

Inspiring MoP® Training

About MoP

MoP is an acronym of *Management of Portfolios*. MoP training will help you and your organisation make decisions about implementing the right changes to business as usual. MoP provides a 'bird's eye view' of all change activities. Both those in planning and those in delivery. This includes a clear line of sight about what is in the portfolio, what it is costing, what risks are faced, what progress is being made and the impact on your organisation's business as usual.



About Inspiring Projects

Inspiring Projects, a division of Aspire Australasia Pty Ltd, has been recognised by APMG International as an Accredited Training Organisation, licensed to deliver training in MoP and other Best Management Practice products. We offer training throughout the Asia Pacific region. We have had over 10 years' experience in using elements of MoP in real programmes and projects, and bring this deep experience to our courses.

About our training

Our MoP training is designed to assist people and organisations to quickly develop the skills base and 'know-how' needed to effectively adopt and apply MoP. Our trainers and training materials are regarded as among the best available in Australasia. We incorporate the latest research in effective learning into our approaches. In support of the different ways people learn, our courses include a mixture of presentations, hands-on activities, discussions and review sessions. After their courses, our delegates are given access to the tools we have developed to increase the success of our clients' support offices. In addition to our accredited Foundation and Practitioner courses, we offer associated executive briefings and short courses, and workshops on specific skills needed in a support office environment.

Additional support

We can deliver any of our courses in-house, and customise our courses to better suit your needs. We also provide ongoing coaching and mentoring support, as well as in-depth consulting and project start-up, review and rescue services.

Contact us

To learn more about how MoP and our services can benefit you, or to register on one of our courses, or to ask for more information or a quote, call us now on 03 9015 9459, email training@InspiringProjects.com.au or visit www.InspiringProjects.com.au.

MoP Practitioner Seminar

Course Code	MOPP1
Overview	<p>Management of Portfolios (MoP) is a coordinated collection of strategic processes and decisions that provide a mechanism for organisations to understand, prioritise and balance the resources needed. It enables evaluation of the impact of projects, programmes and change initiatives to realise benefits as early as possible, whilst protecting 'business as usual'.</p> <p>This course is for those of you who have already been trained in the basics of MoP. You have already gained the Foundation certification and aim to progress to the Practitioner level.</p> <p>The course covers the MoP guidance at Practitioner level and provides coaching / practice questions, so that candidates can prepare themselves for the specific requirements of the MoP Practitioner examination.</p>
Course Objectives	<p>This course will enable delegates to demonstrate their ability to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • define the business case to get senior management approval for portfolio management • plan the implementation of portfolio management • select and adapt MoP principles, practices and techniques to suit different organizational environments • evaluate examples of MoP information (including documents and role descriptions) • analyse the solutions adopted in relation to a given scenario <p>and be fully prepared for the Practitioner Exam.</p>
Who Should Attend	<p>The Practitioner course is aimed at those involved in a range of formal and informal portfolio management roles encompassing investment decision making, project and programme delivery, and benefits realization. It is relevant to all those involved in the selection and delivery of business change initiatives including: members of Management Boards and Directors of Change; Senior Responsible Owners (SROs); portfolio, programme, project, business change and benefits managers; and business case writers and project appraisers.</p>
Prerequisites	<p>Participants must have previously completed the Foundation course. Delegates must have passed the Foundation exam to sit the Practitioner exam.</p>
Course Content	<p>The Practitioner Seminar is scenario based, and focuses on the application of MoP under different programme environments and scenarios. Review and revision sessions of all MoP elements are included throughout the seminar.</p> <p>The Practitioner exam is a 3 hour objective testing open book (MoP Manual only) exam. There will be 4 questions and 80 question items, each worth 1 mark for a total of 80 marks. You must get at least 40 of the 80 question items correct to pass. We conduct the exam on behalf of APMG.</p>
Included with the course	<p>Practitioner Delegate Workbook including activities and sample exams; Practitioner Exam; Lunch, and morning and afternoon refreshments; Post-course support, including access to our alumni-only resources.</p>
Delivery	<p>Public or in-house classroom-style over 1 day. eLearning and blended offerings coming.</p>
Availability	<p>We offer MoP training for in-house groups only, generally in association with adoption of formal portfolio management practices by an organisation.</p>
Professional	<p>PMI: 16 PDUs; AIPM: 15 CPD points</p>