# **Lean Practitioner Certification**



**Gemba Academy's Lean Practitioner Certification** is designed to instill the knowledge while simultaneously developing the expertise needed to effectively practice Lean. Lean Practitioners not only drive continuous improvement, but also engage the workforce by sharing knowledge to help others understand a better way of working.

Ideal Candidate	Leader or individual contributor who uses Lean tools, methods, and principles to solve problems, make improvements, or develop the continuous improvement skills of others.
Prerequisites	None
Estimated Time to Complete	8-12 months
Course Content Time	61 hours
Practical Application Time	87 hours

# Why Gemba Academy?

Our certification program includes one-on-one guidance and support from an expert practitioner using A3 and Toyota Kata coaching methods.

#### Accessible

Our videos feature expert practitioners and are designed to maximize learning efficiency, ranging between 5-15 minutes in length. Short interactive quizzes reinforce learning. Downloadable templates and other resources allow for the immediate application of new concepts.

# **Benefits to the Organization**

- Rapid return on investment
- Real-world improvements are made and problems are solved during the course
- Increased productivity
- Improved quality of product and service
- Higher customer satisfaction
- Eliminate waste and reduce costs
- Spread Lean thinking and practices throughout the organization

# **Benefits to the Individual**

- Marketable professional advancement
- Applies to any industry or position
- Professional credibility
- Job retention
- Industry recognition

# **Syllabus Overview**

- Lean thinking
- Toyota Kata
- 5S
- 7 Wastes
- Visual Management
- Value Stream Mapping

- Standard Work
- Practical Problem Solving
- A3
- TWI: Job Instruction
- TWI: Job Methods
- Kaizen Events
- Lean Practice Strategy and Planning