## PMP (Project Management Professional) Course Outline

**Duration:** 35-40 Hours (Global Standards)

Level: Advanced

**Delivery Mode:** Online/Offline

**Certification: PMP** 

Global Exam Code: PMP (Latest Version)

# **Module 1: Introduction to Project Management and PMP Certification**

**Duration:** 3-5 Hours

- Overview of PMP Certification
- Understanding the Project Management Institute (PMI) and PMBOK Guide
- Project Life Cycle: Initiating, Planning, Executing, Monitoring, Closing
- Role of a Project Manager
- Key Project Management Concepts and Terminology
- The Importance of Project Management in Business and IT

## **Module 2: Project Integration Management**

**Duration:** 5-7 Hours

- Introduction to Integration Management
- Developing Project Charter and Scope Statement
- Developing Project Management Plan
- Directing and Managing Project Work
- Monitoring and Controlling Project Work
- Integrated Change Control Process
- Closing the Project or Phase

#### **Module 3: Project Scope Management**

**Duration:** 5-6 Hours

- Defining and Managing Project Scope
- Collecting Requirements
- Defining Scope and Creating Work Breakdown Structure (WBS)
- Scope Verification and Control
- Managing Scope Creep
- Techniques for Scope Control

#### **Module 4: Project Time Management**

**Duration:** 5-7 Hours

- Developing a Project Schedule
- Defining Activities and Sequencing Tasks
- Estimating Activity Resources and Durations
- Developing and Controlling Project Schedule
- Critical Path Method (CPM)
- Schedule Compression Techniques (Crashing, Fast Tracking)
- Earned Value Management (EVM) for Schedule Control

#### **Module 5: Project Cost Management**

**Duration:** 5-6 Hours

- Estimating Project Costs
- Developing the Project Budget
- Cost Control Techniques
- Earned Value Management (EVM) for Cost Control
- Cost Performance Index (CPI), Schedule Performance Index (SPI)
- Understanding Variance Analysis

#### **Module 6: Project Quality Management**

**Duration:** 5-6 Hours

- Defining Quality Management
- Quality Planning, Assurance, and Control
- Tools and Techniques for Quality Management
  - o Six Sigma, Pareto Chart, Fishbone Diagram
- Managing Quality in Projects

- Continuous Improvement Models: PDCA, Kaizen
- Quality Audits and Reviews

## **Module 7: Project Resource Management**

**Duration:** 5-6 Hours

- Developing a Project Team
- Resource Planning and Estimation
- Acquiring and Managing Project Resources
- Developing and Managing Project Teams
- Conflict Management and Team Collaboration
- Leadership Skills for Project Managers
- Tools and Techniques for Resource Management

### **Module 8: Project Communication Management**

**Duration:** 4-5 Hours

- Importance of Communication in Project Management
- Communication Planning: Identifying Stakeholders and Communication Channels
- Managing Project Communications
- Reporting Project Performance and Status Updates
- Tools for Communication Management
- Conflict Resolution through Effective Communication

#### **Module 9: Project Risk Management**

**Duration:** 5-6 Hours

- Identifying Project Risks
- Qualitative and Quantitative Risk Analysis
- Risk Response Planning and Strategies
- Risk Monitoring and Control
- Using Risk Management Tools: Risk Register, Risk Matrix
- Techniques for Risk Mitigation and Avoidance

#### **Module 10: Project Procurement Management**

**Duration:** 4-5 Hours

- Introduction to Procurement Management
- Planning Procurements and Developing Procurement Documents
- Conducting Procurement: Solicitation, Negotiation, and Contract Award
- Controlling Procurements and Managing Relationships
- Closing Procurements

#### **Module 11: Project Stakeholder Management**

**Duration:** 4-5 Hours

- Identifying Project Stakeholders
- Stakeholder Engagement and Communication Strategies
- Managing Stakeholder Expectations
- Techniques for Managing Stakeholder Relationships
- Conflict Resolution with Stakeholders

#### **Module 12: PMP Exam Review and Preparation**

**Duration:** 3-4 Hours

- Review of Key PMP Exam Domains
- Practice Exam Questions and Case Studies
- Exam Preparation Strategies and Tips
- Understanding PMP Exam Structure and Timing
- Time Management During the Exam
- Post-Exam Guidance and Career Pathways

#### **Module 13: PMP Certification Exam**

- Final Exam: PMP Certification Exam
- Post-Exam: Understanding Results and Next Steps

#### **PMP Exam Content Outline:**

The PMP certification exam focuses on five key process groups:

- 1. Initiating
- 2. Planning
- 3. Executing
- 4. Monitoring and Controlling
- 5. Closing

Each process group is further divided into knowledge areas such as scope, time, cost, quality, human resources, communications, risk, procurement, and stakeholder management.