

Oil & Gas Project Controls Training Course

Professional Development Training Course Outline

Category	Project Management	Duration	10 Days
Base Fee	\$3,000 USD	Delivery Mode	Online / On-site Hybrid

Course Introduction

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Programme Curriculum

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Course Objectives

By the end of this course, participants will be able to:

1. Understand the fundamentals of oil and gas project lifecycle management.
2. Implement effective cost control techniques and budget tracking methods.
3. Apply integrated project scheduling using industry-standard tools.
4. Analyze project performance using earned value management (EVM).
5. Identify and mitigate risks through proactive project risk management.
6. Prepare accurate project forecasts and scenario-based planning.
7. Enhance resource allocation for optimal operational efficiency.
8. Develop project documentation and reporting templates aligned with corporate standards.
9. Utilize digital project controls solutions for real-time monitoring.
10. Improve stakeholder communication and progress reporting.
11. Integrate health, safety, and environmental compliance into project controls.
12. Optimize decision-making through data-driven insights and analytics.
13. Evaluate case studies to extract lessons learned from complex oil and gas projects.

Organizational Benefits

1. Improved project delivery and schedule adherence.
2. Enhanced cost management and budget compliance.
3. Reduced project risks and unexpected delays.
4. Streamlined project reporting and documentation processes.
5. Better resource utilization and allocation.
6. Enhanced decision-making through accurate performance metrics.
7. Alignment of projects with strategic business goals.

8. Increased transparency and accountability in project management.
9. Improved compliance with industry standards and regulations.
10. Strengthened stakeholder confidence and satisfaction.

Target Audiences

1. Project Managers in Oil & Gas Sector
2. Planning and Scheduling Engineers
3. Cost Control and Estimation Professionals
4. Risk Management Specialists
5. Project Analysts and Coordinators
6. Engineering, Procurement, and Construction (EPC) Professionals
7. Operations Managers
8. Finance and Budget Analysts

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Course Modules

Module 1: Introduction to Oil & Gas Project Controls

- Overview of Oil & Gas project lifecycle
- Key roles and responsibilities in project controls
- Principles of integrated project management
- Project control standards and best practices
- Tools and software for project monitoring
- Case Study: Lessons from a complex offshore project

Module 2: Project Cost Management

- Fundamentals of budgeting and cost planning
- Cost estimation techniques
- Cost control and variance analysis
- Forecasting project financial performance
- Cost reporting and stakeholder communication
- Case Study: Cost overruns mitigation in pipeline projects

Module 3: Scheduling & Time Management

- Developing integrated project schedules
- Critical path method (CPM) analysis
- Schedule compression techniques
- Resource leveling and allocation
- Schedule reporting and updates
- Case Study: Managing delays in refinery construction

Module 4: Earned Value Management (EVM)

- Introduction to EVM principles
- Calculating performance indices (CPI & SPI)
- Forecasting project trends with EVM
- Reporting and interpreting EVM data
- Integrating EVM with cost and schedule
- Case Study: EVM application in offshore drilling projects

Module 5: Risk Management in Oil & Gas Projects

- Risk identification and assessment
- Risk mitigation strategies
- Quantitative and qualitative risk analysis
- Contingency planning
- Risk monitoring and reporting
- Case Study: Risk management in deepwater projects

Module 6: Quality and Compliance Management

- Standards and compliance frameworks
- Quality assurance vs. quality control
- Documentation and audits
- Regulatory requirements in Oil & Gas
- HSE integration into project controls
- Case Study: Ensuring compliance in LNG projects

Module 7: Resource Management & Optimization

- Resource planning and allocation

- Multi-project resource management
- Cost-effective resource utilization
- Tracking and reporting resource efficiency
- Conflict resolution in resource allocation
- Case Study: Optimizing manpower in offshore projects

Module 8: Project Reporting & Documentation

- Preparing progress reports
- Dashboard creation for executive reporting
- Key Performance Indicators (KPIs)
- Standardizing project documentation
- Communicating project status to stakeholders
- Case Study: Dashboard implementation in oilfield projects

Module 9: Digital Tools & Technology in Project Controls

- Software applications for project controls
- Cloud-based project monitoring solutions
- Real-time data integration
- Automation and analytics
- Digital collaboration techniques
- Case Study: Implementing project management software in EPC projects

Module 10: Budget Forecasting & Financial Analysis

- Techniques for financial projections
- Scenario planning and sensitivity analysis
- Managing contingencies and reserves
- Reporting budget variances
- Integration with corporate finance
- Case Study: Financial forecasting in multi-phase oil projects

Module 11: Project Performance Monitoring

- Key metrics for performance evaluation
- Trend analysis and variance reporting

- Corrective actions for underperforming projects
- Lessons learned from project performance
- Stakeholder engagement in performance review
- Case Study: Monitoring offshore pipeline installation

Module 12: Health, Safety & Environmental (HSE) Integration

- HSE frameworks in project controls
- Risk-based HSE planning
- Compliance tracking and audits
- Reporting HSE performance metrics
- Embedding HSE in decision-making
- Case Study: Safety-critical project execution in refineries

Module 13: Integrated Project Controls Techniques

- Combining cost, schedule, and risk controls
- Integrated performance reporting
- Forecasting project completion and budget
- Scenario analysis for decision-making
- Real-world integration examples
- Case Study: Large-scale integrated oil & gas projects

Module 14: Stakeholder Communication & Management

- Communication planning strategies
- Effective reporting to executives and clients
- Managing expectations and conflict
- Collaboration across project teams
- Transparency in project reporting
- Case Study: Stakeholder alignment in offshore developments

Module 15: Lessons Learned & Project Closeout

- Conducting project reviews and audits
- Documenting lessons learned
- Knowledge transfer practices

- Project handover processes
- Post-project performance evaluation
- Case Study: Successful closeout of refinery expansion project

Training Methodology

- Interactive instructor-led sessions
- Practical exercises and group activities
- Real-world case studies analysis
- Hands-on software simulations
- Role-playing scenarios for stakeholder engagement
- Continuous assessment and feedback

Register as a group from 3 participants for a Discount

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Certification

Upon successful completion of this training, participants will be issued with a globally- recognized certificate.

Tailor-Made Course

We also offer tailor-made courses based on your needs.

Key Notes

- The participant must be conversant with English.
- Upon completion of training the participant will be issued with an Authorized Training Certificate
- Course duration is flexible and the contents can be modified to fit any number of days.
- The course fee includes facilitation training materials, 2 coffee breaks, buffet lunch and A Certificate upon successful completion of Training.
- One-year post-training support Consultation and Coaching provided after the course.
- Payment should be done at least a week before commence of the training, to Fineskill Training Center account, as indicated in the invoice so as to enable us prepare better for you.

Upcoming Scheduled Sessions

Start Date	End Date	Location	Price
21 Sep 2026	02 Oct 2026	Online	\$2,000

Start Date	End Date	Location	Price
21 Sep 2026	02 Oct 2026	Physical	\$3,000
21 Sep 2026	02 Oct 2026	Physical	\$0
21 Sep 2026	02 Oct 2026	Physical	\$0
21 Sep 2026	02 Oct 2026	Physical	\$0
21 Sep 2026	02 Oct 2026	Physical	\$0
21 Sep 2026	02 Oct 2026	Physical	\$0
21 Sep 2026	02 Oct 2026	Physical	\$0

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