



HP Education Services Course Description

HP Race to Results Project Management Simulation (HC575S)

Can project management be fun? You bet! HP's Race to Results Project Management Simulation is an exciting, high energy team activity that clearly illustrates the business benefits of project management. This experiential learning, facilitated by the world of motor racing, causes breakthrough understanding of how multiple projects can be orchestrated to maximize bottom line enterprise results.

Audience

- This course is suitable for a large audience and is ideal to engender an initial understanding of project management among project teams preparing to work together.
- It is also valuable to managers and project sponsors wishing to obtain a broad yet focused overview of project management.

Prerequisites

- Project management experience is helpful but not required. Project team experience is desirable.

Course objectives

Learn how to:

- Recognize the requirements and advantages of project management best practices.
- Apply best practices to enhance project delivery.
- Achieve results while working within project constraints.

Benefits to you

- Improve your understanding of key project management tools and techniques.
- Gain an enhanced appreciation of all areas of responsibility including Business, Operations and Development.
- Apply methodologies and behavioral changes to a realistic software development cycle in a low risk environment.
- Accelerate your understanding of your project management strengths and opportunities.

Course title:	HP Race to Results Project Management Simulation
HP product number:	HC575S
Category/Subcategory:	Project Management
Course length:	1 day / 6 PDUs
Level:	Foundation
Delivery language:	English
To order:	You can register your interest for this course online at http://www.hp.com.au/education . At the site, select the course under Project Management portfolio and you will see dates for the course. Register your interest for the date of your choice.

Why education services from HP?

- Recognized as an IDC MarketScape leader for IT education ("Worldwide IT education and training 2013 vendor analysis" Cushing Anderson, IDC MarketScape, #239139, January 2013).
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Next steps

- Project Management Fundamentals (HC577S)
- Managing IT Projects (HE541S)
- Leadership and Communication Skills for Project Managers (HE537S)

Detailed course outline

Introduction to Simulation

- Normally delivered over 3 races, the simulation is designed to introduce key components of project management through game dynamics. Project Delivery improves through the successful application of PM tools and techniques allowing the group to deliver projects of increasing complexity and interdependency. The software development cycle is central to the activity and participants are exposed to all process groups [initiation, planning, execution, control and closure]. While a large proportion of project management processes may be discussed, the following are considered in greater detail:

Race 1

- Silo Working [Operations, Business, Development]
- Communication Planning
- Poor Project Initiation/Planning
- Project Reporting
- Poor Business Awareness

Race 2

- Improved Initiation / Planning
- Introduced Project Chart, Plan, Project Objective Statement
- Priority Matrix
- Schedule Planning
- Work Breakdown Structure, Activity Definition/Sequencing Gantt Chart
- Duration and Cost Estimating
- Gantt Chart

Race 3

- Critical Path Analysis, Arrow Diagramming Method, Precedence Diagramming Method
- Project Control
- Planning Adaptive Action
- Risk [Qualitative Risk Analysis, etc]
- Acquiring a Team

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