

PROGRAM MANAGEMENT PROFESSIONAL (PGMP)[®] CERTIFICATION TRAINING

As a program manager and a senior-level practitioner be at the forefront of advancing your organization's strategic goals by managing multiple, related projects in a coordinated way. Program Managers ensure the project has potential to enhance profit levels, increase returns, develop alternative approaches to deliver and manage the project benefits yielded by each project towards the organization.



Benefits of PgMP® Certification

- Globally recognized and in-demand worldwide
- Demonstrates your Program Management knowledge, experience, and skills to potential employers and clients
- Provide professional skills necessary to manage multiple, related projects in a coordinated way, achieving benefits that could not occur if the projects were handled separately
- Command higher salaries than non-certified professionals by showcasing competency in leading and directing multiple, related projects with a PgMP Certification
- Accelerate your career to greater heights with a globally recognized Program Management certification
- Improve your chances of growth and employability by demonstrating your Program Management knowledge through an international certification
- Fast track and accelerate the scope of your career with a global certification
- Gain a distinct advantage in employment and promotional opportunities





Key Features

- 4-day full-time intensive PgMP[®] BootCamp
- Comprehensive PgMP[®] Exam Prep Class
- PgMP[®] classroom workshop conducted by an expert instructor
- 2 full-length PgMP[®] practice exams
- Complimentary access to PgMP[®] E-learning
- PgMP® Program Handbook based on PMBOK® Guide 6th Edition
- 35 Contact Hours Certificate
- Help with PGMP[®] Exam Application Process
- Interactive PgMP[®] training workshop Weekend and Weekday
- Chapter-wise practice questions
- Instructor-led Live Online Training also available on demand





Modes of Engagement









Instructor-Led Classroom Training

4-Day PgMP[®] Certification exam prep classroom training workshops conducted worldwide.

Instructor-Led Live Online Training

Provided to your company's employees across global locations through Citrix GoToMeeting or Cisco WebEx.

Self-Paced E-Learning

Anywhere, anytime access to E-Learning through a Learning Management System for employees across the globe.

Enterprise Training

In-House instructor-led 4-day PgMP[®] certification training in your office across global locations.



PgMP® Course Agenda

OVERVIEW OF PGMP®

- Workshop Objectives.
- What are PMI-PgMP[®] and PMI
- About the PMBOK[®] Guide.
- Why PgMP[®] Certification.
- Prerequisites for the PMI-PgMP[®] Exam.
- Important Information about Filling the Application.
- PgMP[®] Credentialing Process Overview.
- Timeline of the PgMP[®] Credential Process.
- PMI-PgMP[®] Exam Syllabus.
- Program Strategy Alignment—Tasks.
- Program Strategy Alignment—Knowledge and Skills.
- Program Life Cycle Management Tasks—Initiating Phase.
- Program Life Cycle Management Tasks—Planning Phase.
- Program Life Cycle Management Tasks—Executing Phase.
- Program Life Cycle Management Tasks—Controlling Phase.
- Program Life Cycle Management Tasks—Closing Phase.
- Program Life Cycle Management—Knowledge and Skills.
- Program Benefits Management—Tasks.
- Program Benefits Management—Knowledge and Skills.
- Program Stakeholder Engagement—Tasks.
- Program Stakeholder Engagement—Knowledge and Skills.
- Program Governance—Tasks.
- Program Governance—Knowledge and Skills.



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INTRODUCTION TO PROGRAM MANAGEMENT

- Objectives
- What is a Project
- What is a Program
- Definition of Program Management
- Key Focus of Program Management
- Example of Program Management
- Ground Rules
- Key Features of Project
- What is a Portfolio
- Hierarchical View: Portfolios, Programs, and Projects
- Relationship between Project, Program, and Portfolio Management
- Definitions of Strategy and Business Value
- Definitions of Vision and Mission
- Strategic Objectives
- Role of Program Manager
- Responsibilities of a Program Manager
- Prioritization
- Advantages of Using Prioritization Matrix.
- Skills of Project and Program Managers.

