

Course Description

Project Management Executive Overview for IT Projects AMS184

7 Professional Development Units
7 Education Hours

Overview

The science and discipline of project management has emerged as a proven success metric in fast-paced, service-oriented and growing organizations. Research has shown that a successful project management approach involves everyone in the organization. Thus, it has become critical to acquaint all members of the organization on the practice of project management and its benefits to the organization. This one-day course is designed to introduce the concepts of project management as they align with the Project Management Institute's Project Management Body of Knowledge (PMBOK), the industry standard best practice guideline. Participants will gain an understanding of this critical discipline, and how it relates to their daily responsibilities.



Learning Objectives

- Understand what project management is, and what it is not
- Explore the key principles of project management
- Review project constraints
- Understand what makes projects succeed or fail
- Review roles and responsibilities of key project personnel
- Discuss project lifecycles and organizational structures
- Discuss the industry standard Project Management Body of Knowledge (PMBOK), published by PMI
- Review the five levels of project management maturity
- Understand the benefits of a Project Management Office (PMO)
- Understand how project management is meeting organizational demands and demonstrating return on investment

Format

This course is a highly interactive session with several group discussion points.

Duration

One day

Who Should Attend

Individuals at all levels who wish to better understand project management's role in the organization would benefit from this course.