

# DIPLOMA IN PROJECT MANAGEMENT

**This QQI accredited Special Purpose Award in Project Management uses a combination of external experts and in-house lecturers to provide a broad scope of industrial and academic expertise.**

The Diploma is approximately five months in duration and contains 120 contact training hours. The timetable consists of just one session per week; a mixture of eight Fridays (9am to 4.30pm) and fifteen evening sessions (6.30pm to 9.30pm). See <https://www.cit.ie/course/CREPMAN8> for course timetables.

Our Diploma provides deep insight into latest thinking on industry standards. We cover traditional Predictive methods of project planning and delivery, and help students evaluate which PM Certification option may be the best fit, providing dedicated support for exam certification application and preparation.

As Agile Project Management has become commonplace, our Diploma includes detailed insight into the use of Agile methods to deliver projects, showing how Scrum, Lean, Kanban and Agile hybrids apply to different industries.

The Diploma incorporates a two-day ScrumMaster Bootcamp, which enables students to sit the Professional Scrum Master™ (PSM) certification exam – a certification that is in high demand with over half a million certified professionals.

The next 3 programmes will commence on:

1. Friday, October 7th 2022
2. Friday, November 4th 2022
3. Friday, January 27th 2023

Applications are made online at: [www.cit.ie/course/CREPMAN8](https://www.cit.ie/course/CREPMAN8)

## Key elements of the MTU Diploma in Project Management

## MTU Diploma

QQI Accreditation (15 Credits, 10 @ Level 8, 5 @ L9)	✓
Preparation for PM Certification Exams	✓
Access to discounted PMI® membership	✓
Includes a 2-Day Professional Scrum Master™ (PSM) certification exam preparation course	✓
Delivery by academic and industry experts	✓
Free 12 month licence for MS Project scheduling software	✓
Credits may qualify for exemption in further study	✓

**Course price includes all MTU exam fees, course notes and soft copies of ready-to-use PM Templates**



**QQI**

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The Diploma combines advanced Project Management techniques and methodologies with the real-life experiences of an expert panel of leading project management lecturers from a wide range of industrial sectors.

The course consists of a combination of lectures, seminars, case studies, guest speakers, simulations and practical projects. A QQI Special Purpose Award in Project Management (Honours Degree standard @ Level 8) will be awarded to all successful candidates.

The course also provides insight to the PMBOK® – the Project Management Body of Knowledge, which is the basis for CAPM® (Certified Associate in Project Management) Certification and the key reference work for the PMP® (Project Management Professional) Certification administered by the Project Management Institute (PMI®).

The Diploma also includes a 2-Day Professional Scrum Master™ (PSM) certification exam preparation course.

This holistic approach educates students with both Waterfall & Agile Project Management approaches – both essential toolsets for a Project Manager.

## TESTIMONIALS

**Colin Ó Scanaill, Apple**  
“Very relevant to my day job, gave me a holistic perspective on my projects which was very motivating. Experience and calibre of lecturers second to none. Without this course I do not think I could have achieved my PMP – so many thanks.”

**Norma Beechinor, Stryker Instruments**  
“The Diploma in Project Management was definitely the most practical and beneficial course that I have attended to date. I learned about all the project management tools and their benefits such as Work Breakdown Structures and Risk assessments and I also learned a lot on managing Project Human Resources. The practical PM tools we learned continue to help me during my daily roles and responsibilities within Stryker Corporation.”

**Kevin Cunningham, Pfizer**  
“I found the Diploma course to be a very rewarding experience. This course was fun, engaging, and very participative – the range of experience and knowledge available is impressive. What you learn and experience will refocus your personal career goals as well as give you a renewed sense of confidence in your abilities, which was the highlight for me.”

**Aoife Dillon, Coillte**  
“I have thoroughly enjoyed every minute of the PM Diploma. The small class size and presenters’ vast knowledge both contributed to the fact that the decision to do this Diploma has been the most rewarding decision I have made in years, in terms of my professional development.”

### MODULE 1

- Project Initiation & Selection
- Project Charter
- Project Scope Definition
- Project Cost Management
- Project Scheduling
- ‘Microsoft Project’ – Scheduling software tutorial
- Project Budgeting
- Managing Project Change
- Project Risk Management

### MODULE 2

- Project Stakeholder Management
- Project Quality Management
- Project Communications
- Procurement for Project Managers
- Project Resource Management
- Project Integration
- PM Ethics
- Selecting and Applying for the relevant PM Certification
- Agile Project Management
- 2-Day Professional Scrum Master™ (PSM) Bootcamp
- Presentation Skills

### MODULE 3

- Myers Briggs profiling, Teams and Communication Styles
- Presentation Skills
- Strategic Project Management
- Project Governance / Global teams
- Using PM Techniques to implement Change Management
- Managing challenging stakeholders
- Recovering a project in difficulty
- Business Process Mapping – Driving Organisational Change through Projects

## Pricing Options

Diploma in Project Management including PMI & Scrum exam preparation **€3,850\***

Module 3 only: ‘Expert’ Project Management (5 days) delivering 36 PDUs to maintain PMI® certification **€1,550**

**20%  
SUBSIDY**

currently available from Cork Chamber Skillnet, representing a **saving of €770** to each student.

\*Price including 20% subsidy **€3,080**

2023 Skillnet subsidy may be reduced.