

SKILLS CERTIFICATIONS PROFILE 2018









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The Supply Chain Smart Difference

Globally Accredited Certifications Skills-based, fully online!

SupplyChainSmart provides a world-class online learning platform that delivers practical education in the areas of supply chain management, logistics, inventory, manufacturing, warehouse management, purchasing, planning and scheduling.

The model is unique with:

- ✓ Powerful and easy to use learning tools to make you a master practitioner in your field
- ✓ On-line assessment and immediate results.
- ✓ Practical examples and case studies throughout all courses
- ✓ International globally recognised certification
- ✓ Access to facilitators through chat room

The IABFM Accreditation

All **SupplyChainSmart** certifications are accredited by the **IABFM**. This means that earning a certification with **SupplyChainSmart** will make your qualifications instantly recognizable in countries such as Saudi Arabia, China, Germany, U.S.A, UK and 140 other countries. Certified professionals earn up to 18% more than their non-certified peer which is reason enough to become a supply chain leader today



The IABFM™ is a professional association governed by a Board of Standards and a membership code of ethics and standards of practice. IABFM™ has members and chapters registered in more than 145 countries providing brand recognition for the association and for our individual designations.



Getting Started

The first step towards becoming a certified procurement professional is to master industry basics and best practices. At **SupplyChainSmart** that's exactly you will learn.



Foundation Certifications

Our class leading foundation level certifications are designed to give you the perfect start in areas such as logistics, supply chain management, forecasting and inventory management.

Progressive Certifications

Specifically developed in conjunction with certified procurement professionals to ensure relevance and accuracy, our Progressive certifications guarantee a learning experience that is skills-based, relevant and world-class.

Trailblazer Certifications

The trailblazer certifications represent the very best training on the market. Enroll in one of these courses to set yourself above the competition and give your career a boost.



Foundation Certification

GWIP - Global Warehouse & **Inventory Practitioner** Certification



This certification is important for all warehouse personnel. There is a lot more to the control and handling of inventory than meets the eve. Inventory is one of the largest assets that a business will own and the safe keeping of this asset is an important role in the business. Accuracy and efficiency are key disciplines needed for the correct control of inventory. There are 10 modules to be completed to gain certification in this field. Each module has 8 lessons. 8 guizzes and practical assignments which need to be submitted.

Going through the Global Warehouse & Inventory Practitioner certification is specifically created to enhance your competence and skills in inventory and warehouse management. It is ideal for anyone considering a career in warehouse best practice and inventory management.

Upon completion, you can look forward to occupations such as Warehouse Manager, Inventory Controller, Warehouse Supervisor, to mention a few.

Course Structure

Module 1	The Importance and Value of inventory to a business
Module 2	Warehouse efficiency rules and responsibilities

Module 3	The storage	and	movement	of	inventory	through	the	Supply
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Module 4 Responsible material handling

Module 5 Inbound Inventory

Inventory for Manufacturing Module 6

Module 7 **Outbound Inventory**

Module 8 Stock Taking and Cycle Counting

Module 9 Working in a Business Module 10 Working in a Team



Progressive Certification

GIRP – Global Inventory Replenishment & Logistics Practitioner Certification



To ensure the best chances for getting in-demand logistics jobs, we have designed this certification to give you an understanding of the replenishment cycle for inventory as well as warehouse and logistics control. If you are looking at a career in stock management and distribution, this certification is just for you.

Inventory replenishment is the process of ensuring that the right inventory is available when it is needed and in the right place. In this certification we give you a deep understanding of all the skills needed to be successful in this role. There are 10 modules to be completed to gain certification in this field. Each module has 8 lessons, 8 quizzes and practical assignments which need to be submitted

This course will give you the grounding you need to take your education and your career to the next level. Upon completion, you can look forward to occupations such as Stock Control coordinator, inventory and Purchasing, Merchandise Supervisor and so many more.

Module 1	Inventory in the Supply Chain
Module 2	Importance of Customer Service
Module 3	Business Communication
Module 4	Calculations and statistics
Module 5	Inventory Valuation Methodologies
Module 6	Inventory Management Methods
Module 7	Lead time and Order review methodologies
Module 8	Logistics: Warehouse Management
Module 9	Logistics: Distribution and Transport Management
Module 10	Motivate and Build a Team



Progressive Certification

GFPP – Global Operational Forecasting & Planning Practitioner Certification



This certification is important for anyone looking to apply and build on their skills in an operational environment. If you are already responsible for the demand planning and forecasting this is for you too.

