

Course Context

Sustainable procurement is an integral part of delivering sustainable business practices within organisations. Integrating sustainability into your organisation's procurement approach presents an opportunity to provide better outcomes through reducing risk, adding value and encouraging innovation. Done well, sustainable procurement adds positive environmental, social and economic impacts throughout your whole business. At a practical level it also encourages cooperation, buy-in and better communication between you, your suppliers and your stakeholders.

Course Aim

By the end of this course, you should be able to apply principles and tools to enable a more sustainable approach to your procurement.

Benefit

To successfully embed sustainable procurement, all the elements of your supply chain sustainability program need to integrate seamlessly. For example, your supplier policy, supplier code of conduct, supplier audit tools and audit approach all need to be consistent and aligned to confidently roll out your program.

This course will assist you to understand and implement sustainability principles and practices to procurement activities. Set out as 10 key steps to follow, this course is structured on ID9* adult learning principles and provides a mixture of instructional sessions and practical activities that will help you reinforce and apply learnings.



The Trainer

Paul Davies has 13 year's expertise and experience in developing and delivering sustainable supplier policies and codes of conduct, as well as supplier sustainability audit programs. Previous clients include Sydney Metro Northwest Rail Link, Westpac and Macquarie Bank. Paul also regularly runs courses on sustainable procurement in infrastructure and has written and spoken on supply chain practices on numerous occasions. He has also been involved in the Australian road sector's response to the recent modern slavery legislation.

Learning Objectives

- Understand sustainable procurement and its benefits
- Anticipate and address barriers to sustainable procurement in your organisation
- Learn and implement the key steps to rolling out a sustainable procurement program
- Achieve internal and external buy-in and support for your program to ensure its success

Duration and Format

The format can either be face-to-face or virtual instructor led training. The content can be delivered either over a full day or across two half-day sessions. An ID9-certified* trainer delivers a mixture of instructional sessions and practical activities that will help students reinforce and apply learnings, together with a student assessment to evaluate learning and a certificate of completion.

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