

Course Description

Executive Project Management Strategic Implications Briefing and Workshop AMS195

7 Professional Development Units
7 Education Hours

Overview

Project Management Strategic Implications is focused on the Executive audience and will provide insight to the organizational and cultural aspects of best in class project organizations. The program provides an illustrative look at how projectized organizations succeed when formalizing project offices, methodologies and competency profiles for various channels within the organization. The interactive program is delivered by an Executive level practitioner with the ability to share real world scenarios and provide various creative solutions. This program is a perfect prerequisite overview for executive teams that are embarking on a strategic initiative around Project Management process and/or education within their companies.



The team will leave the program with road maps to build upon and enhance the planning process. Through this session, participants will understand the business case for the adoption of formalized project management practices within the government environment. Special consideration will be given to the objectives set-forth from the President's Management Agenda and OMB and how these initiatives interface with general industry standards, such as the Project Management Body of Knowledge (PMBOK). Through this program, participants will gain an understanding of business cases for the adoption of Project Management within government agencies and the cost benefits of adopting a more formalized approach to Project Management.

Learning Objectives

- Gain insight of Project Management Best Practice and Benchmarks
- Understand the fundamentals of the Program and government/industry standards such as OMB, PMI, and CMM/CMMI
- Overview best in class methodologies, lifecycles and organizational support structures
- Understand the responsibilities of the project stakeholder and the expectations of a citizen as a stakeholder
- Distinguish between a customer and a sponsor on a federal project
- Review cultural norms required to perpetuate best in class project behaviors
- How to ensure effective cross-talk within a federal government project
- How to establish risk factors affecting communication and expectations in federal project management
- Overview competency baselines for best in class project teams
- Gain insight about the fundamentals of change management in the federal sector
- Understand The new relationships between projects and procurement process within federal government projects

- Gain an understanding of project management from the federal contractor's perspective
- Understand the concept of performance-based budgeting within federal government project management.

Format

This program is a highly interactive session with several group discussion points and a facilitated workshop.

Duration

One day

Who Should Attend

Senior-Leaders in Government Agencies that wish to better understand project management's role and benefit in a Government Agency would benefit from this session.