

**DEFINITIVE COURSE RECORD**

Course Title	<b>Postgraduate Diploma in Business Administration (Supply Chain)</b>
Awarding Bodies	<b>University of Suffolk</b>

Mode of Attendance	Part-time
Standard Length of Course <sup>3</sup>	<b>2-year (plus 6 months for EPA)</b>
Intended Award	<b>PgD Business Administration (Supply Chain)</b>
Apprenticeship standard	<b>Senior Leader</b>
Named Exit Awards	<b>PgD Business Administration (Supply Chain)</b>

Entry Requirements<sup>4</sup> Entry to the course will be subject to the applicant holding an undergraduate degree with a 2:2 (minimum) classification or equivalent in a relevant subject, or

- a professional qualification of graduate status, or;
- an HND/HNC and have three years management experience, or;
- have five years significant management experience.

All applicants are required to hold Level 2 English and Maths at

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### **Course Summary**

The Postgraduate Diploma in Business Administration (Supply Chain) programme is designed for those in, or aspiring to, senior management positions or those looking for conversion from specialist fields to that of general management. It prepares participants for early entry into positions holding significant general management responsibilities, whilst developing a thorough understanding of the principal functional areas of management.

At the University of Suffolk, we actively encourage apprentices to fundamentally question generally accepted management and leadership understanding by drawing upon the full range of social scientific knowledge. Not only does this develop a greater awareness of the complex nature of organisations and their functioning, but it develops the transferable skills of evaluation and analysis required of senior management. This enables apprentices to respond creatively and effectively to the challenges presented by a global business environment, and to broaden the range of management responsibilities they undertake.

### **Course Aims**

The overall aim of the Postgraduate Diploma in Business Administration is to develop the analytical and strategic management skills of the students; thus enabling them to respond creatively and effectively to the challenges of the global business environment.

This overall aim embraces several distinct and individual aims:

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**Awards**

On successful completion of 120 credits, apprentices will be eligible for a PgD Business Administration (Supply Chain) [degree apprenticeship]. Students who successfully complete 120 credits but do not complete the EPA will receive a PgD Business Administration (Supply Chain).

**Course Delivery**

The course is jointly delivered between University of Suffolk at the Ipswich campus and CP Trainin-0.015 Tc 0.015 h3[(be)10.5 6 (ni)c.6 (r)d6Tw B3-10.4 (P2 (f)-6 L6.7 ( ))T9.96d)4.3 ( t)-6.6 (he)10

