

## People in Projects - Beyond the PMBOK®

### Workshop Overview

#### **The Challenge**

People are the ultimate source of project success and failure. This has been documented over and over again in the CHAOS Study by the Standish Group. While capable of great accomplishments, people are also the usual cause of project failure through unrealistic expectations, poor communication, lack of executive support, inadequate customer involvement and much more. If we are to make our projects reproducibly successful, we must find solutions to these problems.

#### **The Solution**

This workshop speaks directly to some of the primary causes of project success and failure. Each topic provides insight into root cause and then suggests steps that participants can take to turn potential weakness into a source of strength. Participants are shown numerous ways through which they can overcome obstacles, energize their work environment, and leverage the skills and aspirations of everyone involved in their project.

### Who should attend

This workshop will be of value to Project Managers, Managers of Project Managers, Functional Managers and Executives with project responsibility, Project Management Office staff and anyone who has project lead responsibility.

### Learning Objectives

- Learn the factors that can make or break a project or program
- Bring a Business Perspective into your projects
- Understand the true value in each project role
- Discover how to make meetings effective in your organization
- Learn how everyone can win the Estimation Game
- Gain a deeper appreciation of what it means to deal with Resistance to Change
- Find out how to turn Lessons Recorded into Lessons Learned
- Learn what you can do to create a Culture of Success

### Workshop Information

- **Duration:** ½ day
- **Typical class size:** 6 to 40 attendees
- **Participants receive:**
  - PMP®-certified instruction
  - Student Guide
  - Certificate of Participation

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- 3 PDUs / Contact Hours in project management education
- **Course I.D. Number:** 7030

### Learning Approach

- A highly experienced instructor will use interactive lecture format, group discussions and other techniques to drive home the essential points of this material
- We will build on your prior experience in this topic, while providing you with a structure and vocabulary to use in all of your future projects.
- If you have modest project management knowledge, you will find that the clarity of the material and direct presentation style of the instructor will make the subject matter easy to understand.
- You will receive a Student Guide which will help you follow the material, take notes and retain what you learned so that you can apply it on your job.

### Why should I take this workshop?

- This workshop will help you, your project teams and your stakeholders to resolve numerous difficult issues.
- ***People in Projects - Beyond the PMBOK®*** delves into areas of project management that, although seldom discussed, are nonetheless central to project success. Take home a whole new set of tools and techniques.
- Take this workshop and learn what you can do to ensure that your projects get off to a great start and stays there all the way to the finish line.

### Cost and Availability

We can arrange onsite training to suit your requirements. See our website for the latest pricing information:

<http://www.cvr-it.com>

### Licensing

This workshop is available under license to qualified Training Providers. We deliver a full set of courseware materials including instructor slides, instructor manual and student guide. Train the Trainer instruction is available to ensure that all providers adhere to the same high level of course delivery. For more information, contact us at

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