

Frequently Asked Questions

Course Title: FPM 131 - Fundamentals of Project and Program Management

Course #: 6879

Duration: 4 Days

Delivery Method: Instructor-led live classroom

Alternative Delivery Methods: Instructor-led online (synchronous)

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

Understand how scientific, management, engineering, and technical skills are used in system planning, research, and development to ensure large-scale project or program efficacy. With an overview of federal acquisition processes and guidelines through exercises that build on each other, you will gain the knowledge and experience to successfully develop and manage requirements. This course meets the requirements for the Federal Acquisition Certification for Program and Project Managers (FAC-P/PM) at the Entry Level.

2. Who should attend?

This course is intended for new program and project management professionals seeking their FAC-P/PM Entry-Level certification.

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

- Illustrate the federal acquisition process and the key planning documentation used by program managers
- Analyze the role of the program manager in developing and managing requirements
- Discuss key technical management processes and tools used in systems engineering
- Evaluate the importance of the test and evaluation (T&E) process in acquisition decisions
- Discuss the application of Total Lifecycle Systems Management (TLCSM)
- Create an on-the-job (OTJ) action plan

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

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

5. Are there prerequisites for this course?

There are no prerequisites for this course.

Suggested:

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- [FPM 134 - Fundamentals of Leading Projects and Programs](#)
- [FPM 133 - Fundamentals of Business, Cost, and Financial Management](#)
- [FPM 132 - Fundamentals of Contracting](#)

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?

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

The following credits are available for this course:

NASBA CPEs: 32

NASBA Field of Study: Management Services

NASBA Level: Intermediate

CEUs: 2.5

PDUs: 28

CLPs: 32

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

- [FPM 132 - Fundamentals of Contracting](#)
- [FPM 133 - Fundamentals of Business, Cost, & Financial Management](#)
- [FPM 134 - Fundamentals of Leading Projects and Programs](#)

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11. What are Additional Features?

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](#).