Stress Test Lab

Test, adapt and secure your organization's resilience



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Audience:

Procurement Managers, Category Managers,

Supply Chain Managers.

Prerequisites: No requirements.

Format: Intra in hybrid mode

Duration: 5,5 hours

Price: €900 per person

Estimated price for 12 participants

Smaller or larger group? Contact us

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Objectives

- > Identify and deconstruct implicit assumptions in strategic plans.
- Define and track early warning signs that reveal vulnerabilities in strategy.
- > Anticipate cascading failures through structured scenario-building techniques.
- > Develop adaptive triggers and contingency plans.
- > Take out strategic reasoning through peer critique and exchange.



Programme

1. Discovery

Introduction to the strategic resilience mindset:

• Adopt a new way of thinking about strategy, consider risks, unforeseen events, and weak signals. It is about adopting a proactive posture, capable of anticipating disruptions and adapting quickly to changes.

Explore the EIPM lab's tools and frameworks:

• Become familiar with practical methods, discover analytical frameworks and concrete tools for assessing the robustness of a strategy. The objective is to test the strategy and identify its vulnerabilities.

Adopter critical thinking:

• Développer une capacité à analyser une situation, une information ou une idée de manière réfléchie, rationnelle et objective.

2. Application

- Submit a strategy to a stress test: Apply the lab's tools and frameworks to a concrete strategy of your choice.
- Identifiy breaches: Uncover hidden assumptions and weak signals that could undermine your strategy.
- Simulate failures: Anticipate cascading effects and design agile responses.
- Share results with peers: Benefit from constructive exchanges for a complete assessment.

3. Use Cases

- Finalisation of a procurement strategy.
- Prior to major review or as part of a project strategy development.
- To test preparedness for external turmoil such as geopolitical crises, ESG enforcement, AI disruptions.