

# IT Professionalism and Skills Management

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Location:	Birmingham
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Start Time:	0945 with refreshments available from 0915
End Time:	1645

This is a practical course, aimed at those who will be involved in detailed implementation of effective skills management as part of the Government IT profession.

The development of IT professionalism across every part of government is one of the three main themes of the Transformational Government strategy. The work programme addressing this theme covers all parts of government and every person involved in delivering successful IT services in government. This course looks at the use of the Skills Framework for the Information Age SFIA in delivering excellence through the pursuit of IT professionalism.

SFIA underpins the Government IT profession programme, and can help you and your colleagues in the drive for excellence in public sector IT. It provides the basis for definition of a clear career development path for people in IT; highlights skills gaps; and offers an objective performance management structure.

## Book Now

To book a place on this course, please [use our online booking form](#), email [bookings@socitmlearning.co.uk](mailto:bookings@socitmlearning.co.uk) or contact Socitm Learning on 0845 241 2773.

## Course Content

- Background to SFIA and the Government IT profession programme.
- Use of the SFIA framework to define role profiles.
- Skills auditing
- Service and personal development planning.
- Deployment,
- Career development
- Achieving more targetted recruitment.
- Planning the implementation of the Government IT profession.

## Who Should Attend?

- Those involved in the detailed implementation of the Government IT Profession
- IT section and team leaders
- Competency leads
- Implementation leads.

## Tutor

The course will be led by Mary Wintershausen, who has an outstanding record of achievement in strategic development, senior management and consultancy in central and local government. Mary is a highly experienced trainer and was an Implementation Lead in the IT professionalism pilot.

## Fees

The standard delegate fee of £495 + VAT includes refreshments and lunch.

Delegates from any organisation which employs a Socitm member will pay a reduced rate of £395.00 + VAT.

**Post-Event Activities**

Delegates will be invited to join a discussion forum which gives access to a variety of implementation resources.

**Venue**

MWB Meeting Rooms  
43 Temple Row  
Birmingham  
B2 5LS

[Venue Website](#)**SFIA/ Government IT Profession Skills**

This course will help participants to develop the following skills:

- Professional Development PDSV
- Organisation Design and Implementation ORDI
- Resourcing RESC

**CPD Scheme Points**

Those attendees participating in the Socitm Continuous Professional Development Scheme may claim 4.5 points.

**Please note our booking conditions.** Confirmation of your reservation and an invoice will be sent by email unless otherwise requested. Invoices should be paid within 10 days. Cancellations may be made without penalty up to 30 working days before the course start date, while half of the fee will be refunded for cancellations made up to 14 days before the start date. The full fee is payable for cancellations made within 14 days of the start date, however, substitute delegates are welcome at any time.