

Environmental Management Systems (EMS): Sustainable Practices for Organizations

Professional training programme



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— Workshop Overview

Environmental sustainability is a critical concern for organizations worldwide. This course provides a comprehensive understanding of Environmental Management Systems (EMS) and how they can be implemented to promote sustainable practices. By attending, participants will learn how to reduce environmental impact, comply with regulations, and enhance their organization's reputation through effective environmental management.

Why Attend

This course is highly interactive and practical, featuring:

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Who Should Attend

Environmental managers and coordinators.
HSE officers and sustainability professionals.
Managers and supervisors responsible for environmental performance.
Employees involved in environmental management and compliance.
Anyone interested in promoting sustainability

— Learning Objectives

- Understand the principles and benefits of Environmental Management Systems (EMS).
- Learn the requirements of ISO 14001 and other relevant standards.
- Develop skills to plan, implement, and maintain an EMS.
- Identify opportunities for improving environmental performance.
- Gain knowledge of sustainable practices and their impact on organizational success.

— Course Outline

DAY 1

Introduction to Environmental Management Systems (EMS)

- What is an EMS? Key concepts and benefits.
- The business case for EMS: Environmental and organizational benefits.
- Overview of ISO 14001 and other relevant standards.
- Activity: Group discussion on environmental challenges and opportunities.

DAY 2

Planning an EMS

- Initial environmental review: Identifying aspects and impacts.
- Setting environmental objectives and targets.
- Developing an environmental policy.
- Activity: Drafting an environmental policy for a simulated organization.

DAY 3

Implementing an EMS

- Roles and responsibilities in EMS implementation.
- Developing procedures and operational controls.
- Training and awareness for employees.
- Activity: Creating a procedure for an environmental aspect.

DAY 4

Monitoring and Reviewing an EMS

- Monitoring and measuring environmental performance.
- Conducting internal audits and management reviews.
- Identifying non-conformities and implementing corrective actions.
- Activity: Conducting a mock internal audit.

DAY 5

Sustainable Practices and Continuous Improvement

- Sustainable practices for organizations: Waste reduction, energy efficiency, and resource conservation.
- Engaging stakeholders in sustainability initiatives.
- Continuous improvement: Regularly reviewing and updating the EMS.
- Course wrap-up: Key takeaways and action plans for continued improvement.

— Upcoming Classroom Dates

DATE	LOCATION	FEE
12 - 16 October 2026	Frankfurt - Germany	€1,625
9 - 13 November 2026	Barcelona - Spain	€1,925
14 - 18 December 2026	Frankfurt - Germany	€1,625
18 - 22 January 2027	Istanbul - Türkiye	€1,425
15 - 19 February 2027	Cape Town - South Africa	€2,125
15 - 19 March 2027	Barcelona - Spain	€1,925
19 - 23 April 2027	Paris - France	€2,250
17 - 21 May 2027	Frankfurt - Germany	€1,625

— Certificate and Registration

Participants who attend and complete the full programme receive a SPARK Training Certificate of Completion. For registration, in-house delivery, or availability questions, contact info@sparktraining.eu or +31 85 115 0004.