The Power of Communications Evaluation (HH-04)

Making Communicators Better Managers – Making Managers Better Communicators

Introduction

New digital technologies have revolutionized our access to data on the communications habits of Canadians. But how do we use that information to create success for our communications programs and generate new and innovative methods of to build our relationships with audience groups? This three-session virtual (or one-day classroom delivery) course teaches participants how to harness the power of performance information and turn it into more effective, innovative communications plans for the future.

Schedule

Day 1

(2 hours)

Introductions & Individual Objectives

Session I – The Case for Evaluation
- Changing government policies
- Communications competencies
- Proving our worth
- Getting to innovation

Session II – Options and Characteristics

Day 2

(2 hours)

Session III – The Project Evaluation Process
- The four steps to effective evaluation
- Different measurement approaches
- Towards a culture of evaluation

Session IV – Case Study Assignments

Breakout Group Assignment

Day 3

(1 hour)

Session V – Case Study Presentations

Session VI – Making it happen in your workplace
- Impediments
- Solutions
- Strategies for implementation

Session VII - Review and Wrap Up

Overview

This course provides participants with a road map to successful use evaluation in all their future communications activities. It builds motivation, knowledge, and skill by delving into all elements required to bring the power of evaluation to bear in their communications undertakings:

- The rationale
- A systematic approach
- Modern tools and techniques
- Implementation strategies that will make it all possible

Who Will Benefit?

Mid-level communications officers, advisors, and aspiring managers at the IS-3 to IS-5 level in all areas of communications activity.

How Will You Benefit?

Participants will leave the session with an understanding of why, when, and how to evaluate the performance of communications outputs and services. Emphasis is placed on linking communications activities to program and departmental goals and making effective use of data and analysis following completion of evaluation work.

Fees:

Remote Learning – Video Conferencing: $3,000 per Department/Agency - max 12 participants (includes printed participants manual)
In classroom: $500.00 per participant (Fee includes: Manual, Lunch, Breaks)

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