

## Course Dates

ICA Professional Postgraduate Diploma in Governance, Risk and Compliance  
(Cohort 32) Materials go live **18 August 2025**

This leadership programme has been designed to enhance the strategic skills of senior managers and those aspiring to hold the highest compliance positions within an organisation. This course has already helped hundreds of senior compliance professionals from over 50 countries unlock their leadership potential and improve their career growth opportunities.

ALL TIMES QUOTED ARE UK TIME ZONE

Welcome & Orientation to PPG DIP GRC	
Welcome & Orientation Virtual Classroom <i>(90 minutes)</i>	<b>21 August 2025</b> <b>12:00</b>

Masterclass Weekend 1	
Masterclass 1: Building the Culture for Effective GRC <i>(Jonathan Bowdler)</i> <i>(3 hours)</i>	<b>19 September 2025</b> <b>13:00</b>
Masterclass 2: Strategic Risk Management <i>(TBC)</i> <i>(3 hours)</i>	<b>20 September 2025</b> <b>09:00</b>

Masterclass Weekend Tutorial	
Masterclass Weekend 1 Tutorial <i>(Jonathan Bowdler)</i> <i>(2 hours)</i>	<b>24 September 2025</b> <b>09:30</b>

Tutorials are designed to give the students an opportunity to **reflect, interpret and apply** the knowledge and understanding gained from the Masterclass in a **practical and discursive** environment, sharing peer **examples and experience**. The tutor will facilitate the discussion, supporting, and if appropriate challenging, the students'

knowledge, application, and management/leadership implications of their learning. They are an integral part of the students' learning journey and attendance is expected.

<b>Masterclass Weekend 2</b>	
<p>Masterclass 3: Strategic Oversight of Data Management and Security <b>(Emmet McParland)</b> <b>(3 hours)</b></p>	<p><b>17 October 2025</b> <b>13:00</b></p>
<p>Masterclass 4: Regulatory Risk Evolution: What's Next? <b>(Rhodri Kettle)</b> <b>(3 hours)</b></p>	<p><b>18 October 2025</b> <b>09:00</b></p>

<b>Masterclass Weekend Tutorial</b>	
<p>Masterclass Weekend 2 Tutorial <b>(Jonathan Bowdler)</b> <b>(2 hours)</b></p>	<p><b>22 October 2025</b> <b>14:30</b></p>

<b>Assessment Preparation 1</b>	
<p>Preparing your Reflective Journal Draft Submission <b>(90 minutes)</b></p>	<p><b>6 November 2025</b> <b>09:30</b></p>

Submission of draft masterclass evaluation of one Masterclass of your choice, by **8 December 2025** to receive feedback within 6 weeks (**23 January 2026**).

<b>Assessment Guidance</b>	
<p>Assessment Guidance <b>(90 minutes)</b></p>	<p><b>4 February 2026</b> <b>14:30</b></p>

<b>Masterclass Weekend 3</b>	
<p>Masterclass 5:            Creating and maintaining an effective ESG strategy  <b>(David Jackman)</b>  <b>(3 hours)</b></p>	<p><b>20 February 2026</b>  <b>13:00</b></p>
<p>Masterclass 6:            Communication in Leadership  <b>(Andrew Fox)</b>  <b>(3 hours)</b></p>	<p><b>21 February 2026</b>  <b>09:00</b></p>

<b>Masterclass Weekend Tutorial</b>	
<p>Masterclass Weekend 3 Tutorial  <b>(Jonathan Bowdler)</b>  <b>(2 hours)</b></p>	<p><b>25 February 2026</b>  <b>09:30</b></p>

<b>Masterclass Weekend 4</b>	
<p>Masterclass 7:            Behavioural Compliance: The Role of Psychology in Culture and Behaviour  <b>(Paul Eccleson)</b>  <b>(3 hours)</b></p>	<p><b>20 March 2026</b>  <b>13:00</b></p>
<p>Masterclass 8:            Cyber Security: What Leaders need to know  <b>(Oscar O'Connor)</b>  <b>(3 hours)</b></p>	<p><b>21 March 2026</b>  <b>09:00</b></p>

<b>Masterclass Weekend Tutorial</b>	
Masterclass Weekend 4 Tutorial <i>(Jonathan Bowdler)</i>  <i>(2 hours)</i>	<b>25 March 2026</b>  <b>14:30</b>

<b>Assessment Preparation 2 &amp; 3</b>	
Preparing your Reflective Journal Submission <i>(90 minutes)</i>	<b>9 April 2026</b>  <b>14:30</b>
Assessment Interview Preparation <i>(90 minutes)</i>	<b>14 May 2026</b>  <b>14:30</b>

**Submission of Reflective Journal & National Standards by 4 May 2026.**

**Virtual Oral Assessments will take place during weeks commencing 15 & 22 June 2026.**

**(Results – 31 July 2026)**