



Avalanche Operations Level 2 – Module 1

Sample Schedule

Note: As with any tentative schedule, changes will be made as required to deliver the course.

Day 1

0800	Welcome: Participant introductions Introduction to course
0915	Break
0930	Personal performance/team building: Desert survival simulation
1045	Break
1100	Personal performance/Team building continued
1210	Lunch
1310	Personal performance/Team building continued
1435	Break
1450	Personal performance and wellness
1540	Break
1550	Situational Awareness
1655	Summary & conclusions, feedback
1715	End

Homework: Reflections/self-evaluation in learning journal
Review target risk and risk homeostasis materials
Review snowpack processes and properties info from pre-course package

Day 2

0800	Welcome: Review of previous day
0830	Snowpack processes and properties
0945	Break
1000	Snowpack processes and properties continued
1055	Break
1100	Applying risk theory to avalanche work
1200	Lunch
1300	Decision-making
1415	Break
1430	Personal performance: Learning styles
1530	Teamwork and risk management
1715	Summary and conclusions, feedback
1730	End

Homework: Reflection/Self-evaluation in learning journal
Review avalanche initiation materials from pre-course package
Review terrain materials from pre-course package
Review Reason's Model materials from pre-course package

Day 3

0800 Welcome: Debrief with groups from the 1st two days
0815 Introductions/Team building with new group
0830 Managing the unexpected
0940 Break
0955 Introduction to Reason's Model
1110 Break
1125 Hazardous attitudes
1200 Lunch
1300 Avalanche initiation
1430 Break
1445 Terrain
1545 Break
1600 Terrain continued
1700 Summary and conclusions, feedback
1715 End

Homework: Reflection/Self-evaluation in learning journal
Review all learning in preparation for interactive case study

Day 4

0800 Welcome: Review of previous day
0825 Spatial variability of snowpack
1000 Break
1015 Snow and terrain case study
1115 Review session
1200 Lunch
1300 Interactive operational decision-making case using teams
1400 Break
1500 Professionalism: CPD and professional ethics
1610 Summary: Implementing changes in the workplace
1620 Conclusion of course, summative feedback
1630 **Course Conclusion**