

Frequently Asked Questions

Course Title: Conducting Acquisitions for Cloud Services

Course #: 1043

Duration: 2 Days

Delivery Method: Instructor-led live classroom

Alternative Delivery Methods: Instructor-led online (synchronous)

1. What business or organizational need does this course address?

Address the complex challenges federal agencies face with cloud computing regarding interoperability, data security, reliability, and performance management. You will learn the unique terminology and issues at each stage of the cloud acquisition life cycle. By demystifying this concept, you'll be prepared to participate in a cloud acquisition with confidence.

2. Who should attend?

This course is designed for government acquisition professionals who seek foundational skills for conducting acquisitions for cloud services.

3. What will I learn how to do in this course?

- Interpret the terminology, policy, and processes specific to cloud acquisitions
- Analyze the unique aspects of cloud acquisitions during the planning phase of the acquisition cycle
- Analyze the unique aspects of cloud acquisitions during the contract formation phase of the acquisition cycle
- Analyze the unique aspects of cloud acquisitions during the contract administration phase of the acquisition cycle

4. What kinds of activities are included in this course?

Individual and small-group exercises, lecture, discussion, and action planning

5. Are there prerequisites for this course?

Suggested:

- FAC-C Certification
- DAWIA Contracting Professional Certification
- Level II FAC-COR Certification

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- Type B DoD COR Certification

6. Do I have to complete any prework for the course?

There is no prework required for this course.

7. Is this course applicable toward a professional certification?

No, this course is not applicable toward a professional certification. However, many Management Concepts courses do prepare you for professional certification programs. Click [here](#) to see a full list of professional certification programs that are supported by Management Concepts training courses.

8. Does this course count for credit toward a Management Concepts Certificate Program?

This is a core course in the following program(s):

- [Program Protection - Cyber and AI](#)
- [IT Acquisition](#)

9. What credits do I earn by completing this course?

The following credits are available for this course:

NASBA CPEs: 16

NASBA Field of Study: Finance

NASBA Level: Basic

CEUs: 1.3

PDU: 14

CLPs: 16

10. What course(s) do you recommend after I complete this course?

- [Information Technology \(IT\) Acquisition](#)
- [Cybersecurity for Contracting Professionals](#)
- [Agile Project Management for the Federal Environment](#)
- [Developing Agile Requirements and User Stories in the Federal Environment](#)

11. What are Additional Features?

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Most courses and training solutions have **Additional Features** designed to help every learner master and retain the concepts explored in the course. You can see which Additional Features are added to this course on the course page under the **Learning Objectives & Additional Features** tab – and for a more detailed exploration of our Additional Features, you can visit [this web page](#).