

Understanding the Technical Implications of Developing and Operating a Landfill

Attend this two-day course and understand the challenges and how to handle the complexities associated with the **planning, design, operations and management of a landfill**.



Attend this course and learn about:

- The essential infrastructure in a landfill
- How to optimise airspace
- Good practice in landfill management
- How to manage risk
- What should be covered when scoping the design of a new site

Benefits include:

- Participation in an interactive workshop
- Various practical activities and discussions
- A comprehensive manual including internal audit templates
- 2 CPD credits (ECSA)

Presenter:

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COURSE DATES & VENUES

Courses are offered based on demand. Dedicated online in-house courses are also available to suit individual company needs.

Please contact Lizéle du Preez for more information on upcoming courses: Lizelle@saicepdp.org / 011 476 4100

TIMES: 08:00 for 08:30 to 16:30

REGISTRATION

To register, visit www.candidateacademy.co.za
OR email Academy@saicepdp.org

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

This course is recommended for:

- Landfill managers and supervisors
- Environmental and financial managers in waste
- Employees responsible for daily landfill operation
- Engineers, technicians and technologists responsible for design or landfill oversight
- Waste Audit Committee members
- Anyone else interested in or involved in developing and operating a landfill

COURSE CONTENT

SESSION 0: LANDFILL 101

- Understanding waste
- Why landfills?
- Understanding the basic elements of a landfill

SESSION 1: WASTE MANAGEMENT HISTORY, LEGISLATION AND CLASSIFICATION

- Waste management history
- The South African context
- Engineered landfill sites
- RSA legislation
- Classification of waste and landfills

SESSION 2: CHOOSING THE WASTE DISPOSAL SYSTEM

- Waste disposal options

SESSION 3: MAXIMISING AIRSPACE

- What is airspace?
- Calculating airspace
- How to optimise airspace

SESSION 4: OUTSIDE AND AROUND A LANDFILL

- Site appearance and infrastructure
- Screening and landscaping
- Access routes and control
- Managing nuisances

SESSION 5: INSIDE A LANDFILL

- The Site Operational Plan
- Buildings and structures
- The weighbridge
- The laboratory
- Cells, cover and capping
- Machines, equipment and people
- Recycling
- Water balance
- Leachate and gas
- Managing nuisances
- Health and safety
- The Environmental Management Plan
- The Emergency Management Plan

SESSION 6: THE PRACTISE OF GOOD LANDFILL MANAGEMENT

- Acceptable wastes
- Staffing
- Access control
- Routing
- Recycling and salvaging
- Stormwater management
- Leachate management
- Landfill gas management
- Rehabilitation and landscaping
- Stakeholder engagement

SESSION 7: RISK MANAGEMENT, EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT PLAN AND CRISIS RESPONSE AND COMMUNICATION PLAN

- Determining and rating risks
- The Risk Management Plan
- Emergency and crisis response
- The Crisis Communication Plan

SESSION 8: TECHNICAL CONSIDERATIONS FOR SCOPING, DESIGNING AND LICENCING LANDFILLS

- Integrated planning
- Detailed site investigation
- Detailed design
- Containment barriers
- The leachate management system
- Gas control systems

ABOUT YOUR FACILITATOR

Ken Bromfield is a registered professional engineer with ECSA and a registered professional construction project manager with SACPCMP. He has had extensive experience in the waste management field, having managed various waste management companies and worked as a consultant on tailings and waste projects for several years.



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