

# **MSP (Managing Successful Programmes) Practitioner**

## Who should attend?

This course is recommended for recommended for project managers who wish to build on their success at Foundation level. Project managers, BCMs, experts and advisers working within a programme office and other specialist/governance roles involved in supporting programmes following the MSP guidance.

## **Course Aims & Objectives**

The purpose of the practitioner qualification is to confirm that a candidate has sufficient knowledge and understanding of the MSP guidance to act as an informed member of a programme management team; that is, someone responsible for managing, leading, supporting or advising within an MSP environment.

By the end of the course delegates will be able to:

- Identify and document the vision of a programme, aligning it to the strategic aims of the business
- Coordinate the projects of a programme to ensure the correct application of resources and risk, issue and change management
- Interface the programme with the day-to-day business to ensure the smooth transition of changes delivered by a programme into business as usual activity
- Ensure that the benefits that the programme was designed to deliver are achieved
- Understand the facts, terms and concepts
- Understand the principles
- Appreciate how each theme is applied throughout the transformational flow
- Understand the responsibilities involved
- Identify, analyse and distinguish between appropriate and inappropriate application of each theme in a given scenario
- Application of MSP in an exam environment

#### **Course Outline**

During the course, there will be a combination of formal presentations, group and individual exercises, enabling delegates to gain an understanding of the following topics:

- Adopting MSP
- Blueprint Design and Delivery
- Benefits Management
- Organisation
- Planning and Control
- Leadership and Stakeholder Engagement
- Risk and Issue Management
- Quality and Assurance Management

Practitioner Exam

- Eight, 10 mark questions
- Pass mark is 50%
- 2.5 hour, multiple choice exam

Successful delegates will receive an official MSP certificate.

### Duration

2 days - Delegates should be aware that considerable evening preparation and consolidation will be required to pass the exam.

## Location

We can offer courses on company premises for a maximum of 12 delegates or upcoming open courses nationwide.