PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT TRAINING

Applying Critical Thinking to Problem Solving Training

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2.0 DAY COURSE

Critical thinking is an important step to arrive at the best possible decisions or achieve the best possible results. Learn how to develop your ability to think critically by attending PD Training's hands-on Applying Critical Thinking to Problem Solving Training Course.

After completing this course, you will have learned: the steps and techniques to recognize and assess information or options before arriving at a decision or conclusion, hands-on experience in using critical thinking tools, how to react with curiosity instead of emotion and much more.

This comprehensive training course is now available across the U.S., including Atlanta, Austin, Baltimore, Birmingham, Boston, Charlotte, Chicago, Dallas, Houston, Jackson, Los Angeles, Manhattan, Miami, Orlando, New York, Philadelphia, San Antonio and Seattle.

What You'll Gain:

In this course, you'll get hands-on experience with a battery of practical tools to help you make critical thinking an indispensable part of your skill set. You'll find out things you didn't know about yourself and make discoveries that can literally change your life. Instead of concentrating on theories, you'll be working with an expert instructor to get comfortable with a concrete set of tools. You'll then be ready to benefit from your new skills immediately when you return to your job.

Outcomes

- Explore real-world examples of why critical thinking is so important in business
- Learn to use critical thinking skills when making business decisions
- Choose the right techniques to recognize assumptions and draw conclusions
- Know how to translate an abstract idea into something tangible
- Minimize the impact of job pressures on your thinking processes
- React with curiosity instead of emotion
- Get a roadmap for developing your critical thinking skills

Modules

Lesson 1: Course Overview
- Introduction

Lesson 2: Introduction to Critical Thinking
- Benefits of critical thinking in the workplace
- Critical thinking as a management skill

Lesson 3: Other Types of Thinking
- Different thinking styles

Lesson 4: A Critical Thinker's Mindset
- Using your network to help you learn

Lesson 5: The Critical Thinking Process
- Step 1 - Identifying the problem
- Step 2 - Gather and evaluate your information
- Step 3 - Generate alternative solutions
- Step 4 - Select and implement a solution
- Step 5 - Evaluate your solution

Lesson 6: Developing Critical Thinking Skills
- Asking quality questions
- Active listening
- Challenging assumptions

Lesson 7: Creative Thinking Techniques
- Brainstorming
- Imagining the opposite
- Mind mapping
- De Bono's thinking hats
- SWOT

Lesson 8: Using REACH in Critical Thinking
- Adapting your profile

Lesson 9: Presenting Recommendations
- Presenting to stakeholders

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