



## **COURSE OVERVIEW HE0581-3D**

### **Certified Radiation Protection Officer (RPO)**

*In-line with the Requirements of the Federal Authority for Nuclear Regulation (FANR)*

#### **Course Title**

Certified Radiation Protection Officer (RPO):  
*In-line with the Requirements of the Federal Authority for Nuclear Regulation (FANR)*

#### **Course Date/Venue**

September 07-09, 2026/Delma Meeting Room,  
Royal Rose Hotel Abu Dhabi, Curio Collection by  
Hilton, Abu Dhabi, UAE

#### **Course Reference**

HE0581-3D

#### **Course Duration/Credits**

Three days/1.8 CEUs/18 PDHs

#### **Course Description**



***This practical and highly-interactive course includes practical sessions and exercises where participants carryout surface contamination and dose rate measurements and surveys. Theory learnt in the class will be applied using our state-of-the-art equipment.***



This course is designed to provide delegates with a detailed and up-to-date overview of radiation protection officer/qualified expert in accordance with the Federal Authority for Nuclear Regulations (FANR). It covers the fundamentals review; the quantities and measurements; the biological effects of ionizing radiation; the principles of radiation protection and the international framework; and the regulatory control.



Further, the course will also cover the assessment of external and internal exposures; the protection against occupational exposure; the medical exposures in diagnostic radiology, radiotherapy and nuclear medicine; the exposure of the public owing to practices; the intervention in situations of chronic and emergency exposure; and training the trainers.

The course includes a comprehensive e-book entitled "An Introduction to Radiation Protection", published by CRC Press, which will be given to the participants to help them appreciate the principles presented in the course.



### Course Objectives/Outcomes & Benefits for the Participants

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

- Get certified as a “*Certified Radiation Protection Officer*”
- Review the fundamentals of physics and mathematics used in radiation protection, interaction of radiation with matter and sources of radiation
- Identify the quantities and measurements as well as the biological effects of ionizing radiation
- Discuss the principles of radiation protection and the international framework covering the conceptual framework, role of international organizations in radiation protection and the development of safety culture
- Apply regulatory control including the legal framework for radiation protection and the safe use of radiation sources, regulatory system and assessment of the effectiveness of the regulatory programmes
- Assess external and internal exposures of radiation due to external sources of radiation and radionuclides and use proper protection against occupational exposure
- Explain medical exposures in diagnostic radiology, radiotherapy and nuclear medicine including the scope and responsibilities, justification of medical exposures, optimization of protection for medical exposures, quality assurance and accidental exposures in medical applications
- Describe exposure of the public owing to practices, intervention in situations of chronic and emergency exposure
- Assess the training needs, presenting how to be a lecturer and setting up a training course

### 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 radiation protection for those who are willing to be a Radiation Protection Officer (RPO) such as safety officers, supervisors, engineers, inspectors, X-Ray technicians and other technical and medical staff.

### Course Fee

**US\$ 3,750** 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)

- (1) Internationally recognized Competency Certificates and Plastic Wallet Cards will be issued to participants who completed a minimum of 80% of the total tuition hours and successfully passed the exam at the end of the course. Successful candidate will be certified as a “*Certified Radiation Protection Officer*”. Certificates are valid for 5 years.

**Recertification is FOC for a Lifetime.**

## Sample of Certificates

The following are samples of the certificates that will be awarded to course participants:-





- (2) Official Transcript of Records will be provided to the successful delegates with the equivalent number of ANSI/IACET accredited Continuing Education Units (CEUs) earned during the course.

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| <b>CEUs</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                                                                                                                                   |                                                                                        |                      |            |
| <b>CEU Official Transcript of Records</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |                                                                                                                                   |                                                                                        |                      |            |
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| <b>HTME No.</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |                                                                                                                                   | <b>74851</b>                                                                           |                      |            |
| <b>Participant Name:</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |                                                                                                                                   | <b>Waleed Al Habeeb</b>                                                                |                      |            |
| Program Ref.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | Program Title                                                                                                                     | Program Date                                                                           | No. of Contact Hours | CEU's      |
| HE0581-3D                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | Certified Radiation Protection Officer (RPO) In-line with the Requirements of the Federal Authority for Nuclear Regulation (FANR) | Nov 10-12, 2024                                                                        | 18                   | 1.8        |
| Total No. of CEU's Earned as of TOR Issuance Date                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                                                                   |                                                                                        |                      | <b>1.8</b> |
| <p><b>TRUE COPY</b></p> <p><br/>Jaryl Castillo<br/>Academic Director</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |                                                                                                                                   |                                                                                        |                      |            |
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### **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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Haward Technology Middle East will award **1.8 CEUs** (Continuing Education Units) or **18 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:



