

FACILITATION SKILLS TOOLKIT

THIS TOOLKIT IS MOST SUITED FOR: ALL STAFF



LinkedIn Learning Course: Workshop Facilitation

1 HOUR 10 MIN WATCH

This course discusses the role of the facilitator, and walks through how to effectively design, prepare for, and facilitate a workshop.

The course also outlines:

- The different types of workshop facilitation
- How to build a solid learning plan and agenda
- How to design the right activities
- How to keep things on track and deal with challenging dynamics
- How to extend the learner's journey after the event





Role of the facilitator

Article: What is facilitation & the role of a facilitator?

6 MIN READ



Tips and best practice

Article: Workshop Facilitation Guide
6 MIN READ



10 MIN READMcGill University
Article

How to overcome typical challenges when facilitating



Planning your session

McGill University Article:
A step-by-step guide to planning a workshop

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Considering different communication styles of your audience

Harvard Article: Types of communication styles

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Choosing resources to use

5-10 MIN READ EACH

The Facilitation Hub: Workshop Tools

Designing & using handouts

Designing & using PowerPoint Slides

Reflecting on your workshop



This includes getting feedback

McGill University Article: Reflect

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Closing your workshop



McGill University Article: Ideas for closing your workshop

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Managing the people in the room & any issues



5 MIN READ EACH

Identifying dysfunction - The first step

Asking meaningful questions Moderating meaningful discussions

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