

Stanford Advanced Project Management Certificate

Executing Complex Programs (XAPM221)

Sample Agenda

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Day 1

7:00–8:00 Registration and Continental Breakfast
8:00–9:45 Introduction and Overview

9:45-10:00 Break
10:00–12:00 Program Initiation – The Art of the *GreatStart*12:00–1:00 Lunch
1:00–2:45 Cross-Functional Teams
2:45–3:00 Break
3:00–5:00 Cross-Functional Teams, *continue*

Reception—Stanford University Campus

Day 2

5:30

7:30–8:00 Continental Breakfast

8:00–10:00 Understanding Program Interdependencies

10:00–10:15 Break

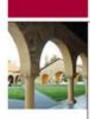
10:15–12:00 Managing Complex Program Interfaces and Interdependencies

12:00–1:00 Lunch

1:00–3:00 Predictable vs. Uncertain Programs

3:00–2:45 Break

3:15–5:00 Agile Management of an Organization Change Program



Day 3

7:30-8:00 Continental Breakfast 8:00-9:45 High Reliability Organizations (HRO)

9:45-10:00 Break

10:00-12:00 Mars Rover Project

