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# EXTENDED LEARNING

## Competent Project Management



This course provides an objective overview of Project Management from a practical business perspective: from initial conceptualisation, to planning, to implementation and subsequent evaluation. Increasingly, projects are seen as a vehicle for accomplishing tasks and meeting objectives in competitive markets, to address customer and organisational needs. The role of the project manager is being re-defined to ensure the successful completion of corporate and major capital projects. Delegates attending the course will have the opportunity to develop practical skills for use directly on their return to the organisation.

**STARTS 25 MARCH 2015**

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## How you will benefit. You will learn to:

- Develop a conceptual scoping statement
- Compute the duration of a project
- Cost activities and manage budgets
- Predict risks and develop contingencies
- Develop quality standards
- Construct work and technical breakdown structures
- Manage a project and project team
- Measure the progress and results of a project's implementation

## Key focus areas:

- Defining projects
- Project characteristics
- Project lifecycle (short and long term)
- Project Management and Strategy
- Measurement tools for competent project management
- Making projects work – technical skills
- Project planning
- Network planning
- Socio-cultural skills
- Managing group dynamics
- Time management

## Who should attend:

- Anyone involved in or associated with projects, either as a project manager, planner, accountant, influencer, sponsor, or part of the project team
- This course is suitable for candidates in the business and government sectors

## Entrance requirements:

Matric and/or relevant industry experience.

## Programme fee:

The course fee of R10 395 (incl. VAT) covers tuition, instruction material, lunches and refreshments.

## Estimated level:

Level Five on the National Qualifications Framework (NQF).

## Duration:

Three days (08:00 – 16:00)

## Facilitators include:



**PROFESSOR PANTALEO MD RWELAMILA**  
PhD (Project Management), UCT  
MSc (Construction Project Management),  
Brunel University APD (B. Economics)  
ARI-UCLAS

Professor Rwelamila researches and teaches project management and is based at UNISA's School of Business Leadership.

Areas of specialisation are project management, project delivery systems, influence of culture on project management, and construction industry development.

His research interests are appropriate project delivery systems, best practices in construction industry development, public private partnerships (PPPs) in infrastructure development, construction industry policy, culture in organisations, TQM and project dispute resolution methods.

In 2005, Prof Rwelamila was the second most cited academic in the research area of project management in the world.



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- Competent Project Management
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