

COURSE OVERVIEW SS1148-1D
Presentation & Communication

Course Title

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Course Reference

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Course Duration/Credits

One day/0.6 CEUs/06 PDHs

Course Date/Venue

Session(s)	Date	Venue
1	April 15, 2026	Glasshouse Meeting Room, Grand Millennium Al Wahda Hotel, Abu Dhabi, UAE
2	October 15, 2026	

Course Description



This practical and highly-interactive course includes various practical sessions and exercises. Theory learnt will be applied using our software tools.



This course is designed to provide participants with a detailed and up-to-date overview of Presentation & Communication. It covers the foundations of effective communication, communication model, types of communication, communication styles and barriers to effective communication; structuring powerful presentations by defining purpose and objectives; the audience analysis, presentation framework and crafting strong openings and closings; and the verbal and vocal delivery skills covering voice control techniques, language, clarity, persuasive communication and storytelling for impact.



During this interactive course, participants will learn the body language mastery, eye contact and engagement; the professional image and appearance and managing nervousness; the principles of effective slide design and data visualization; engaging multimedia and technical preparedness; the Q&A sessions, handling difficult situations and influencing stakeholders; and developing personal action planning.

Course Objectives

Upon the successful completion of this course, each participant will be able to:-

- Apply and gain a fundamental knowledge on presentation and communication
- Discuss the foundations of effective communication covering communication model, types of communication, communication styles and barriers to effective communication
- Structure powerful presentations by defining purpose and objectives
- Carryout audience analysis and presentation framework and craft strong openings and closings
- Employ verbal and vocal delivery skills covering voice control techniques, language and clarity, persuasive communication and storytelling for impact
- Apply body language mastery, eye contact and engagement, professional image and appearance and managing nervousness
- Discuss the principles of effective slide design and apply data visualization, engaging multimedia and technical preparedness
- Manage Q&A sessions, handle difficult situations, influence stakeholders and develop personal action planning

Exclusive Smart Training Kit - H-STK®



Participants of this course will receive the exclusive “Haward Smart Training Kit” (H-STK®). The H-STK® consists of a comprehensive set of technical content which includes **electronic version** of the course materials conveniently saved in a **Tablet PC**.

Who Should Attend

This course provides an overview of all significant aspects and considerations of presentation and communication for executives and senior leaders delivering high-stakes presentations, managers and team leaders seeking to strengthen communication and presentation impact, sales and business development professionals pitching to clients or stakeholders, entrepreneurs and startup founders presenting to investors, consultants and subject matter experts communicating complex ideas, project managers leading cross-functional teams, HR and L&D professionals facilitating workshops and training sessions, professionals preparing for public speaking engagement and other technical staff.

Course Fee

US\$ 1,750 per Delegate + **VAT**. This rate includes H-STK® (Haward Smart Training Kit), buffet lunch, coffee/tea on arrival, morning & afternoon of each day.

Course Certificate(s)

Internationally recognized certificates will be issued to all participants of the course who completed a minimum of 80% of the total tuition hours.

Certificate Accreditations

Haward's certificates are accredited by the following international accreditation organizations: -

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British Accreditation Council (BAC)
Haward Technology is accredited by the **British Accreditation Council for Independent Further and Higher Education** as an **International Centre**. Haward's certificates are internationally recognized and accredited by the British Accreditation Council (BAC). BAC is the British accrediting body responsible for setting standards within independent further and higher education sector in the UK and overseas. As a BAC-accredited international centre, Haward Technology meets all of the international higher education criteria and standards set by BAC.
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The International Accreditors for Continuing Education and Training (IACET - USA)

Haward Technology is an Authorized Training Provider by the International Accreditors for Continuing Education and Training (IACET), 2201 Cooperative Way, Suite 600, Herndon, VA 20171, USA. In obtaining this authority, Haward Technology has demonstrated that it complies with the **ANSI/IACET 2018-1 Standard** which is widely recognized as the standard of good practice internationally. As a result of our Authorized Provider membership status, Haward Technology is authorized to offer IACET CEUs for its programs that qualify under the **ANSI/IACET 2018-1 Standard**.