The Global Operational Forecasting & Planning Practitioner Certification covers a range of subjects in the business planning environment, looking at an overview of CRM, S&OP, Demand Management, statistics, production planning, Lean and TOC thinking and SRM, including some new thinking in this subject and provides you with a great foundation for what you need to be successful at your job. There are 10 modules to be completed to gain certification in this field. Each module has 8 lessons, 8 quizzes and practical assignments which need to be submitted.

In order to guarantee good inventory management practice, there is need to focus on sound demand planning and forecasting. With this certification, you can look for a job as a demand planner, inventory analyst and inventory control manager, to name a few.

Module 1	Planning - a Critical Discipline for a Successful Supply Chain
Module 2	Inventory in Planning
Module 3	Customer Relationship Management
Module 4	Sales and Operations Planning
Module 5	Forecasting and Demand Management
Module 6	Statistics and Problem Solving
Module 7	Production Planning
Module 8	Material and Capacity planning
Module 9	Lean and TOC Thinking in Planning
Module 10	Supplier Relationship Management



Progressive Certification

GMCP – Global Manufacturing Process Control Practitioner Certification



This certification is important for anyone working in an operational environment and who is responsible for the demand planning and forecasting function within the business

The manufacturing process control practitioner is responsible for managing the events that occur on the shop floor and for ensuring that the team works together to achieve objectives. This certification provides explanation for the entire planning process which ultimately ends up as instructions to manufacture. There are 10 modules to be completed to gain certification in this field. Each module has 8 lessons, 8 quizzes and practical assignments which need to be submitted.

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Module 1	Inventory in the Supply Chain
Module 2	Importance of Customer Service
Module 3	Business Communication
Module 4	Calculations and statistics
Module 5	Motivate and Build a Team
Module 6	Purchasing and procurement
Module 7	MRP
Module 8	CRP
Module 9	Lean Manufacturing and JIT
Module 10	Total Quality Management (TQM)



Progressive Certification GSMP – Global Supply Chain & Materials Management Practitioner Certification



To ensure an efficient supply chain, there's need for a certified procurement professional. Enroll in this certification and become just that.

This is an extensive course is designed to give learners an introduction to the principles of Operations Manage and Supply Chain Management. This course covers the basic principles and techniques applicable in the practice of Supply Chain and Inventory Management.

Upon completion of this certification, you will be ready for a career as a Materials Manager, Manager of procurement, contracts and materials or Purchasing and Materials Supervisor, among others.

There are 10 modules to be completed to gain certification in this field. Each module has 8 lessons, 8 quizzes and practical assignments which need to be submitted

Module 1	What is a supply chain?
Module 2	Inventory management
Module 3	Inventory value and replenishment
Module 4	Distribution Management
Module 5	Demand Management
Module 6	Long Term Planning
Module 7	Medium Term Planning
Module 8	Short Term Planning
Module 9	Total Quality Management
Module 10	Lean thinking



GPSP – Global Purchasing & Supply Chain Practitioner Certification – Public Sector

Trailblazer



This certification zeroes in on the principal aspects of the supply/value chain, including ways to improve how companies source raw materials and services they require creating a product or service and delivering it to customers. It also includes necessary of control and collaboration with distribution partners, which can be suppliers, intermediaries, third-party service providers, and customers.

The certification covers a wide array of areas such as mapping the supply chain and describes the benefits of applying the philosophy, developing indicators for a supply chain performance management system and interrogating the interrelationship between the concept of supply chain management and demand, acquisitions, distribution and logistics. There are 20 modules; each module has 4 lessons, 4 guizzes and a practical assignment which need to be submitted.

Module 1	Supply Chain Philosophy
Module 2	Supply Chain Performance
Module 3	Supply Chain Technology
Module 4	Supply Chain Environment
Module 5	Supply Chain Operations
Module 6	Supply Chain Relationships
Module 7	Warehouse and Transport Logistics
Module 8	Management Practice
Module 9	Principles and Legislation for Supply Chain in the Public Sector
Module 10	Ethics in the Supply Chain
Module 11	Demand and Acquisition in the Public Sector Supply Chain
Module 12	Strategic Sourcing Planning & Assessment
Module 13	Supplier Negotiations
Module 14	Supplier Selection & Performance
Module 15	Contract Implementation
Module 16	Contract Management
Module 17	Inventory in the Supply Chain
Module 18	Inbound & Outbound Logistics
Module 19	Inventory Returns/ Reverse Logistics
Module 20	Project Management



GSLP – Global Supply Chain and Logistics Practitioner Certification



This certification looks at advanced processes related to procurement, logistics and distribution as well as its role in the overall supply chain.

