

Managing Successful Programmes (MSP®) Practitioner



Organisations today exist in a climate where the need for change is ubiquitous, in view of the many dynamic, and sometimes contradictory, 'drivers for change', such as changes in the global economy, societal trends and new legislation. Substantial risk is involved in carrying out complex, difficult and often unclear major changes to the way an organisation operates. 'Managing Successful Programmes' (MSP®) is a principles, governance themes and process based approach founded on Best Practice for use when managing a programme. Programmes are more than just the 'sum of their parts', in other words they need to 'add value' over their constituent projects. This leads to the inevitable conclusion that such a major 'transformational' change needs something over and above standard project management in order to make such a major change 'stick', and thereby realise benefits which are of strategic importance to the organisation.

Managing Successful Programmes Practitioner is for those delegates who have already passed the Foundation level qualification.

Course Content

The course equips delegates with a realistic and practical opportunity to consolidate their understanding of the MSP® method, including its structure, processes, and governance themes together with a range of management documents to aid progress through the programme lifecycle.

This course includes, but is not limited to:

- Introduction & principles
- Governance themes
- Transformational flow processes including:
 - Identifying the aim of the programme & envisaged benefits to the organisation
 - Defining the programme, and specifying how the organisation will be different afterwards
 - Managing the tranches to establish and run the programme
 - Delivering the capability to monitor and coordinate the projects
 - Realising the benefits to embed the change through adequate transition activities
 - Closing the programme and ensuring the 'End Goal' has been achieved

Duration

This is a two day course which includes the Practitioner examination.

Accreditation

- Objective testing
- 8 questions per paper, 80 marks available in total
- 40 marks required to pass – 50%
- Two-and-a-half hours duration
- Open-book (only the MSP guide is allowed)



Target Audience

This course is intended for organisations or individuals seeking to manage transformational change or those seeking a professionally recognised qualification, such as:

- Programme managers
- Senior managers who will 'sponsor' the change, or perhaps be held accountable for its success
- Operational managers charged with embedding the change in their area
- Operational staff undertaking a role in the programme or related projects
- Programme office staff (PMO) wishing to build upon their project management knowledge
- Experienced project managers
- Those seeking a higher level professional qualification in programme management

Scheduled Dates and Prices

See our latest public schedule at www.ilxgroup.com for dates, venues and prices.

Reservations and Information

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