

The Effective Director

Understand the role of the director in maximising board effectiveness and corporate governance

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Duration: 2 days

Mode of Delivery: In person



Overview

The strategic role of the board has never been more critical. Organisations today face mounting challenges, including COVID-19, CAMA 2021 compliance, cyber risks, inflation, declining revenues, and workforce dynamics. In this complex environment, directors must balance the expectations of shareholders, employees, regulators, and the community while leading effective strategy formulation and execution.

This programme equips participants with practical insights, frameworks, and case-based learning to navigate the demands of modern board leadership. Delivered by faculty with extensive board experience, the programme explores governance structures, committee functions, financial oversight, enterprise risk management, and the link between board decisions and organisational performance. By the end, participants will gain actionable knowledge to lead boards more effectively, create sustainable value, and strengthen organisational resilience.

Who should attend

The Effective Director Programme is designed for current and aspiring executive and non-executive directors seeking to strengthen board leadership and governance capabilities. It is ideal for directors and senior managers of private, public, and not-for-profit organisations, as well as regulatory and professional association leaders. Participants typically aim to enhance strategic oversight, risk management, and board effectiveness in complex business environments.

PROGRAM FEE: N1,400,000

Learning Objectives and Benefits

Participants on this programme will:

- Gain a detailed understanding of key economic trends, business challenges, and governance responsibilities affecting boards in Nigeria and Africa.
- Build knowledge of board structures, CAMA 2021 implications, financial oversight, and enterprise risk management for effective decision-making.
- Enhance strategic leadership capabilities to ensure robust strategy formulation, execution, and sustainable organisational performance.

Structure and Curriculum

- The board in the 21st century: issues, challenges and prospects
- Board ecosystem, structures, committees, and responsibilities
- Board and strategy in a turbulent environment
- Board, enterprise-wide risk management, and business continuity
- The risky business of being a director, board, and sustainability
- New CAMA 2021 and implications for the director, board, and the firm
- Fixing the board, managing board crisis, and succession planning
- Sustaining board effectiveness and directors' round table

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