

Training Course on Excellence in Project Office Leadership

Professional Development Training Course Outline

Category	Project Management	Duration	5 Days
Base Fee	\$1,500 USD	Delivery Mode	Online / On-site Hybrid

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Course Objectives

1. **Establish a Strategic PMO:** Define the purpose and strategic alignment of a Project Management Office.
2. **Develop PMO Governance Frameworks:** Implement effective governance structures and processes.
3. **Master Stakeholder Engagement:** Strategically manage and communicate with key stakeholders.
4. **Optimize Project Portfolio Management:** Prioritize and manage projects to maximize organizational value.
5. **Implement Resource Management Strategies:** Efficiently allocate and manage project resources.
6. **Drive Project Performance Measurement:** Establish key performance indicators (KPIs) and metrics.
7. **Foster PMO Collaboration and Communication:** Build effective communication channels within the PMO and with stakeholders.
8. **Lead and Develop PMO Teams:** Empower and motivate PMO staff for high performance.
9. **Implement PMO Tools and Technologies:** Leverage technology to enhance PMO efficiency.
10. **Manage PMO Risks and Issues:** Proactively identify and mitigate potential project risks.
11. **Champion Continuous Improvement in the PMO:** Implement processes for ongoing PMO optimization.
12. **Integrate Agile Methodologies in the PMO:** Adapt agile principles and practices within the PMO context.
13. **Demonstrate PMO Value and ROI:** Quantify and communicate the benefits of the Project Management Office.

Organizational Benefits

- Improved project success rates and on-time delivery.
- Enhanced strategic alignment of projects with organizational goals.
- Increased efficiency and resource utilization across projects.
- Better visibility and control over project portfolios.
- Consistent application of project management best practices.
- Reduced project costs and improved return on investment.
- Enhanced stakeholder satisfaction through effective communication.
- Development of a strong project management culture within the organization.

Target Audience

1. Current PMO Managers and Leaders seeking to enhance their effectiveness.
2. Individuals tasked with establishing or restructuring a Project Management Office.
3. Senior Project Managers looking to transition into PMO leadership roles.
4. Program and Portfolio Managers responsible for overseeing multiple projects.
5. Business Leaders and Executives who sponsor and rely on the PMO.
6. Project Management Consultants advising organizations on PMO strategies.
7. Aspiring PMO leaders seeking to develop the necessary skills.
8. Change Management Professionals involved in implementing PMO structures.

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Module 1: Foundations of the Project Management Office

- Defining the purpose and value proposition of a PMO.
- Exploring different PMO structures and their suitability.
- Understanding the PMO lifecycle and maturity models.
- Establishing the strategic alignment between the PMO and organizational goals.
- Identifying key stakeholders and their roles in the PMO.

Module 2: Developing Effective PMO Governance

- Designing and implementing PMO governance frameworks.
- Establishing clear roles, responsibilities, and decision-making processes.
- Creating standardized project management methodologies and templates.
- Implementing quality assurance and compliance standards within the PMO.
- Managing the PMO's charter and mandate.

Module 3: Strategic Project Portfolio Management

- Developing a process for project intake and prioritization.
- Implementing portfolio balancing and resource allocation strategies.
- Utilizing tools and techniques for portfolio reporting and analysis.
- Managing dependencies and interdependencies between projects.
- Aligning the project portfolio with organizational strategy and objectives.

Module 4: Mastering Stakeholder Engagement and Communication

- Identifying and analyzing key project stakeholders.
- Developing effective communication plans and strategies.
- Managing stakeholder expectations and addressing concerns.
- Facilitating effective meetings and presentations.
- Building strong relationships and fostering collaboration.

Module 5: Leading and Developing High-Performing PMO Teams

- Recruiting, onboarding, and developing PMO staff.
- Setting clear performance expectations and providing feedback.
- Fostering a collaborative and supportive team environment.
- Implementing strategies for team motivation and engagement.
- Developing leadership skills within the PMO team.

Module 6: Driving Project Performance and Value Measurement

- Defining key performance indicators (KPIs) for projects and the PMO.
- Implementing processes for project monitoring and controlling.
- Utilizing earned value management and other performance measurement techniques.
- Quantifying the benefits and return on investment (ROI) of PMO initiatives.
- Reporting on PMO performance and value to stakeholders.

Module 7: Implementing PMO Tools and Technologies

- Evaluating and selecting appropriate PMO software and tools.
- Implementing and configuring PMO technology solutions.
- Training PMO staff and project teams on tool utilization.
- Leveraging technology for project planning, tracking, and reporting.
- Ensuring data integrity and security within PMO systems.

Module 8: Continuous Improvement and Future Trends in PMOs

- Establishing processes for gathering feedback and lessons learned.
- Implementing continuous improvement initiatives within the PMO.
- Adapting to emerging trends and best practices in project management.
- Integrating agile and hybrid methodologies within the PMO.
- Developing a roadmap for the future evolution of the Project Management Office.

Training Methodology

- Interactive workshops and case studies.
- Group discussions and collaborative exercises.
- Practical application of tools and techniques.
- Real-world examples and best practice sharing.
- Individual and team-based assignments.
- Expert-led presentations and Q&A sessions.
- Access to online resources and templates.
- Post-training support and networking opportunities.

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Certification

Upon successful completion of this training, participants will be issued with a globally- recognized certificate.

Tailor-Made Course

We also offer tailor-made courses based on your needs.

Key Notes

a. The participant must be conversant with English.

- b.** Upon completion of training the participant will be issued with an Authorized Training Certificate
- c.** Course duration is flexible and the contents can be modified to fit any number of days.
- d.** The course fee includes facilitation training materials, 2 coffee breaks, buffet lunch and A Certificate upon successful completion of Training.
- e.** One-year post-training support Consultation and Coaching provided after the course.
- f.** Payment should be done at least a week before commence of the training, to Fineskill Training Center account, as indicated in the invoice so as to enable us prepare better for you

Upcoming Scheduled Sessions

Start Date	End Date	Location	Price
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Online	\$1,000
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Physical	\$1,500
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Physical	\$0
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Physical	\$0
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Physical	\$0
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Physical	\$0
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