



## PMO (Programme Management Office)

For years, IT departments have struggled to deliver projects on time and within budget. But with today's emphasis on getting more for your money, IT has to rein in projects more closely than ever. That challenge has led many to turn to programme management offices (PMOs) as a way to boost IT efficiency, cut costs, and improve on project delivery in terms of time and budget.

PMO is an office or department responsible for establishing, maintaining and enforcing project management processes, procedures, and standards. It provides services, support to project managers, enabling them to focus on delivery.

### What exactly is a PMO?

The PMO coordinates the technical and business facets of project management providing the most effective management and support, which are critical to the organisation being able to deliver the required business strategy and targets. A PMO can be totally scalable - from a virtual function, to single project support, programme support, all the way up to alignment within a strategic business framework.

## Benefits of having a PMO

The establishment of a PMO bring the following benefits:

- Standardisation of methodologies used
- Standardisation of project governance and processes
- Improved risk analysis across the programme
- Consistent tool usage
- Improved and consistent reporting
- Improved management and control of the resources
- Improved communication and collaboration not just internally within the project and programme but externally with the stake holders and the rest of the business and suppliers

The above benefits lead to projects and programmes being delivered in a more controlled, efficient and focused way, which ultimately culminates in them being delivered on time and to budget.

## SERVICES

Spring have ITIL accredited PMO Consultants who have worked with organisations from various industry and technology sectors in developing and enhancing their PMO functions. Through our dynamic and flexible approach these organisations have realised the benefits sooner as our solutions are tailored specifically to each organisation's unique requirements.



- PMO Process Consultancy - this bespoke consultancy is predominantly for clients with little or no formal PMO function in place. An initial assessment is performed, followed by a customised implementation of a practical process that is best suited to the individual business needs and operational environment. This could include a review of the departmental structure, advice concerning the level of governance that should be in place, and methodologies that should be adopted.
- PMO Outsourcing - If you would prefer not to set up your own PMO, Spring has the knowledge, experience and capability to manage the complete end-to-end PMO function for you from a single project to the whole programme bringing with us the success of doing this across various industries and so offering synergies across your IT and business areas.
- PMO Audit - if you feel your not getting the best out of your current PMO function, we can assess it against industry leading standards, identifying areas that if changed or tweaked, would ensure your organisation gained the maximum benefit from the PMO function.

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