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ISO 14001:2026 Internal Auditor

Course No. 103B



Duration

21 Hours



Modules

7 Modules



Format

Instructor-driven via
Zoom



Outcome

QPS Certificate

COURSE OVERVIEW

This course provides a thorough understanding of internal auditing practices aligned with ISO 14001:2026 — the latest revision of the international EMS standard. Participants will learn to evaluate EMS compliance, identify improvement opportunities, and contribute to environmental performance under the updated requirements.

The course incorporates hands-on audit exercises, checklist development, and real-world scenarios reflecting the 2026 revisions including climate change, biodiversity, and resource-availability considerations, the new EMS change-management clause (6.3), and enhanced stakeholder and life-cycle obligations.

LEARNING OUTCOMES & KEY TAKEAWAYS

Upon completion of this course, participants will be able to:

- ✓ Understand the updated requirements of ISO 14001:2026 and key changes from the 2015 version
- ✓ Identify environmental aspects, impacts, and compliance obligations under the 2026 revision
- ✓ Understand the role and responsibilities of an internal EMS auditor
- ✓ Plan and prepare for an effective internal EMS audit
- ✓ Conduct a thorough internal audit and gather objective evidence
- ✓ Report audit findings clearly and accurately
- ✓ Follow up on corrective actions and contribute to continual improvement

COURSE CURRICULUM

Module	Title	Key Topics Covered
MODULE 1	Overview of ISO 14001:2026 & Key Changes	EMS overview, ISO 14001:2026 structure, key changes from 2015, climate change, biodiversity, and life-cycle perspective additions
MODULE 2	Environmental Aspects, Impacts & Compliance Obligations	Identifying and evaluating aspects and impacts, compliance obligations register, legal requirements
MODULE 3	Leadership, Planning & Risk-Based Thinking	Leadership responsibilities, environmental policy, objectives, risk-based thinking under 2026 revision
MODULE 4	Support, Operations & Emergency Preparedness	Competence and awareness, documented information, operational controls, emergency preparedness and response
MODULE 5	Internal Audit Planning & Preparation	Internal audit principles, developing audit plans, checklists, tools, and pre-audit documentation
MODULE 6	Conducting the Internal Audit	Opening meeting, evidence gathering techniques, interviewing, audit trail, managing the audit
MODULE 7	Reporting, Follow-Up & Auditor Competence	Writing findings and nonconformities, audit report, corrective action follow-up, auditor roles and competencies

COURSE INSTRUCTOR

The seminar leader is an Expert Certified Lead Auditor with over 20 years' experience in implementing ISO 14001 and other environmental management systems.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

Environmental & Audit Professionals

- ▶ EMS internal auditors
- ▶ Environmental and sustainability professionals
- ▶ Quality, health, and safety personnel
- ▶ Compliance officers and operations managers
- ▶ Individuals preparing for ISO 14001:2026 certification

Management & Technical Teams

- ▶ Facility managers and sustainability leads
- ▶ Consultants and advisors in EMS
- ▶ Process owners with environmental responsibilities
- ▶ Anyone with basic ISO 14001 background
- ▶ Professionals advancing their EMS audit competency

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