**Mr. Ahmed Zahw**, MSc (on-going), BSc, is a **Senior Radiation Protection Specialist** with extensive years of experience within the **Oil & Gas, Nuclear, Power and Utility** industry. His expertise lies extensively in the areas of **Radiation Safety/Protection, Radiation Physics, As Low As Reasonably Achievable (ALARA), Naturally Occurring Radioactive Material (NORM), Radiography, Radioisotopes Inspection, Non-destructive Testing (NDT), Radiography Projectors Inspection & Maintenance, Industrial Radiography, Radioactive Material Transportation, Radiation Oncology, Radiotherapy, Digital Image Protection, Radioactive Waste Management, Radiation Protection Instrumentation, Nuclear Medicine, Nuclear Security Threats & Risks, Neutron Activation Analysis, Nuclear & Radiological Safety, Nuclear Engineering, Safety Management System, Uranium & Plutonium Safe Handling, Contamination Control, Radiation Protection Design, Risk Assessment, Operational Radiation Protection, Radiological Safety, Diagnostic Radiology, Accident/Incident & Condition Reporting, Accident/Incident Investigation, Accident & Incident Prevention, Hazard Identification & Risk Management, Hazardous Material Handling, HAZOP, SHEQ Management, Root Cause Analysis, Health Risk Assessment, Internal Emergency Planning, HSSE Management System, HSSE Audit & Inspection, HSEQ Procedures, Authorized Gas Testing, First Aid, Defensive Driving, Rigging/Slings, Banksman, Confined Space Entry & Rescue, Risk Management, Health & Safety Management, Process Risk Analysis, Effective Tool Box Talks, Construction Sites Safety, HSSE Management System, HSSE Audit & Inspection, HSEQ Procedures, Quantitative & Qualitative Risk Assessment, Helicopter Underwater Escape & Sea Survival Skills, Working at Height, Firefighting Techniques and Fire & Gas Detection System.**

During his career life, Mr. Ahmed has gained his practical and field experience through his various significant positions and dedication as the **Senior Radiation Specialist, Radiation Protection Technician, Senior Radiation Safety Officer, Radiation Safety Officer, Administration Officer and Senior Instructor/Consultant** from various companies such as the ESCO, Barakah Nuclear Power Plant, SOGEC NDT and Star International NDT Services.

Mr. Ahmed holds a **Bachelor's** degree in **Physics** and is currently pursuing his **Master's** degree in **Medical Physics**. Further, he is a **Certified Instructor/Trainer**, a **Certified ASNT Level II** in **Radiographic Testing**, a Recognize **NEBOSH** HSE Award in Managing Risks and Risk Assessment at Work and a **Certified ISO 9001 Lead Auditor**. He has further delivered various trainings, workshops, seminars, courses and conferences worldwide.



## Training Methodology

All our Courses are including **Hands-on Practical Sessions** using equipment, State-of-the-Art Simulators, Drawings, Case Studies, Videos and Exercises. The courses include the following training methodologies as a percentage of the total tuition hours:-

- 30% Lectures
- 20% Practical Workshops & Work Presentations
- 30% Hands-on Practical Exercises & Case Studies
- 20% Simulators (Hardware & Software) & Videos

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

## Learning Design & Customization

This course can be customized to the exact requirements of clients. Haward Technology is so proud of our huge capabilities in tailoring our courses to the training needs of our valued clients.

## Course Program

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

### **Day 1: Monday, 07<sup>th</sup> of September 2026**

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| 0730 – 0800 | Registration & Coffee                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| 0800 – 0815 | Welcome & Introduction                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| 0815 – 0830 | <b>PRE-TEST</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| 0830 – 0930 | <b>Review of Fundamentals</b><br>Introduction • Basic Physics & Mathematics Used in Radiation Protection • Interaction of Radiation with Matter • Sources of Radiation                                                                                                                                      |
| 0930 – 0945 | Break                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| 0945 – 1100 | <b>Quantities &amp; Measurements</b><br>Quantities & Units • Dosimetric Calculations & Measurements • Principles of Radiation Detection & Measurement                                                                                                                                                       |
| 1100 – 1230 | <b>Biological Effects of Ionizing Radiation</b><br>Effects of Radiation at the Molecular & the Cellular Level • Deterministic Effects • Stochastic Somatic Effects • Stochastic Hereditary Effects • Effects on the Embryo & Foetus • Epidemiological Studies & Issues • The Concept of Radiation Detriment |
| 1230 – 1245 | Break                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| 1245 – 1420 | <b>Principles of Radiation Protection &amp; the International Framework</b><br>Conceptual Framework • The Role of International Organizations in Radiation Protection • The Development of Safety Culture                                                                                                   |
| 1420 – 1430 | <b>Recap</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| 1430        | Lunch & End of Day One                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |

### **Day 2: Tuesday, 08<sup>th</sup> of September 2026**

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| 0730 – 0930 | <b>Regulatory Control</b><br>Legal Framework for Radiation Protection & the Safe Use of Radiation Sources • Regulatory System • Assessment of the Effectiveness of the Regulatory Program |
| 0930 – 0945 | Break                                                                                                                                                                                     |



