

# Certificate in Lean & OpEx (Yellow Belt)

Faculty of Engineering & Design

#### **COURSE OVERVIEW**

Award:

Start Date: September 2023 Durat

Delivery Method: Online (no campus attendance needed) Asses

Certificate in Engineering (Level 7)

5 ECTS credits

**Duration:** 1 Semester (14 weeks)

Assessment: 100% Online Assessment
Hours study: Lectures: 1 hr per week

Self-study: 3 – 5 hrs per week

The 'Lean and Operational Excellence (Lean OpEx) Yellow Belt' certificate course is primarily aimed at individuals within an organisation who wish to develop a foundation in the principles of Lean and the Operational Excellence tools. Obtaining your Yellow Belt will enhance your qualifications as this certification is in great demand by employers.

### **COURSE CONTENT**

## **Topics will include:**

- Principles of Lean and Operational Excellence
- The culture of continuous improvement.
- Identifying the 7 wastes in your process
- Standard Work
- Gemba walks
- Problem Solving
- Kaizen

- Lean Metrics and Key Performance Indicators (KPIs)
- Value Stream Mapping™
- 5S and Visual Management
- Overall Equipment Efficiency (OEE)
- SMED (Quick Changeover Techniques)
- Poka-Yoke (Error Proofing)
- JIT Production Levelling / Kanban

## COURSE FEE: €<del>500</del> / €250\*

\*Normally priced at €500, as a special offer ATU Sligo have discounted the fee to €250. The ICBE Advanced Productivity Skillnet is offering an additional subsidy of €100, reducing the cost of the Yellow Belt to €150 per person. Places are limited on this programme. To avail of the subsidy, applicants must have their employer **pre-register** their interest with ICBE by completing the following form: <a href="mailto:icbe.ie/sligo-lean-opex-yellow-belt-registration-form/">icbe.ie/sligo-lean-opex-yellow-belt-registration-form/</a>



- Skillnet Funding can only be applied where the employer pays the course fees on behalf of the student.
- Self-employed applicants can avail of the subsidy.
- ICBE Advanced Productivity Skillnet will issue the invoice for €150 per person directly to you or your organisation.
- Public-sector and companies outside of the Republic of Ireland are not eligible for the subsidy but can still apply directly to ATU Sligo to participate in the course.
- Applicants who are not eligible for the ICBE subsidy will be invoiced directly by ATU Sligo for €250.

#### **FOR FURTHER DETAILS:**

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