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PECB Certified ISO 56001 Lead Implementer

Master the implementation and management of an Innovation Management System (IMS) based on ISO 56001

Why should you attend?

Organizations must continuously innovate to remain competitive, resilient, and responsive, especially in today's dynamic market. Poorly managed innovation can lead to wasted resources, missed opportunities, increased uncertainty, and limited value creation. As organizations strive to turn ideas into measurable results while managing risks and opportunities, adopting a structured and effective approach to innovation management becomes essential.

The ISO 56001 Lead Implementer training course is designed for professionals responsible for establishing and managing an IMS. It equips participants with the practical knowledge and skills required to implement an ISO 56001-compliant IMS, covering areas such as leadership and commitment, innovation strategy, opportunity and risk management, innovation objectives and portfolios, and continual improvement.

After completing the course, you will be eligible to take the exam. If you pass the exam, you can apply for the PECB Certified ISO 56001 Lead Implementer credential, which demonstrates your ability and practical knowledge to implement an IMS based on ISO 56001 requirements.



Who should attend?

This training course is intended for:

- Managers or consultants involved in or concerned with the implementation of an IMS
- Project managers, consultants, or expert advisers seeking to master the implementation of an IMS
- Individuals responsible for maintaining conformity with the IMS requirements within an organization
- Senior executives and decision-makers responsible for innovation strategy and organizational growth
- Innovation managers and R&D professionals driving new product or service development

Agenda of the Training Course

Duration: 5 days

Day 1 | Introduction to ISO 56001 and initiation of an IMS implementation

Day 2 | Implementation plan of an IMS

Day 3 | Implementation of an IMS

Day 4 | IMS monitoring, continual improvement, and preparation for the certification audit

Day 5 | Certification Exam



Learning objectives

By the end of this training course, participants will be able to:

- Explain the fundamental concepts and principles of an innovation management system (IMS) based on ISO 56001
- Interpret the ISO 56001 requirements for an IMS from the perspective of an implementer
- Initiate and plan the implementation of an IMS based on ISO 56001, by utilizing PECB's IMS2 Methodology and other best practices
- Apply best practices to support the ongoing effectiveness and improvement of the IMS based on ISO 56001
- Interpret the requirements for an ISO 56001 certification audit

Examination

Duration: 3 hours

The "PECB ISO 56001 Lead Implementer" exam fully meets the PECB Examination and Certification Program (ECP) requirements. It covers the following competency domains:

Domain 1 | Fundamental principles and concepts of an innovation management system

Domain 2 | Initiation of the IMS implementation

Domain 3 | Planning of an IMS implementation based on ISO 56001

Domain 4 | Implementation of an IMS based on ISO 56001

Domain 5 | Monitoring and measurement of an IMS based on ISO 56001

Domain 6 | Continual improvement of an IMS based on ISO 56001

Domain 7 | Preparation for an IMS certification audit

For specific information about the exam type, languages available, and other details, please visit the List of PECB Exams and Exam Rules and Policies.



Certification

After passing the exam, you can apply for one of the credentials in the table below. You will receive a certificate once you fulfill all the requirements of the selected credential.

The certification requirements for ISO 56001 Lead Implementer are:

Credential	Exam	Professional experience	IMS project experience	Other requirements
PECB Certified ISO 56001 Provisional Implementer	PECB Certified ISO 56001 Lead Implementer exam	None	None	Signing the PECB Code of Ethics
PECB Certified ISO 56001 Implementer		**2 years** (1 in innovation management)	200 hours	
PECB Certified ISO 56001 Lead Implementer		**5 years** (2 in innovation management)	300 hours	
PECB Certified ISO 56001 Senior Lead Implementer		**10 years** (7 in innovation management)	1,000 hours	

For more information about the PECB certification process, please refer to Certification Rules and Policies.

General information

- For candidates who complete a training, eLearning, or self-study course delivered by a PECB Partner, the training fee includes the first exam attempt, one free retake, the certification application fee, and the first year of the Annual Maintenance Fee (AMF). This cycle must be completed within 12 months from the course completion date for instructor-led training, or within 12 months from the purchase date for self-study and eLearning formats.
- Candidates will receive more than 450 pages of comprehensive training materials, including practical examples, exercises, and quizzes.
- An attestation of course completion worth 31 CPD (Continuing Professional Development) credits will be awarded to the candidate.
- If the initial exam is not passed, a free retake may be taken within 12 months of the course completion date. For self-study or eLearning courses, the 12-month period is calculated from the date of purchase.