The Security Institute Certificate in Security Management

This course provides learners with an introduction to key ideas, techniques and issues central to professional security management. Learners will gain an understanding of policy, best practice and legislation associated with security management principles, including health and safety, asset protection and information security.

From discussing the formation of risk, to analysing potential causes and prevention of crime, this course is a must for supervisors or those seeking to make that move. The course comprises six modules, three of which are mandatory and three chosen from elective modules.

Core Modules

- Introduction to Security Management
- Security Department Management
- Information Security

Elective Modules

- Health & Safety
- Strategic Security
- Retail Security
- Physical Security
- Terrorism Awareness & Management
- Risk, Crisis & Disaster Management





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Mandatory Modules Summary

Introduction to Security Management

A comprehensive introduction to security management, encompassing an introduction to the key concepts in risk management, building and maintaining sustainable security systems, along with the concept of how security can 'add value' to an organisation.

Security Department Management

An understanding of management principles required in the operation of a Security Department.

Explore the role of management and the financial, human resources and operational skills and techniques required for managing security staff and resources.

Information Security

Information takes many forms. It can be stored on computers, transmitted across networks, displayed on screens, printed out or written down on paper and spoken during conversation. Information is under threat from unauthorised access and must be protected.

Learners will look at information security from the non-technical point of view of the security or business manager, who has a responsibility for the security of information but has computer personnel available to carry out technical support work.

Optional Modules Summary (choose three)

Health & Safety

This module introduces learners to fire legislation, fire prevention and key detection methods. Core requirements of health and safety legislation relevant to health and safety management will be explored and learners will be introduced to corporate policy on drug use. This module investigates the powers of the inspectorate and outlines the correct reporting of suspected arson.

Optional Modules Summary (cont.)

Retail Security

Retail Security introduces learners to the legal definition of theft and the provisions of proactive mitigation strategies. Learners will explore key risks that arise from retail areas and activities, and will learn to identify and prevent future stock loss. Questions of best practice will be addressed and learners will be equipped with an understanding of key terminology.

Terrorism Awareness and Management

This module outlines the various definitions of terrorism and explores terrorist attack techniques. It provides learners with an understanding of risk and risk to the workplace and explores the concept of continuity planning. Terrorism Awareness and Management guides learners through corresponding legislation and law and analyses the use of risk assessment.

Risk, Crisis and Disaster Management

The Risk, Crisis and Disaster Management module enables learners to understand the differences between risk, crisis and disaster as individual concepts. This module explores the causes and impacts of crises and disasters and provides learners with a response to risk.

Strategic Security

This module provides learners with an understanding of the requirements of a strategic security management programme. It explores company-level strategic security programmes and teaches learners how to implement and maintain the programme over time. It provides learners with key terminology and addresses elements of best practice.

Physical Security

Physical Security equips learners with an understanding of how to assess and reduce risks to the security of corporate assets. It introduces learners to the legal and practical procedures for allowing access to corporate property and gives learners an understanding of the policies and procedures required to protect persons, equipment, information and goods.

We are more than happy to talk through module selection with learners and advise which are the most appropriate units to meet your professional and learning development needs. Simply get in touch with a member of our team.



