



Introduction to PPP / PFI's

Course Outline

Welcome & Introductions

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Establishing the Business need & Procurement process

Value for Money & Affordability

Understanding and Setting; the Risks; Payments; VFM

Consortia and Supplier Operations

Responsibilities & Key Clauses in the Contract

Preparation for Managing the Contract

Review of the Day

Who is this course designed for?

This course is for managers and procurers involved in the procurement process and new to the topic of Public Private Partnerships (PPP) / Private Finance Initiative (PFI).

It also provides a chance to explore and understand in more detail the key issues surrounding the procurement of major public sector infrastructure projects and learn about the current guidance.

This course is appropriate for people from any public sector body or private sector company.

Why should I attend?

Delegates will become clearer on their roles within the procurement, project or contract management team as they explore the stages of a PFI project.

You will be able to take away current guidance and know what the key aspects of delivering a successful project are.

Summary of the Course

The course provides a grounded introduction and walk through of the early stages of procurement of a PFI programme.

It is structured around the current guidance for the public sector on achieving 'value for money' / affordability from its PFI contracts.

It focuses on aspects which delegates should be inherently aware of, and some key issues that often arise when working with a PFI, and expectations of the governmental bodies including NAO, HMT.



Bronwen
Lewis

Bronwen has been an independent consultant for over 8 years working with several government bodies including the OGC, Ministry of Defence and DVLA, as well as the Welsh Assembly and the Scottish Government.

She has worked with 4ps on waste, shared services and schools projects. Whilst at PwC Bronwen worked with a variety of clients delivering large scale projects. Currently Bronwen is undertaking part time research for a PhD degree in Project Management.



Anthony
Garnett

Anthony has over 25 years business experience in procurement, outsourcing, and contract management working with both the private and public sector.

Working for several years at PwC Management Consultancy he managed and developed the PPP / PFI training programme for many PFI delivery & management teams.

Anthony has been at the forefront of assisting project teams manage the programmes.



David
Kent

David joined Partnerships UK in 2005 after several years delivering large PFI's. At PUK he led its work in supporting operational PFI contracts. His work has included drafting guidance on key aspects of operational PFI projects, training and advising public organisations on their PPP /PFI contracts.

He regularly travelled overseas to advise other governments on their PPP / PFI strategies and projects and to deliver training in all aspects of PPPs.



Key areas covered on the course

- Know the history and role of PPP / PFI (including post election changes)
- Principles and approach(s) for a good PFI project
- A walk through of the early stages of the procurement process
- Engaging stakeholders and managing the project
- How the consortia and suppliers operate
- Understanding of; Risks; Payment Mechanisms; Value for Money
- Planning for key aspects of the contract; Performance and Monitoring
- Current guidance and further sources of information

Who will run this course and what is their experience?

We always ensure that at least two of our team deliver the course, and that members taking the course have an appropriate background in the topics that they are covering.

Our delivery team have been responsible for delivering guidance, consulting services and PFI projects themselves. Please view our website 'meet the team' page for further details of the team's C.V.'s.

Cost, Duration and Accreditation

£625 + VAT per delegate, 9.30am – 17.15pm , 1 Day

This course may be considered as part of Continuing Professional Development, with a total attributable allowance of 6.5 hours.

This course can be delivered directly to your team, or tailored to suit your own requirements, for further information contact us on:

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