Haward Technology's courses meet the professional certification and continuing education requirements for participants seeking **Continuing Education Units (CEUs)** in accordance with the rules & regulations of the International Accreditors for Continuing Education & Training (IACET). IACET is an international authority that evaluates programs according to strict, research-based criteria and guidelines. The CEU is an internationally accepted uniform unit of measurement in qualified courses of continuing education.

Haward Technology Middle East will award **0.6 CEUs** (Continuing Education Units) or **06 PDHs** (Professional Development Hours) for participants who completed the total tuition hours of this program. One CEU is equivalent to ten Professional Development Hours (PDHs) or ten contact hours of the participation in and completion of Haward Technology programs. A permanent record of a participant's involvement and awarding of CEU will be maintained by Haward Technology. Haward Technology will provide a copy of the participant's CEU and PDH Transcript of Records upon request.

Accommodation

Accommodation is not included in the course fees. However, any accommodation required can be arranged at the time of booking.

Course Instructor(s)

This course will be conducted by the following instructor(s). However, we have the right to change the course instructor(s) prior to the course date and inform participants accordingly:



Dr. Chris Le Roux, PhD, M.Com, B.Com (Hons), PMP, Industrial Psychologist (HPCSA Reg.), PMI-ATP Instructor PMI-PMP, PMI-CAPM Instructor is a **Senior Management Consultant & Project Management Professional** with over **30 years** of combined engineering, managerial, consulting, counseling, and international training experience across Africa, the Middle East, the Gulf region, and Europe. His expertise lies extensively in the areas of **Project & Contracts Management Skills, Project & Construction Management, Project Planning, Scheduling, Cost Control, and Earned Value Management, Project Management (Predictive, Agile, and Hybrid), PMO setup and governance, Project Delivery & Governance Framework, Project Management Practices, Project Management Disciplines, Risk and Contract Management** (including contract development, tendering, dispute resolution, and claims), **Risk Identification Tools & Techniques, Project Life Cycle, Stakeholder Management and Communication, Performance Coaching and Difficult Conversations, Project Management Processes, Project Integration Management, Project Management Plan, Project Work Monitoring & Control, Project Scope Management, Project Time Management, Project Cost Management, Project Quality Management, Quality Assurance, Project Human Resource Management, Project Communications Management, Leadership Orientation Programme, Leadership & Team Development, Psychology of Leadership, Interpersonal Skills & Teamwork, Coaching & Mentoring, Innovation & Creativity, Leadership & Performance Management, Leadership Communication, Leadership Excellence for Senior Management, Supervisory, Leadership, Coaching & Mentoring, Leadership, Communications & Interpersonal Skills, Administrative Leadership Skills, Office Management & Administration Skills, Contract Management, Tender Development, Contract Standards & Laws, Dispute Resolution & Risk Identification, Myers-Briggs Type Indicator (MBTI), Organization Development Consultation, Advanced Debriefing of Emotional Trauma, Interpersonal Motivation, Model Based Interviewing, Coaching & Motivation, Creative Thinking & Problem-Solving Techniques, Emotional Intelligence and Resilience, Presentation Skills, Communication & Interpersonal Skills, Effective Communication & Influencing Skills, Effective Business Writing Skills, Writing Business Documents, Business Writing (Memo & Report Writing), Controlling Your Time & Managing Stress, Crisis Management and Decision-Making Under Pressure; and Customer Experience, Service Excellence, and Negotiation Skills, Strategic Human Resources Management, Change Management and Organizational Development, Human Capital and Talent Management (succession planning, performance management, competency frameworks, and behavioral assessment), Strategic Planning and Execution, Project Risk Analysis & Risk Management, Global Diverse & Virtual Teams Operation, Exceeding Customer Expectations, Corporate Governance Best Practice, Business Performance Management & Improvement, Building Environment of Trust & Commitment, Win-Win Negotiation Strategies, Quality Improvement & Resource Optimization, Neuro Linguistic Programming (NLP), Personal Resilience Developing, Effective Role Modelling & Development, Managing Dynamic Work Environments, Organizational Development, Career Management, Situation & Behaviour Analysis, Interpersonal Motivation Skills, Inventory Management and Financial Administration. Further, he has also led or supported Training Needs Analyses (TNA), large-scale capability development programs, and leadership pipelines for technical, operational, and graduate employees. He is also well-versed in Water Supply System Security, Vulnerability & Terrorism, Integrated Security Systems, Incident Threat Characterization & Analysis, Physical Security Systems, Security Crisis, Security Emergency Plan, Command & Control System, Preventive Actions and Situation Analysis.**

