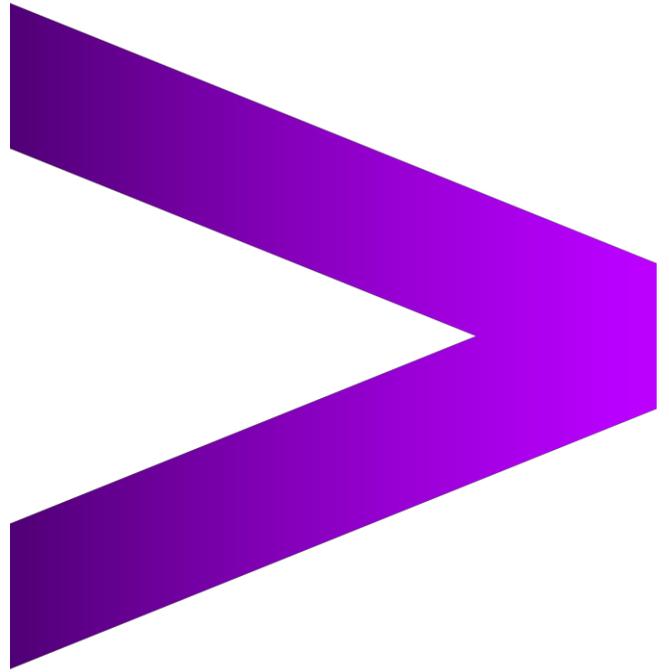


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## **Certified Exceptional** **Meet some of our Salesforce experts**

Hi, my name is Grace Buchanan. I work as a technical architect on large Salesforce programs and I'm based in Boston.

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Hi, I'm Andrew Manetakis, I'm based out of Sydney, Australia. I work as a CTA across some of our most complex projects.

### **How does Accenture support your CTA journey?**

An analogy often used to describe the Salesforce CTA process, is like climbing a mountain. There's several milestones and the way I like to look at the program we have in place at Accenture to help candidates deal with this is almost as acting like a Sherpa. We guide and mentor our candidates in order to achieve that, that highest milestone and climb that highest peak.

Well we have the most CTAs of any other partner, and that means that we have more experience and more knowledge to guide our people towards fulfilling and successful careers as architects.

We also run mock hypotheticals for candidates and we judge them using our existing pool of CTA's. We also run intense CTA boot camps to make them as prepared as possible for the real thing.

One of the best things that Accenture has done is provided me with a network of other technical folks who are pursuing their CTA, hooked me up with a mentor, provided me with the chance to go to some CTA workshops so that I could practice.

The best advice I can give is that you need to surround yourself with the best people, people that have been experienced and that have done this before. And Accenture is the perfect place, with its large number of CTA's and CTA development programs.

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