

BUSINESS CONTINUITY AND CRISIS MANAGEMENT | COURSE BROCHURE

Security Surveys and Site Assessments

5 days | Classroom training | English

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Why attend

Security surveys identify vulnerabilities and recommend proportionate protective measures. This course covers planning and conducting security surveys: threat assessment, site characterisation, perimeter, access control, CCTV and lighting, procedures and guarding, risk rating, recommendations and reporting.

Security spending is wasted if it does not address real threats. You will learn to assess sites systematically and recommend effective measures.

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

Site survey practice, threat assessment exercises, case studies and report writing.

Course objectives

By the end of this course, participants will be able to:
• Assess threats relevant to a site
• Plan and conduct security surveys
• Evaluate perimeter and access controls
• Assess technical security systems
• Review procedures and guarding
• Rate risks and write recommendations

Target audience

This course is suitable for:
• Security managers and officers
• Facility managers
• Risk managers
• Security consultants
• Loss prevention staff



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Target competencies

Participants will develop competencies in:

- Threat assessment
- Survey methods
- Control evaluation
- Risk rating
- Report writing

Course outline

Day 1: Security Risk

09:00–10:08	Threats and vulnerabilities
10:08–11:00	Risk concepts
11:00–11:30	**Coffee break**
11:30–11:45	Risk concepts (continued)
11:45–12:53	Survey purpose
12:53–14:00	Exercise

Day 2: Planning Surveys

09:00–10:08	Scope
10:08–11:00	Information gathering
11:00–11:30	**Coffee break**
11:30–11:45	Information gathering (continued)
11:45–12:53	Checklists
12:53–14:00	Workshop

Day 3: Physical Measures

09:00–10:08	Perimeter and access
10:08–11:00	Lighting
11:00–11:30	**Coffee break**



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11:30–11:45	Lighting (continued)
11:45–12:53	Barriers
12:53–14:00	Site practice

Day 4: Systems and Procedures

09:00–10:08	CCTV and alarms
10:08–11:00	Guarding
11:00–11:30	**Coffee break**
11:30–11:45	Guarding (continued)
11:45–12:53	Procedures
12:53–14:00	Exercise

Day 5: Reporting

09:00–10:08	Risk rating
10:08–11:00	Recommendations
11:00–11:30	**Coffee break**
11:30–11:45	Recommendations (continued)
11:45–12:53	Report writing
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)
Vienna Confirmed dates	16 Nov 2026	20 Nov 2026	**£2,940.–**
Online Confirmed dates	16 Nov 2026	20 Nov 2026	**£1,250.–**
Rome Confirmed dates	30 Nov 2026	4 Dec 2026	**£2,450.–**
Online Confirmed dates	30 Nov 2026	4 Dec 2026	**£1,250.–**
Cape Town Confirmed dates	4 Jan 2027	8 Jan 2027	**£1,890.–**
Online Confirmed dates	4 Jan 2027	8 Jan 2027	**£1,250.–**
Dubai Confirmed dates	25 Jan 2027	29 Jan 2027	**£3,150.–**
Online Confirmed dates	25 Jan 2027	29 Jan 2027	**£1,250.–**
Kuala Lumpur Confirmed dates	15 Feb 2027	19 Feb 2027	**£1,450.–**



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Online Confirmed dates	15 Feb 2027	19 Feb 2027	**£1,250.–**
Dubai Confirmed dates	8 Mar 2027	12 Mar 2027	**£3,150.–**
Online Confirmed dates	8 Mar 2027	12 Mar 2027	**£1,250.–**
Amsterdam Confirmed dates	22 Mar 2027	26 Mar 2027	**£2,540.–**
Online Confirmed dates	22 Mar 2027	26 Mar 2027	**£1,250.–**
Cape Town Confirmed dates	12 Apr 2027	16 Apr 2027	**£1,890.–**
Online Confirmed dates	12 Apr 2027	16 Apr 2027	**£1,250.–**
Barcelona Confirmed dates	3 May 2027	7 May 2027	**£2,840.–**
Online Confirmed dates	3 May 2027	7 May 2027	**£1,250.–**



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Rome Confirmed dates	24 May 2027	28 May 2027	**£2,450.-**
Online Confirmed dates	24 May 2027	28 May 2027	**£1,250.-**
Istanbul Confirmed dates	14 Jun 2027	18 Jun 2027	**£2,650.-**
Online Confirmed dates	14 Jun 2027	18 Jun 2027	**£1,250.-**
Barcelona Confirmed dates	28 Jun 2027	2 Jul 2027	**£2,840.-**
Online Confirmed dates	28 Jun 2027	2 Jul 2027	**£1,250.-**
Paris Confirmed dates	19 Jul 2027	23 Jul 2027	**£2,860.-**
Online Confirmed dates	19 Jul 2027	23 Jul 2027	**£1,250.-**
London Confirmed dates	9 Aug 2027	13 Aug 2027	**£2,450.-**



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Online Confirmed dates	9 Aug 2027	13 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.-**
Vienna Confirmed dates	4 Oct 2027	8 Oct 2027	**£2,940.-**
Online Confirmed dates	4 Oct 2027	8 Oct 2027	**£1,250.-**
London Confirmed dates	25 Oct 2027	29 Oct 2027	**£2,450.-**
Online Confirmed dates	25 Oct 2027	29 Oct 2027	**£1,250.-**



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Online Confirmed dates	15 Nov 2027	19 Nov 2027	**£1,250.-**
Frankfurt Confirmed dates	6 Dec 2027	10 Dec 2027	**£2,650.-**
Online Confirmed dates	6 Dec 2027	10 Dec 2027	**£1,250.-**

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