



# EFI/Vale Specialist Program – Roof (EVS/R<sup>®</sup>)

The four-day EVS/R<sup>®</sup> course covers residential and commercial storm damage assessment, investigative techniques and qualitative evaluation, plus scoping and property estimating accuracy.

### Requirements for EVS/R<sup>®</sup> Certification

This advanced level course is suitable for individuals with prior education and experience with roofing and property inspections. Applicants must meet specific requirements to become EVS/R<sup>®</sup> certified including:

- Specific work experience and/or education course work
- High ethical standards
- Successful completion of the four-day EVS/R<sup>®</sup> course
- Satisfactory score on the EVS/R<sup>®</sup> Exam
- Provide three references

### Recommended Experience or Education:

EVS Program Requirements – Industry Related Experience/Coursework	
Years of Roof Inspection Experience	Hours of Industry Related Education
More than 5 years	None required
4-5 years	6 hours
1-3 years	10 hours
7 months – 1 year	14 hours
0-6 months	16 hours

EVS/R<sup>®</sup> online pre-courses in roof damage assessment, estimating and roofing systems for low slope and steep roofs are available to those who need additional education to complete the program.

### Program for Roofing Systems

The certification program provides detailed information on the following:

- Steep Slope roofing systems
- Low Slope roofing systems
- Hands-on observation of high velocity ice impact to asphalt shingles
- Roof design consideration
- Building code and legal considerations, industry standards, and manufacturer/association recommendations
- Mechanism of moisture penetration of the building envelope
- Mechanics of wind, how it is measured, and if impact on roofing systems
- Storm damage assessment is reviewed in detail
- Basics of roof measuring and estimating for the low slope and steep slope systems
- Detailed information and examples of qualitative water intrusion elevations
- Specific information on how infrared thermography is used during inspections

To complete the application and register for the course, visit:  
[www.valetrainingsolutions.com](http://www.valetrainingsolutions.com)

EFI and Vale are focused on advancing the knowledge, skills, and abilities of those involved in property inspections, to properly observe, evaluate, assess, and estimate roofing damage.

Once obtained, the EVS/R<sup>®</sup> certification must be renewed every three years.



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