

# Strategic Problem Solving



## Leadership Development



284-P25-CE



In-Class



24 hours

### **Course Description:**

Participants will acquire a comprehensive toolkit of diverse information-gathering techniques to efficiently address strategic problems. They'll be able to evaluate solutions through varied methods, adeptly assessing decision-making processes and managing associated risks. Through implementing change processes and evaluating outcomes, they'll elevate their creative problem-solving skills to effectively navigate crises at a strategic level.

#### **Target Audience:**

This program is designed for all management levels in any organization.

## **Course Objectives:**

- Apply diverse information-gathering tools to solve problems efficiently
- Identify and evaluate solutions using different methods
- Assess decision-making and manage risks
- Implement the change process and evaluate the problem-solving outcome

#### **Course Outline**

#### Module 1: Strategic and Creative Thinking

- A strategic problem-solving
- Sources of strategic problems
- Creative problem solving
- Creativity
- State the problem
- Gather facts, feelings, and opinions
- Restate the problem

#### **Module 2: Generate and Evaluate Solutions**

- Identify alternative solutions
- Effective communication
- Evaluate alternatives

#### **Module 3: Managing Decisions and Risks**

- Decisions
- Stockholders/ Shareholders

- What is risk analysis?
- Risk management
- Threats and (FMEA) and Weighted decision-making matrix

## **Module 4: Implementing the Recommended Solution**

- Implementing the solution
- Five 5s model
- Getting your solution accepted
- Review and evaluate

### **Assessment Strategy:**

Participants will be informally assessed based on their interaction during sessions and their participation in group exercises

# **Upon Successful Completion of this Course, participants will obtain:** 2 CEUs

# **Course Language:**

English

# **Prerequisites:**

None.