A Logistics Manager is responsible for controlling and keeping a keen eye on all distribution systems and their efficiency thereof. He/she makes sure that inventory is always available in the right quantity at the right time. This certification provides the skills to become an effective distribution controller, supervisor or manager. There are 20 modules; each module has 4 lessons, 4 guizzes and a practical assignment which need to be submitted.

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Module 15	Inbound & Outbound Logistics
Module 16	Inventory Returns/ Reverse Logistics
Module 17	Project Management
Module 18	Corporate Governance
Module 19	International Trade
Module 20	Strategic Supply Chain Management



GSPP – Global Supply Chain and Procurement Practitioner Certification



This certification zeroes in on the principal aspects of the supply/value chain, including ways to improve the sourcing of goods and services for any operation in the public sector. It also includes necessary of control and collaboration with distribution partners, which can be suppliers, intermediaries, third-party service providers, and customers.

Covering all the basics from the philosophy behind Supply Chain Management to Information Systems, you will be guaranteed of having a firm grip on end-to-end solutions. Particular emphasis is placed on the public sector, making the certification for individuals working in governmental institutions. There are 20 modules; each module has 4 lessons, 4 quizzes and a practical assignment which need to be submitted.

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GSSP – Global Strategic Supply Chain Practitioner Certification



Strategic supply chain management means having a keen overall view of all activities in the supply chain. In order for the supply chain to be competitive, and to deliver on contractual customer service levels, technology must play a key role.

The certification will provide you with the knowledge and understanding to fulfill this role effectively. A certified practitioner in Strategic Supply Chain Management will have a much better chance of pursuing a career in this field. There are 20 modules; each module has 4 lessons, 4 quizzes and a practical assignment which need to be submitted.

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Module 18	International Trade
Module 19	Strategic Supply Chain Management
Module 20	Lead and Influence the Supply Chain



Frequently Asked Questions

Who certifies the courses?

The courses are certified by an international accreditation body- IABFM. https://www.iabfm.org/

Is there a local representative?

Supply Chain Smart is a truly virtual company. What does this mean? It means that although our courses are offered al I over the world, we do not have a physical presence in countries all over the world. We are online and available to chat to you whenever you need us

What is the duration of a course? Courses are downloaded from the Supply Chain Smart Learner Management System (LMS). Each course consists of 8 lessons which can be downloaded individually. You can expect to take between 25 and 40 minutes per lesson to ready the Practitioners Guide and view the video and animation links. After each lesson, you need to complete a short assessment and submit a homework assignment. This can take an additional 10 - 20 minutes to complete.

Are there lectures?

Supply Chain Smart courses are on-line courses and therefore there are no lectures. If however you would like to arrange lectures for a group of more than 8 learners, you can contact us regarding this

on sales@SupplyChainSmart.com

How do I become certified?

After you have completed all modules, you will take a final exam in order to get your certification. The final certification is an online assessment and on obtaining a pass you will receive your electronic certification. You will also receive your award trophy with your name and certification.

How long do I have to complete the course?

The ideal timeframe to complete any of the certifications is in 18 months

Do I get a discount if I purchase all 10 modules in the certification?

You do get a discount if you purchase all 10 modules in a certification at the same time. For example, if you purchase all 10 modules of the Global Warehouse & Inventory Practitioner certification, it will cost you \$550 rather than a total of \$600 when paid per module.

Do I need to be on-line for my assessments?

Assessments are taken on-line. You will need to be connected to Wi-Fi to take your assessments.

What is the pass mark for assessments?

In order to move to the next LESSON, you will need to pass all your assessments with a 100% pass mark. A pass requires all questions to be answered correctly, so ensure that you have studied well before beginning your assessments. You will be given multiple chances to complete an assessment. Each Practical Assignment requires a 95% pass, before being able to continue

How do I register?

Follow the link to the registration page https://www.SupplyChainSmart.com/re gister and complete the learner register form. Select the course that you would like to purchase and make the necessary payment. Your user account will be generated and you will be able to access the Learner Management System

Can I print the practitioners guide?

All the Supply Chain Smart lessons come with a Practitioners Guide. This provides you with a text book related to the course, there are also links to video clips and case studies and each lesson has an animation with summaries the lesson. The Practitioners Guide is downloaded to a single devise, but it cannot be printed.

