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Global Supply Chain Management (Focus on Business Risk)



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About this programme

Today's volatile business landscape is punctuated by significant risk factors and events. Each of these factors presents a legitimate threat to the efficient and effective operation of supply chains. The range of potential risks and disruptions to retailers, manufacturers, transportation carriers, and all others involved in the supply chains of goods and services is almost immeasurable.

This six-week online programme is aimed at helping organisations and individuals develop their supply chain risk management capabilities through understanding the key elements of supply chain risk, being able to assess the severity and probability of risk events, and being better prepared to mitigate and manage risks as they occur. Detailed approaches, tools and techniques for risk assessment, preparedness and mitigation are included throughout the programme and a framework is incorporated in the programme for risk assessment, mitigation, and management. Attendees will receive a comprehensive set of risk management tools and resource materials including articles, book excerpts, a corporate risk maturity self-assessment tool and a company supply chain risk exposure self-assessment tool.

How you will benefit

- Learn how to scan the horizon for red flags in business and supply chain conditions to protect your organisation from disruptive events.
- Broaden your perspective to better understand your organisation's vulnerabilities.
- Gain hands-on risk management expertise in areas such as resiliency planning, prevention, crisis management, and recovery.
- Gain effective communication and messaging frameworks when your organisation's reputation is on the line.
- Be able to carry out a detailed company risk assessment and develop mitigation plans.
- Cultivate a resilient, high-performing organisation in times of uncertainty and change.

Key focus areas

- Supply Chain Risks Nature and Impact
- Identifying and Assessing Business and Supply Chain Risk
- Approaches for Mitigating and Managing Business and Supply Chain Risk
- Frameworks for Supporting Effective Risk Management
- Managing Business and Supply Chain Risk Using Big Data and Predictive Analytics
- Planning for and Implementing a Risk Management Programme

Who should attend

Any senior leader who is responsible for making high-stakes decisions to protect, prepare, or move their organisation ahead. Executives from all industries and organisation types will find this programme beneficial.

Duration

6 weeks (3 contact hours per week).

Disclaimer: Due to the extended planning horizon, UEL reserves the right to amend dates and prices at short notice, whilst protecting the consumer rights and interests of prospective delegates. For the most accurate information, please visit our website: www.ukznextendedlearning.com

Facilitators include:



Robert Trent, Ph.D.

Dr. Robert Trent (Bob) is the supply chain management programme director and professor of supply chain management at Lehigh University. He holds a B.S. degree in materials logistics management from Michigan State University, an MBA degree from Wayne State University, and a Ph.D. in operations management from Michigan State University.

Bob has authored/coauthored eight books and over 50 articles appearing in a range of publications. His most recent book *Strategic Supply Management Revisited—Competing in an Era of Rapid Change and Disruption* was published in 2018. He has also coauthored eight major research monographs published by CAPS Research and has made presentations at dozens of conferences and seminars.



Lew Roberts

Lew is an Industrial Engineer specialising in the fields of Business Performance Improvement and Supply Chain Management. His consulting and management development career over the last twenty five years has included working with Many Major firms worldwide including Ryder, UPS & UPS-SCS, Caliber Logistics, Exel/DHL, Menlo Worldwide, BAX Global, Owens Corning, Coca-Cola, Georgia-Pacific, Baxter, De Beers, Mercedes Benz, Nissan and many other major firms worldwide. Lew is President and founder of L. Roberts & Associates Inc., a US based firm that provides a wide range of professional consulting and management development services, aimed at improving business performance, with an emphasis in the field of supply chain management.

Programme fee

The programme fee of R9 500 (incl. VAT) covers online tuition, instruction material and data allocation.

Delegates will receive several valuable additional benefits including case studies, white papers and current research materials, as well as articles and book chapters and excerpts written by the lecturers. Delegates will also receive a structured company risk self-assessment tool that can be used to determine the risk profile of individual companies and for the development of risk mitigation plans.

Learning Methodology

Delegates attending the course are provided with a unique blended learning methodology which combines online access to subject content with real time engagement with facilitators, and the opportunity to add value through contact learning sessions, where feasible and appropriate.

Dates

For updated start dates, please contact us or visit our website: www.ukznextendedlearning.com

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