Supply Management Training
Sharpen your skills. Increase your productivity

MANGOES IN CANADA IN JANUARY?

WE MAKE IT HAPPEN.
With an estimated 350,000+ positions scheduled to come online between 2012 and 2017*, supply chain career opportunities are starting to explode.

Today’s global market demands skilled practitioners to support the management of complex supply chains. SCMA’s Supply Management Training (SMT) program meets this need with a series of tactical courses and seminars designed to provide a solid skills base.

The SMT program will equip entry-to mid-level practitioners with the necessary skills to support supply chain functions, and the related business skills to help advance their careers. Take them individually or complete them all to earn a Diploma/Certificate in Supply Management.

The training will be of interest to anyone seeking knowledge of supply management at an introductory level:

- Junior buyers, purchasing assistants, production planners, warehouse clerks, material handlers, logistics administrators, inventory coordinators, as well as associates, analysts and specialists.
- Individuals who work outside of the supply management field but have some procurement, logistics, transportation or operations responsibilities.
- Those with supervisory/management responsibility seeking basic knowledge of their direct reports’ supply management functional areas.
- Anyone who influences an organization’s procurement decisions.

We’ve made it easy. Choose what’s right for you!

- No education or experience prerequisites.
- Your previous post-secondary courses may be eligible for advanced standing/exemption from some SMT courses or seminars.
- SCMA membership recommended but not mandatory (members benefit from discounts on training and valuable networking events).
- Available in instructor-led, online or traditional self-study formats.
- Selected courses and seminars are eligible for advanced standing in SCMA’s Supply Chain Management Professional (SCMP) designation program. Contact your local SCMA Institute for more details.

With SUPPLY MANAGEMENT TRAINING FROM SCMA, YOU WILL …

- Learn the fundamentals of key supply chain functions, including procurement, transportation, logistics and operations
- Master the tactical skills you need on a day-to-day basis
- Gain recognition for your commitment to skills development
- Demonstrate your ability to assume more responsibility within your organization
- Maximize your productivity and efficiency
- Learn valuable business skills that will help you advance in your career

Who will benefit from Supply Management Training?

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*Canadian Supply Chain Sector Council 2012 HR Study update.

WITH SUPPLY MANAGEMENT TRAINING FROM SCMA, YOU WILL ...
Interested in having a group of employees participate in SMT training courses or workshops? SCMA can provide customized programs for your workplace, which can be delivered on site. Contact your local SCMA Institute to find out more.

CORPORATE TRAINING

Technical courses (13 sessions per course)
- Introduction to Procurement
- Introduction to Logistics
- Introduction to Transportation
- Introduction to Operations Management

Soft-Skill Workshops (2-4 days per workshop)
- Communication and Relational Skills
- Negotiation Skills
- Competitive Bidding, Contract Preparation and Contract Management

Business Management Seminars (2 days per seminar)
- Introduction to Accounting and Finance
- Introduction to Marketing
- Introduction to Business Planning

Note: Supply Management Training is distinct from the Supply Chain Management Professional designation program, although successful completion of some courses may be applied towards the SCMP designation program. Previous post-secondary courses may be eligible for advanced standing in the SMT program. Please see the SCMA Education Handbook for further information.

Program accredited by the Canadian Supply Chain Sector Council (CSCSC).

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