During his career life, Dr. Le Roux has gained his academic and field experience through his various significant positions and dedication as the **Training & Development General Manager, Departmental Head (Electrical), Project Manager, Account Manager, Commercial Sales Manager, Manager, Sales Engineer, Project Specialist, Psychology Practitioner, Senior Consultant/Trainer, Business Consultant, Assistant Chief Education Specialist, ASI Coordinator, Part-time Lecturer/Trainer, PMP & Scrum Trainer, Assessor & Moderator, Team Leader, Departmental Head, Senior HR Consultant, Senior Lecturer / Academic Supervisor, Technical Instructor/Qualifying Technician, Apprentice Electrician: Signals, International Trainer, and Part-Time Electrician** from various companies and universities such as the South African Railway (SAR), Department of Education & Culture, **ESKOM**, Logistic Technologies (Pty. Ltd), Human Development: Consulting Psychologies (HDCP) & IFS, Mincon, Eagle Support Africa, Sprout Consulting, UKZN, Grey Campus, Classis Seminars and CBM Training.

Dr. Le Roux has a **PhD in Leadership in Performance & Change**, a **Master's degree in Human Resource Management**, a **Bachelor's degree (with Honours) in Industrial Psychology**, a National Higher Diploma and a National Technical Diploma in **Qualified Electrical & Mechanical Engineering** from **Germiston College, South Africa**. Further, he is a **Certified Project Management Professional (PMP)**, a **PMI Authorized Training Partner (ATP) Instructor**, a **Certified Associate in Project Management (PMI-CAPM)**, a **Certified Scrum Master Trainer** by the VMEdu, a **Certified Instructor/Trainer** and a **Certified Internal Verifier/Assessor/Trainer** by the **Institute of Leadership & Management (ILM)**. Moreover, he is a **Registered Industrial Psychologist** by the Health Professions Council of South Africa (HPCSA), a **Registered Educator** by the South African Council for Educators (SACE) and a **Registered Facilitator, Assessor & Moderator** with Education, Training and Development Practices (ETDP) SETA. He has further delivered numerous trainings, courses, seminars, conferences and workshops globally.

Training Methodology

This interactive training course includes the following training methodologies as a percentage of the total tuition hours:-

20% Lectures

80% Practical Exercises, Case Studies, Games, Customized Videos, Site Visits, Simulations, Role Play, Group Skill Sessions, Outdoor & Indoor Activities

In an unlikely event, the course instructor may modify the above training methodology before or during the course for technical reasons.

Course Program

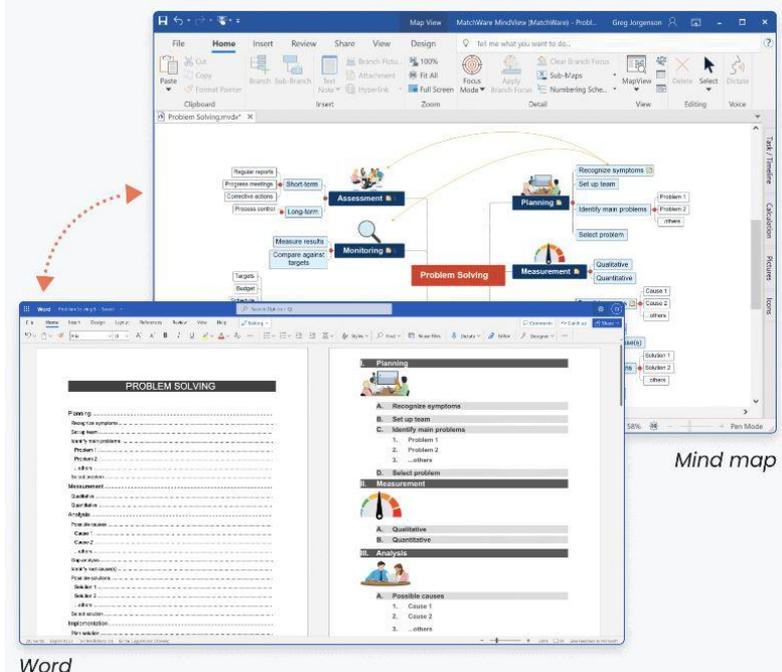
The following program is planned for this course. However, the course instructor(s) may modify this program before or during the workshop for technical reasons with no prior notice to participants. Nevertheless, the course objectives will always be met:

