

Features			Pluralsight
Learning Paths	Secure Coding	✓	✓
	Web3 - Smart Contract Security	✓	✓
	Web3 - DeFi security	✓	✓
	AI and LLM Security	✓	✓
	DevSecOps	✓	✓
	Threat Modeling	✓	✓
	Kubernetes & Containers Security	✓	✓
	AWS Security	✓	✓
	Azure Security	✓	✓
	GCP Security	✓	✓
Role-Based Security Learning Journeys	PCI-DSS Secure Coding for Developers	Hands-On (Code-level payment compliance)	Theory (Compliance rules overview)
	Secure by Design for Developers	Proprietary Journey (Architecture patterns)	✗
	DevSecOps with Jenkins	Dedicated Journey (Hardened pipeline labs)	✗
	Advanced DevSecOps	6-Stage Deep Dive (From basics to architect)	General (Loose collection of courses)
	AWS IAM Essentials Journey	Deep Dive (Least privilege, policy logic)	General (Part of broader AWS admin paths)
	Container Security Essentials	Specialist Track (Runtime sec, image scanning)	General (Docker/K8s security basics)
	Certified Kubernetes Security Specialist	Exam-Aligned (Advanced cluster hardening)	Available (CKS prep content exists)
Industries	Manufacturing	✓	✓
	Government	✓	✓
	Finance	✓	✓
	Technology	✓	✓
	Healthcare	✓	✓
	Defense	✓	✗
	Retail	✓	✓
Reporting	One-click Reports	✓	✓
	Completion Tracking	✓	✓
	Skill-based Reports	✓	✓
	Learning Journey Reports	✓	✗
	Performance Metrics	✓	✓
	Outlier Identification	✓	✓
	Automated Reminders & Notifications	✓	✓
	Compliance Dashboards	Coming Soon	✗
Integrations	SCORM	✓	✓
	LTI	✓	✓
	SSO	✓	✓
	SCIM	✓	✓
	API Access	✓	✓
	GitHub	✓	✓
	Workday/SAP	✗	✓
	Slack	✓	✓
	Jira	✓	Limited to link sharing
Training Content and Delivery	Interactive Labs	✓	✓
	Hands-On Challenges	✓	✗
	Build Your Own Challenges	✓	✗
	Quizzes and Assessments	✓	✓
	Gamification Elements	✓	✓
	Role-Based Learning Paths	✓	✓
	Content Updates and New Releases	✓	✓
	Weekly Updated Content	✓	✓
Creator Studio 2.0	Build custom courses and labs tailored to your stack, policies, and real-world use cases.	✓	✗
Security Champions Management Program	Builds security champions through role-based paths and trackable skill progression tied to real engineering work.	✓	✗
Compliance based learning journeys <small>(Journeys that are curated for rapid learning and based on the standards defined by the compliance. AppSecEngineer does NOT help you implement the standards themselves.)</small>	PCI DSS	Evidence-Gen (Labs prove skill)	Awareness (Videos for annual training)
	ISO 27001	Implementation (How to secure ISMS)	Theory (Audit prep)
	HIPAA	Technical Privacy (Securing patient data)	Theory (Privacy Rule overview)
	SOC 2	Technical Controls (Sec/Avail labs)	✓
	NIST	✓	✓
Hands-on Training	Hands-on Labs	✓	✓
	Cloud Environments	✓	✓
	Challenges	✓	✓
	Interviews	✓	✗
Certifications	AppSecEngineer Certified DevSecOps Professional™	✓	✗
	AppSecEngineer Certified AI and LLM Security Professional™	✓	✗
Gamification	Tournaments	Dedicated CTF Platfor...	None (Badges/XP only)
	Challenges	✓	✓
	Badges	✓	✓
High-performer badge	G2 Trust Badge	✓	✓
G2 Reviews	4.5 stars for both platforms. AppSecEngineer has a higher percentage of 5-star reviews. Screenshots taken on Feb 2026		