

DO-178C Training Program Syllabus:

- **Day One:**

- DO-178C Overview covering the main document, including all of its subsections.
- Appendix A,
- Annex A: Process Objectives and Outputs by Software Level
- Introduction to DO-178C Technology Supplements

- **Day Two:**

- DO-178C Software Requirements Engineering (half day):
 - Characteristics of requirements (with exercises)
 - Developing requirements (how to successfully decompose higher level requirements)
 - Managing requirements (traceability centric versus document centric management)
 - Reviewing requirements (how to review requirements to identify issues and errors early)
 - Verifiability (how to construct requirements to foster better testing & analysis)
- DO-178C Software Verification (half day):
 - The strata of software verification:
 - Artifact reviews & analyses
 - Software/Hardware integration testing
 - Software integration testing
 - Low level testing
 - Troubleshooting test cases (a brief tutorial)
 - Coverage analyses:
 - Requirements coverage analysis
 - Structural coverage analysis
 - Resolving coverage holes
 - Software Testing Techniques
 - Selection of test type (selecting the best level of test for the requirement)
 - Normal Range and Robustness (managing equivalence classes)
 - Value Stressing
 - Time-based testing
 - Internal versus external triggered timing
 - Stimulus-response testing
 - Why software-only testing for timing is less meaningful
 - Structural coverage (defining the test cases from requirements)
 - Path-based testing techniques/analysis of test coverage

- **Day Three (using LCMS):**

- Overview of certification
- Certification evidence (the SOIs, and what will be looked at)
- SOI-1, the Planning Review:
 - The plans & standards
 - Evidence of reviews
 - Coherence of the plans
 - Configuration Management
 - Software Quality Assurance

- SOI-2, the Development Review:
 - The system requirements
 - High-Level Software Requirements
 - Software Architecture
 - Software Design
 - Source Code
 - Executable Object Code
 - Evidence of Reviews
 - Reentrancy in the Development Processes
 - Configuration Management
 - Software Quality Assurance
- SOI-3, the Verification Review:
 - Software Test Cases and Procedures
 - Software Test Results
 - Evidence of Reviews
 - Evidence of Test Execution
 - Configuration Management
 - Software Quality Assurance
- SOI-4, the Final Review:
 - Software Conformity Review
 - Software Accomplishment Summary
 - Software Configuration Index
 - Software Lifecycle Environment Configuration Index
 - Configuration Management
 - Software Quality Assurance