain transformation initiatives ▪ Manage and align processes and capabilities with strategic transformation goals ▪ Identify and implement strategies for reinforcing and replicating improvements ▪ Learn to effectively apply globally recognized industry standards, including the ASCM SCOR Digital Standard (DS), Enterprise Standards for Sustainability and the Digital Capabilities Model (DCM) to transformation activities
Learning System	▪ Digital and Print, Bundle Only
Exams	▪ 1 exam
Eligibility	No eligibility requirement, visit ascm.org/ctsc for more information
Maintenance	5-year certification maintenance period. More information at https://ascm.org/ctsc