

# Frequently Asked Questions

**Course Title:** FPM 331 - Progressive Concepts in Program Management

**Course #:** 6894

**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?

Explore the nuances of systems development—from requirements to test and evaluation—in order to understand the Total Life Cycle Systems Management environment. Through examples, in-depth discussions, and analyses of current events, you will learn strategies to evaluate systems development challenges and gain a comprehensive understanding of how to use systems engineering and lifecycle logistics to manage systems. This course meets the requirements for the Federal Acquisition Certification for Program and Project Managers (FAC-P/PM) certification at the Senior-Level.

## 2. Who should attend?

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

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

- Evaluate systems development challenges in the Federal system environment
- Lead the transition and assessment of strategic goals into executable project/program requirements
- Evaluate the benefits of a project/program management office
- Evaluate and evolve the development and application of a systems engineering approach to develop IT and non-IT products
- Evaluate when lifecycle logistics approaches are appropriate
- Formulate an approach using integrated master plan (IMP)/integrated master schedule (IMS) processes
- Appraise the importance of making informed decisions across the Total Life Cycle Systems Management (TLCSM)

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

Presentation, class discussions, practical activities, and group and individual exercises

## 5. Are there prerequisites for this course?

Suggested:

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- Completion of all FAC-P/PM Mid-Level courses

## 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?

Federal Acquisition Certification for Program and Project Managers (FAC-P/PM)

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

No, this course is not applicable toward a Management Concepts Certificate Program. However, many Management Concepts courses do count for credit toward a Management Concepts Certificate Program. Click [here](#) to see a full list of Management Concepts Certificate Programs.

## 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: Advanced

CEUs: 2.5

PDUs: 28

CLPs: 32

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

- [FPM 332 - Progressive Contracting Strategies for Programs](#)
- [FPM 333 - Progressive Business, Cost, and Financial Management](#)
- [FPM 334 - Progressive Leadership in Program Management](#)

## 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

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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](#).