

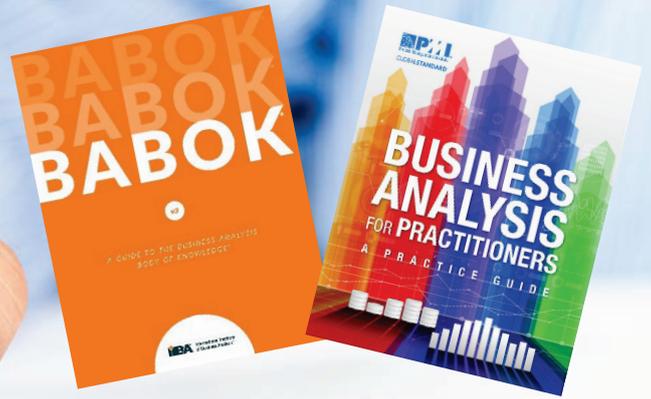
Business Analysis Exam Prep

Advanced Preparation Workshop with Exam-Simulation for CBAP® Exam
Advanced Preparation Workshop with Exam-Simulation for PMI-PBA® Exam

This 2-day interactive workshop prepares delegates to successfully pass two of the most sought-after professional certification exams in the field of Business Analysis (BA).

September 22-23, 2016 | Hotel & Congress Center Antunovic Zagreb, Croatia

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PDU's



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Workshop Focus:

Exam-simulation exercises
BA knowledge-gap analysis and on-the-spot prep
Planning business activities and monitoring the progress
Strategy analysis and the activities to be performed
The preferred business analysis approach
Eliciting, analyzing and documenting requirements
Solution validation activities
Techniques to be used by business analysts
Showing similarities and differences between
CBAP® and PMI-PBA® exam and how to get both right!

Course takeaways include:

- **BABOK** version 3 by IIBA®
- **Business Analysis Practitioner Practice Guide** by PMI®
- Complete PMI-PBA® / CBAP® certification exam prep toolkit with over 700 exam questions and answers

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Overview:

In recent years, the demand for business analysis certified professionals has been rapidly increasing. It is estimated that by 2020 companies will need 20% more business analysis professionals than in 2015. There are two certificates recognized globally as the *de-facto* standard for professionalism in Business Analysis:

PMI Professional in Business Analysis (PMI-PBA®) by Project Management Institute (PMI®)

With its emphasis on requirements management, business analysis has become a competency of critical importance to project management. Becoming certified as a business analysis (BA) expert can move your career in a fresh direction while opportunities for BAs are on the rise. By introducing a business analysis certification, PMI has formalized the importance of BA work in the project management world.

Inaccurate requirements gathering is the second highest cause of project failure, yet only half of organizations have the resources in place to perform this function properly, according to our Pulse of the Profession® research. Through 2019, over half of organizations expect to see an increase in their demand for BAs and the integration of requirements management and business analysis with project management.

It's time to become the certified expert your organization needs. If you work with stakeholders in defining requirements, shaping project outputs and driving intended business outcomes, the PMI Professional in Business Analysis (PMI-PBA®) will spotlight your valuable skills.

Certified Business Analysis Professional (CBAP®) by International Institute of Business Analysis (IIBA®)

The Certified Business Analysis Professional (CBAP®) designation is a professional certification for individuals with extensive business analysis experience. With at least 7500 hours of hands-on BA experience, CBAP® recipients are the elite, senior members of the BA community.

With thousands of individuals all over the world achieving the CBAP® designation since the first Certified Business Analysis exam was held in November 2006, CBAP® recipients are experts in identifying the business needs of an organization in order to determine the best solutions. More and more companies are recognizing the CBAP® designation and the value and expertise these professionals bring to their organizations.

You will want to consider the many professional benefits of earning the CBAP® certification if you have an advanced level of knowledge and experience and are working in any of the following roles: Business analysis, Systems analysis, Requirements analysis or management, Process improvement, Consulting and Project Management.

Who should attend this course?

To assimilate the vast amount of information needed to pass the CBAP® or PMI-PBA® exam, there is a mixture of formal lectures, discussions, exercises, and several exam-simulation practices throughout the course. Participants will also learn methods of recall-&-retention to help remember critical information. The following professionals will find this course extremely beneficial to their daily jobs and career development:

- Business Analysts
- Certified PMP®, PMI-ACP®
- Project & Program Managers
- Scrum Masters & Scrum Product Owners

All participants who attended **KTC International's Business Analysis for Project Managers** and/or **Strategic Enterprise Analysis** will have automatically fulfilled either exam's eligibility requirements

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Workshop Agenda:

Session 1: BABOK vs Business Analysis for Practitioners guide

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ BABOK® Framework▪ 7 Key Knowledge Areas▪ BABOK® Terminology | vs | <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ BA practitioners guide▪ 6 main activities to be performed▪ PMI-PBA® Terminology |
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Session 2: Business Analysis Planning and Monitoring

- Overview, Inputs and Outputs
- Planning the Requirements Approach
- Identifying and Analyzing Stakeholders
- Deciding how Requirements will be Managed and Traced
- Estimating BA Activities
- Planning of BA Communications
- Determining Requirements Metrics for Monitoring and Reporting
- Techniques for Planning

