

Project Management Executive Overview

People look to project management executives for strong leadership and support, clear guidance and the ability to make well-informed decisions. It's imperative that executives have the necessary skills and knowledge base to handle important issues such as strengthening competencies, stimulating productivity, improving employee interaction and sustaining expertise. This workshop helps executives better understand their role in the project management process and what it takes to build a world-class project management organization that consistently meets project objectives and organizational goals.

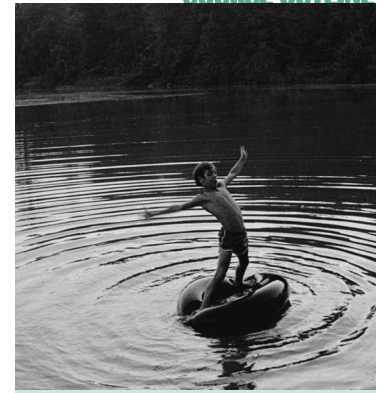
FEATURES

- Our facilitators bring real-world experience to every workshop.
- Participants will be led, not lectured, through a combination of presentations and hands-on exercises.
- Our workshops provide an experiential environment where participants can take risks and make adjustments based on their results before approaching large projects.
- Our workshop is consistent with the Project Management Institute's *A Guide to the Project Management Body of Knowledge (PMBOK® Guide)*.

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DISCOVER HOW TO

- Help project managers focus on the key disciplines that will reap the most rewards.
- Use time more effectively as a sponsor and identify struggles to expect in this role.
- Help project managers mature.
- Balance an organization's capacity for work with the work that it desires to complete.
- Make more informed strategic decisions.
- Ensure key project management functions are executed correctly.
- Take the next steps.



DURATION:
Traditional - 1/2 day.
Virtual - 4 hours.

CAPACITY: 25 people.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND: executives who have the responsibility for successfully delivering projects that fulfill key enterprise initiatives.

PREREQUISITES: experience in sponsoring numerous projects; managing multiple project managers at a time with diverse capabilities and skill sets.

PDUs: 4 credits.

PM KNOWLEDGE AREAS

Scope Management
Risk Management
Communications Management

OUTLINE SUMMARY

Key Concepts

- Project triangle
- Project manager return on investment
- Horizon lines
- Dynamic project modeling
- Baseline management strategy
- Project manager's role

Project Management Process

- Initiating
- Planning
- Executing
- Controlling
- Closing

Sponsors

- Top ten sponsor activities
- Problems sponsors face

Project Management Office

- Individual components
- Problems that champions face

Center of Excellence

- Learning intuitive skills
- An employee development model

Portfolio Management

- Living the illusion
- Organizational constraints
- An effective portfolio management system

Data Repository

- What to do with all this data
- Leveraging the past

Process Support

- Economies of scale
- Policing the process

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