

Western Technical College 10102218 Solution Testing and Training

Course Outcome Summary

Course Information

Description	Students will assess organizational readiness by facilitating testing and training of the solution. Emphasis will be placed on test plan creation, execution, and facilitation; as well as the development of training plans.
Career Cluster	Business Management and Administration
Instructional Level	Associate Degree Courses
Total Credits	2
Total Hours	36

Pre/Corequisites

Pre/Corequisite 10102216 Data Integration & Prioritization

Textbooks

Business Analysis and Leadership. Copyright 2013. Pullan, Penny and James Archer. Publisher: Kogan Page Ltd. **ISBN-13:** 978-0-7494-6862-0. Required.

Seven Steps to Mastering Business Analysis. 2nd Edition. Copyright 2020. Champagne, Jamie. Publisher: J. Ross Publishing, Inc. **ISBN-13:** 978-1-60427-160-7. Required.

PMI Guide to Business Analysis. Copyright 2017. Project Management Institute. Publisher: Independent Publishers Groups. **ISBN-13:** 978-1-62825-198-2. Optional.

Success Abilities

1. Cultivate Passion: Expand a Growth-Mindset

Program Outcomes

- 1. Perform elicitation, validation, and analysis of requirements to meet a business need
- 2. Build relationships with stakeholders
- 3. Demonstrate leadership throughout business analysis efforts
- 4. Demonstrate professional communication in a business environment

Course Competencies

1. Explain the testing process.

Assessment Strategies

1.1. Reflection

Criteria

You will know you are successful when

- 1.1. you explain why testing is important.
- 1.2. you explain the importance of creating a test plan prior to testing.
- 1.3. you explain how to engage with stakeholders throughout the testing process.

Learning Objectives

- 1.a. Explore potential components of the testing process.
- 1.b. Determine stakeholder involvement throughout stages of the testing process.
- 1.c. Explore defect identification and mitigation.

2. Explain the Business Analyst's role in the testing process.

Assessment Strategies

2.1. Reflection

Criteria

You will know you are successful when

- 2.1. you reflect on your strengths in the testing process.
- 2.2. you reflect on opportunities for you to grow in the testing process.

Learning Objectives

- 2.a. Explore training components of the testing process.
- 2.b. Investigate the process for defect mitigation.
- 2.c. Explore communication methods during the testing process.

3. Explore test plans.

Assessment Strategies

3.1. Reflection

Criteria

You will know you are successful when

3.1. you identify gaps in test case criteria.

Learning Objectives

- 3.a. Examine components of a test plan.
- 3.b. Explore test case criteria.
- 3.c. Investigate skills that make a tester effective.

4. Explore test plan execution.

Assessment Strategies

4.1. Reflection

Criteria

You will know you are successful when

- 4.1. you practice executing test cases.
- 4.2. you document test case results.

Learning Objectives

- 4.a. Examine how to execute a test plan.
- 4.b. Practice documenting test results.
- 4.c. Explore positive testing.
- 4.d. Explore negative testing.

5. Determine organizational readiness.

Assessment Strategies

5.1. Reflection

Criteria

You will know you are successful when

5.1. you explain how to determine whether the organization is ready to implement the solution.

Learning Objectives

- 5.a. Examine characteristics of organizational readiness.
- 5.b. Determine how to handle unresolved defects.
- 5.c. Discuss how to approach uncertainty.

Ensure effective testing and training facilitation.

- Assessment Strategies
- 6.1. Reflection

Criteria

6.

You will know you are successful when

- 6.1. you determine how to manage stakeholder concerns.
- 6.2. you characterize leadership qualities conducive to effective facilitation.
- 6.3. you outline testing and training facilitation.

Learning Objectives

- 6.a. Summarize potential stakeholder concerns.
- 6.b. Relate necessary leadership characteristics.
- 6.c. Identify essential testing and training facilitation skills.