

Trainer Profile

Patrick McDonald



Nationality: United States

Languages: English

Pat McDonald has leveraged his communications skills to foster understanding, reduce ambiguity, and minimize assumptions. He first moved to China in 1998 and has had extensive experience communicating both within and across cultural borders utilizing a multitude of methods.

Throughout his varied career, he's held positions in the service, retail, transportation, energy, IT, education, consulting and training fields, each with its own specific communication needs.

He holds an MBA specializing in International Business and a Project Management Professional (PMP) certification from the Project Management institute.

Cross Culture Expert

As Director of Operations for ClarkMorgan, Patrick manages a multinational team from Australia, Britain, China, Japan and the USA. His stress and focus has always been the increases in productivity and performance through the encouragement and structure of continuous improvement and sharing of ideas. In an era of distributed, international teams, effective and efficient understanding of cross-cultural communication differences is essential.

Patrick has used his experience of living in China to effectively use communicate across cultures as to strategies for enhancing living and working experiences for himself and his teams in projects that range from small internal departmental policy changes to implementing companywide IT/IS deployments. His experience in a diverse range of industries over the past 20 years has given him unique insights in expressing his training thoughts clearly, concisely, and specifically in culturally appropriate ways.

Patrick's Clients:

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