

OCCUPATIONAL CERTIFICATE: PROJECT MANAGER

PROGRAMME OVERVIEW

Studying project management is a strategic investment that can yield significant benefits, both personally and professionally. It equips individuals with a structured approach to planning, executing, and closing projects, which is a highly sought-after skill in many industries. By mastering project management, one can effectively manage resources, mitigate risks, and ensure the successful completion of projects on time and within budget. This not only enhances productivity and efficiency but also opens up new career opportunities and advancements. Therefore, studying project management is an essential step towards becoming an effective leader in today's fast-paced and dynamic work environment.

QUALIFICATIONS SPECIFICATIONS

- SAQA ID#: 101869
- NQF Level 5
- Credits: 240
- Duration: 24 months
- Accreditation body: Quality Council for Trade and Occupations (QCTO)

ENTRY LEVEL REQUIREMENTS

- NQF Level 4
- Mathematical Literacy and Communication

OCCUPATION FUNCTION

A Project Manager applies knowledge of project management to achieve project objectives in a specific field of application.



PROGRAMME STRUCTURE

The programme is divided into 10 modules covering the following:

- Introduction to Project Management
- Project Scope Management
- Project Time Management
- Project Cost Management
- Project Quality Management
- Project Human Resource Management
- Project Communications Management
- Project Risk Management
- Project Procurement Management
- Project Stakeholder Management

The programme consists of:

- Facilitator-led online knowledge modules
- Facilitator-led online practical modules
- Workplace-based learning modules (75 compulsory workplace based days)
- External Integrated Summative Assessment (exam)

VERTICAL ARTICULATION

- Advanced Certificate in Project Management, Level 6, SAQA Qual ID: 83546
- Advanced Certificate: Management, Level 6, SAQA Qual ID: 90665
- Diploma in Operations Management, Level 6, SAQA Qual ID: 59509