

# Strategic Planning Jump-Start™

#### Overview:

This intensive planning program is intended to help organizations develop a high-level strategic plan. It employs Kerr Consulting Group's proprietary KCG Strategic Planning Methodology<sup>TM</sup> that leads a client's planning team in the creation of a solid strategic plan, comprised of:

- Strategic Vision
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- Long-range Objectives Short-term Business Goals
- 1<sup>st</sup>-Cut Project Plans
- Prioritized Project Execution Timeline

Unlike other planning vehicles that provide *canned* solutions to client organizations, this program uses information provided by participants to create an actual plan for the enterprise.

# Participants:

This program is intended for planning teams comprised of senior management and key staff members. However, if a strategic planning organization already exists within the client firm, those staff members may be appropriate attendees.

## Goals of the Program:

- To understand the basic elements of, and to learn a process for, strategic planning;
- To "jump-start" the strategic planning process within a client organization; To establish a high-level strategic plan for the enterprise.

### Organization of the Program:

This is a three day planning program, as follows:

Context Setting Discussion Company Overview Industry Elements

Competition Identification/Assessment

Gen'l Strategy Discussion

Strategic Planning Brainstorming Session Vision Components Identification

Vision Analysis

What/How Drill-down

Objectives/Goals Identification

Long-range Objectives vs. Short-term Goals Analysis

# Day 2:

Project Identification Brainstorming Session Planning Template Overview **Template Development Exercises Template Review Exercises** Template Modification/Completion

#### **Day 3:**

Project Prioritization Workshop

Strategic Significance vs. Interdependencies Analysis

Timeline Discussion

**Project Plotting** 

Strategic Plan Clean-Up Activities (Keeping It Alive)

Program Wrap-Up (Taking the Next Steps)

#### To Sum:

The *Strategic Planning Jump-Start™* provides KCG clients with the facilitation and consulting support they need to build and maintain a solid Strategic Plan. For help during plan execution, Kerr Consulting Group also offers on-site consulting services, including project advisory, team facilitation and ongoing plan reviews.