



GOVERNMENT AND PUBLIC SECTOR | GPS-017

Regulatory Impact Assessment

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Course content

Why Attend

Regulations can achieve important public goals but also impose costs on businesses and citizens. Regulatory impact assessment helps governments design better regulations based on evidence.

This Aractech course explains better regulation principles, the RIA process, problem definition, options including non-regulatory alternatives, cost-benefit and cost-effectiveness analysis, SME and competition impacts, consultation and ex-post evaluation. Participants prepare an RIA for a regulatory proposal.

Course Methodology

- Process presentations
- RIA case exercises
- Cost-benefit analysis
- Consultation role play
- Group work

Course Objectives

- Explain better regulation principles
- Apply the regulatory impact assessment process
- Define regulatory problems and objectives
- Assess options including alternatives to regulation
- Estimate costs and benefits
- Conduct consultation and ex-post evaluation

Target Audience

- Regulators and policy officials
- Legislative drafters

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- Ministry staff
- Business association representatives

Course outline

Detailed course outline

Day-by-day outline for Regulatory Impact Assessment.

Day 1 - Better Regulation

- 09:00-09:34 | Why regulation matters
- 09:34-10:08 | Better regulation principles
- 10:08-10:42 | RIA frameworks
- 10:42-11:00 | International practice
- 11:00-11:30 | Coffee break
- 11:30-12:19 | International practice (continued)
- 12:19-12:53 | Institutions
- 12:53-14:00 | Exercise: Regulatory quality review

Day 2 - Problem and Options

- 09:00-09:45 | Problem definition
- 09:45-10:30 | Objectives
- 10:30-11:00 | Regulatory and non-regulatory options
- 11:00-11:30 | Coffee break
- 11:30-11:45 | Regulatory and non-regulatory options (continued)
- 11:45-12:30 | Baseline
- 12:30-14:00 | Workshop: Options identification

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Day 3 - Impact Analysis

- 09:00-09:39 | Cost-benefit analysis
- 09:39-10:18 | Administrative burden
- 10:18-10:57 | SME impacts
- 10:57-11:00 | Competition impacts
- 11:00-11:30 | Coffee break
- 11:30-12:05 | Competition impacts (continued)
- 12:05-12:43 | Distributional effects
- 12:43-14:00 | Exercise: Cost estimation

Day 4 - Consultation

- 09:00-09:45 | Consultation methods
- 09:45-10:30 | Stakeholder engagement
- 10:30-11:00 | Transparency
- 11:00-11:30 | Coffee break
- 11:30-11:45 | Transparency (continued)
- 11:45-12:30 | Using feedback
- 12:30-14:00 | Role play: Consultation meeting

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Day 5 - Implementation and Review

- 09:00-09:39 | Implementation planning
- 09:39-10:18 | Enforcement
- 10:18-10:57 | Ex-post evaluation
- 10:57-11:00 | Regulatory stock reviews
- 11:00-11:30 | Coffee break
- 11:30-12:05 | Regulatory stock reviews (continued)
- 12:05-13:22 | Case study: Regulatory reform
- 13:22-14:00 | Capstone: RIA report

Seminar dates

Available seminar dates

Live dates and pricing for Regulatory Impact Assessment generated from the course details page.

Date	Location	Format	Fee
11 - 15 January 2027	Munich	Classroom	€3,225
8 - 12 February 2027	Geneva	Classroom	€4,315
8 - 12 March 2027	Barcelona	Classroom	€2,815
12 - 16 April 2027	Amsterdam	Classroom	€2,830
10 - 14 May 2027	London	Classroom	€2,315
14 - 18 June 2027	Munich	Classroom	€3,225
12 - 16 July 2027	Kuala Lumpur	Classroom	€1,925
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