

# PROGRAM MANAGEMENT PROFESSIONAL (PgMP)<sup>®</sup> CERTIFICATION PREPARATION (PGM\_CERT, VCT) (7 sessions, 4+4+5\*2 hours, 18 hours, 18 PDUs)

## AFTER THE COURSE YOU WILL

- ❖ Know more about Program Management
- ❖ Understand PMI's perspective on Program Management with concepts and terminology.
- ❖ Understand the structure and requirements of the PgMP<sup>®</sup> certification exam
- ❖ Know how to prepare yourself in the best way to pass the certification exam
- ❖ Have guidelines on what to focus on during your preparation
- ❖ Know specific techniques and exercises to develop your understanding of the many subjects and how they interact
- ❖ Recognize typical exam questions helping you to pick the best answer in each case

## TRAINING METHODS

We apply a training method based on "learning by doing" and "accelerated learning". This means optimizing your learning by combining the trainer's input with your own experience and active participation.

The course is aligned with the Project Management Institute (PMI)<sup>®</sup> Standard for Program Management.

Trainer support is included.

## TARGET GROUP

Experienced Project and Program Managers who intend to pass the PgMP<sup>®</sup> certification exam, and want to learn more about Program Management

## PREREQUISITES

Knowledge in Project and Program Management

Program Management is maturing as a standardized way of working.

In consequence, the popularity and demand for the PgMP<sup>®</sup> certification is on the increase.

This course provides you with the knowledge and self-confidence to prepare for, and do well on the PgMP<sup>®</sup> certification exam.

## SUBJECTS

- ❖ The Program and Program Management concepts and how they relate to Portfolio Management and Project Management
- ❖ The five Program Management Domains
- ❖ The "Supporting Processes" and how they relate to the Domains
- ❖ The Examination Content Outline (ECO)
- ❖ Program Lifecycle and "timeline" aspects, with differences between the Standard and ECO
- ❖ The main roles and who is responsible for doing what in Program Management
- ❖ "Artifacts" in relation to Domains and timeline.
- ❖ Specific "PMI-isms", vocabulary and definitions
- ❖ Sample quick-test questions per subject
- ❖ Sample practice exam "before" and "after"
- ❖ Various exercises
- ❖ Study Hints per subject area
- ❖ How to continue preparing for the exam after this course

## DOCUMENTATION

You will get a manual with all the course material.

We will also use the following books and material:

- ❖ The Standard for Program Management, Project Management Institute, Inc.
- ❖ Study Guide & 220 Practice Questions & Answers
- ❖ Additional test exams