PROGRAM MANAGEMENT PERFORMANCE DOMAINS

- Objectives
- Program Management Performance Domains
- Program Management Domain Definitions
- Overview of Program Life Cycle Phases
- Tasks in the Initiating Phase
- Program Activities vs. Component Activities
- Program and Project Distinctions



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PROGRAM STRATEGY ALIGNMENT

- Objectives
- What is Strategy ?
- Migrating from Tactical to Strategic
- Organizational Strategy and Program Alignment
- Elements of Strategic Alignment
- Key Terms Related to Strategic Alignment
- Example of Strategic Alignment Terms—Vision
- Strategic Program Management Tasks
- Program Roadmap
- Environmental Assessment
- Techniques for Environmental Analysis

PROGRAM BENEFITS MANAGEMENT

- Objectives
- What is Benefit
- Relationship between Program Life Cycle and Program Benefits
- Management
- Benefits Identification
- Benefits Register
- Benefits Analysis and Planning
- Benefits Realization Plan
- A Typical Pattern of Costs and Benefits
- Benefits Delivery



Who Should Apply?

If you have the proven ability to manage multiple, related projects and navigate complex activities that span functions, organizations, regions or cultures and to align results with organizational goals, then you're a potential PgMP.

PgMP® Eligibility Requirements

Educational Background	Project Management Experience	Project Management Education
Secondary diploma (high school diploma, associate's degree or global equivalent)	Minimum four years (6,000 hours) of unique non-overlapping professional project management experience*	hours) of unique non-overlapping
	OR	
Four-year degree (bachelor's degree, global equivalent or higher degree)	Minimum four years (6,000 hours) of unique non-overlapping professional project management experience	Minimum four years (6,000 hours) of unique non-overlapping professional program management experience**

PgMP® Certification Fees

Exam Administration Type	PMI Member Status	US Dollars	Euros
Center-Based Testing (CBT) Paper-Based Testing (PBT)	Member	\$800	€655
Center-Based Testing (CBT) Paper-Based Testing (PBT)	Nonmember	\$1,000	€815
Reexamination CBT/PBT	Member	\$600	€490
Reexamination CBT/PBT	Nonmember	\$800	€655

Source: PMI® PgMP® Certification Handbook



PgMP® Examination Information

Evaluation 1–Panel Review

The panel review process begins once the audit is completed (if your application is selected) and the certification payment is received.

A panel of volunteer PgMP-certified program managers will assess your professional experience based on your responses to the Program Management Experience Summaries on the PgMP application.

This review panel consists of individuals from around the world who, through an application process, have been identified as subject matter experts in program management and have been trained and calibrated to assess your answers to the Program Management Experience Summaries. To protect against any potential review bias, PMI will ensure that your identity will not be known to the panel reviewers.

The review will verify that you, under very limited supervision, have been responsible for the coordinated management of multiple, related component projects and directed toward a common organizational objective.

If you fail the panel review, a certification associate will contact you to discuss your status. It is not possible to continue on to the examination without passing this review.

Evaluation 2 - Examination Information

No. of Scored	No. of Pretest	Total Examination	Allotted
Questions	(Unscored) Questions	Questions	Examination Time
150	20	170	4 hours

Source: PMI® PgMP® Certification Handbook



PgMP[®] Exam Format

PgMP Exam Blueprint			
Domain/Sub-domain	Percentage of Questions		
Domain 1–Strategic Program Management (11 tasks)	15%		
Domain 2–Program Life Cycle (35 tasks)	44%		
Initiating (6 tasks)	6%		
Planning (9 tasks)	11%		
Executing (9 tasks)	14%		
Controlling (6 tasks)	10%		
Closing (5 tasks)	3%		
Domain 3-Benefits Management (8 tasks)	11%		
Domain 4–Stakeholder Management (7 tasks)	16%		
Domain 5–Governance (11 tasks)	14%		
TOTAL	100%		

Source: PMI® PgMP® Certification Handbook

PgMP® Target Audience

Target Audience
Senior-level Project Managers
Project Directors
PMO Managers
Senior Project Management Professionals
Project Heads
Senior Project Operational Professionals
Project Management Practitioners interested in managing large and complex organizational initiatives
Project Associates
Project Officers
Project Consultants
Assistant Project Managers
Project Engineers
Software Developers



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