KCS Principles Training



Course Overview

Save time and money with effective Knowledge Management.



KCS, developed by the Consortium for Service Innovation, is a methodology and a set of processes and practices that leverage knowledge as a key asset of the support organisation. KCS is proven to allow service and support organisations to significantly improve service levels to customers, gain operational efficiencies and increase the organisation's value to the company.

This knowledge management best-practice course will provide service and support centre supervisors, managers and directors with a set of practical steps for capturing, storing and successfully reusing knowledge.

Participants will learn how to implement a strategy for adopting Knowledge-Centred Service (KCS) which creates and maintains knowledge as a by-product of the incident management process.

This course is an HDI certification.

This Course Focuses On

- How to efficiently create & maintain quality, easy-to-find content in the knowledge base;
- A process for monitoring the quality of knowledge;
- Ways to motivate staff to use the knowledge base & to effectively assess individual & team contributions;
- How you can minimise or eliminate the need for a knowledge engineering function;
- How to articulate the value of knowledge management practices for your organisation;
- A strategy for sustainable success that minimises investments in knowledge workflow & maximises the return;
- How to align your knowledge management strategy with ITIL® implementation; &
- How to identify & avoid the common pitfalls associated with knowledge management.

Course Duration

2 Day Virtual Public Course2 Day Onsite Course (course held at your premises)

Course Outline

Unit 1: What Is Knowledge-Centered Unit 5: Content Health Service? What Is Content Health?

What Is Knowledge-Centered Service? What Led to the Development of KCS? Why Do You Need KCS?

What Are the Benefits of KCS?

Unit 2: The KCS Principles & Core Concepts

KCS Principles
KCS Core Concepts

Unit 3: The KCS Practices

The KCS Practices Understanding KCS The KCS Methodologies

Unit 4: Aligning KCS with the Business

Aligning Business Goals & Objectives Providing Additional Value with KCS KCS Benefits & ROI The Content Standard
KCS Article State
Developing a Content Standard
Creating Evolve Loop Articles
Archiving Old Articles
Dealing with Legacy Data
Priming the Knowledge Base
Global Support Considerations
Knowledge Domain Analysis
Content Health Indicators
Self-Service Success
Self-Service Measures

Unit 6: KCS Roles & Responsibilities

KCS Roles & Licensing Models The KCS Licensing Model Defining Roles & Competencies

Unit 7: Process Integration

Process Integration
Structured Problem Solving
Seamless Technology Integration
Search Technology for KCS
Closed Loop Feedback
KCS Process Integration Indicators

Unit 8: Performance Assessment

The KCS Licensing Model
Assessing the Creation of Value
Feedback & Reputation Model

Unit 9: Leadership

Leadership
Tap into Internal Motivators
Recognition Programs
Compelling Purpose
Promote Teamwork

Unit 10: Communication

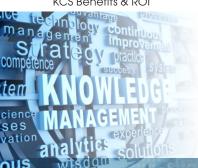
Communication
Key Messaging & Elevator Pitches
Handling Questions & Objections
Programs for Social Engagement

Unit 11: Technology

Functional Requirements Technology Selection KCS Verified

Unit 12: The KCS Adoption Roadmap

The KCS Adoption Program
Adoption Phases
Adoption Roles
KCS Implementation Strategy
KCS Investment
Critical Success Factors



About HDAA

Founded in 1999, HDAA is an independent association specialising in the Service and Support Industry.

HDAA has achieved a strong reputation for providing independent, authoritative information and advice within this industry and supports its member organisations and individual professionals with a range of services to meet their ongoing challenges in this everevolving sector.

HDAA is an HDI Gold Partner and also sits on the HDI International Certification Standards Committee (ICSC). We are an Accredited Training Organisation (ATO) for a variety of service and support certifications and PeopleCert accredited for all our IT Service Management (ITSM) programs.

Our membership covers 100's of organisations in Australia and New Zealand and we've had the pleasure of training 1000's of service and support professionals.

Consulting Services

Based on extensive experience and a detailed knowledge of the service and support industry, HDAA provides a variety of consulting services enabling high quality decision making and bottom line results.

Such services are based on internationally recognised frameworks, best practices and methodologies and include Service Desk Reviews, Knowledge Management Integration - using the Knowledge Centred Service (KCS) methodology, workflow mapping for policy, process and procedure documentation and generalist HR (eg. recruitment and training assistance).

Industry Intelligence

HDAA provides and publishes a range of reports on the service and support industry, including an annual Practices & Salary Report providing an overview of the industry, as well as data and analysis of the market by demographics, incident management, technology, processes, procedures and strategies, performance metrics and more.

HDAA publishes a number of 'on demand' reports, such as Member Requests and one-time Surveys. This includes research, webinars and other such items highlighted in our monthly 'Inside Support' eNews that are pertinent to the Service and Support Industry.

Membership Services

HDAA provides a range of services for its members which can be accessed via our website www.hdaa.com.au.

This online content enables our members to respond swiftly and effectively to new developments in the industry by minimising the time they spend researching and collating the information they need.

Available services and tools such as Workforce Planning (WFP), Service Desk Calculators, Tool Evaluation spreadsheet, Podcasts, 'inside support' monthly eNewsletter, HDI Resources, HDI & HDAA Webinars, SupportWorld Articles and more. N.B. Members must be logged in to access the Knowledge Base content.

HDAA also conducts bespoke research, including areas of the industry where reliable published information is unavailable.

Training, Workshops, Coaching & Mentoring Services

HDAA provides a range of training courses, workshops and events, including tailored, in-house training and workshops. Our courses are internationally recognised qualifications aimed at professionals who wish to progress in the service and support industry; and specifically to help companies maximise the capability and effectiveness of their response in the service and support industry.

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