##### How to Complete:

* Replace the instructions and guidance text in the grey shaded boxes with your response for each section and check boxes where appropriate; attach or embed supporting documents where appropriate.
* This form can be used as a working document, with part completed versions submitted for comment and review. A Progress Checklist will be issued each time a draft is submitted.
* State if the information required is not applicable in your circumstances.
* Note that several tables, forms and templates that need to be completed are embedded in this document and can be opened and used. These are also available on the LCS website.
* Refer to the GUIDE TO ACCREDITATION for more information on the accreditation process.

# Organisation & Background

## Organisation Name

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| The organisation entity that will be accredited. This could be the organisation itself or a specific department or entity, such as a training academy or function. |

## Portfolio Author

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| The person responsible for writing the submission and to whom queries and comments can be addressed. |

## Organisation Background

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| A brief description of the organisation, indicating main products/services and activities, size (eg turnover, employees), location(s) and any relevant strategic information. List any relevant existing accreditations, awards or quality standards the organisation already has. |

## Organisation’s Use of the LCS

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| Tick all boxes below that apply and provide explanatory text here if necessary.  |
| [ ] Own staff training [ ] Client staff training [ ] Public training [ ] Supplier training[ ] Home country training [ ] International training |

## LCS Levels to Which THE Training PROGRAMME IS Aligned

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| Check all boxes that apply below. Note that you can plan to increase the number of levels over time as the training system matures. |
| [ ] 1a [ ] 1b [ ] 1c [ ] 2a [ ] 2b [ ] 3a [ ] 3b |

## Certificates Issue Forecast

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| An estimate of certificates to be issued over the two year accreditation period |

## LEAN TRAINING PROGRAMME OVERVIEW

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| Provide an overview of the programme - its position in the organisation, management responsibility, strategic linkage, the role it plays in the context of CI strategy, areas of the organisation served or role in delivering services to customers. Note that course details are collected elsewhere in the form. |

# Course Information

## Courses Details

For each course you deliver, list in the table below its title, aim, learning outcomes, topics covered, learning hours and assessment details. Copy the table as required for additional courses.

Learning outcomes are statements about what participants should know and/or be able to do at the end of the course. In learning time, show the number of contact hours and how these are organised over a particular time. Learning time can include class based face-to-face teaching, web based learning, post course activities, assessments, self-study, follow up reading and research, and work based learning.

Learners need to demonstrate both knowledge and practical capability for each LCS level through which they progress, except for Level 1a, where only the knowledge aspect applies. Demonstrating knowledge is typically achieved through a test, while there are several ways to demonstrate practical capability.

For LCS levels 1b and 1c, evidence of a learner’s practical capability can be in a variety of formats. The learner should have played a meaningful role in the activity, usually as part of a team with a specific role or on an individual basis. The evidence should be endorsed by an appropriate manager/stakeholder to signify it is an accurate account of what happened.

For LCS Level 2, the evidence of the practical capability should be more formal, for example, through an assessed project implementation report, clearly demonstrating aspects such as leadership, planning and advanced lean knowledge.

The approach should be consistent with key assessment LCS principles:

i) There should be a knowledge test for each LCS level where a certificate is awarded.

ii) There should be implementation evidence linked to courses (except 1a).

iii) An appropriate training course should be delivered for each LCS level where a certificate is awarded.

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| **2.1.1 Course Material** |
| Course title 1: | x |
| Aim: | x |
| Learning Outcomes: | x |
| Topics covered: | x |
| Learning hours: | x |
| LCS Level to which aligned | x |
| **2.1.2 Course Assessment: Knowledge** |
| Knowledge assessment overview | Describe the assessment approach used, explaining how knowledge is assessed to ensure that learning outcomes have been achieved and how practical competence is demonstrated |
| Knowledge assessments used(check all that apply) | [x]  Multiple choice tests – physical[ ]  Multiple choice tests – online[ ]  Interviews/oral exams [ ] Case studies [ ] Essay exams[ ] Other\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
| For multiple choice tests: |
| Number of questions | x | Pass mark | x% |
| Time allowance | x | Open or closed book | x |
| Resit policy (The number of test attempts allowed) |  | Classroom or online | x |
| Test administration | For example, invigilated at the end of the course on the same day |
| Action if maximum failures reached | x |
| Question banks | Detail if question banks are used for use in multiple choice tests. |
| For other knowledge assessment methods: |
| Details | x |
| **2.1.3 Course Assessment: Practical competence** (for courses aligned to L1b and higher): |
| Overview of approach | x |
| Practical assessments used(check all that apply) | [ ]  A3 report [ ]  Project report [ ]  Workbook [ ] Project portfolio/log [ ] Diary exams[ ] Other\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |

# Material & ALIGNMENT

## Training Material Source & Development

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| Tick all boxes that apply below and provide explanatory text here if necessary. |
| [ ] Developed in house [ ] Provided by or adapted from external trainers/consultants[ ] Developed from education and training courses attended [ ] Other |

## TEACHING Material Examples

Provide representative examples of presentations, workbooks, guides and other handouts used in courses.

