Fundamentals of Standards & Conformity Assessment: Basic Knowledge and Tools for Today’s Professional

This high-energy, information-packed course covers the fundamentals of standards, conformity assessment, and the various processes, business models and issues encountered in standards setting and conformity assessment practices. Key concepts covered include the importance of standards, researching standards, standardization roles, and some of the issues and drivers facing today’s standards developers and users.

This course is designed to enhance the knowledge of those working with standards and conformity schemes—whether newcomers or seasoned professionals.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND?
New standards professionals and anyone working with standards and conformity assessment: SDO staff, engineers, corporate managers, government and public administration staff – and more!

Monday
August 6, 2018
8:00 am - 5:00 pm

Course Topics
- What are standards? Why use standards?
- Standards Developing Organizations and standards systems
- Standards stakeholders
- Standards Development Lifecycle
- Researching and acquiring standards
- What is conformity Assessment?
- Value of standards
- Standardization roles

The day will include interactive exercise, class lectures, panel discussions and open discussions.

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This course provides fundamentals along with tools and resources to be used throughout one’s career.

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