ISO 14001 Lead Auditor- Environmental Management System (EMS)

COURSE OVERVIEW

The ISO 14001 Lead Auditor – Environmental Management System (EMS) course equips participants with the knowledge and skills needed to plan, conduct, report, and follow up on EMS audits in compliance with ISO 14001 standards. It covers the principles of environmental management, audit processes, and best practices for assessing conformance and effectiveness. Through a combination of practical exercises and theoretical learning, participants gain the competence to lead audits and support organizations in achieving and maintaining ISO 14001 certification.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

This course is ideal for auditors aiming to lead or perform Environmental Management System (EMS) certification audits, managers and consultants looking to master the EMS audit process, individuals responsible for ensuring EMS compliance, technical experts preparing for EMS audits, and environmental management advisors seeking to deepen their expertise.

COURSE OUTCOMES

Delegates will gain the skills and knowledge to:
- Understand the operations of an Environmental Management System (EMS) based on ISO 14001.
- Acknowledge the correlation between ISO 14001, ISO 14040 and other standards and regulatory frameworks.
- Understand an auditor's role to: plan, lead and follow-up on a management system audit in accordance with ISO 19011.
- Learn how to lead an audit and audit team.
- Learn how to interpret the requirements of ISO 14001 in the context of an EMS audit.
- Acquire the competencies of an auditor to: plan an audit, lead an audit, draft reports, and follow-up on an audit in compliance with ISO 19011.

KEY COURSE HIGHLIGHTS

At the end of the course, you will understand;
- The requirements and structure of ISO 14001:2015.
- Planning, conducting, reporting, and following up on EMS audits.
- Interpreting ISO 14001 clauses for audit application.
- Developing auditing skills aligned with ISO 19011 and ISO/IEC 17021 standards.
- Identifying environmental aspects, impacts, risks, and opportunities.
- Managing an audit team and improving communication techniques.
- Writing effective nonconformity reports and audit documentation.
- Preparing for real-world audit scenarios through practical exercises and case studies.

All our courses are dual-certificate courses. At the end of the training, the delegates will receive two certificates.
1. A GTC end-of-course certificate
2. Continuing Professional Development (CPD) Certificate of completion with earned credits awarded