[ ]  Check box to indicate example materials are attached

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## ASSESSMENT Examples

Provide a representative sample of knowledge and practical assessments used

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## Course alignment with LCS framework

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| Briefly describe how the course(s) aligns with one or more of the seven levels of the Lean Competency System. |

## LCS alignment matrix

Complete an LCS alignment matrix. This shows how the training links to the levels of lean competency. A copy of the matrix is embedded below. Word and Excel versions are available – the latter is for larger or more complex systems.

[ ]  Check box to indicate an alignment matrix is attached

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## COURSES ASSESSMENT & LEARNING HOURS SUMMARY

Complete the table (embedded below) that summarises the units of learning and assessments that must be undertaken by a learner in order to receive an LCS qualification, along with the expected learning hours involved.

[ ]  Check box to indicate that an LCS LEVELS, COURSES, ASSESSMENT & LEARNING HOURS SUMMARY table is attached

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# TEACHING & STAFF

## teaching METHOD

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| Tick all boxes that apply below and provide explanatory text here if necessary. |
| [ ] Classroom based teaching [ ] Workshops [ ] Online [ ] Self study[ ] Workplace based teaching [ ] Other\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |

## practical activities

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| Describe the practical activities, simulations, interactions used in teaching |

## Class Size

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| Describe the approach taken to class sizes, including the expected number in groups. |

## Delivery capability Assessment

A delivery capability matrix should be completed and included in the portfolio. This indicates the relative strength of the delivery resources across the key LCS knowledge levels and can be produced through a staff self-assessment exercise. A template for this is embedded below.

[ ]  Check box to indicate a Delivery Capability Matrix is attached

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## Trainers Biographical Information

Provide a list of those who will deliver training along with biographical information for each containing relevant information about their lean work experience/teaching credentials. A template for this is embedded below.

☐ Check box to indicate biographical Information is attached

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## External Delivery Resources

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| Provide a statement of the policy towards using external delivery resources (if applicable). |

# E Learning

If applicable

## Which elements are delivered online?

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| Detail which parts of the training use the web |

## Learning platform used

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| Detail the learning management system, software, or e-learning provider used for e-learning |

## Learning path

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| Provide an outline of how learners progress through the e-learning. For example, course entry, interaction with material, navigation through specific modules, specific activities undertaken, tests taken |

## Provide access to the training website (if available)

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## Online tests

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| Describe how tests are structured and used |

## Online Material Examples

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| Provides examples or screenshots |

# Quality Assurance & Continuous Improvement

## Review & Continuous Improvement

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| Describe the approach taken to reviewing and continuously improving courses and assessments – eg method/process, frequency, who involved, etc. These could be formal or informal. |

## Admitting course participants

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| Describe the approach to selecting participants for courses, for example, the prerequisites required, experience, role and qualifications (If applicable) |

## Indicate how training is evaluated by participants

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| Tick all boxes that apply below and provide explanatory text here if necessary. |
| [ ] End of course questionnaire (physical) [ ] End of course questionnaire (web) [ ] Course group wrap up sessions [ ] Informal, ad hoc feedback[ ] Other\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |

## Examples of Evaluation Questionnaires

Provide examples of any evaluation questionnaires used.

☐ Check box to indicate evaluation questionnaire is attached

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## International Delivery - Coordination & Management

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| Where a training system is to be used on an international scale, detail the management control approach taken to ensure consistency in the delivery of the programme and the maintenance of standards. Detail the regions/countries in which the training system will operate, indicating how it is resourced, managed, levels to which it trains, language capability and any other relevant information. |

# Training Support & Administration

## Training Facilities

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| Describe the facilities that will be used for training. This may not be applicable to training companies that use client facilities. |

## Training Programme Management & Support

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| Describe how the training will be managed and supported – eg from which department or function, key roles undertaken by dedicated resources, or the use of other support resources, such as HRM. |

## Learner Resources

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| Tick all boxes that apply below and provide explanatory text here if necessary. |
| [ ] Web based – intranet [ ] Web based – external [ ] Physical library [ ] Mentoring or guidance [ ]  Networks [ ] Other\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |

## Training Records

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| Indicate how records are stored so that there is a secure history of a learners training history (eg date courses taken, assessments taken, certificate awarded, etc.) |

## Training Records Examples

Provide an example of a training record (eg screenshot, spreadsheet, etc.)

☐ Check box to indicate training record example attached

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☐ Check box to indicate training record example is embedded below

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## Unique Certificate Rferencing System

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| Indicate the method used to give each certificate a unique reference that will allow traceability. Typically, these include components which reference the organisation, date, individual, etc.The structure of the standard LCS reference is **company** – **date of issue** – **person identifier** eg LCB1610KI.You can opt to keep this approach or design one more suited to your needs. |

# Consent and Date

 [ ]  I consent to Lean Competency Services Ltd collecting and storing data from this form.

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