

Certification Level	TPC Responsibility Range	Training Courses		Developmental Activities	Experience Years (Time Reqmnt.)
		Core (CLPs)	Electives (CLPs)		
I	\$5-20M	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Project Management Essentials (70) PM Systems & Practices in DOE (60) Earned Value Management Systems (21) Contracting Officer Representative online course (DAU's CLC222) (22) Project Risk Analysis & Management (25) Managing Contract Changes (28) Planning for Safety in Project Management (25) Acquisition Management for Technical Personnel (32) 	<p>Choose one:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> LEED for New Construction and Existing Buildings (18) Capital Planning for DOE 413.3B Capital Asset Projects (14) Performance-Based Management Contracting (21) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Project-Engineer or Integrated Project Team Member (12 months) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Experience in Project Management (3 years) One year of project-related roles/experience within last five years* <p>*PMP certification must have been obtained within the last 5 years</p>
II	\$20-100M	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Advanced Concepts in Project Management (50) Project Management Simulation (35) Leadership Through Effective Communication (21) Cost & Schedule Estimation (35) Scope Management/Baseline Development (21) 	<p>Choose two:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Value Management (21) Federal Budget Process in DOE (28) Environmental Laws and Regulations (21) Real Property Asset Management (21) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Team Leader/ Supervision Experience (12 months) Post CD-3 Experience (12 months) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Level I FPD experience (2 years) Two years of project management experience within the last five years
III	\$100- \$400M	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Program Management & Portfolio Analysis (35) Advanced Risk Management (25) Executive Communications (21) 	<p>Choose 1 from each group</p> <p>Technical:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Project Execution and Readiness Reviews (21) Systems Engineering (21) Strategic Planning (21) <p>Communication:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Labor Management Relations (21) Negotiation Strategies & Techniques (21) Facilitating Conflict Resolution (21) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Mentored by a certified Level III or IV Federal Project Director (6 months) COR Experience (12 months) Post CD-3 experience (24 months) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Level II FPD experience (2 years)
IV	Over \$400M	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> A course from the PMCDP curriculum not previously taken, not taken within the last three years, or not taken since the course underwent a major revision. A developmental course of the candidate's choosing. This course does not have to be part of the PMCDP curriculum. 	Not applicable	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Program Management (12 months, including minimum of 180 days at HQ) Participate in three separate peer reviews of another FPD's project Lead a peer review of another FPD's project 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Level III FPD experience (2 years) Project Management (Minimum 8 years as an Federal Project Director on at least 2 different projects, & at least 3 of the 8 years post CD-3, & at least 1 year post CD-3 experience on a Level 3 or higher project)
Total Courses Required: 23		16 Core Courses	13 Elective Courses (5 out of 13 required)	9 work activities	4 experience levels

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Activities/courses validated with the Project Management Institute's (PMI) PMP Certification are shown in yellow.