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## Certiport Offers Global Perspective on Digital Literacy at California Leadership Roundtable to Address Workforce Skills

*Certiport CEO David Saedi Speaks to State Educators, Experts and Thought Leaders on the Worldwide Pursuit to Effectively Develop and Deploy Digitally Skilled Labor*

SACRAMENTO--(BUSINESS WIRE)--Certiport, the pioneer in industry certifications, today announced its participation in the ICT Digital Literacy Leadership Roundtable (Nov. 16), which is charged with developing a framework for California policy makers to build assessment and verification of information and communications technology (ICT) skills into requirements for education and the workforce.

Certiport CEO David Saedi will engage with members of the roundtable on a framework for successful, sustainable and processes to develop and deploy a workforce capable of meeting the requirements for 21<sup>st</sup> Century careers. The event is sponsored by the California Emerging Technology Fund (CETF), a non-profit organization leading the effort to bridge the state's Digital Divide.

Held in Sacramento, the Leadership Roundtable includes government officials from the California Labor and Workforce Development Agency, California State Department of Education, California Public Utilities Commission, California State Assembly, the State Assembly Education Committee and the Office of the Secretary of Education; business leaders from Apple, ATT, Cisco, Educational Testing Services (ETS), Google, Intel, International Society for Technology in Education (ISTE), Microsoft and Verizon; and distinguished educators from the California Association of School Administrators, California School Boards Association, California State University, California Teachers Association and California Community Colleges.

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