Session 3: Needs assessment

- Identify problem or opportunity
- Assess the current state of the organization
- Actions to address business needs
- Assemble business case

Session 4: Eliciting and analyzing requirements

- Plan for eliciting requirements
- Prepare for eliciting

- Conduct eliciting
- Documenting requirements
- Analyzing requirements
- Model and refine requirements
- Document solution requirements
- Verify and validate requirements
- Resolve requirements related conflicts

Session 5: Traceability and monitoring

- Traceability matrix
- Relationships and dependencies
- Approval of requirements
- Baselining requirements
- Managing requirement changes

Session 6: Solution evaluation

- Plan for solution evaluation
- Determine what to evaluate
- Solution validation
- Solution acceptance
- Evaluate long term performance of the solution

The number of participants is **limited to 20 people** to ensure the optimal level of interaction between the instructor and the audience.

The primary goal of this workshop is for participant(s) to successfully pass the PMI-PBA® / CBAP® exam. Therefore, various exam-simulation exercises are performed constantly throughout the course.

Seminar starts each day at 8:30am and finishes at 4:30pm. Lunch, coffee & refreshments are provided.

All participants will receive a Certificate of Attendance. The course is in line with PMBOK® Guide 5th edition and BABOK® Version 3 and provides 20 PDU's / Training Hours.

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FAQs about this course and PMI-PBA® / CBAP® certification:

What sets this course apart from other BA prep courses?

To our best knowledge, this is the only BA prep course that simultaneously prepares delegates to successfully pass **both** the CBAP® and the PMI-PBA® exam.

How is that possible?

The fact of the matter is that vast majority of CBAP® and PMI-PBA® exam content ranges from very similar to almost identical. This course clearly shows the areas that are similar or identical and also shows the small portion (less than 10%) of the exam content that differs between the two exams.

If this is so obvious, how comes no one else is doing a "2-in-1" exam prep approach?

While we can't comment on why other training providers do or don't do a specific program, we can confidently predict that many will follow our formula, as it saves time to participant(s) and significantly saves money to their respective organization(s).

Why is this beneficial to the participant(s); what difference does it make?

The major benefit to participant(s) is that they are provided with a **choice** to pick which certificate to obtain after the course –PMI-PBA®, CBAP® or **both**, if they so choose.

How this impacts participant's company's training budget?

The main benefit for participants' company is the cost-saving, as the company needs to allocate training-budget for only one BA prep course, instead of two. Naturally, if a person only attends a single 2-day course instead of a two 2-or-more day classes, it will have a major positive impact on allocated training-budget. Moreover, there is a significant cost-effectiveness achieved by participant(s) not having to spend more than just two days out of work.

What are the exact exam eligibility criteria for PMI-PBA® certification?

Taken from: <https://www.pmi.org/certification/business-analysis-pba.aspx>

- **Bachelor's degree or the global equivalent**
If you don't currently hold a Bachelor's degree, please see the following requirement below
- **4,500 hours of business analysis experience**
If you don't hold a Bachelor's degree, but Secondary degree (high school diploma, associate's degree or the global equivalent), you will need a 7,500 hours of business analysis experience instead of a 4,500.
- **2,000 hours working on project teams**
This project experience can include your business analysis experience. A current PMP® or PgMP® will satisfy this requirement!
- **35 contact hours of education in business analysis**
This course alone provides 20 PDUs; thus if you have attended other KTC International's BA workshops, you will automatically have satisfied the exam requirements!

What are the exact exam eligibility criteria for CBAP® certification?

Taken from: <http://www.iiba.org/Certification-Recognition/CBAP-Designation.aspx>

- Minimum 7500 hours of BA work experience aligned with A Guide to the Business Analysis Book of Knowledge® (BABOK® Guide) in the last 10 years
- Minimum 900 hours in four of the six knowledge areas
- Minimum 21 hours of Professional Development in the past four years
- Two references from a career manager, client or Certified Business Analysis Professional (CBAP®) recipient
- Signed Code of Conduct

The course gives me 20 PDU / training hours, but to apply for PMI-PBA exam I need 35 hours. What do I do?

Every participant will receive an exam simulation software, the copy of BABOK and the PMI BA Practitioner's Guide. There will be a set post-course work that all the participants will need to complete and report back. This post-course work awards additional 15 accredited hours. Therefore, each participant will receive the full 35 hours/PDU, finishing the workshop and the post-course task.

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To reserve your participation please complete the registration form and send it to operations@kctcintl.com

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Name				Zagreb, Croatia	
Job Title				REGISTRATION FEES	Please mark the appropriate box!
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Name				PMP/PMI-Member fee with 10% off	€ 1,165 / delegate
Job Title				Group 4+1 fee with 20% discount	€ 5,180 for 5 delegates (€ 1,036 average)
e-mail				INDIVIDUAL EARLY-BIRD DISCOUNT AVAILABLE UNTIL JUNE 30, 2016	
Name				Register now and receive 20% off	€ 1,036 / delegate
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e-mail				3+1 Free seat: Register 4 delegates now and save € 1,295 (25% discount)	€ 3,885 for 4 delegate (€ 971 average)
Name				4+2 Free seats: Register 6 delegates now and save € 2,590 (33% discount)	€ 5,180 for 6 delegate (€ 863 average)
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