LEAN SIX SIGMA EXPERIENCE

Pair your newly acquired Project Management knowledge with a Lean Six Sigma Green Belt credential as an elective in the program and take your career to the next level. Project managers with a Lean Six Sigma credential know how to improve quality, streamline process activities, increase the value, and reduce waste in order to support strategic objectives.

Lean Six Sigma Green Belt is an elective in the Project Management Program:

- In-class or fully online
- Collaborate with Master Black Belt instructors and peers on real-life and simulated projects
- In-class program provides hands-on mentorship on a project from your organization with a minimum annual savings goal of $40K

WHAT STUDENTS ARE SAYING

“The Project Management program at UC San Diego Extension has given me an opportunity to grow my knowledge of project management in a setting where I am surrounded by other professionals in my field. This program has allowed me to choose courses of interest and really take a deep dive in learning how to apply techniques in my everyday career. Beyond the classroom setting, my professors are established PMPs with an enormous amount of knowledge and real world examples that guide discussions and allow me to see how the skills they teach translate into my own real world success.”

-Caitlyn Coffey, Project Management Student

PROJECT MANAGEMENT PROGRAM ADVISORS AND INSTRUCTORS

A UC San Diego Extension certificate is a widely respected credential certifying completion of a rigorous and specialized course of study. Designed and taught by industry experts and academic faculty, our leading edge programs meet high academic standards and provide real-world skills.

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WHY PROJECT MANAGEMENT?

Project managers are becoming increasing essential to management team functions in every industry. The Project Management Institute (PMI) notes in their Job Growth and Talent Gap (2017) report that employers will need to add 87.7 million project management jobs by 2027 across 11 countries on five continents: In the U.S., project managers earned an average wage of $105k in 2017 and over the next several years 213,974 new project management related positions are slated to be added; making the field an attractive option for those looking to advance their careers or retool into a growing field.

CERTIFICATE BENEFITS

- Course formats to fit your needs; in-class, online, boot camp style and Saturday sessions
- Complete in as little as six months
- Elective courses allow you to customize the program to suit career goals
- Project-based coursework teaches you to apply tools and concepts directly into group projects
- Balanced curriculum teaches project management techniques and key leadership skills

WHO SHOULD APPLY

Individuals with a desire to plan, execute and complete complex projects within all organizations and industries. Industry-neutral curriculum allows you to apply knowledge to any field of interest.

PROJECT MANAGEMENT INSTITUTE

- Our curriculum aligns with the latest Project Management Body of Knowledge (PMBoK).
- Coursework provides knowledge to help prepare for the Project Management Professional (PMP) and Certified Associate in Project Management (CAPM) Certification exams proctored through PMI.
- Earn Professional Development Units (PDUs), which are required to sit for the exam and maintain your PNP credential.

TRANSFER TO ONLINE MASTER’S DEGREE

At completion of UC San Diego’s Project Management certificate, up to 12 units can be transferred to the University of Wisconsin at Platteville’s online M.S. in Project Management degree program (https://disted.uwplatt.edu/ucsd).

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

International students needing an F-1 student visa should apply to our six-month, full-time Project Management program at ip.extension.ucsd.edu. International students are also welcome to participate in the program online from any location.

CERTIFICATE COURSE REQUIREMENTS

The Project Management Program consists of five required courses and at least six elective units (minimum of 21 units). One hour of instruction equals one PDU.

REQUIRED COURSES

- Foundational Course (Choose one):
  - Project Management Essentials
  - Project Management Boot Camp (four-day intensive) or
  - Project Management Essentials in Science and Technology
- Work Team Concepts and Skills
- Project Planning and Scheduling
- Leading from the Middle
- Project Cost and Risk Management

ELECTIVE COURSES (6 UNITS REQUIRED)

- Lean Six Sigma Green Belt
- Agile Power Practices
- Microsoft Project
- Earned Value Project Management
- Interest-Based Negotiations

PROGRAM FEE

Total estimated cost: $4,295-$6,495*
*Dependant on which courses are chosen. Books and supplies not included. (Tuition is subject to change).