



Mining feasibility studies are inherently complex, requiring a thorough evaluation of technical, economic, and regulatory factors. These assessments encompass everything from geological analysis and infrastructure planning to environmental impact considerations and stakeholder approvals. Over the past decade, 80% of junior mining companies have lost investor funds, underscoring the critical need for robust feasibility studies. However, recent research indicates that when project feasibility studies are conducted rigorously, these studies can dramatically shift outcomes, leading to projects with returns as high as 58%.

This certified program will equip you with the expertise to evaluate, design, and manage mining projects from a feasibility and financial assessment perspective. You will gain a deep understanding of the technical, financial, operational, and environmental considerations that underpin successful mining project development. Throughout this program, you will delve into key areas including geological minina methods, metallurgical assessments. infrastructure planning, and risk management. You will develop practical skills in conducting feasibility studies, evaluating project economics, and creating comprehensive project development plans. The program emphasizes critical aspects such as capital and operating cost estimation, financial modeling, and sensitivity analysis. You will explore the importance of integrating technical and financial considerations, managing stakeholder expectations, and ensuring regulatory compliance.

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Additionally, this program ensures you are well-versed in conducting environmental and social impact assessments. managing regulatory compliance, and mitigating risks effectively. You will have hands-on experience in geological assessments and mineral resource estimation, teaching you to interpret geological data and apply industry standards like JORC and NI 43-101. You will learn to select appropriate mining methods, design efficient process flows, and plan infrastructure and logistics to optimize operational efficiency. By the end of the program, you will be fully prepared to create comprehensive feasibility study reports aligned with stakeholder and investor expectations, making you an invaluable asset in the mining industry.

Upon successful completion of the program, Certified Mining Project Feasibility and Financial Evaluation Manager (CMPF $^{\text{m}}$ ) designation, validating your expertise in comprehensive mining project assessment and financial evaluation, positioning you as a leader in the mining sector. Globally demanded and recognized, the certification holds lifelong validity and will underscore your expertise while elevating your professional standing in the critical field of mining project development.

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## **KEY SKILLS YOU WILL GAIN**

### From This Program





## YOUR FACULTY DIRECTOR

#### Dr. Ali Soofastaei

Renowned Mining Project Feasibility and Financial Evaluation Expert

Dr. Ali Soofastaei is a renowned expert in mining project feasibility and financial evaluation, with over 15 years of experience in driving digital transformation and Alpowered initiatives in the mining industry. As a seasoned professional with a PhD in Information Technology, Mechanical & Mining Engineering, Dr. Soofastaei has worked with top-tier mining corporations, including Newmont, Vale, and BHP, delivering multi-million-dollar projects that enhance efficiency, sustainability, and profitability.

His expertise spans technical and financial evaluation, geological assessments, mining methods, metallurgical testing, and infrastructure planning. Dr. Soofastaei is a Certified Project Management Professional (PMP) and holds certifications from Harvard and GAFM. With his unique blend of technical, financial, and leadership expertise, Dr. Soofastaei provides participants with actionable insights and strategic acumen necessary for effective mining project feasibility and financial evaluation.

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### MODULE 1 - INTRODUCTION TO MINING PROJECT FEASIBILITY

- Overview of Feasibility Studies in Mining
- Phases of Mining Project Development
- Integrating Technical, Financial, and Environmental Considerations

#### MODULE 2 - GEOLOGICAL ASSESSMENTS & MINERAL RESOURCE ESTIMATION

- Exploration Techniques & Resource Classification Standards (JORC, NI 43-101)
- Geostatistical Modeling for Resource Estimation
- Addressing Uncertainty & Improving Resource Accuracy

### MODULE 3 - MINING METHODS & PROCESS DESIGN

- Selection of Surface vs. Underground Mining Methods
- Equipment Planning & Mine Planning Strategies
- Life-of-Mine Planning & Operational Scalability

### MODULE 4 - METALLURGICAL TESTING & PROCESS OPTIMIZATION

- Importance of Metallurgical Test Work in Feasibility Studies
- Process Flow Design for Mineral Recovery
- Evaluating Ore Characteristics & Processing Efficiency

### MODULE 5 - INFRASTRUCTURE & LOGISTICS PLANNING

- Power, Water, and Transport Requirements for Mining Operations
- Cost Optimization in Remote Mining Operations
- Supply Chain & Logistics Planning for Project Viability

### MODULE 6 - ENVIRONMENTAL & SOCIAL IMPACT ASSESSMENTS

- Supply Chain & Logistics Planning for Project Viability
- Regulatory Frameworks for Environmental Compliance
- Social Responsibility & Community Engagement
- ESG (Environmental, Social, Governance)
   Considerations in Mining



### MODULE 7 - RISK MANAGEMENT & SAFETY IN MINING PROJECTS

- Identifying & Mitigating Technical & Operational Risks
- Designing & Implementing Safety Protocols
- Contingency Planning for Project Delays & Failures

### MODULE 8 - CAPITAL & OPERATING COST ESTIMATION

- Building Cost Models for Mining Projects
- Sensitivity Analysis & Cost Risk Management
- Understanding Capital & Operating Cost Components

### MODULE 9 - ECONOMIC FEASIBILITY & FINANCIAL MODELING

- Financial Metrics NPV, IRR, Payback Period
- Scenario Analysis & Stress Testing for Investment Decisions
- Integrating Technical & Financial Results into Decision-Making

### MODULE 10 - FEASIBILITY STUDY REPORTING & PROJECT APPROVAL

- Structuring Comprehensive Feasibility Study Reports
- Communicating Findings to Investors & Stakeholders
- Securing Project Approvals & Investment Funding



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