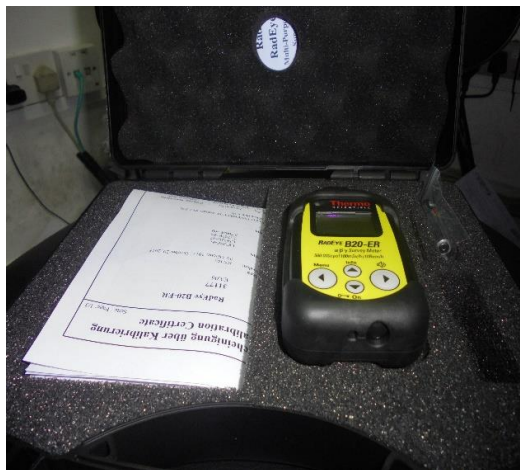
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| 0945 – 1100 | <b>Assessment of External &amp; Internal Exposures</b><br>Assessment of Occupational Exposure Due to Intakes of Radionuclides •<br>Assessment of Occupational Exposure Due to External Sources of Radiation                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| 1100 – 1230 | <b>Protection Against Occupational Exposure</b><br>Organization & Management • Methods of Protection & the Safe Use of<br>Radiation Sources; Optimization • Individual & Workplace Monitoring •<br>Health Surveillance • Potential Exposures • Protection Against Occupational<br>Exposure in Industrial Radiography • Protection Against Occupational<br>Exposure in Industrial Irradiators and Accelerators • Protection Against<br>Occupational Exposure in the Use of Nuclear Gauges • Protection Against<br>Occupational Exposure in the Use of Tracers • Protection Against Occupational<br>Exposure in Well Logging Devices • Protection Against Occupational Exposure<br>in Diagnostic Radiology • Protection Against Occupational Exposure in Nuclear<br>Medicine • Protection Against Occupational Exposure in Radiotherapy |
| 1230 – 1245 | Break                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| 1245 – 1420 | <b>Medical Exposures in Diagnostic Radiology, Radiotherapy &amp; Nuclear<br/>Medicine</b><br>Scope and Responsibilities • Justification of Medical Exposures • Optimization<br>of Protection for Medical Exposures • Quality Assurance • Accidental Exposures<br>in Medical Applications                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| 1420 – 1430 | <b>Recap</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| 1430        | Lunch & End of Day Two                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |

**Day 3: Wednesday, 09<sup>th</sup> of September 2026**

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| 0730 – 0930 | <b>Exposure of the Public Owing to Practices</b><br>Sources of Exposure of the Public • Responsibilities & Organization • Safe<br>Transport of Radioactive Material • Safety of Radioactive Waste •<br>Environmental Dose Assessment • Source & Environmental Monitoring •<br>Consumer Products • Dose Assessment • Monitoring of Public Exposures                                                                              |
| 0930 – 0945 | Break                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| 0945 – 1045 | <b>Intervention in Situations of Chronic &amp; Emergency Exposure</b><br>General Principles & Types of Events • Basic Concepts for Emergency Response<br>• Basic Concepts for Emergency Preparedness for a Nuclear Accident or<br>Radiological Emergency                                                                                                                                                                        |
| 1045 – 1200 | <b>Intervention in Situations of Chronic &amp; Emergency Exposure (cont'd)</b><br>Developing a National Capability for Response to a Nuclear Accident or<br>Radiological Emergency • Overview of Assessment & Response in a Radiological<br>Emergency • Monitoring in a Nuclear Accident or Radiological Emergency •<br>Medical Management of Radiation Injuries • Communication with the Public •<br>International Cooperation |
| 1200 – 1215 | Break                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| 1215 – 1330 | <b>Training the Trainers</b><br>Training Needs • Being a Lecturer • Setting Up a Training Course                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| 1330 - 1345 | <b>Course Conclusion</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| 1345 - 1415 | <b>COMPETENCY EXAM</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| 1415 – 1430 | Presentation of Course Certificates                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| 1430        | Lunch & End of Course                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |

### Instruments (Hands-on Practical Sessions)

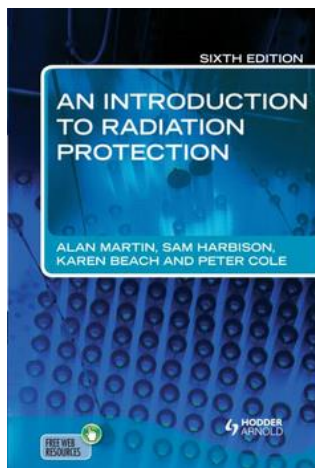
Practical sessions will be organized during the course for delegates to practice the theory learnt. Delegates will be provided with an opportunity to carryout various exercises using our state-of-the-art instrument “RadEye B20-ER” model.



**Thermo Scientific RadEye B20-ER Model**

### Book(s)

As part of the course kit, the following e-book will be given to all participants:



**Title** : An Introduction to Radiation Protection  
**ISBN** : 978-1444146073  
**Author** : Alan Martin, Sam Harbison, Karen Beach, Peter Cole  
**Publisher** : CRC Press

### Course Coordinator

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