Online Programme in Project Management (PPM)

Presented by the Graduate School of Technology Management, University of Pretoria

ECSA: 5 CPD Points	SACPCMP CPD Hours - Category A Core	5 SACNASP CPD Points	160 PMI PDU Hours

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The PPM (Programme in Project Management) has been taught since 1997 (more than 180 intakes, with the content regularly updated to include the latest developments). As thousands of people in all sectors of business and government are benefiting from having done the PPM, it is well-known in the job market.

It is now possible to do the whole PPM online – study when and where it suits you.

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The PPM is recognised by ECSA, PMSA, SACPCMP, SACNASP and the PMI. The department responsible for the academic content has been a Registered Education Provider of the PMI (USA) since 2003 (Premium Level IP Licence). The PPM is, to a large extent, developed and presented by the same lecturers that present Africa's only Master's Programme in Project Management that is accredited by the Global Accreditation Centre (GAC) of the Project Management Institute (PMI).

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> **About our online platform: One of the delegates attending the PPM modules online says: "Thank you for the wonderful system, very user friendly" Olga Mojeng.**

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Programme content

- Project Management Principles, Practices and Scheduling
- The People-Side of Project Management
- Project Risk Management
- Project Quality Management
- Project Procurement and Contract Management
- Financial Principles and Project Cost Management
- Legal Aspects for Project Managers
- Project Management in Business Context

Programme structure

- Delegates will have access to one module at a time on Blackboard Learn. Delegates have 4 weeks per module and each module assignment will be handed in on the day the next module starts.
- The Online PPM requires at least 5 hours per week over a period of approximately 8 months.

Professional recognition

After successfully completing this course, suitable candidates will be eligible to apply for professional designation as a Project Manager (PM) conferred by Project Management South Africa (PMSA). PMSA is the SAQA recognised professional body representing the interests of project managers across sectors.

Programme fees

R33 200.00 per delegate (VAT incl.)
Programme fees include course material.

Course fees must be paid in full 14 days prior to course start dates. Proof of payment can be submitted to enrolments@enterprises.up.ac.za.

Who should enrol?

This programme is ideal for you if you are involved in or associated with projects, whether as a project manager, planner, project team member or senior manager.

Delegates must take note that studying online requires the discipline to work consistently and diligently on one's own, at one's own pace, mainly by means of online study material such as pre-recorded videos and narrated PowerPoint slides (although some interaction with class mates is required for some modules).

Delegates who prefer to rather participate in person, during set days in Pretoria – face-to-face with a lecturer and a peer group – can consider the Weekender or Midweek options of the PPM as an alternative to this Online option. (The Weekender alternative requires attendance on 8 Fridays and 8 Saturdays while the Midweek alternative requires attendance during 4 blocks of 5 days each).

Admission requirements

Prospective delegates should preferably have a tertiary qualification. Delegates will also be required to submit a CV for admission purposes.

Programme Requirements

Attendees must have a PC or laptop and access to an internet connection with sufficient data to connect to the portal. The online PPM site runs on the Blackboard Learn learning management system. Delegates must use the latest version of the Mozilla Firefox or Google Chrome web browsers to access the course (other browsers, especially Internet Explorer, are not officially supported). To access the course on a smartphone or tablet, you must have the Mozilla Firefox or Google Chrome browser app installed on your device. Course content may include videos and delegates must be able to access external sites (example YouTube) and have sufficient data coverage to participate in the course.

Requirements for infrastructure are:

- Delegates must use Google Chrome or Mozilla Firefox to access the session.
- The device must have a properly installed, activated, and/or plugged-in microphone.
- The device must optionally have a properly installed, activated, and/or plugged-in webcam.
- Delegates have to ensure that they have sufficient data to participate in the course.

Accreditation and certification

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