

Safety Leadership Programme

Next course dates: 22nd March 2010
10th May 2010
28th June 2010

Duration: 4 days

Location: 107 Leadenhall Street,
London, EC3A 4AF

Cost: £995 + VAT

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Increasingly, organisations are regarding the management of environment, health and safety as a strategic issue whereas in the past it has often been dealt with at operational level. This has been reflected in the education of EHS professionals, with training focusing on activities at workplace level. While this is still a key part of their activities, many EHS managers are now being required to advise their boards and assist in integrating the topic into the organisation's business planning.

While this still needs a knowledge of the risks and how these can be managed, it also requires the EHS professional to understand the dynamics of the business to enable them to influence the corporate decision making process.

Cardinus Risk Management has now developed a safety leadership programme to provide EHS professionals with the knowledge and skills to make the transition from operational to strategic EHS management. Presented by Barry Holt, Head of Health and Safety Consultancy, Cardinus Risk Management, the **Safety Leadership Programme**, endorsed by the **International Institute of Risk and Safety Management (IIRSM)**, has been developed in association with the **Royal Mail Group**.

Course presenters

Barry Holt – Head of Health and Safety Consultancy, Cardinus Risk Management

Barry Holt is the Head of Health and Safety Consulting with Cardinus Risk Management, part of the THB Group. He has over 30 years experience in providing environment, health & safety consulting services & training to a wide range of commercial, industrial & public organizations in most European countries, the Middle East, USA and the Far East. Prior to joining Cardinus in January 2009 he was Regional Director, Europe with the National Safety Council, USA and a senior consultant in the Business Risk Practice at Willis and Principle Consultant at Norwich Union Risk Services. He is also involved in the academic field, being a visiting lecturer in health and safety and risk management on MSc programmes at University College, London & Imperial College, London. Barry was a member of the Project Board for a 3 year Government funded research project to identify key factors influencing risk perception in construction projects. This was carried out by University College, London, and the University of Manchester Business School.



Keith Scott – Group Head of Safety, Royal Mail Group

Keith Scott is Group Head of Safety at Royal Mail. Working within a small Corporate Social Responsibility team, he leads on Royal Mail Group safety strategy and providing expert advice on Group wide safety issues. Previous employment includes Head of Health and Safety at the Ministry of Justice, Department for Constitutional Affairs and the Greater London Magistrates' Courts Authority. In addition he has experience in Security and Business Continuity within Central and Local Government. Keith is keen to promote professional competency and improved communications within the wider safety community.





“ An essential training course for any safety practitioner looking to influence chief executives and senior managers ”

Course objectives

On completion of this programme, participants will have the knowledge to:

- Recognise how environmental, health and safety relates to the overall activities of the business
- Understand the business planning process and how environment, health and safety can be integrated
- Be actively involved in the management of change, where it may affect EHS
- Influence stakeholders, both senior and junior to themselves within the organisation
- Take a structured approach to problem solving and decision making
- Develop action plans to implement EHS solutions at corporate level

At the start of the course participants will be asked to identify challenges they wish to address within their organisation. Solutions will be developed during the programme and at the end will be converted into a personal action plan with:

- Milestones
- Key performance indicators
- Identified resources
- Timescales
- Critical success factors

Delegates will also identify potential obstacles and develop ways of overcoming these.

The aim is to give participants an opportunity to apply the learning outcomes and reinforce their knowledge and skills in their real-world situation.

Intended audience

The programme is most suitable for qualified safety practitioners who have experience of working at operational level within their organisation but who may be looking to address management issues at strategic or corporate level.

Course content

The structure of the course comprises the following modules:

- Course introduction
- Leadership
- Organisational structure
- Strategic planning
- Financial planning
- Project and programme management
- Communication
- Using influencing skills
- Decision making and problem solving
- Business continuity planning
- Action planning

Each of the modules will comprise a mixture of lectures, discussion, individual and group work as well as case studies.

At the end of the programme, the course tutors will review the personal action plans to ensure that what the participants are proposing is realistic and achievable as well as being a desirable objective.

For a free evaluation and more information:

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