

MANAGING THE DANCE – DEALING WITH UNCERTAINTY & COMPLEXITY OF PROJECTS & STRATEGIC INITIATIVES

(2-DAY SEMINAR)

SEMINAR DESCRIPTION:

Have you ever wondered why, no matter what you do, some projects, programs or strategic initiatives are out of control and hard to manage? You work hard to carefully manage, but the more you try to control the harder it gets? What you have is a problem managing the **DANCE - Dynamic** and changing, **Ambiguous, Non-linear, Complex** and **Emergent** and unpredictable nature of some projects. This seminar will highlight the reality of today's disruptive and complex project environment and challenge the existing beliefs of how we deal with it. In today's projects and strategic initiatives of any size there is a lot of uncertainty and it is challenging to identify the multitude of variables to be managed, let alone to anticipate how they might interact to create unexpected challenges, can be overwhelming. Managing these projects and strategic initiatives requires a new way of thinking and a new approach beyond agile. This seminar provides new lenses and different perspective to deal with today's uncertain project environment. You will learn how to assess complexity and uncertainty and apply unconventional techniques to deal with it. This seminar is based on the cutting edge of the cutting edge ideas and next generation approaches in project management.

Your Seminar Experience Will Cover

- Recognizing the DANCE of complex project/program environments and the need for new approaches to deal with uncertainty and complexity.
- Determining the true status and complexity level of your project, program or strategic initiative.
- Gaining new perspectives and applying next generation approaches and techniques to managing the unexpected.
- Developing sensing skills to spot trouble and anticipate the unexpected.
- Questioning if you are measuring the right things and determining appropriate metrics and KPI's for your environment.
- Balancing the art and science at the intersection of hard and soft skills of managing in a disruptive world.
- Ten key leadership and communications principles necessary for complex and agile environments.
- Discovering the hidden beauty in messy projects and learning to identify and capitalize on opportunities lurking in your project, program or strategic initiative.

Who Should Attend?

- Project Managers
- Senior Project Managers
- Project Directors
- Program Managers
- Team Members

- Executives and Stakeholders involved in complex projects or strategic initiatives

Additional PDU Opportunities

Besides 14 PDUs for attending this seminar you will also get an opportunity to earn 7 additional PDUs for participating in post-seminar application work (optional). You will get more details of how to participate in this program during the seminar. This is a great opportunity to earn an additional day's worth of PDUs at no extra cost.

Bio

Jack S. Duggal, MBA, PMP, is a sought after international keynote speaker, change-maker and executive. His passion is to provide new perspectives on how to manage the DANCE of projects and life in today's disruptive world and inspire people and organizations on how to Change the World! Jack is an internationally recognized expert in Organizational Project Management (OPM) and PMO. He is a leading practitioner who brings a unique blend of practical hands-on experience with innovative ideas and solutions to deal with the real-world challenges of complex environments. He has implemented PMO's for multiple Fortune companies, facilitated large-scale organizational change, designed and led comprehensive training programs, managed multi-million dollar projects, and been an executive coach and mentor at different levels of management. He is also a visiting Professor at the University of New Haven and University of Hartford. Jack is the Managing Principal of Projectize Group, working with leading companies around the world.