



Accredited Africa Training Institute for Capacity Development

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COURSE BROCHURE

Conservation Management Plan Implementation

Agriculture and Nature Conservation / Nature Conservation

Unit Standard 257160 · NQF Level 4 · 6 Credits · 3 Days

COURSE OVERVIEW

This course equips learners with the practical skills to implement a conservation management plan in a protected area or conservation context. It covers operational planning, monitoring, reporting, and adaptive management to ensure biodiversity conservation objectives are met.

Category	Agriculture and Nature Conservation
Subfield	Nature Conservation
Unit Standard	257160
Accreditation	SAQA Accredited · NQF Level 4 · 6 Credits
Duration	3 days
Training Method	Online, On-Campus, In-House
Certificate	Issued via AATICD LMS – verifiable online

LEARNING OUTCOMES

- Interpret a conservation management plan and identify key implementation actions.
- Develop an operational implementation schedule with resource allocation.
- Apply monitoring protocols to track progress against conservation objectives.
- Evaluate implementation data and recommend adaptive management adjustments.
- Demonstrate effective reporting and communication of implementation outcomes.
- Implement measures to mitigate threats to biodiversity within the plan's scope.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

- Conservation practitioners, reserve managers, field rangers, and environmental officers responsible for implementing conservation plans in South Africa.

COURSE OUTLINE

Day 1: Foundations of Conservation Management Plan Implementation

- Introduction to Conservation Management Plans (CMPs).
- Legal framework: National Environmental Management Act (NEMA), Protected Areas Act, etc.
- Key components of a CMP: vision, objectives, zoning, and action plans.
- Stakeholder identification and engagement.
- Baseline data collection methods (ecological, cultural, social).
- Overview of monitoring and evaluation principles.

Day 2: Planning and Operationalising CMP Actions

- Translating CMP objectives into operational actions.
- Resource allocation and budgeting for conservation activities.
- Adaptive management cycle: plan, do, check, act.
- Risk assessment and contingency planning.
- Work scheduling and task prioritisation.
- Communication and reporting protocols.

Day 3: Monitoring, Evaluation, and Reporting

- Selecting and defining performance indicators.
- Field data collection techniques (transects, camera traps, water quality, etc.).
- Data analysis: trends, thresholds, and triggers.
- Reporting formats and stakeholder feedback.
- Reviewing and updating the CMP based on findings.
- Case studies of successful CMP implementation.

ASSESSMENT & CERTIFICATION

Delegates are assessed through exercises and a final test. A mark of **50% or above** earns an **AATICD Certificate of Completion**, issued digitally with a unique verification code. This course carries **6 NQF credits** at **NQF Level 4**.

PRICING (PER DELEGATE, EX-VAT)

Delegates	Training Method	Price per Delegate	Total
1	Online	R 17,900.00	R 17,900.00
1	In-House	R 23,300.00	R 23,300.00
1	On-Campus (Pretoria)	R 26,800.00	R 26,800.00

UPCOMING SESSIONS

Start	End	Method	Venue
10 Aug 2026	12 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Durban, South Africa
10 Aug 2026	12 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Dubai, UAE
11 Aug 2026	13 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Pretoria, South Africa
11 Aug 2026	13 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Mauritius
12 Aug 2026	14 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Abu Dhabi, UAE
12 Aug 2026	14 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Cape Town, South Africa
17 Aug 2026	19 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Shenzhen, China
17 Aug 2026	19 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Pretoria, South Africa

Contact us if no suitable date is listed – on-demand sessions can be arranged for groups.

HOW TO GET A QUOTE OR APPLY

1. **Get an instant quotation online:** visit www.aaticd.co.za, open the page for this course (Unit Standard 257160) and click **Get A Quote / Apply**. Select your training method and number of delegates – your quotation is generated immediately and emailed to you with the course brochure attached.
2. **Apply by email:** send the course title, your preferred training method (Online, In-House or On-Campus Pretoria), the number of delegates and your preferred dates to apply@aaticd.co.za – our team will reply with a formal quotation.
3. **Apply by phone or WhatsApp:** call **+27 12 004 8389** or WhatsApp **+27 65 077 6310** and we will prepare your quotation and reserve your seats.
4. **Confirm your booking:** accept the quotation and settle the invoice. As soon as payment is confirmed your delegates are enrolled and receive their AATICD LMS login details by email, along with joining instructions for their chosen training method.

Group discounts apply automatically – the more delegates you enrol, the lower the price per delegate. No payment is required to request a quotation.

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