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DISTANCE LEARNING INTRODUCTION PACK

This document aims to summarize the structure and key learning objectives of the Project Management Distance Learning (DL) Course.

The course is divided into three topics, as listed below:

- Topic 1: Managing Process Improvement Projects
- Topic 2: Managing New Product Development Projects
- Topic 3: Managing an International Project

These have been designed to operate as standalone topics and can be learnt in steps to fit with student timescales.

For each topic folder, the following has been provided:

- Topic Summary & Learning Objectives
- Presentation
- Presentation recording
- Presentation recording transcript
- Additional (self-directed) learning material

It is estimated that the presentation will take approx. 2 hours to complete and the self-directed material should allow you around 6 hours of additional learning. Sample questions have also been provided to be completed at your discretion.

The course material can also be accessed through a secure webpage and be sent in PDF form via email if required.

One "live" classroom will be held per topic to allow students a real time interactive forum and access to the lecturer. This will be done using Skype conferencing facilities.

These are then recorded and uploaded, along with a transcript, to the webpage.

Student feedback will be recorded by a combination of an online poll and feedback form to ensure course and teaching styles are continually improved.

Any questions can be emailed directly to your lecturer or the University of Strathclyde.

Hope you enjoy your course!

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