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Course outline

PRINCE2® 7 Practitioner

Introduction

The PRINCE2® 7 course provides participants with the fundamental knowledge of the PRINCE2® 6th edition including the seven processes, seven principles and seven practices central to running a project using the PRINCE2® method. This course advances the participant's skills, enabling them to participate effectively as a contributing stakeholder in a project using the PRINCE2® 7 edition .

Course details / objectives

The Prince2® 7 course includes the fundamental content found in the 6th edition and then includes enhancements some of which are included below:

1. The five integrated elements now includes the “people” dimension as the 5th element
2. The vital role “people” play in successful delivery of a project is studied, as is the role of the project manager to maintain a supportive project ecosystem in which all team members feel safe, motivated and eager to collaborate and co-create
3. The differences between leadership and management are discussed leaving the learner with insight on why “leadership” is the preferred style to stimulate teamwork and motivate team members
4. The six performance targets are enhanced by a seventh, viz. sustainability. When reporting project progress, the progress towards achieving sustainability targets should be reported on
5. A deeper understanding between the organizational and project ecosystems gives clarity on how the change management activities positively influence project success
6. The role of the project manager receives wonderful enhancement as the role becomes aware of the organizational design and development throughout the project life cycle
7. Four carefully chosen project scenarios are included, to illustrate how tailoring the three project delivery types – can all be included in Prince2® 7
8. The use of the four types of plans is illustrated with the use of the four project scenarios
9. The seven processes are enhanced by information on how the practices are applied in the principles and how process responsibilities are assigned in RACI tables

Who should attend?

Project managers, consultants and support staff needing a comprehensive understanding of all aspects of the project lifecycle along with the key management documents that should be created during each stage of a project.

The standard package inclusions

If you are contemplating attending this course based on your previously achieving success in your Prince2 6th edition foundation exam, we would recommend starting with PRINCE2®7 Foundation due to the changes of terminologies and addition of new material in PRINCE2®7. You will also need to ensure that you have access to a PRINCE2®7 reference manual.

You will be provided with two sample practitioner exam papers. Answers and the rationale for answers (from the examiner), will also be included.

You will be introduced to examination techniques, understanding how the examiner “reasons” about correct and incorrect answers and how to use the eBook to find answers.

The cost of the practitioner examination is included in the course being attended.

Duration and Delivery

This is a 2-day instructor-led course. The course will discuss examination strategies, answering techniques that work well and two sample project scenarios will be work shopped in the group.

Evening work and exam preparation

Delegates should plan to spend time reviewing the day's work and preparing for exams, during the evenings of the course.

Pre-course work

Upon request a study programme will be provided.

Prerequisites

Participants must pass the PRINCE2® Foundation exam in order to participate in the PRINCE2® 7 Practitioner exam.

Examination

The practitioner exam is a 2.5 hours (plus possible extra time) open book exam (eBook only), comprising 70 questions. The pass mark is 42 (60%).