Day 1

0730 – 0800	<i>Registration & Coffee</i>
0800 – 0815	<i>Welcome & Introduction</i>
0815 – 0830	PRE-TEST
0830 – 0900	<i>Foundations of Effective Communication</i> <i>The Communication Model • Types of Communication • Communication Styles • Barriers to Effective Communication</i>
0900 – 0930	<i>Structuring Powerful Presentations</i> <i>Defining Purpose & Objectives • Audience Analysis • Presentation Frameworks • Crafting Strong Openings & Closings</i>
0930 – 0945	<i>Break</i>
0945 – 1030	<i>Verbal & Vocal Delivery Skills</i> <i>Voice Control Techniques • Language & Clarity • Persuasive Communication • Storytelling for Impact</i>
1030 – 1215	<i>Non-Verbal Communication & Presence</i> <i>Body Language Mastery • Eye Contact & Engagement • Professional Image & Appearance • Managing Nervousness</i>
1215 – 1230	<i>Break</i>
1230 – 1315	<i>Visual Aids & Slide Design Excellence</i> <i>Principles of Effective Slide Design • Data Visualization • Engaging Multimedia • Technical Preparedness</i>
1315 – 1345	<i>Handling Questions, Difficult Audiences & Professional Impact</i> <i>Managing Q&A Sessions • Handling Difficult Situations • Influencing Stakeholders • Personal Action Planning</i>
1345 – 1400	<i>Course Conclusion</i> <i>Using this Course Overview, the Instructor(s) will Brief Participants about the Course Topics that were Covered During the Course</i>
1400 – 1415	POST-TEST
1415 – 1430	<i>Presentation of Course Certificates</i>
1430	<i>Lunch & End of Course</i>

