

# CRITICAL THINKING AND ANALYTICAL REASONING

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## What You'll Learn

- Define critical thinking
- Identify and adopt the characteristics of critical thinking
- Recognize and avoid critical thinking mistakes
- Identify assumptions
- Evaluate information accurately and thoroughly
- Distinguish between fact and opinion
- Implement the critical thinking process in business situations

## Who Needs to Attend

Business professionals who want to enhance their thinking processes to achieve better results in business.

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\$845 CAD

1 Day

## Virtual Classroom Live Outline

### **Lesson 1: Understanding Critical vs. Noncritical Thinking**

- The Case for Critical Thinking
- Recognize Deceptive Reasoning
- Detect Emotional Manipulation
- Styles of Noncritical Thinking
- Critical Thinking Styles
- Become a Critical Thinker
- Part Summary

### **Lesson 2: Recognizing and Evaluating Arguments**

- Define Arguments
- Step 1: Pinpoint Issues
- Step 2: Identify Arguments
- Step 3: Seek Clarity
- Step 4: Understand Context
- Step 5: Find Credibility
- Step 6: Look for Consistency
- Step 7: Judge Arguments
- Present Ideas Powerfully
- Part Summary

### **Lesson 3: Developing and Evaluating Explanations**

- Explanations vs. Arguments
- Formulate Explanations

- Element 1: Gather Information
- Element 2: Process Information
- Element 3: Develop Hypotheses
- Element 4: Test Hypotheses
- Ask Discovery Questions
- Challenge Assumptions

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