

SAME University
Certified Facility Manager (CFM) Review Course (2 Days)
Sponsored by the International Facility Management Association (IFMA)

Who Should Attend

- Public Works Director
- Base Civil Engineers
- Chief of Operations
- Chief of Planning and Programming
- Asset and Real Property Managers

Why You Should Attend

- Test your knowledge as a Facility Manager.
- Learn industry standards to measure your organization's performance.
- Prepare yourself for the Exam to become a Certified Facility Manager.

Reasons to Become a CFM

- *Distinguish yourself*- In today's competitive job market, your CFM status puts you ahead of the competition. CFMs have proven their abilities and demonstrated their commitment to achieving excellence in the profession.
- *Advance your profession*- Facility managers must be proficient in a wide range of competencies. The CFM program articulates the level of skill and talent required of the profession.

Testimonial

I took the CFM exam in Frankfurt, Germany, on 31 Aug 09. The "competency based" exam was difficult and challenging; 180 questions, requiring critical thinking. The "roll-up concepts" addressed in the CFM Exam Review Course, were crucial in responding correctly to the exam questions.

Mr Chris Hodges provided an excellent review and provided encouragement for our success. As a new Certified Facility Manager, I will be able to utilize the 9 Facility Management core competencies on a daily basis; both as a civilian Air Force Housing Privatization professional and as a Navy Supply Corps Officer.

I encourage all who are in the facility management field to take the exam and earn the CFM certification.

CDR Elanore Decker
EUCOM J4
Stuttgart, Germany

Program Overview

The course will prepare Facility managers for the Certified Facility Managers (CFM) Exam to receive competency-based certification from the IFMA. The course is organized around the following nine areas of facility management competency:

- Leadership and Management
- Planning and Project Management
- Communication
- Operations and Maintenance
- Finance
- Quality Assessment and Innovation
- Human and Environmental Factors
- Real Estate
- Technology

The CFM Review Course is recommended for those eligible candidates for the CFM exam. Applicants interested in submitting their application for the CFM exam may do so electronically by visiting IFMA's website. Upon receiving approval, you may schedule to take the CFM exam. Please note you must schedule to take the test within 90 days of candidate acceptance.

Participants will be awarded a training certificate for 14 PDHs toward their continuing education requirements (*Check with your State or Credentialing Authority*)

Qualifications for applying for the exam

- Facility management master's degree or bachelor's degree from an IFMA recognized program w/ 3 years FM experience.

OR

- Related bachelor's degree w/ 4 years FM experience

OR

- Non-related bachelor's degree or associate degree w/ 5 years FM experience

OR

- Some post-secondary education w/ 8 years of FM experience

Instructor Biography

Christopher P. Hodges, P.E., CFM, LEED AP, IFMA Fellow
Principal of Facility Engineering Associates (FEA)

Chris Hodges is a founding Principal of Facility Engineering Associates (FEA), with over 30 years of experience in the evaluation, repair, maintenance and operations of building systems. He has practiced facility management since 1979, performing building audits, organizational evaluations, and training of management and engineering staff in all aspects of building operations. Mr. Hodges earned his Masters Degree in Materials Science and Engineering from Johns Hopkins University, and bachelor of Science Degree from Clarkson University. He is Registered Professional Engineer, Certified Facility Manager, LEED Accredited Professional, and IFMA Fellow.

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