

BUSINESS CONTINUITY AND CRISIS MANAGEMENT | COURSE BROCHURE

Leading Organisations Through Prolonged Disruption

5 days | Classroom training | English

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Why attend

Some crises last months or years, such as pandemics, conflicts, economic shocks or long recoveries. This course helps leaders sustain organisations through prolonged disruption: adapting strategy, managing fatigue, maintaining engagement, financial resilience, scenario-based planning, communication rhythms and preparing for the new normal.

Leadership approaches that work in a short crisis do not sustain long disruptions. You will learn to lead for endurance.

Professional Problems This Course Is Designed to Solve

- Difficulty translating subject knowledge into practical workplace decisions.
- Inconsistent approaches to the activities covered in the course outline.
- Lack of a structured plan for applying and reviewing new skills.

Course methodology

Case studies of long crises, scenario planning workshops, leadership reflection and peer discussion.

Course objectives

By the end of this course, participants will be able to:
- Distinguish prolonged disruption from acute crises
- Adapt strategy and plans continuously
- Protect staff wellbeing and manage fatigue
- Maintain engagement and communication
- Strengthen financial resilience
- Prepare the organisation for the new normal

Target audience

This course is suitable for:
- Senior executives
- Department heads
- Crisis and continuity leaders
- HR leaders
- Public sector managers



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Target competencies

Participants will develop competencies in:

- Adaptive strategy
- Wellbeing leadership
- Communication
- Financial resilience
- Change leadership

Course outline

Day 1: Prolonged Disruption

09:00–10:08	Characteristics
10:08–11:00	Case studies
11:00–11:30	**Coffee break**
11:30–11:45	Case studies (continued)
11:45–12:53	Leadership challenges
12:53–14:00	Exercise

Day 2: Adaptive Strategy

09:00–10:08	Scenario-based planning
10:08–11:00	Rolling plans
11:00–11:30	**Coffee break**
11:30–11:45	Rolling plans (continued)
11:45–12:53	Decision rhythms
12:53–14:00	Workshop

Day 3: People

09:00–10:08	Fatigue and burnout
10:08–11:00	Engagement
11:00–11:30	**Coffee break**



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11:30–11:45	Engagement (continued)
11:45–12:53	Communication rhythms
12:53–14:00	Exercise

Day 4: Financial Resilience

09:00–10:08	Cash and costs
10:08–11:00	Funding
11:00–11:30	**Coffee break**
11:30–11:45	Funding (continued)
11:45–12:53	Prioritisation
12:53–14:00	Case study

Day 5: The New Normal

09:00–10:08	Learning and adaptation
10:08–11:00	Transformation opportunities
11:00–11:30	**Coffee break**
11:30–11:45	Transformation opportunities (continued)
11:45–12:53	Leadership plan
12:53–14:00	Action plan

The timings provided are estimates and may vary depending on the number of participants and the discussions taking place during the sessions. They are indicative only and do not constitute a binding commitment.



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Dates, venues and fees

Current published course plans. Fees are per participant in GBP, excluding unconfirmed taxes.

Venue	Start date	End date	Fee (GBP)
Barcelona Confirmed dates	16 Nov 2026	20 Nov 2026	**£2,840.–**
Online Confirmed dates	16 Nov 2026	20 Nov 2026	**£1,250.–**
Dubai Confirmed dates	7 Dec 2026	11 Dec 2026	**£3,150.–**
Online Confirmed dates	7 Dec 2026	11 Dec 2026	**£1,250.–**
Kuala Lumpur Confirmed dates	11 Jan 2027	15 Jan 2027	**£1,450.–**
Online Confirmed dates	11 Jan 2027	15 Jan 2027	**£1,250.–**
Vienna Confirmed dates	1 Feb 2027	5 Feb 2027	**£2,940.–**
Online Confirmed dates	1 Feb 2027	5 Feb 2027	**£1,250.–**
Rome Confirmed dates	15 Feb 2027	19 Feb 2027	**£2,450.–**



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Online Confirmed dates	15 Feb 2027	19 Feb 2027	**£1,250.–**
Cape Town Confirmed dates	8 Mar 2027	12 Mar 2027	**£1,890.–**
Online Confirmed dates	8 Mar 2027	12 Mar 2027	**£1,250.–**
London Confirmed dates	29 Mar 2027	2 Apr 2027	**£2,450.–**
Online Confirmed dates	29 Mar 2027	2 Apr 2027	**£1,250.–**
Barcelona Confirmed dates	19 Apr 2027	23 Apr 2027	**£2,840.–**
Online Confirmed dates	19 Apr 2027	23 Apr 2027	**£1,250.–**
Dubai Confirmed dates	10 May 2027	14 May 2027	**£3,150.–**
Online Confirmed dates	10 May 2027	14 May 2027	**£1,250.–**



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Istanbul Confirmed dates	24 May 2027	28 May 2027	**£2,650.-**
Online Confirmed dates	24 May 2027	28 May 2027	**£1,250.-**
Vienna Confirmed dates	14 Jun 2027	18 Jun 2027	**£2,940.-**
Online Confirmed dates	14 Jun 2027	18 Jun 2027	**£1,250.-**
Paris Confirmed dates	5 Jul 2027	9 Jul 2027	**£2,860.-**
Online Confirmed dates	5 Jul 2027	9 Jul 2027	**£1,250.-**
Rome Confirmed dates	26 Jul 2027	30 Jul 2027	**£2,450.-**
Online Confirmed dates	26 Jul 2027	30 Jul 2027	**£1,250.-**
Cape Town Confirmed dates	16 Aug 2027	20 Aug 2027	**£1,890.-**



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Online Confirmed dates	16 Aug 2027	20 Aug 2027	**£1,250.-**
Dubai Confirmed dates	30 Aug 2027	3 Sept 2027	**£3,150.-**
Online Confirmed dates	30 Aug 2027	3 Sept 2027	**£1,250.-**
Cape Town Confirmed dates	20 Sept 2027	24 Sept 2027	**£1,890.-**
Online Confirmed dates	20 Sept 2027	24 Sept 2027	**£1,250.-**
Rome Confirmed dates	11 Oct 2027	15 Oct 2027	**£2,450.-**
Online Confirmed dates	11 Oct 2027	15 Oct 2027	**£1,250.-**
Frankfurt Confirmed dates	1 Nov 2027	5 Nov 2027	**£2,650.-**
Online Confirmed dates	1 Nov 2027	5 Nov 2027	**£1,250.-**



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Amsterdam Confirmed dates	22 Nov 2027	26 Nov 2027	**£2,540.-**
Online Confirmed dates	22 Nov 2027	26 Nov 2027	**£1,250.-**
London Confirmed dates	6 Dec 2027	10 Dec 2027	**£2,450.-**
Online Confirmed dates	6 Dec 2027	10 Dec 2027	**£1,250.-**

Plan your next step

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