LEARNING & DEVELOPMENT NEWS

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Why do some projects soar while others stall?

The answer often lies in how they are managed. This November, we are diving into the art and science of project management, not just as a checklist or metric, but as a mindset that transforms ideas into impact.

From navigating tight deadlines to rallying teams around a shared goal, project management is the silent engine behind workplace success. Learn how to lead your next project with confidence by reading below for tips for the future and tools for the present.

7 Project Management Tips & Techniques

These practical project management tips, techniques, and best practices are designed to help teams and individuals stay organized, efficient, and on track.

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1. **Align on Goals & Objectives**
2. **Define & Prioritize Deliverables**
3. **Secure Stakeholder Buy-In**
4. **Ensure Resource Availability**
5. **Foster Team Health & Transparency**
6. **Plan for Risk Mitigation**
7. **Manage Change Effectively**

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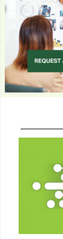

From the Experts: Project Management Perspectives

Take a look at the recording from our Project Management Perspectives course to gain new insights into project management strategies. In this session, project management experts from UAB provide the tools for leading, guiding and managing projects. Click the link to learn how managing a project effectively not only benefits your organization, but also benefits you.

The Future of Project Management

Project management is undergoing a rapid transformation. As technological advancements accelerate and push for greater efficiency and sustainability intensifies, professionals in this field must evolve into forward-thinking strategists. This piece highlights the emerging trends redefining project management, and offers practical guidance to help you stay competitive and prepared for what's next.

Career Essentials in Project Management

Learn what it takes to succeed in project management and earn your professional certificate with this Microsoft learning path by LinkedIn Learning. Discover how to manage projects effectively, from simple to complex, with expert guidance on scheduling, budgeting, communication, and more. Explore project management tools included in the Microsoft 365 suite.

Request a Project Manager

This form is available for members of the Faculty and Staff to request a project manager for projects that have already been approved.

November L&D Program Calendar

AI @ Work: Copilot Agents
Wed., Nov., 19 | 11 to 11:45 a.m. | ZOOM

Communicate Better: More Than Words
Wed., Nov. 19 | 2 to 3 p.m. | ZOOM

Taking Charge of Your Career: Career Pathways in Action
Thurs., Nov. 20 | 11 a.m. to 12 p.m. | ZOOM

LinkedIn Learning Chats: Leading Without Formal Authority
Thurs., Nov. 20 | 1:30 to 2:15 p.m. | ZOOM

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December L&D Program Calendar

Psychological Safety
Thurs., Dec. 4 | 9 to 11 a.m. | ZOOM

Tech Talk: Password Keeper
Mon., Nov. 4 | 11 to 11:45 a.m. | MT-419A

Shifting to Leader Ready
Tues., Dec. 9 | 1 to 3 p.m. | MT-419A

Multigenerational Workforce
Wed., Dec. 10 | 9 to 11:30 a.m. | ZOOM

Emotional Intelligence
Thurs., Dec. 11 | 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. | ZOOM

Understanding Your True Colors
Fri., Dec. 12 | 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. | MT-419A

UAB Shared Values: Excel - Robert Howard & Jennifer Christy
Friday, Dec. 12 | 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. | MT-419A

Your Check-In Strategy
Tues, Dec. 16 | 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. | MT-419A

Communicate Better: People & Perspectives
Wed., Dec. 17 | 2 to 3 p.m. | MT-419A

LinkedIn Learning Chats: Illuminate Others & Ideas
Thurs, Dec. 18 | 11 to 11:45 a.m. | ZOOM

AI @ Work: Copilot for Goals & Growth
Tues, Dec. 30 | 11 to 11:45 a.m. | ZOOM

Homecoming Parade 2025

In October, we celebrated UAB's Homecoming and took part in the annual Homecoming Parade, where we were one of the winners of the Best Display of Blazer Spirit Award. Take a look back at our photos from the event!

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