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Managing the DANCE: Leading Projects/Programs in Today's Turbulent & Uncertain World

Instructor(s): Jack Duggal, PMP

Pre-work: None

Length: 2 days

CEUs: 1.4 / See below for PDU breakdown

Level: Advanced

Primary Topic: Leadership Development

Subtopics: Complexity, Agile, Project Management

Course Description:

In today's turbulent time, how do we manage projects and programs in an uncertain world? We are indeed in the midst of DANCE—the Dynamic, Ambiguous, Non-linear, Complex and Emergent nature of the evolving reality around us. How do we make sense of the new normal in the midst of a pandemic world and how it impacts our projects and programs? How do we get through this and manage in an increasingly uncertain environment?

No matter what kind of project or program you are involved in, there is an increasing uncertainty and it is challenging to identify the multitude of variables that might be impacted, let alone anticipate how they might interact to create unexpected challenges. We are going to have to reflect, reframe, renew, and rethink our approaches. Managing projects and leading strategic initiatives requires a new way of thinking and next generation agility and adaptability to thrive in the new normal.

This seminar will provide different lenses that trigger new perspectives and insights that will help us to make sense of the current reality. You will learn how to assess complexity and uncertainty and apply unconventional techniques to deal with it. We will discuss how to get through and become resilient but more importantly, how to thrive and get stronger from adversity. Apply timely leadership insights and practical ideas and learn to thrive and DANCE on the edge of chaos! Your personal development plan

Additional PDU Opportunities

Besides 14 PDUs for attending this seminar you will also get an opportunity to earn 7 additional PDUs for participating in post-seminar application work (optional). You will get more details of how to participate in this program during the seminar. This is a great opportunity to earn an additional day's worth of PDUs at no extra cost.

Learning Objectives:

Upon completion of this course, participants will be able to:

- How to make sense of today's evolving reality—learn to identify the DANCE characteristics of complex project/program environments and the need for new approaches to deal with uncertainty and complexity.
- Assess the uncertainty and complexity level of their project, program or strategic initiative.
- Discuss the need for new perspectives in planning and risk management in an increasingly uncertain world.
- How to prepare for the next normal—learn to design an adaptive project / program environment for agility and strength to withstand the turbulence and uncertainty.
- Apply and practice next generation leadership, communication and teamwork practices relevant for a post-COVID reality.
- Review ten leadership principles necessary for thriving and going beyond resilience in tough times.

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This seminar is designed to help you answer questions like these:

Day 1

- How to make sense of today's evolving reality and increasing uncertainty and complexity?
- How to learn to recognize and identify the DANCE (Dynamic – Ambiguous – Nonlinear – Complex – Emergent) characteristics of today's project/program environments and the need for new approaches to deal with uncertainty and complexity?
- Why traditional approaches don't work and there is a need for new perspectives and approaches in planning and risk management in an increasingly uncertain world?
- How projects and programs are complex adaptive systems and how to distinguish and understand the true nature of today's environment?
- How to assess the uncertainty and complexity level of your project, program or strategic initiative?
- How to deal with the impact of uncertain events like the pandemic on your project / program?
- How to be ready and prepare for a post-pandemic reality?

Day 2

- How to design an adaptive project / program / PMO / Life for agility and strength to withstand the turbulence and uncertainty?
- How to apply and practice next generation leadership, communication and teamwork practices relevant for today's complex environment?
- How to DANCE with the WHO and leverage the power of connections and communications?
- How to build and foster a rich communication platform to reduce ambiguity and deal with tough stakeholders and challenging customers?
- How to deal with and get comfortable with increasing complexity and ambiguity in today's reality?
- What is the difference between traditional and next generation project/program management?
- How to shift how you See, Think and Do differently?
- How to pick high leverage experiments to try and learn and evolve?
- What are the principles of leading projects and programs in increasing uncertainty and complexity?
- How to go beyond resilience and get stronger and gain strength from uncertainty and turbulence?
- What are effective behaviors, tools, practices, habits, and daily routines to deal with the DANCE?
- How to develop a personal application plan for the application and practice of key learnings from the seminar?
- How to learn to DANCE on the Edge and uncover new possibilities and opportunities for innovation?
- How learning to DANCE is the secret to nirvana and fulfillment? (Not Guaranteed!)

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	Technical	Leadership	Strategic	Total
CAPM / PMP / PgMP	0	10	4	14.00
PMI-ACP	0	10	4	14.00
PMI-SP	0	10	4	14.00
PMI-RMP	0	10	4	14.00
PfMP	0	10	4	14.00
PMI-PBA	0	10	4	14.00

