

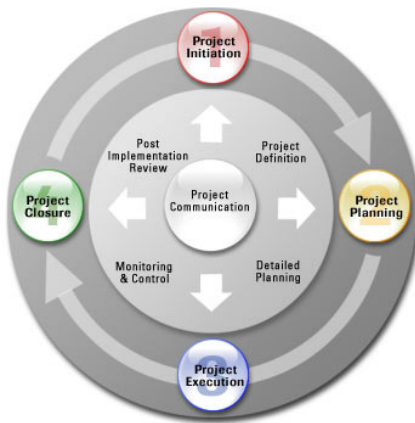
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1. Successful
2. Innovative
3. Inspiring
4. Collaborative

Project management

Project life cycle



Project management

Project management is the discipline of planning, organising, and managing resources to bring about the successful completion of specific project goals and objectives. But it is more than that, it is the art of managing risk, getting the best out of others and effectively juggling and clearing a path through often conflicting demands.

There are many project managers with the title but few that are real experts in the field and really able to handle the moving target that is a project. As economic and business factors change the project manager must adapt to meet new needs and new challenges. The 5 key factors for success are:

- persuade key stakeholders to support the project effectively
- communicate openly and motivate the team
- adhere to standard methodology and processes
- assess and manage risk effectively
- understand what is to be delivered and what the real benefits are to the organisation.

Why assiso?

assiso are experts at managing successful projects.

Our consultants and project managers are second to none in the field of Change Delivery. We have assembled a team of successful project delivery experts with a depth of skills and experience ranging from small projects to multi location, multi function and multi supplier programmes up to £20 million in value.

The types of projects our consultants have delivered are diverse but include the likes of contact management deployment, CRM implementation, system migration, new technology deployment, new product implementation, business integration, business redesign, HR administration automation, transport rationalisation, business intelligence deployment and print services and document management rationalisation.

We achieve results by deploying successful management techniques, appropriate governance, budget control and effective risk management.

Case study 1

assiso were engaged by an investment management firm to manage the launch of a new offshore fund. The objective was to achieve a successful launch by the proposed launch date.

Our experienced project manager assessed the situation, developed the plan and governance structure and identified the key resources for success.

The project delivered:

- A successful on time and within budget fund launch
- Key market literature
- Defined lean processes
- Key staff training
- Implemented IS changes
- Regulatory approval from Offshore regulator.

Case study 2

assiso were engaged by a FTSE 100 Life and Pensions company to provide Project Management for a failing online Quotes system development project, leading to portfolio management for a suite of e-commerce related projects. assiso risk-assessed the projects, developed realistic plans and engaged the stakeholders to reset expectations. Resources and budget were managed across the portfolio, enabling flexibility of deployment and cost-effectiveness. Process improvements for delivery through the project lifecycle were assessed and improved over a 12 month period, significantly improving confidence in delivery across the business.

Related Change Delivery Services:

- Change shaping & business case
- Programme/project management
- Change consultancy
- Project audits
- Project recovery
- Implementation management
- Test management.

assiso Project Managers work within a variety of project management approaches and methodologies and all are PRINCE2 and APMF trained. Our people have significant commercial experience and care about delivery and making a difference.

In essence we will:

- use our experience to work within client methodologies or provide our own approach in the absence of a client approach
- take responsibility for the whole project lifecycle or individual phases as required
- challenge and support project teams, including client and third party staff
- apply experience and pragmatism to achieve agreed outcomes
- deploy effective risk management techniques
- focus on realising benefits.

Tailored solutions

We are constantly learning and sharing knowledge, seeking to improve proven solutions, sharing expertise, setting industry standards and creating competitive advantage for clients.

assiso provides clients with:

- a long-term, dependable partner with experienced and talented individuals
- independent advice
- proven delivery expertise
- partnership approach, working together to achieve a common aim using relevant techniques
- successful delivery and realised benefits.

To discuss how we can provide expert Project Management in your business, please contact:

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