

Acquisition Exchange Program

Integrated Program Management (IPM) Project



Topic: Integrated Program Management

Target Grade: GS-11 or above

Duration: 6 months – 1 year

Start Date: Negotiable

Location: The Suffolk Bldg, Falls Church, VA

POC: Mr. David S. Cadman, (703) 697-3733, David.S.Cadman.civ@mail.mil



Assignment Background

The Deputy Director of Integrated Program Management (IPM) is responsible and accountable for EVM (Earned Value Management) and IPM acquisition and procurement policy matters. Specifically, the DIPM is responsible for DoD EVM policy, managing the Earned Value Management Central Repository (EVM-CR), and serving as EVM Functional Lead for the Department. In the execution of these responsibilities, the DIPM approves the EVM data requirements for all MDAP programs, reports on the quality of the EVM data being submitted to the EVM-CR, reviews and approves DAU EVM course content across all DAWIA career fields, and implements a process to resolve differences in interpretation of IPM/EVM policy, practice, and requirements among DoD Components.

Project Description

Specific projects that could be performed by the participant are listed below. The project mentor and the participant will agree upon the actual projects that will be performed.

1. Support the Deputy Director for Earned Value Management to: review, recommend changes to, and coordinate **DoD EVM policy**.
2. Perform **data quality** reviews, recommend data quality metrics and generate data quality reports for A&S, and work with Service data owners and program offices to improve the data quality.
3. Evaluate and recommend integrated cost and schedule **EVM analysis techniques** for use within the OSD staff; work with the other ADA Deputy Directors and other OSD organizations to influence the quality of EVM analysis done across the enterprise.
4. Review and recommend changes to the **DAU EVM curriculum**; work with DAU course directors and Service EVM competency leads to mature the DoD EVM competency model and improve the DAU curriculum.
5. Review and adjudicate Department-wide **IPM/EVM issues and concerns**, work with Services and Industry to establish and publish EVM interpretation resolutions, and generate lessons learned documentation from the issue resolution database.

Benefits

- 👍 **Interact with senior officials** in the Department and throughout the Federal Government.
- 👍 Develop a thorough **knowledge of Acquisition** decisions, the state and execution of earned value across the department, and policy development process.
- 👍 Understand and develop the skills needed to **prepare, advocate, and change policy** and oversight practices.
- 👍 **Promote different perspectives** in senior acquisition policymaking while engaging in a **career-broadening** experience.

Requirements

Strong technical knowledge of EVM

Strong organizational and analytical abilities

Ability to view issues from different perspectives

Ability to communicate effectively, both orally and in writing

Initiative and ability to work independently and as a team leader

Ability to implement new ideas and processes effectively

Apply Now! [Email ADA](#) your completed application form (see [ADA site](#)) and current resume.

Expenses Coverage of travel/temporary relocation expense is not authorized – must be covered by applicant's organization. TDY expenses incurred in the execution of AEP tasks will be covered by OUSD (A&S)/ADA.