



ASQ Learning Institute™

The ASQ Learning Institute™ is a comprehensive professional-development resource that provides users with the quality concepts, technologies, and tools to improve themselves, their organizations, and their world. The ASQ Learning Institute houses all of ASQ's learning offerings in one convenient location and is the seamless integration of ASQ training resources. Encompassing all learning events, the system ensures consistent course delivery and offers several features available to ASQ members and nonmembers. Visit the ASQ Learning Institute at www.asq.org/learninginstitute.

Features of the ASQ Learning Institute include:

ASQ Learning Institute Calendar: Provides a clear view of all ASQ professional development opportunities over an 18-month period. The calendar allows visitors to view upcoming learning offerings that include courses, seminars, and conferences.

Course Catalog: A list of all available ASQ training, including instructor-led, online, and document-based. Users can browse and locate training quickly, searching by subject areas or date.

Competency Assessment: Provides a structured list of knowledge, skills, and abilities that serves as a foundation for users to map the level of competencies needed for various job functions.

Career Planner: With multiple learning activities available, the career planner helps learners develop a curriculum road map for professional development.

Learning Plan: This personalized plan provides a detailed description of user activities to help learners achieve their education goals.

Knowledge Center

The Knowledge Center is the most comprehensive and accessible online source for the Quality Body of Knowledge (QBOK®), designed for ease-of-use and search by those new-to-quality as well as the most advanced expert. The powerful search engine, multimedia formats, and content gathered from around the globe deliver an information service that is vast and deep on quality tools and their application, as well as many other resources. Visit the Knowledge Center at www.asq.org.

Features of the Knowledge Center include:

Knowledge Center Search—A search tool that allows users to search ASQ's archives, which include tens of thousands of journal articles, books, standards, and e-learning opportunities.

Standards Central—Includes content for users and developers of standards at any level. It also features "Ask the Standards Team," a free service that lets users ask specific questions and receive customized answers.

Submissions—A Web page for anyone interested in writing for ASQ. It contains information on everything from submitting short journal and Web articles to crafting book proposals and conference presentations.

Editor's Picks—Specially featured content that will change often, so that Web users will want to return again and again.

Ask a Librarian—Allows you to pose a query for a literature search or research project to ASQ's research librarian.

The Knowledge Center also incorporates the function and resources of the Quality Information Center (QIC). Located at ASQ headquarters, this library collection includes ASQ Quality Press books, a complete run of ASQ magazines and journals, and quality- and management-related material from other sources.