

Social Procurement Professional Certificate



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**Empower your
organisation to
drive social value
through strategic
procurement.**

The Professional Certificate in Social Procurement is designed for professionals in both the public and private sectors who aim to integrate social value into their procurement practices.

Whether you're developing a strategy, revising procurement policies, or embedding social clauses into tendering processes, this course offers the tools and knowledge to make procurement a catalyst for positive social impact.



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Course Objectives

Participants will:

- Grasp the foundational principles and context of social procurement.
- Learn how to cultivate a culture of social value within their organisation.
- Gain practical insights into designing and implementing social procurement policies.
- Develop skills to incorporate social value into tendering and RFX processes.
- Explore case studies and real-world examples from various sectors.

Course Structure

This is a practical, interactive learning experience delivered over four virtual sessions (each 2 hours long):

Module 1: Foundations of Social Procurement

- Understanding social procurement. International trends and local relevance.
- The business and societal case for change.

Module 2: Building a Culture of Social Value

- Organisational readiness and leadership.
- Embedding social value into procurement strategy.
- Roles and responsibilities in implementation.

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Module 3: Policy and Process Design

- Developing a social procurement policy.
- Legal and compliance considerations.
- Defining social outcomes and impact indicators.

Module 4: Applying Social Procurement in Practice

- Incorporating social value in RFx (Request for Tender, Proposal, Quotation, etc.).
- Evaluation methods and contract management.
- Case studies and hands-on activities.

Format

Delivery: Live virtual sessions via Zoom

Duration: 4 x 2-hour sessions over 4 weeks.

Includes: Course workbook, templates, and practical tools.

Engagement: Interactive group work, homework tasks, and discussion forums.

Who Should Attend

- Procurement officers and managers.
- CSR and ESG professionals.
- Public sector buyers.
- Social value and impact officers.
- Supply chain leads.

Get Involved

Sign up today. Please note that proof of payment is required for enrolment.

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