

PROFESSIONAL PROJECT MANAGEMENT (PPM)

PPM 610 Project Management Fundamentals (3 Credits)

Professional Studies

Project Management Fundamentals prepares participants for hands-on, real world project management activities. Participants will acquire knowledge necessary for applying project management skills and tasks related to planning, scheduling, budgeting, communications, risk management and project closure.

PPM 612 Project Planning (3 Credits)

Professional Studies

This course will outline the steps taken to complete the planning process and to create the components of the project management plan that will serve as the guide to project execution.

Advisory recommendation Prereq: PPM 610

PPM 613 Agile Project Management (3 Credits)

Professional Studies

Provides an understanding of how new Agile principles and practices are changing the landscape of project management. Designed to give project managers fresh new insight to successfully blend Agile and traditional project management principles and practices to fit any business and project situation.

Advisory recommendation Prereq: PPM 610

PPM 615 Schedule Development and Management (3 Credits)

Professional Studies

This course guides the student through the process of planning, developing, and controlling the project schedule.

Advisory recommendation Prereq: PPM 610

PPM 628 Opportunity and Risk Project Management (3 Credits)

Professional Studies

This course addresses the risk management knowledge area with an approach that provides the project management professional the ability to minimize the threats of risk while maximizing the positive impacts of opportunities.

Advisory recommendation Prereq: PPM 610

PPM 629 Procurement and Stakeholder Management (3 Credits)

Professional Studies

This course discusses both project procurement and stakeholder management.

Advisory recommendation Prereq: PPM 610

PPM 632 Organizational Behavior and Leadership (3 Credits)

Professional Studies

Examine traditional and contemporary leadership theories and styles, gain an understanding of approaches that can provide direction and motivation to project teams.

Advisory recommendation Prereq: PPM 610 Coreq: PPM 646 and PPM 711

PPM 634 Project Communications Management (3 Credits)

Professional Studies

This course will equip the project manager to achieve the goal of getting the right people, the right information, at the right time and ensuring that the key stakeholders are kept updated.

Advisory recommendation Prereq: PPM 610

PPM 646 Global Projects and Virtual Project Management (3 Credits)

Professional Studies

This course examines approaches to effectively manage large-scale projects which are primarily comprised of virtual teams that have the additional challenges of being multi-cultural, overcoming language barriers, and collaborating across different time zones.

Advisory recommendation Prereq: PPM 610 Coreq: PPM 632 and PPM 711

PPM 690 Independent Study (1-6 Credits)

Professional Studies

Exploration of a problem, or problems, in depth. Individual independent study upon a plan submitted by the student. Admission by consent of supervising instructor(s) and the department.

Repeatable 6 times for 6 credits maximum

PPM 711 Capstone in Project Management (3 Credits)

Professional Studies

Making use of case study examples, students will develop a comprehensive project management plan demonstrating expertise in the (10) knowledge areas across the (5) phases of the project lifecycle.

Advisory recommendation Prereq: PPM 610, PPM 612, PPM 613, PPM 615, PPM 628, PPM 629, and PPM 634 Coreq: PPM 632 and PPM 646