

Strategic Planning: Roadmap for Success Self-Study Webinar (10 Hours)

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Overview:

Effective strategic planning requires an organization to know where it's going and how to get there. This insightful self-study webinar will guide you on the road to developing and executing an effective strategic plan for greater success and improved competitive advantage. You'll discover how to:

- Create and implement well-conceived strategies
- Evaluate your organization using SWOT (Strengths, Weaknesses, Opportunities & Threats)
- Choose the best performance metrics
- Incorporate operational plans, goals and objectives
- Connect the strategic plan to your budgeting and forecasting processes
- Manage and control through feedback

Objective:

To provide financial professionals with the knowledge and skills to develop and implement an effective strategic plan. Through SWOT analysis, Key Performance Indicators, operational plans, and other contributing factors, you will learn to understand, manage and control the processes of crafting a successful strategic plan for your organization.

[Detailed Learning Objectives](#) [1]

Emphasis:

- Why you need a strategic plan
- Organization mission, values and principles
 - Core values
 - Guiding and driving factors
- Analyzing internal and external environments
 - SWOT analysis
 - Industry attractiveness
 - Competitive profile
- The Five Ps of Marketing (Product, Price, Placement, Promotion, People)
- Porter's Five Forces
 - Threat of new competitors
 - Substitute products/services
 - Intensity of competitive rivalry
 - Bargaining power of customers
 - Suppliers
- BCG Growth Share Matrix
 - New competitive strategy paradigm based on the "Survival Triplet"
- Black swan: what you don't know
- Benchmarking
- Strategy formulation
- Market niches
- Critical success factors
- Strategy implementation

- Budgeting and forecasting
- Translating into KPIs (Key Performance Indicators)
- Connecting the strategic plan to operations
 - The balanced scorecard
 - Potential operations, customer and financial metrics
- Feedback: budget to forecast and back
 - Excel models and alternatives
- Predicting the future
 - Revenue forecasting
 - Quantitative techniques
 - Cost projections
- Where forecasts go wrong
- Strategic risk management
 - Risk factors and identification
 - COSO-ERM Process

1. Recognize the underlying question and characteristics of strategic planning

2. Recognize the starting point for formulating a strategic plan

3. Identify the responsibilities of a vision statement and a vision statement

4. Identify the guiding influences of strategic planning

5. Recognize the primary goal of a SWOT analysis

6. Recognize the different categories of strategic policy in SWOT analysis

7. Identify the potential applicability of a SWOT analysis to the real-world situation

8. Recognize the types of data available when analyzing an industry's competitive profile

9. Recognize the role of marketing

10. Recognize the categories of strategic management and the factors that drive them

11. Identify the responsibilities and actions associated with the SWOT analysis and action

12. Identify the responsibilities of strategic management and the factors that drive them

13. Identify common characteristics and factors that drive a firm's strategic management

14. Recognize the characteristics of a SWOT analysis

15. Recognize the characteristics of marketing

16. Identify common operational and financial data used to form a firm's strategic plan

17. Identify common financial and marketing data

18. Identify the guiding influences that drive the formation of a strategic plan

19. Recognize the common components of a strategic plan

20. Identify strategic business objectives to form a plan

21. Identify common strategies for developing a strategic plan



1. Recognize the importance of personal effectiveness in the workplace.

2. Recognize the importance of education in a fast-changing world.

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BottomPrerequisite:

None.

Preparation:

No advance preparation required.

Level of Knowledge:

Overview.

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