

ISO 14001:2015

Upgrading to the new Standard

This two day course is designed to fully explain the changes in the new ISO 14001:2015 Standard and leave participants with a solid road map for what changes will still be required to accomplish the upgrade.

Although there are several changes in the new ISO 14001:2015 Standard, there are three significant ones that will impact all organizations:

- Understanding the Organization and its Context
- Understanding the Needs and Expectations of Interested Parties
- Leadership Accountability
- Actions to Address Risks and Opportunities
- The Life Cycle Perspective

The course will address these new requirements and by the end of the session, participants will have derived the context of the organization, conducted a risk assessment, and considered the life cycle for their products.

The training session discusses the Standard's changes at length and through workshops, emphasizes those aspects of the new Standard that will be least understood and have the greatest impact on the EMS upgrade.

In order to derive the most value from the learning and from the workshops, it would be beneficial to participants to already have a working knowledge of ISO 14001 and the organization's own EMS. Workshops are conducted in small groups of three or four, and include:

- The Context of the Organization
- Compliance Obligations
- Risk Assessment
- Communications Processes
- Life Cycle Perspective

For automotive companies, an optional workshop is offered where participants review their APQP process against the life cycle perspective and propose changes to more effectively consider EMS concerns during product launch.