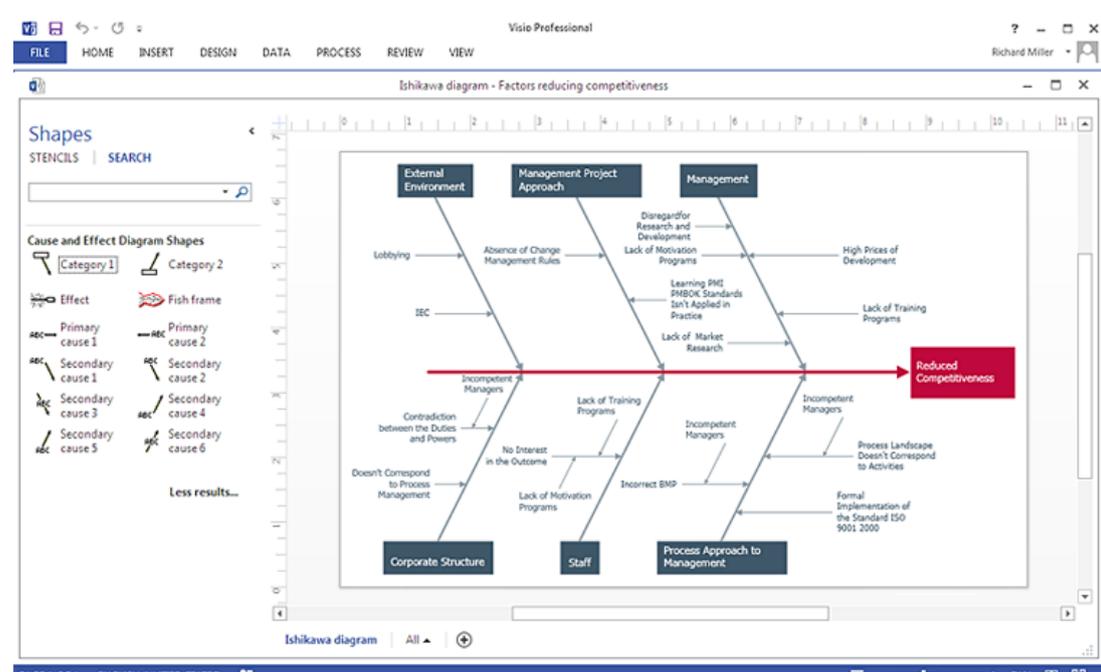
Software Tools Demonstration

Practical sessions will be demonstrated through software tools during the course for delegates. Delegates will have an opportunity to understand the exercises using the “Mindview Software”, “Visio Software”, “ChatGPT” and “PMI Infinity”.



