

Portfolio Management Professional (PfMP)®

Content

• Strategic Portfolio Management Planning

• Strategic Planning Processes, Tools, and Techniques (e.g., SWOT analysis, gap analysis, financial analysis)

- Business Analysis
- Interdependency Analysis
- Investment Choices (e.g., trade-off analysis, market payoff, budget variability)
- Prioritization Analysis Techniques
- Procedures to Identify Risk Tolerance
- Organizational Risk Tolerance
- Structural Risk Analysis (portfolio and mission)
- Organizational Structures (e.g., horizontal vs. vertical, functional vs. enterprise)
- Portfolio Balancing
- Financial Analysis
- Budget Planning/Execution
- Risk Planning
- Risk Probability Analysis
- Execution Risk Analysis
- Aggregate Risk Assessment and Evaluation
- Scenario Planning and Analysis
- Decision-making Tools and Techniques
- Roadmap Development
- Business Case Development and Analysis (including cost/benefit)



- Cost Estimation Techniques
- Change Management Techniques
- Organizational Change Management
- Stakeholder Analysis
- Stakeholder Engagement Process
- Stakeholder Engagement Techniques (e.g., elicitation, active listening, clarification)
- Stakeholder Training Methods
- Coaching and Mentoring Techniques
- Communication Tools and Techniques
- Audience-specific, Targeted Communication Techniques
- Strategic Performance Management Tools and Techniques (e.g., balanced scorecards, KPIs)
- Portfolio, Project, and Program Management Principles
- Benefit Realization Planning
- Benefits Realization Analysis
- Information Management Systems, Tools, and Techniques
- Resource Contingency/Reserves Planning
- Capacity/Capability Analysis (human, financial, material)
- Rebalancing Methods
- Qualitative Analysis Tools and Techniques
- Quantitative Analysis Tools and Techniques
- PMO Operations
- Process Development and Continuous Improvement Techniques
- Authority Levels and Escalation Procedures
- Quality Management
- Compliance Management
- Performance Management Planning



• **Performance Reporting** (e.g., financial, status, constraints, variances, resource utilization, benefits)

- Performance Metrics and Targets
- Value Scoring and Measurement Analysis
- Variance Analysis
- Resource Planning
- Resource Leveling
- Root Cause Analysis
- Issue Management
- Benefits Management
- Demand Management
- Data Analysis and Reporting (including dashboard and graphical methods)
- Opportunity Management
- Auditing Techniques
- Risk Identification
- Risk Benchmarking Analysis
- Risk Categorization
- Risk Monitoring Tools and Techniques
- Quantitative and Qualitative Trend Analysis
- Risk Reporting Techniques (including graphical)
- Presentation Tools and Techniques
- Collaboration Tools and Techniques
- Communication Requirements Analysis
- Negotiation Techniques
- Cross-functional Team Building
- Facilitation
- Conflict Resolution



• Leadership

• PMI Code of Ethics and Professional Conduct