

**COMSATS Institute of Information Technology**  
**(Department of Management Sciences)**  
**Master of Project Management**  
**(MPM)**

**Introduction:**

Projects have shaped human civilization like no other force. The glitzy skylines of our world's great metropolitan centers, the multilane highways that stretch to the horizon and the cars that drive down them, the planes that carry us across continents to distant, exotic destinations, shopping malls and supermarkets. The myriad consumer electronic gadgets that make our life so enjoyable – all these and countless other things started their existence as projects.

Projects are the building blocks of a nation's development. For evolving economies like Pakistan, projects are an omnipresent reality. There is a dire need to manage projects effectively and efficiently, irrespective of whether these projects are being pursued in infrastructure, construction, IT, telecommunication, social sector development or poverty alleviation schemes. Still, there is a dearth of knowledge about project management in Pakistan and most projects are not meeting expectations. Few institutions offer adequate training in Project Management.

The CIIT MPM is one year degree programme encompassing eleven course modules, each having duration of three credit hours per semester.

**COURSE MODULES:**

**The MPM offers the following course modules:**

- Fundamentals of Project Management
  - Stakeholder Management
  - Cost Management
  - Project Controlling
  - Project Human Resource Management
- CORE COURSES
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- Project Risk Management
  - Project Time Management
  - Project Quality Management
  - Seminar in Project Management
  - Managing Complex Projects
  - Software Application
  - Development Projects
  - Research Methods for Project Managers
- ELECTIVE COURSES

### **DETAILS OF THE PROGRAM:**

In each of the course modules, students are required to appear in two sessionals (sessional I 10 marks & sessional II 15 marks) a final examination of (50 marks) and rest of the 25 marks are awarded through internal assessment i.e., including (quizzes, assignments, class disciples, class presentation etc.)

CIIT has done extensive preparations leading to the launch of the MPM. As a matter of fact, it has been under regular and careful consideration and discussion for about two years now. The selection and design of the contents of the course core and elective modules has been undertaken by the MPM organizers keeping in mind our desire to provide our students with a holistic perspective on project Management and to fully equip knowledge and insight of all the processes, tools and techniques they need in order to properly manage projects in their professional lives.

CIIT is proud that all its MPM instructors are among the finest available in our capital city. Most of them have foreign PhDs in addition to having worked for years with reputed organizations in the government, corporate or non-governmental and development sectors. They are professionals eager to work with professionals in the cause of spreading project management education in Pakistan.

CIIT is a public sector university which has been awarding degree since 2000. It has six campuses in Pakistan with its principle seat in Pakistan.

Since its establishment, CIIT has undergone a rapid expansion. Originally imparting training in IT only, CIIT today offers undergraduate and graduate degree programmes in numerous disciplines, including architecture, biosciences, computer sciences, electrical engineering, and management sciences. CIIT maintains a large number of collaborative links with reputed universities across the globe. Its combined staff and students strength exceeds 12,000. In 2008, CIIT was ranked on 5<sup>th</sup> place among public sector universities by the Higher Education Commission of Pakistan.

For detailed Information on our MPM Programme Please visit our website

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