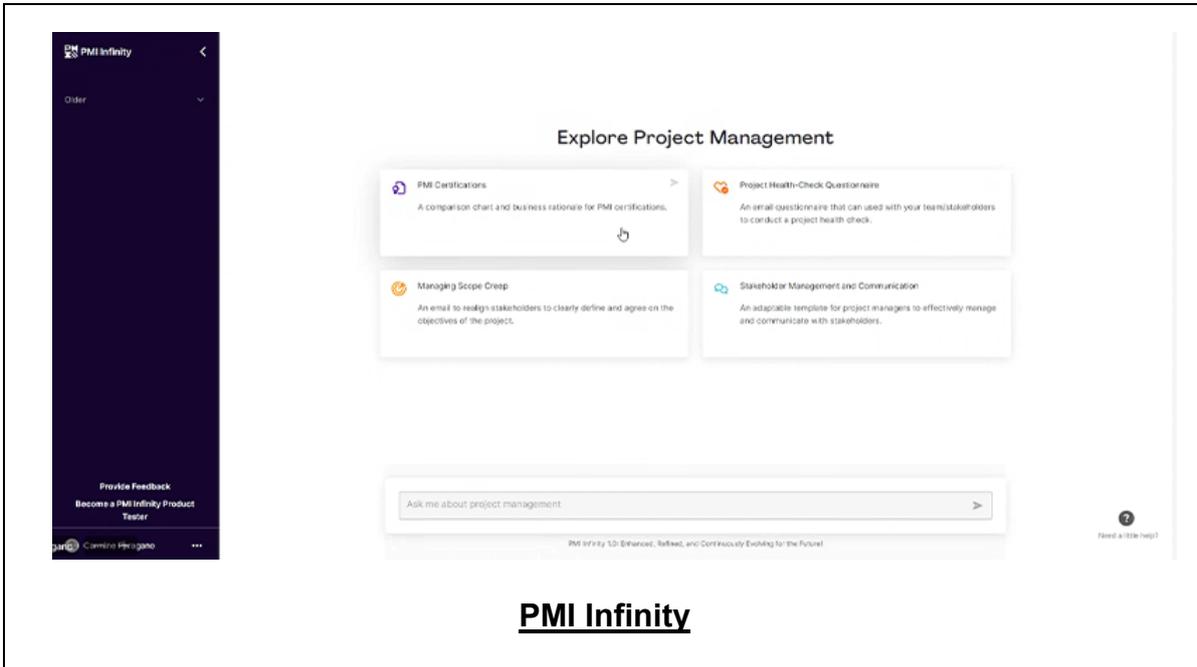
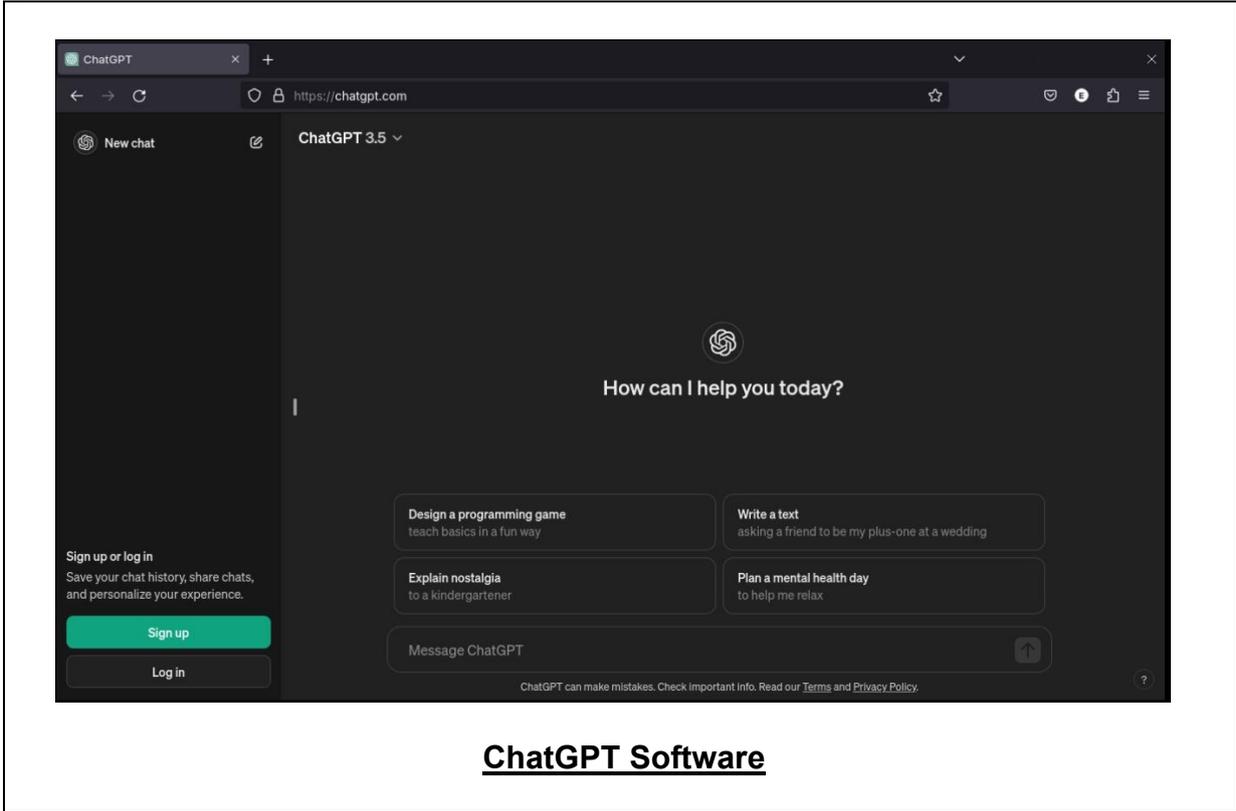
The screenshot displays the Mindview Software interface. The top window shows a mind map titled "Problem Solving" with branches for "Assessment", "Planning", "Measurement", and "Monitoring". The bottom window shows a Word document with a table of contents for "PROBLEM SOLVING", including sections for "Planning", "Measurement", and "Analysis". A red arrow points from the mind map to the Word document, and the text "Mind map" is written next to the software window.

Mindview Software



The screenshot shows the Visio Professional software interface with an Ishikawa diagram titled "Ishikawa diagram - Factors reducing competitiveness". The diagram is a fishbone-style cause-and-effect diagram with a central red arrow pointing to a red box labeled "Reduced Competitiveness". The main categories on the spine are "External Environment", "Management Project Approach", "Management", "Corporate Structure", "Staff", and "Process Approach to Management". Various specific causes are listed on the ribs, such as "Lobbying", "Absence of Change Management Rules", "Disregard for Research and Development", "High Prices of Development", "Lack of Training Programs", "Incompetent Managers", and "Process Landscape Doesn't Correspond to Activities".

Visio Software



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