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Happy New Year

Happy New Year from all of us at DMS. After the excesses of the last few weeks, we're looking forward to another exciting year working with lots of you to continue to develop your skills and to ensure that you are doing your best to fulfil your potential and that of your colleagues. So if you made a resolution over the holidays to do some training, now's the time to follow it through before the first of January becomes a distant memory. Why not sign up for one of our open programmes, talk to us about an in-house programme or register for a diagnostic meeting to get your CIPD PAC assessment underway. Get in touch by [email](#) or call us on 020 8326 6200 for more information.

2008 Open Course Programme

Our next cohort of open courses kicks off soon. If you'd like to update your HR and/or management skills, or know someone who should, then take advantage of our 10% discount offer if you book before the end of January. Just reply to this [mail](#) to book or for more information or call 020 8326 6200 if you'd like to chat through which option is best for you:

Courses which start or take place over the coming weeks include:

- CIPD Certificate in Training Practice (CTP) - £1950 + VAT
- CMI Diploma in Management - £3450 + VAT
- CIPD Certificate in Personnel Practice (CPP) - £1950 + VAT
- CMI Diploma in Management Consultancy - 5th March - £3450 + VAT
- MSc in Strategic Personnel and Development - 18th April - £4950 + VAT

One to One PAC Assessments

If you'd like to get your CIPD qualification without the rigours of a long-winded college course, then why not consider our PAC Assessment options. These are a convenient and cost effective way to get your CIPD at times to suit you. You can choose either the standard programme where you write your portfolio or the executive option if your time is at a premium and you'd rather leave that bit to us. Email [Peter](#) or call him on 0208 326 6200 if you'd like to chat through which assessment route is the most appropriate option for you.

In-House Programmes

Those of you who have worked with us before will know that we run a wide range of in-house training courses and consultancy programmes, which can be tailored to your organisation's needs. All our courses can be accredited to ensure they achieve even more value for your business. Of particular interest to the public sector is the Diploma in Public Service Leadership. Call for a chat to see how we can help you.

Recruitment

Are you looking to recruit in the near future? We are highly experienced in recruiting for HR positions and can support you from the initial search through to assessment. Email Peter or call him on 0208 326 6200 if you'd like to chat through how we can help.

Development Means Success

We really like hearing how we've helped our ever growing list of clients to achieve success in their careers. So we're launching a new monthly DMS Success Award. Do you feel DMS has helped you to achieve success in your career or for your organisation? If so, we'd love to hear from you. Each month's winner will feature in our monthly 'Development Means Success' article. You will also be entered into our prize draw for £50 of book vouchers. Email us at success@dmsconsultants.com to enter and tell us why you should win.

In the meantime, we thought we'd kick off 2008 with one of our own DMS team. Amanda Kozlowski was working as an HR Consultant to SME's when we met her in 2004. She decided to achieve Chartered Membership of the CIPD with DMS via PAC to compliment her MA in Strategic Management in HR. Since completing the programme in Feb 2005, she is now a DMS Consultant with her own portfolio of clients. Amanda said "I'm so glad I took the plunge and started on the programme. The flexibility of PAC meant that I could fit completion of the programme in with my other working commitments. Although challenging, it has given me a real sense of satisfaction and I have certainly developed professionally and personally. In addition I have found that Chartered Membership of the CIPD has helped me to secure more consultancy work as well as increased my earning potential so I would definitely recommend the programme." If you'd like to ask Amanda any questions about the programme you can email her direct on akozlowski@dmsconsultants.com .

From all the team at DMS we wish you a very successful 2008.

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