

# **Presentation Skills**

Please note that delegates will have to prepare a 5-7 minute presentation on a topic of their choice.

## **Objective:**

Delegates will acquire an awareness of some of the more advanced issues involved in public-speaking. This course will provide delegates with guidance on planning and delivering presentations in challenging situations.

## Typical agenda:

## Planning and Preparation:

How to ensure that your presentation is appropriate for the situation, in terms of style, length, format and emphasis.

## Structure and Content of the Talk:

How to make the presentation interesting by using stories; using emotional engagement to build rapport.

#### Understanding Body Language:

How to read body language and respond accordingly with your own body language; giving expression to your message through body language; how to develop personal presence and projection; how to understand individual stances related to perceived status.

#### **Dealing with Difficult Questions:**

Exercises designed to assist in helping you to be able to think on your feet.

#### Using the Voice Effectively

This section will explore the use of your voice to increase presences and to increase your confidence.

#### Presentation Exercises (including preparation):

Delegates present on an individual basis on a subject of their choice. (Advance preparation will be required.)

#### **Review and Conclusion:**

Constructive feedback at an individual level; Delegates develop self-awareness and critical faculties through observation and peer-review.

Duration: One Day