



Implementing Governance of Enterprise IT Using COBIT® (2 days)

Course Description

This is the ISACA-defined, 2-day, case-study based, classroom course using content with the permission of ISACA and includes in the final hour of the course the ISACA *Implementing Governance of Enterprise IT Using COBIT* exam that leads to the ISACA certificate. The course is designed for those individuals who have a fundamental working knowledge of COBIT and now seek guidance on how to implement COBIT 4.1 to support governance initiatives and IT management practices.

In addition to the course workbook, delegates also receive the ISACA publication *“Implementing and Continually Improving IT Governance”*.

The course is presented by Dr Geoff Harmer who has been an ISACA- licensed COBIT Trainer since 2006. Maat Consulting is an Official Licensee of ISACA Content for Training.

Prerequisites

It is a pre-requisite for attending this course and sitting the exam that delegates already hold the COBIT Foundation Certificate which can be gained by attending our ISACA-defined COBIT Foundation course (2 days) which includes the ISACA *COBIT Foundation* exam.

Learning Objectives

Upon completion of this training you will understand:

- Identification of IT issues and their related business impacts
- Principles of IT Governance and the integration of these principles into the Enterprise Governance of IT
- Defining successful Enterprise Governance of IT
- COBIT, VAL IT and Risk IT as a supporting framework for Governance of Enterprise IT
- Defining where and how to start
- Applying the framework(s) in practice
- Relationship to other frameworks/standards and the impact on implementing COBIT
- Components and supporting tools of COBIT used in implementation
- ISACA’s approach to IT governance implementation using the COBIT Framework
- Practical implementation factors
- IT Control practices
- IT Assurance practices – overview introduced
- Sustaining IT governance implementation
- Creating meaningful measures and management feedback in performance measurement framework

This training is an interactive session illustrating the implementation of the COBIT framework for supporting Enterprise Governance of IT. It will provide a step through approach of the full life cycle of COBIT by identifying needs through the implementation and sustenance of process to enable governance of IT processes in support of the business strategies, and then recycling back to a continual process in repeating these practices. It is a case study driven training course illustrating the necessary practices to be successful in IT governance implementation.

Course Presenter

Dr Geoff Harmer is the founder and principal of Maat Consulting Ltd, an independent provider of education and consultancy founded in 2004 that specialises in best practices for IT governance and IT service management. He has 28 years of experience in the IT sector and has been awarded Chartered Engineer (CEng), Chartered Information Technology Professional (CITP) and Certified in the Governance of Enterprise IT (CGEIT) status.

He holds:

- licensed-lecturer status with ISACA for COBIT and he has been presenting official COBIT courses and running IT governance workshops since 2006;
- accredited-lecturer status with ISEB for ITIL and he has been presenting accredited ITIL courses and running ITSM workshops since 2001;
- accredited-trainer status with itsMF for ISO 20000 and he has been presenting accredited advanced ISO 20000 courses for consultants and auditors since 2006.

He is also an Associate Lecturer in Technology with the UK Open University, a post he has held since 2000.

Comments on Geoff Harmer's COBIT Courses

"Showed passion for the subject"

CIO, Port Authority, Australia

"Great – most useful course I've been on in years"

Head of IT, major UK city's public housing management company

"Valuable and useful for my work as an executive in an IT services company"

CFO, IT services company, Australia

"Great instructor! Provided insights and memory aids"

Business leader, international credit card company, USA

"Balanced approach. Refreshed the learning giving opportunities for everyone to participate, setting right examples on each of the COBIT topics. Very good and I would like to recommend to colleagues in my organisation and outside my organisation".

Project manager, leading global computer manufacturer and IT services company, Singapore