# PUBLIC PRIVATE PARTNERSHIPS: INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS DEVELOPMENT

## 18 TO 22 OCTOBER 2021

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## CYBIANT ASIA

## **Singapore Cooperation Programme**

Singapore has provided technical assistance to other developing countries since the 1960s. As a country whose only resource is its people, Singapore believes that human resource development is vital for economic and social progress. Singapore itself has benefited from training provided by other countries and international organisations.

In 1992, the Singapore Cooperation Programme (SCP) was established to bring together under one framework the various technical assistance programmes offered by Singapore. Through the SCP, the range and number of training programmes were increased to share Singapore's development experience with other developing countries.

To date, over 132,000 officials from more than 180 countries and territories have participated in our courses and study visits. The SCP is managed by the Technical Cooperation Directorate of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Singapore.

## **Cybiant Asia**

Cybiant is an organization that specialized in the delivery, development, and execution of organizational Best Practices methodologies that improve quality and efficiency in modern organization. Their portfolio and expertise ranges from Project Management to Quality Management Standards and the adoption of ISO standards. The common theme throughout their expertise and service offering is to deliver methodologies and approaches that provides increased knowledge and better ways to work together.

The Public-Private-Partnership (PPP) program is the best practice standard that Cybiant is utilizing as the reference standard for infrastructure project and education across the world. Over the years, they have trained and certified over 1,000 PPP professionals at various locations across the world. They were the first accredited Certified Public-Private Partnerships Professional (CP3P) organization in Asia and the first organization accredited for all three CP3P levels.



Cybiant works with industry thought leaders and experts in their respective domains. A core aspect of their organization is to partner with organizations who are considered to 'lead the way' in their respective domain. Withing the PPP domain, they have established partnerships with APMG-International, the World Association of PPP Professionals (WAPPP) and the PPP Knowledge Hub. With these partnerships, they aim to contribute to the PPP community and increase knowledge and awareness about PPP best practices.

## **Course Objectives**

This course will cover the fundamentals of conceptualising and implementing Public-Private Partnership (PPP) projects, with a focus on Singapore's experience and context. Participants will also have the opportunity to take the APMG PPP Foundation Level examination and be awarded the APMG Foundation Level Certificate.

## Synopsis

Topics to be covered include:

- PPP Project Development cycle Economic evaluation, costs and benefits; Procurement and competitive tender criteria; Financing model and risk assessment; and Contract management
- Effective regulations and enabling legislation
- Case studies of Singapore PPP projects
- PPP Certification Programme Guide

#### Methodology

This course will be delivered for up to <u>25 participants</u> through a 'blended' virtual classroom comprising a combination of *asynchronous* e-Learning (independent and self-study of online modules) and *synchronous* e-Learning ('live' webinar sessions). There will be Q&A sessions and facilitated group discussions during the 'live' sessions.

## Regulations

Participants are required to comply with the following:

Strictly observe course schedules and not miss training sessions; and

 Carry out instructions and abide by conditions as may be stipulated by the nominating Authority or Government and the Government of Singapore and its appointed trainer, with respect to the course.

#### **Duration**

The course will be held over 5 days from <u>18 to 22</u> October 2021.

There will be 4 hours of 'Live' e-learning sessions each day, held from 1200 to 1600 (Singapore time; UTC/GMT+08:00 hours) each day.

Attendance will be taken for "live" sessions and participants will need to attain 66% attendance in order to get a certificate.

Prior to course commencement, the training coordinator will brief participants on the rules of engagement (break time, attendance, punctuality, recording, Q&A).

## **Application Information**

Applicants should be:

- Mid- to senior-level government officials involved in infrastructure projects planning and management.
- Able to attend all the synchronous e-learning sessions. They will require an internet-enabled device with a functioning webcam, microphone and audio;
- Nominated by their respective Governments;
- Proficient in written and spoken English; and
- In good health

#### **Terms of Award**

The course is sponsored by the Government of Singapore under the Singapore Cooperation Programme Training Award.





## **Application Procedure**

(Closing date for nomination: 27 September 2021)

The Government of Singapore is pleased to invite the respective National Focal Point for Technical Assistance (NFP) to nominate **one (1)** suitable applicant. Selection of candidates will be based on merit. Should there be more applicants than training places, the Government of Singapore seeks the understanding of the respective NFP in the event that its nominee(s) is not selected.

All nominees are to submit their applications online at <a href="https://go.gov.sg/ppp2021">https://go.gov.sg/ppp2021</a> by 27 September 2021. NFPs are also required to endorse nominees via email links. Instructions and FAQs for Applicants and NFPs can be found at the links below:

• Applicants: <a href="https://go.gov.sg/start-guide">https://go.gov.sg/start-guide</a>

• NFPs: https://go.gov.sg/start-nfp

#### Note:

- Participants who complete all course assignments and attend at least 66% of 'live' elearning sessions, will receive a certificate of completion from the SCP.
- Applicants should refrain from making telephone and email inquiries on the status of their applications.
- The Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Singapore will inform all applicants of the outcome of their applications. The NFP will also be informed directly.

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