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DAMA the Data Management Association International and ICCP announce the approval of three new examination subject outlines.

DAMA and ICCP have been working for the last two years to create a common body of knowledge for three different job skills that exist in our IS/IT industry.

- a. Data Management (data ownership, data architecture, knowledge management, data renewal within a business context)
- b. Data Warehousing (Business intelligence and the required extraction, transformation and loading of appropriate databases: data stores, data staging, data mining, and data quality)
- c. Database Administration (The operational management of production databases)

This work has been carried out by broad input of industry professionals, subject matter experts, published and acknowledged leaders in the field. Now comes the really hard work of creating test items and field testing those questions to provide for the required quality and psychometric validity of items. These questions need to discriminate between those who have knowledge and skills from those who don't possess the professional competencies.

For more information on these and other ICCP examinations, programs and certifications, please contact the ICCP office@iccp.org