

Foundations of Public Sector Governance

Previously known as Machinery of Government (MoG)

Course Duration – 4 Days

Course Cost – \$1200 pp

CLF level Alignment



MMDF Alignment



Prerequisite

Please bring a copy of your Role Description

Overview

The Foundations of Public Sector Governance course has been designed to assist public sector employees understand the context within which they operate. This context is constrained by political, institutional and legislative processes and conventions that are fundamental to good governance. This program builds a foundation of understanding of the context of government within which public sector employees operate.

Developing your understanding of the context and influence of government environments, the requirements of public sector governance and your role as a NTPS employee will increase your capacity and effectiveness to best deliver public value.

Who should attend this course?

If you would like to build your understanding of how effective policy is developed, this course aims to help participants better understand the policy agenda of their agency and of government more broadly.

Learning Outcomes

At the conclusion of this course, participants should be able to:

- ◆ Understand the role of Australian political institutions and their impact on the role of public sector

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- ◆ Analyse frameworks established to ensure government is responsive, responsible and accountable when delivering a service
- ◆ Understand the governance framework that underpins the NTPS (including accountability reporting mechanisms)
- ◆ Understand the working relationships between the public sector, Ministers, Members of Parliament (Parliament in Context)

Topics Covered

- ◆ Systems of Government fundamentals
- ◆ The public service in Australia
- ◆ NT Government fundamentals
- ◆ Structure of Northern Territory Public Sector
- ◆ Interactions within NT Government
- ◆ The Northern Territory Public Service (NTPS)
- ◆ NT governance in Government
- ◆ Whole of Government perspective
- ◆ NTPS professional practice
- ◆ Machinery of Government – cycles and processes

Topics covered from the Middle Management Development Framework

- ◆ Machinery of Government

How to enrol?

[Click here](#) to download the OCPE Course Enrolment Form.

Completed enrolment forms are to be emailed to: swpd.ocpe@nt.gov.au.

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