

CERTIFICATE IN PROJECT MANAGEMENT

Why is this course right for you?

URG project is the World's most respected and widely-used project management method. It's a prerequisite for many project management careers, and is used across 111 countries by both public and private sector organisations, including the UK government. It defines a logical, strategic step-by-step approach to successful project management that can be adapted to projects of any size, type, complexity, industry or location, ensuring that you deliver high-quality projects that are on time and within budget, every time. In this flexible online Foundation course, you'll master the essentials of the project management, learning at your own pace with unlimited support from your personal tutor.

Entry requirements

You don't need any experience or qualifications to enrol on this introductory URG course, but some experience of working with a project environment would be helpful. If you already hold a project management qualification, you might be able to skip this level and go straight to the advanced course.

Course content

Your course is fully online, delivered through engaging bite-sized lessons and interactive exercises. You'll learn the essentials of the subject method, allowing you to work confidently within advanced projects and with practitioners

Themes

You'll learn the seven aspects you must address throughout a project in order to stay on track.

- Business case - what value will the project bring to the organisation?
- Organisation - how will the project team's individual roles and responsibilities be defined?
- Plans - what steps will we take to develop our plans and apply the URG techniques?
- Risk - how will we address uncertainties in our plans and environment?
- Quality - what are the project's quality requirements, and how will we deliver them?
- Change - how will we assess and address unforeseen issues?
- Progress - how will we assess the performance of the project and decide how/if it should continue?



Processes

You'll understand the seven processes that are overseen by a project manager.

- Starting up a project
- Initiating a project
- Controlling a stage
- Managing product delivery
- Managing a stage boundary
- Directing a project
- Closing a project

Principles

You'll learn the seven principles and best practices that a project should adhere to.

- Continued business justifications
- Learn from experience
- Defined roles and responsibilities
- Manage by stages
- Manage by exception
- Focus on products
- Tailor to suit the project environment
- Get 1:1 feedback and advice from your URG tutor whenever you need it

- Contact your personal URG tutor anytime online or arrange a phone call
- All our tutors are active URG practitioners with 5+ years project management experience
- Our friendly student support team is always on hand for non-academic advice
- Access a CV builder, interview simulator and 1000+ career resources through our Career Hub

If you have any disabilities which you think might affect your studies or assessments, please tell your Course Advisor before you enrol so we can advise you on whether reasonable adjustments can be made to accommodate your needs.