



Accredited Africa Training Institute for Capacity Development

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COURSE BROCHURE

ISO 14001 Environmental Management Systems

Custom Courses / Health, Safety and Environment (HSE)

Unit Standard AATICD-0313 · NQF Level 5 · 10 Credits · 5 Days

COURSE OVERVIEW

This course equips learners with the knowledge and skills to implement and maintain an Environmental Management System (EMS) aligned with ISO 14001. It focuses on understanding environmental aspects, impacts, legal requirements, and the continuous improvement cycle to enhance organisational environmental performance. Participants will be prepared to contribute effectively to their organisation's sustainability goals and compliance obligations.

Category	Custom Courses
Subfield	Health, Safety and Environment (HSE)
Unit Standard	AATICD-0313
Accreditation	SAQA Accredited · NQF Level 5 · 10 Credits
Duration	5 days
Training Method	Online, On-Campus, In-House
Certificate	Issued via AATICD LMS – verifiable online

LEARNING OUTCOMES

- Apply the principles and requirements of ISO 14001:2015 to develop or improve an EMS.
- Analyse the environmental aspects and impacts of organisational activities, products, and services.
- Evaluate legal and other requirements relevant to environmental management and ensure compliance.
- Design and implement operational controls and emergency preparedness procedures.
- Demonstrate the ability to conduct internal audits and management reviews to ensure continual improvement.
- Implement strategies for engaging stakeholders and fostering an environmental culture.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

- This course is designed for environmental managers, compliance officers, quality assurance professionals, and anyone responsible for developing, implementing, or improving an EMS within their organisation.

COURSE OUTLINE

Day 1: Introduction to Environmental Management and ISO 14001

- Overview of environmental management and sustainability
- History and development of ISO 14001
- The ISO 14001:2015 standard: scope, terms, and definitions
- The PDCA cycle and its role in continual improvement
- Benefits of implementing an EMS
- Introduction to environmental aspects and impacts
- Overview of compliance obligations and legal requirements

Day 2: Planning the EMS – Context, Leadership, and Risk-Based Thinking

- Understanding the organization and its context (Clause 4.1)
- Identifying interested parties and their requirements (Clause 4.2)
- Defining the scope of the EMS (Clause 4.3)
- Leadership and commitment (Clause 5.1)
- Environmental policy (Clause 5.2)
- Roles, responsibilities, and authorities (Clause 5.3)
- Risk-based thinking and determination of risks and opportunities (Clause 6.1)
- Environmental aspects and impacts assessment (Clause 6.1.2)

Day 3: Supporting the EMS – Resources, Competence, and Operational Planning

- Resources, competence, and awareness (Clause 7.1, 7.2, 7.3)
- Communication and participation (Clause 7.4)
- Documented information and control (Clause 7.5)
- Operational planning and control (Clause 8.1)
- Emergency preparedness and response (Clause 8.2)
- Lifecycle perspective and outsourcing considerations
- Linking operational controls to significant aspects

Day 4: Performance Evaluation and Internal Auditing

- Monitoring, measurement, analysis, and evaluation (Clause 9.1)
- Evaluation of compliance (Clause 9.1.2)
- Internal audit program (Clause 9.2)
- Audit techniques, skills, and reporting
- Management review (Clause 9.3)
- Using performance data for continual improvement
- Root cause analysis and corrective action

Day 5: Continual Improvement and Integration with Business Processes

- Continual improvement (Clause 10.3)
- Nonconformity and corrective action (Clause 10.2)
- Improvement opportunities and innovation
- Integration with ISO 9001 and ISO 45001
- Certification process and selecting a certification body
- Preparing for certification audits
- Developing an EMS implementation roadmap
- Case studies and best practices

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 **10 NQF credits** at **NQF Level 5**.

PRICING (PER DELEGATE, EX-VAT)

Delegates	Training Method	Price per Delegate	Total
1	Online	R 17,700.00	R 17,700.00
1	In-House	R 23,100.00	R 23,100.00
1	On-Campus (Pretoria)	R 26,700.00	R 26,700.00

UPCOMING SESSIONS

Start	End	Method	Venue
05 Oct 2026	09 Oct 2026	On-Campus	Kigali, Rwanda
05 Oct 2026	09 Oct 2026	On-Campus	Bangkok, Thailand
05 Oct 2026	09 Oct 2026	On-Campus	Lusaka, Zambia
05 Oct 2026	09 Oct 2026	Online	—
05 Oct 2026	09 Oct 2026	On-Campus	Windhoek, Namibia
05 Oct 2026	09 Oct 2026	On-Campus	Nairobi, Kenya
05 Oct 2026	09 Oct 2026	On-Campus	Mbabane, Eswatini
12 Oct 2026	16 Oct 2026	On-Campus	London, UK

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 AATICD-0313) 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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