

CREATIVE PROBLEM-SOLVING TECHNIQUES FOR AUDITORS

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CLASSROOM
(in Virtual Format)



OVERVIEW

Auditors often find themselves searching for ways to go beyond traditional or compliance auditing, trying to find new ways to work with people who have different styles and preferences, while maximizing their strengths. In other words, they are seeking to become more creative problem solvers.

Through facilitator presentations, group discussions, practical exercises, case studies, and self-assessments, this course will help participants define creativity and the dimensions of creative problem solving. Experienced facilitators will demonstrate five strategies for creativity and divergent thinking and explain the ground rules for convergent thinking. By the end of the course, participants will know how to jump-start creative approaches to problems and have new, immediately usable tools for logical problem solving.

OBJECTIVES

- Identify and apply creative and problem-solving skills, tools, and techniques.
- Define and apply convergent and divergent thinking.
- Recognize the roles of styles and preferences in creative problem solving.
- Apply synthesis in using creativity, problem-solving skills, tools, and techniques.

OUTLINE

Dimensions of Creative Problem Solving

- Identify key concepts of creative problem solving (divergent and convergent thinking).
- Identify geniuses of creative problem solving.
- Define creativity.
- Identify personal and organizational blocks to creativity.

Creativity and Divergent Thinking

- Identify the ground rules for divergent thinking.
- Identify and explore tools for creativity and divergent thinking.
- Identify and explore reframing as a tool for creativity and divergent thinking.
- Identify and explore questioning as a tool for divergent thinking.
- Identify and explore brainstorming as a tool for divergent thinking.
- Identify and explore imaging as a tool for divergent thinking.
- Identify and explore reverse engineering as a tool for divergent thinking.
- Identify and explore new research about ways to trigger creativity.

Closure and Action Planning

- Restate major concepts and skills learned up to this point.
- Share your insights and ideas with others in this seminar session.
- Discuss any open items or expectations.
- Complete and share your plan of action.

Problem Solving and Convergent Thinking

- Examine the ground rules for convergent thinking.
- Identify the characteristics of problem solving and convergent thinking.
- Apply the characteristics of inductive and deductive reasoning.
- Apply problem-solving questioning.
- Apply tools for problem solving and convergent thinking.
- Recognize logical fallacies.

Styles and Preferences

- Review common systems for identifying styles and preferences.

Synthesis

- Examine and compare models and concepts of synthesis.
- Recognize how "Six Hats" thinking relates to personal styles.

Case Study: A Budget Overrun

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- Recognize how "Six Hats" thinking relates to personal styles.

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ABOUT THE TRAINER

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Dr Eddy Yap is the Founder and Managing Consultant of Conductiviti Business Advisory Sdn Bhd. His core competencies are in qualitatively and quantitatively diagnosing issues, formulating solutions, and implementing changes. He has over 22 years of corporate, advisory, academic and entrepreneurial experience, and has worked with various organisations including government corporations, public conglomerates, private companies, public sector organisations and academic institutions, across diverse industries.

He is also a visiting lecturer and facilitator to several universities at the undergraduate and postgraduate levels, as well as professional bodies, delivering courses in strategic management, finance, accounting, auditing, and economics. He has published in international peer reviewed journals and presented in corporate and academic conferences, as well as delivered talks on the global and national economy.

He is a Certified Internal Auditor, Technical and Research Committee Member of IIAM, Chartered Accountant of MIA, an ASEAN CPA, Fellow of ACCA, Fellow of the Malaysian Institute of Management, and a HRDF-certified trainer. He holds a Bachelor's in Economics from the University of London, MBA from Heriot-Watt University, and PhD in Finance from Universiti Kuala Lumpur



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ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS

TARGET AUDIENCE	LEVEL I-III
MEMBER'S FEE	RM1,900.00
NON-MEMBER'S FEE	RM2,400.00
	<i>All Fees will be subject to 6% SST</i>
EARLY BIRD FEE	10% discount for registration received one (1) month prior to respective workshop dates
DATE	16 & 17 November 2021
TIME	9:00 am – 5:00 pm (Registration on Day 1 at 8:30am)
DELIVERY MODE	Virtual Platform
PROGRAMME CODE	KL22
TRAINER	Dr. Eddy Yap PhD, FCCA, CIA
CPD POINTS	16

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