

Circular No (1) for 2018

On launch of the second version of PMP Program in the Federal Government

To: All Ministries & Federal Entities

The Federal Authority for Government Human Resources (FAHR) would like to send you kind regards, wishing you all the success in your endeavors.

With reference to the above subject and further to Circular No (38) of 2016 regarding the launch of the **Project Management Professional (PMP)** Program at the Federal Government level;

We have the pleasure at FAHR to announce, in collaboration with the Prime Minister's Office, the launch of second version of PMP Program and beginning of nomination of candidates from among the Federal Government employees who are eligible to attend the certification course, which aims to help achieve the strategic goals based on a high-productivity culture. The Program also supports employees through the training system and instilling the modern administrative concepts the federal government seeks to promote.

You are, therefore, kindly requested to provide us with names of nominees from your entity to the PMP Program, not later than **Thursday, January 11, 2018**.

Thank you for your cooperation

Dr. Abdurrahman Al Awar,
Director General,

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Federal Authority for Government Human Resources

Encl:

- PMP nomination Form
- PMP Program- 2nd Version

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PMP Program- 2nd Version

S	Name	Job Title	Entity	Equalisations	Strategic Projects	Email	Tel (Office)	Mobile

N.B- Please note that the federal entity will bear the cost of practical training workshops, the final exam. And any other expenses resulting from the candidate's failure to pass the exam for the first time

Project Management Professional (PMP) Program at the Federal Government level

Launch of the 2nd Version in collaboration with the UAE Prime Minister's Office

January 2018

Project Management Professional (PMP) Program- Overview

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- **Project Management Professional (MPM) is the most important industry-recognized certification for project managers in the world. Globally recognized and in high demand, the PMP demonstrates that you have the education and competency to lead and direct projects most successfully.**
 - **The Program targets employees who work as project managers in the Federal Government or engaged in projects related to the UAE National Agenda in their entities.**

Objectives of PMP Program

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For Candidates

- Obtain international recognition in project management
- Upgrade competency in project management
- Join a network of experts in federal government projects management
- Become qualified as professional
- Create a team of qualified professionals in project management

For Entities

- Train 200 federal employees to become qualified for managing and leading projects effectively through optimal use of resources
- A holder of MPM certification has outstanding skills in leadership, planning, risk and time management, interpersonal skills, problem solving, etc, which enable him to the desired achieve objectives effectively.

PMP Test



MPM Training Test

- Trainees will have to do a training test consisting of 12,000 questions, to be answered online during their leisure time after the training period, using handheld mobile computers.
- In case of wrong answers by trainees, the program will give the right answer.

Formal Test

- Trainees follow the steps prescribed for PMP Final Exam on the last day of the training course.
- The Final Exam will consist of 200 optional questions to be completed in 4 hours.

Conditions of admission to the program

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- English language proficiency:

The program, text books, and all tests are in English

- Other Entry Requirements:

Candidates wishing to register for the PMP program must fulfil one of the following requirements:

First Option	Second Option
<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ High School Diploma, University Degree or Equivalent▪ 7500 working hours as project manager▪ 35 hours of studying a project management program	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ 4 years' experience in a similar setting▪ 4500 working hours as project manager▪ 35 hours of studying a project management program

Study Plan for PMP Program

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Stages	Date	Duration
Level Test	Third week of January 2018	2 hours
Training Workshop PMP	Fourth week of January 2018	2.30 – 8.30
Review ahead of Test + Experimental Test	Third week of February 2018	2.30 – 8.30
Final Test	Fourth week of February 2018	4 hours
Graduation of the First and Second batches of Federal Government employees with Project Management Certification		

Content and Cost

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PMP Training takes place as follows:

- 5 working days/week – from Sunday thru Thursday (7hours per day)
- 2 days are added to each group before the Test, for comprehensive review prior to both the Experimental Test and Final Test

Cost

- The PMP program cost is AED 3,100 per person, excluding Test fees
- The Excellence Centre reserves a formal test for every person attending the course at 555 US Dollars, which is the international rate announced by Project Management Institute (PMI)

Payment Method

- The cost of PMP courses is paid through coordination between the implementing agency and the federal entity. The proposal is sent to the entity which bears the cost, including the test expenses before registering the employee for the Final Exam

Program	Cost per person (before discount)	Cost per person (after federal entity's discount)
PMP/CPM	AED 3,100	AED 2,750 (inclusive of test expenses at AED 2050)